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Wm. H. M. S.
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 THE PEOPLE
 vs
 John Donohue
 3 cases

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE
 (Section 498, 506, 528, 530, 552)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. H. M. S.
 Pleas
 J. H. M. S.
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Police Court - 2 District.

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

Henry Dreyfus

of No. 60 West 52nd Street, aged 42 years,

occupation Importer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 60 West 52nd Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story brown
stone dwelling

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling

and in which there was at the time ^{no} human being, by name Joseph Weidtfelder

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly forcing open
an iron gate leading to the basement, and
forcing off the scuttle of said premises
on the roof.

on the 25 day of July 1888 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Fam mens clothing of the value of two hundred
dollar, a black feather fan of the value
of fifteen dollar, a point lace fan of the
value of fifty dollar, and other articles
of the value in all of over three hundred
dollar \$300

the property of deponent and his family

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

John Donohue, (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent left the said
property securely locked and closed in said
house, as he is informed by Joseph Weidtfelder
(now here) on Monday July 25. The said
place was found broken open on Wednesday, and
the said property was missing. Deponent then
dependant with the Commission of said burglary
for the reason that he is informed by Policeman
Frank N. Evanline, now here, that he arrested

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The defendant on August 7 with a portion of
the said stolen property in his possession. consisting
of the said feather fan.

Merrill W. [Signature]

SWORN TO BEFORE ME

THIS 9 DAY OF August 1888

Clay [Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

[Faint handwritten marks]

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Police Court _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary _____
Degree.

Dated _____

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ _____ Bail.

Bailed by _____

No. _____ Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Frank N. Evaulne

aged _____ years, occupation Policeman of No. _____

Central Ave Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Henry Dreyfus

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

Sworn to before me, this 9
day of August 1888

Frank N. Evaulne

Clay Perry
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Joseph Westfeldde

aged _____ years, occupation Druggist of No.

60 West 52nd St Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Henry Gray

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

Sworn to before me, this 9

day of August 1881

Joseph Westfeldde

W. J. Crockett
Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Donohue*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *U.S.*

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

Answer. *411 West 56th St. 9 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty I waive examination.*

John Donohue

Taken before me this 4

day of August 1887

W. J. O'Connell
Police Justice.

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

John D. ...

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

Dated *May 24* 188*8* *John D. ...* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court---

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1214 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Dreyfus
69 West 52nd St
John Bonohue

Offence
Dreyfus

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated Aug 4 188

Pomer Magistrate.

Erwin Murray Officer.
Central Precinct.

Witnesses Henry Dreyfus
No. 2 Talbair St Street.

Joseph Wittfeldt
No. 108 E 10th St Street.

No. _____ Street.
\$ 2000 to answer \$ 50

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

John Donohue

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

John Donohue —

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

The said *John Donohue,*

late of the *22nd* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *25th* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Henry Drayfus,* —

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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

John Donohue —

of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY *in the first degree* committed as follows:

The said *John Donohue,*

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

took and carried away *and*
carried off *and*
and *descriptions* *to* *the* *Grand*
Jury *aforesaid* *unknown* *of*
the *value* *of* *two* *hundred*
dollars, *one* *of* *the* *value*
of *fifteen* *dollars*, *and* *one* *other*
of *the* *value* *of* *fifty*
dollars.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Henry Drayton,*

in the dwelling house of the said *Henry Drayton.* —

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

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THIRD COUNT.

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

John Donahue —

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

The said *John Donahue,*

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 year of the value of
fifteen dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *Henry Deffner,*

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said *Henry Deffner,*

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

John Donahue

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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Counsel,

Filed 11 day of Sept 1888

Pleas, charged in

THE PEOPLE
 vs.
 John Donohue
 3 cases

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE
 (Section 498, 506, 528, 530 & 557)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Part 1 Sept. 24th

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A True Bill.

[Signature]

Foreman.

Witnesses:

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Police Court - 2 District.

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

George C. Porter

of No. 812 Fifth Avenue Street, aged 25 years,

occupation Banker and Broker being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 812 Fifth Avenue Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house in

the 19th Ward of said City

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house

and in which there was ^{not} at the time a human being, by name

Booke and

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening the

iron gate at the Casement door and

breaking or panes of glass in the

Casement door on or about the

3rd day of July 1888 in the day time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One diamond ring, new purchase,

of the value of fifty dollars and

other articles of jewelry, in all of

the value of four hundred dollars

the property of deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

John H. ...

for the reasons following, to wit: That said property was

then contained in said premises

which was closed and secured and

the occupants thereof absent from

the premises in the County.

That on or about the 6th of July last

deponent was informed by the police

of the crime aforesaid and thereupon

discovered the larceny of said property.

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That deponent is now here informed
by officer Thomas Murray that he,
said officer, found a pawn ticket
in the room of said defendants
at premises on J. Avenue between 83
and 84th Streets and that said pawn
ticket represented said stolen ring.
That deponent and said officer went
to the pawn shop and identified
the ring represented by said ticket
as the stolen ring aforesaid.

Sworn to before me this } Geo. W. Barker.
7th day of August 1888

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice

Police Court _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary _____ Degree.

Dated _____ 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ _____ Bail.

Bailed by _____

No. _____ Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Murray
aged _____ years, occupation Detective Sergeant of No.

300 Mulberry Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George E. Porter

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of August 1888

Thomas Murray

John Patterson
Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Donohue*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *411 West 56th St. 9 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Driver*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

John Donohue

Taken before me this

day of *August* 188*8*

A. M. Patterson
Police Justice

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

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

Dated *August 7* 188 *J. M. Plutman* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- 2 1230 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Geo. E. Porter
812 1/2 - 5 Ave
36 Wall St
John D. ...

Offence
Murphy
M. & L. ...

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

Dated *August 7* 188 *8*
Patterson Magistrate.

Murray Officer.
C. O. Precinct.

Witnesses *Mrs. Murray*
No. *300 ...* Street.



No. _____ Street.

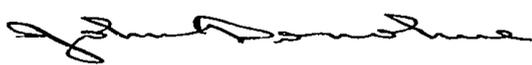
No. _____ Street.
\$ *1500.* to answer *G.S.*

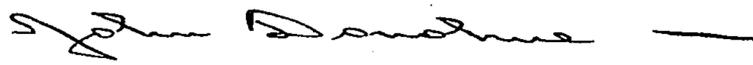
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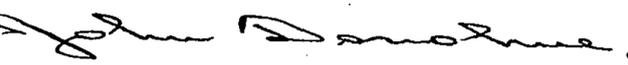
Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

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| <p>THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, <i>against</i> </p> |
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The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse, 

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

The said 

late of the 19th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the third day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, in the said time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one George R. Porter,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property of the said George R. Porter in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

John Donohue —

of the CRIME OF ~~Grand~~ LARCENY ~~in the first degree~~, committed as follows:

The said *John Donohue*.

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

one finger ring of the value of fifty dollars, and divers other articles of jewelry of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown of the value of five hundred dollars.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *George E. Porter*,

in the dwelling house of the said *George E. Porter* —

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

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THIRD COUNT.

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

John Donohue

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

The said *John Donohue*,

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 image map of the
value of fifty dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *George E. Porter*,

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said *George E. Porter*.

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

John Donohue

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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Counsel,

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Burghary in the THIRD DEGREE
 Grand Jurors and Foreman
 (Section 498, 506, 528, 530 and 532)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Donohue

3 cases

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

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Foreman.

Witnesses:

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Police Court— District.

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

Annie N. Holt

of No. 24 East 58th Street, aged _____ years,

occupation Married being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 24 East 58th Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a four story and

basement, brown stone dwelling house

and which was occupied by deponent as a and her husband as a dwelling

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name _____

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the lock on the outer iron gate or door at the basement of said house and entering and breaking a pane of glass in the inner basement door and inserting the hand and turning a key in a lock on said door and entering the same

on the 2nd day of July 1888 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: A quantity of wearing apparel, jewelry, silver-ware, opera glasses and one fan of all of the value of about Two thousand

Inter

dollars

the property of deponent and her husband George N. Holt and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by John Dowd (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit: That on the second day of July 1888 deponent left said premises in the possession of Herbert C. Deane. Deponent is informed by said Deane, that he Deane on said 2nd July, 1888 securely locked and fastened the doors and windows leading into said premises and that no person was therein. That on or about 24th day of July, 1888 the said door and windows were securely fastened and

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the said property was therein and the said dwelling was unoccupied. Deponent is further informed by James A. Slattis (nowhere) that he Slattis on said 24th day of July went to said premises and found the said door broken as aforesaid and deponent thereupon missed said property. Deponent is further informed by Frank W. Everhoe, Detective Sergeant (nowhere) that he Everhoe arrested said defendant at the premises #31 Seventh Avenue in the City of New York and in the apartment occupied by the defendant, he Everhoe, found a pearl handled fan, which fan deponent has since seen and identified as her property and portion of the proceeds of said burglary.

Sworn to before me 5th September 1888 } AMOR. W. Holt

James A. Slattis
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
vs.
Burglary

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Heber C. Deane

aged 19 years, occupation Assistant Manager of Burglar Alarm of No.

407 East 107th Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Annie M. Holt

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

Sworn to before me, this 5 day of Sept 1888 *H. C. Deane*

Sam'l C. Bull
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 39 years, occupation Inspector G. B. A. of No. 2045 Fulton Street Brooklyn Street, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Annie Holt and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 5 day of Sept 1888 J. A. Staats

Sam J. Cahill
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Frank N. Ewenhoe

aged 35 years, occupation Detective Sergeant of No.

Central Office Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Anne N. Hoer

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

Sworn to before me, this 5 day of Sept 1888 *Frank N. Ewenhoe*

Samuel J. ...
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

John Donohue.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York.

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

Answer.

411 W 56th St. 9 months.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Driver

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty - and
waive further examination*

John Donohue

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*8*

John J. Kelly
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *Sept 5* *188* *f.* *San J. Kelly* *Police Justice.*

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- 1390 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Annie N. Holt
24 East 58th St
John Donohue

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[Signature]
Officer

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated *Sept 5th* 188

O'Reilly Magistrate.

Franker Valley Officer.

C Precinct.

Witnesses *Call the officers*

No. _____ Street.

James G. Staats

No. *518 Broadway* Street.

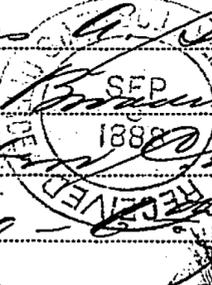
Herbert Gleason

No. *990* Street.

\$ *35.00* to answer

Mr. Holt 11 Wall St

COMMITTED.



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

John Sandman

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

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

The said *John Sandman,*

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *24th* day of *July*, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, in the
night time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the
dwelling house of one *George W. Hall,*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to
commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property
of the said *George W. Hall,*
in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and
there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of
the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the
State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

John Dandrea

of the CRIME OF *LARCENY* in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *John Dandrea*,

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

divers articles of clothing and wearing apparel, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars, divers articles of jewelry, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars, a quantity of silver ware, a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of five hundred dollars, one pair of opera glasses of the value of twenty five dollars, and one fan of the value of five dollars,

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *George W. Holt*,

in the dwelling house of the said *George W. Holt*,

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

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THIRD COUNT.

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

John Sandrine —

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

The said *John Sandrine,*

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 bag of the value of Twenty five dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *George W. Holt,* —

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen from the said *George W. Holt,* —

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

John Sandrine —

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Donovan, Denis

DATE:

09/20/88



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Counsel,
Filed *20 Sept 1888*
Pleads *Magquilly*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
St. Luke & P
Denis Donovan
Grand Larceny, *Second Degree*
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 531 — Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
Pr Sept 24/88 District Attorney.
Plead P.D.
Ben Comus P.B.A.
A TRUE BILL.

Hooper
Foreman.

Witnesses:

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Police Court 1st District.

Affidavit—Larceny.
from person

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Alice Burgess.
of No. City Hospital For Gen. Sick Street, aged 22 years,
occupation Laundress being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 13th day of September 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

A pocket-book containing
gold and lawful money
of the United States of
the amount and value
of three ²100 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 Reunis Romero

(now charged for the reasons following, to wit: on the
date described date deponent
had the said pocket-book
in the dress pocket which dress
she then wore when the said
defendant took said pocket-
book from said pocket. Deponent
is informed by Officer Clark
her present that Officer Clark
the said pocket-book in the
possession of the defendant, who
pocket-book deponent has since
and identifies as being her property.

Alice Burgess
deponent.

Subscribed before me, this 13th day of September 1888
John A. [Signature]
Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

William J. Clark

of No. *1st Avenue* Street, aged *29* years,
occupation *Police Officer* being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the *13* day of *September* 188*8*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *Alice Burgess*

knows her to be a material witness for the People against Benjamin Donovan charged with larceny from person and depersonalizing that the said Alice will not appear on the trial of said complaint prays she may be committed to the House of Detention for witnesses.

W. J. Clark

Sworn to before me this *13* day of *September* 188*8*
W. J. Clark
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William J. Glass
aged *29* years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. *107*
107 Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Robert Burgess*

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

Sworn to before me, this *13*
day of *Sept* 188*8* } *A. Clark*

Solomon Blument
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer. *Reunis Donovan.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *41 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland.*

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

Answer. *10 Washington St. New York*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Labourer.*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

Reunis Donovan

When before me this
August 1st 1888
[Signature]
Police Justice

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

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

Dated *Sept 13* 188..... *John Blunt* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alice Burgess

vs.

Rennis Ransom

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Dated *Sept 13* 188

Smith Magistrate.
Clom Officer.

Officer Ransom from [unclear]

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Witnesses

*Call officers
Bourne and
to the House
of Detention
in default of
\$100 surety
500 to answer*

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Dennis Donovan

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Dennis Donovan of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the Second degree, committed as follows:

The said Dennis Donovan

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

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

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

divers coins of a number kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown of the value of three dollars and two cents and one pocket-book of the value of twenty five cents of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Alice Burgess on the person of the said Alice Burgess. then and there being found, from the person of the said Alice Burgess then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

John R. Fellows, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Donovan, John

DATE:

09/07/88



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Witnesses;

Counsel,
Filed 7
Pleads,

day of Sept 1888

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Donovan

n. b. *[Handwritten signature]*

Grand Larceny; *Sinal Degree*
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 534 & Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Handwritten signature]
Sept 10 1888
Foreman.
D. J. Williams
157 1/2 W. 2nd St.
St. Louis, Mo.

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Mary Corvillo being
only sworn says:- That she
lives at 165 Elizabeth street,
That on the morning of August
24th Michael Corvillo called
deponent; she went down
stairs saw the prisoner in
charge of several men. She
said don't hit him and
went round to the station
house and got an officer.
When deponent ~~came~~ came
back she took a light
and looked the stairs and
found a watch. She
had been told a watch
had been lost, and identified
it as the property claimed by Edu^d Penike
Her

Mary x Corvillo
Mark

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Michael Cavello being
duly sworn says: He
resides at No 165 Elizabeth
Street. That on the morning
of August 24th ^{at four o'clock} the prisoner
John Donovan pushed
aproned door open and
ran in his apartment;
as soon as the said
Donovan entered he and
another man seized him,
supposing that he was
a burglar, and held him
until the arrival of the
police officer

Michael ^{his} Cavello
Mark

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

Sworn to before me, this
of
1888
at
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John Branigan
of 151st Precinct Police Street, aged 34 years,
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 24 day of August 1888

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent arrested
John Donovan (now here) on suspicion
of committing a Larceny for the reasons
following to wit; from the fact that deponent
was called by Maria Cuijelo of No 165
Elizabeth Street that she found the defendant
in her apartments in said number 165 Elizabeth
Street acting in a suspicious manner and found a watch
and chain here shown in Court in said room
and deponent found a portion of said watch chain
in defendant's pantaloons pocket and a key here
shown in Court wherefore deponent prays

Police Justice
Catch
Watch

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that said defendant may be held for
examination in order to enable deponent
to procure the owner of said watch and chain
as a witness

Sworn to before me this
2nd August 1888

John Brangan

John Brangan
Police Justice

Police Court - District

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Brangan
vs
John D. O'Connell
No 117 Elizabeth St

Dated August 24th 1888
John Brangan
Magistrate

Witness
John Brangan
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Officer

Disposition

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District Police Court

New York, Aug. 27, 1888
In the Dist. Ct. N.Y.

This watch was snatched
from complainant's person
at 4 o'clock - morning
on the premises near
Spring Street. The defendant
ran thence to Spring Street
to Elizabeth's寓所 pursued by the
complainant who lost
sight of him there. The
defendant ran into
the premises of the
witness ^{on the top floor of premises 165} Michel Cavello - who
with another seized him in
Murglary - alarmed the
house & followed him down
stairs - On the stairs the
witness Mary Curillo
found the watch & chain.

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York, }

of No. 334 West 27th Street, aged 48 years,
occupation Asst Manager being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 24 day of August 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and person of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz:

One gold watch and one gold and platinum chain together of the value of about One Hundred and Twenty 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 John Donovan (now here)

from the fact that at about the hour of four o'clock A.M. on said date while deponent was walking along the Bowery in Company with a man by the name of John ^{deponent's wife} ~~at West~~ and Helen near Livingston Street the defendant came from behind deponent and snatched the aforesaid watch and chain here shown in Court and identified by deponent from the upper left & right hand side pockets of the the vest worn on the person of deponent and ran away pursued by deponent and deponent identifies the said defendant as the person that did take and carry away said property from possession and person of deponent.

Edward F. Denike

Sworn to before me this

25 day of August 1888

Ed. J. Justice
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

John Donovan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

117 Elizabeth St 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

John J. Donovan
Mark

Taken before me this
day of August

1888

Police Justice

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

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

Dated *Aug 25* 188*8*..... *W. D. Owen* Police Justice

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

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

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

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

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8 am. aug 27

Police Court--- 1st-1348 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. Dennis
334 West 27 St
John D. Norton

Office
Larcent
M. D. P.

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated August 25 1888
Magistrate.

John Branigan
Officer.

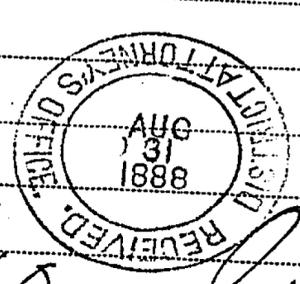
Witness
Carter Officer
Precinct.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 2000 to answer



Handwritten signature and initials
A. D. 127
Norton

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Donovan

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

John Donovan
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said

John Donovans

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

one watch of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, and one chain of the value of twenty dollars

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

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said

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

The said

John Donovan

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

*one watch of the value of
one hundred and fifty dol-
lars, and
one chain of the value of twenty
dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Edward F. Deinks

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

Edward F. Deinks

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

John Donovan

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Dorsch, Adolph

DATE:

09/10/88



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Witnesses:

Barney

Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Adolph Dorach

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Burglary in the 3rd degree.
and Carrying a Dangerous Weapon

Section 496, 506, 528 and 532

A True Bill.

W. W. ...
Foreman.

Henry ...
Sept 17, 188

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Police Court— District.

City and County of New York ss.:

of No. 80 East 10th Street, aged 43 years, occupation Managers being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 80 E 10th Street, 17th Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said, being a three story brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling and place of business

and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Andy Anderson and deponent

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the fastenings of the front base-

ment door

on the 17th day of August 1888 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

musical album, and plated

ware, of the total of twenty

dollar (\$20.)

the property of International Publishing Company

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

Adolph Dorch (now here) and Walter Strick (already held in \$1000)

for the reasons following, to wit: said premises were

locked, bolted and effectually closed on Saturday Aug 24th 1888, at 2 o'clock P.M. and

when deponent charged and defendant Dorch with said

offense, he confessed to the same, and when the Officer

arrested him, he defendant told

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The officer where said property could be found; The markers, and the circumstances connected with this burglary are set forth in the Compendium of Cases No. 10 2988 against the Defendant Walter Spock

Shown to before me }
this 28th day of 1888 }

Carl Quinn
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.

Police Court, District, Offence—BURGLARY.
THE PEOPLE, etc., on the complaint of
1. 2. 3. 4.
Dated 1888 Magistrate.
Officer.
Clerk.
Witnesses, No. Street, No. Street, No. Street, No. Street.
to answer General Sessions.

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District Police Court.

Sec. 190-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Adolph Dorck

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Adolph Dorck

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 Years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

28 Stanton St (2 Weeks)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Book Keeper

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

Answer.

I Am Guilty Adolph Dorck

Taken before me this

28

day of

July 1888

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated May 15 1888 J. P. Keuff Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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D. S. C. 1346
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Carl Stephens
89 East 10th
Joseph Stone

Magistrate

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

3 _____
4 _____
Date Aug 28 1888
Magistrate
Officer
Precinct

Witnesses
Christian Thor
14th Precinct
Street.



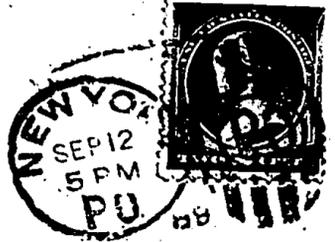
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

[Signatures]

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Handwritten address:
Mr. J. J. ...
Newark, N. J.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Handwritten address:
Mr. J. J. ...
28 Broadway
Newark N. J.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Handwritten address:
Mr. J. J. ...
28 Broadway
Newark N. J.

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Hon. Recorder
Sir!

When I pleaded guilty
a few days ago I did
not know that I plead
guilty to Burglary.
I thought to plead
guilty to having
stolen some property. Since
then I am told I pleaded
guilty to Burglary although
it was not my intention
to do so. I intended to
plea guilty and I do
now plea guilty to
have stolen property of
another and I make
a respectful request to
be permitted to withdraw
my plea of guilty and to
except a plea of Larceny.

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I beg leave to submit
to you very respectfully
my prayer and also
to consider that I am
very sorry, to have committed
a crime but never in
my life before was
charged with any
crime that I have
here in court who can
prove to your honor
that I always lead
an honest life and
I promise that if you
honor will deal with
me leniently
I will always and
forever lead an honest
life

P.S.
You: I have
my special written
but I have not
else.

Very respectfully
your servant
Adolph Dorsch

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against
Adolph Dorsch

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

- Adolph Dorsch -

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

The said Adolph Dorsch,

late of the Seventh Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the 25th day of August, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, about the
hour of three o'clock in the morning time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one Paul Spino,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there
some human being, to wit: the said Paul Spino,

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods
chattels and personal property of the said Paul Spino,

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to
steal, take and carry away; (the said Adolph Dorsch being
then and there assisted by a confederate
actually present, to wit: by one
Walter Stearns.)

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

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SECOND COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment further accuse the said

Joseph Donda —

of the CRIME OF *Peter* LARCENY —

committed as follows:

The said *Joseph Donda*,

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

*Ten printed books of the value of
fifty cents each, ten musical
albums of the value of one
dollar each, and a quantity of
silver-plated ware, of the value
of five dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Rod Spino* —

in the dwelling house of the said *Rod Spino*,

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

John R. Kellogg,
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Downs, Hiram

DATE:

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Counsel,

Filed 25 day of Sept. 1888

Pleads, *Chyulty Doct*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Hiram B. Downs

[Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code]
KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.

DEC 30 1888
JOHN R. FELLOWS, *Att*
District Attorney.

A True Bill,

Oct 12 1888

W. Cooper
Dec 29 1888
Foreman.
One record of doct.
Atty. in indict. doct.
Dec 29 1888

*Upon examination of the files
been found of papers
that they are insufficient
to sustain the indictment
accordingly recommended
dismissal.
Dec 5 1888. *W. Barker*
*Deputy**

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

Police Officer John A. Cooke
of No. 26th Precinct Police Street, in said City, being duly sworn says

and Robert that the premises known as Number 103rd Street between 10th Avenue
in the City and County of New York, on the 29th day of June 1888, and on divers
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Airam B. Downs
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a House of
Disgrace and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil
name and fame there ~~to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace,~~ whoring and misbehaving
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Airam B. Downs
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said
Airam B. Downs
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 30
day of June 1888

[Signature] Police Justice. [Signature]

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Police Court— 5 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John A. Cook
vs.

Hiram B. Downey

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated June 30 188 8

Duffy Justice.

Officer.

Precinct.

WITNESSES :

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Sec. 198-200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Heram B Downs

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Heram B Downs

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 53 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Putnam County This State

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

Answer. 103rd St 10th Avenue

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Builder

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

Answer. I am not guilty of the charge and I demand a trial by jury if held after examination
Heram B Downs

Taken before me this

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court— 5 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss. In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County
of New York, or to any Marshal or 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 John A. Coote
of No. 26th Street, that on the 29 day of June
1888, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Hiram B. Downs
and Boulevard did keep and maintain at the premises known as 103rd Street between 10th Avenue
Street, in said City, a House of Assignment
and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation
to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there
unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking,
dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency
of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the
statute in such case made and provided.

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, in the name of the People of the State of New York, to Command you, the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said

Hiram B. Downs
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said Hiram
B. Downs and forthwith bring them before me, at the 5 DISTRICT POLICE
COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police
Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 30 day of June 1888
[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

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

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

Dated *July 1st* 188 *8* *Sam B. Downs* Police Justice.

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

Dated *July 6th* 188 *8* *Sam B. Downs* Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named.....

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

Dated..... 188 Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

\$3.00 Bail for
by July 10
2 1/2 P.M.

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

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Police Court

1043 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John H. Cook
Hiram B. Brown

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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

26th

Witnesses

No.

Street.

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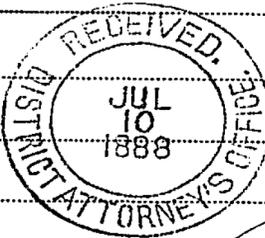
Street.

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Street.

\$ 5.00

to answer



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Court of General Sessions
in and for the City and County of New York

The People vs
vs.
William B. Downs

City and County of New York ss:

William O. Weber being duly sworn says that he resides at number 1 West 104th Street New York City; that he is a practicing physician; that he knows the defendant William B. Downs; that said Downs resides in 103rd Street between 10th Avenue and Boulevard that said Downs is now sick and confined to his bed suffering with Sciatica and Cirrhosis of the liver; that said Downs is suffering great pain and is at times delirious;

Deponent further says that the last visit he made to defendant was yesterday and in his opinion said defendant will not be able to leave his house to attend to any business for about two weeks.

Sworn to before me
October 15th 1888

Robert E. Downing
Notary Public
N.Y.C.

Wm O. Weber
Deponent

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General Sessions in 1844
for the City & County of New York

The People

vs.

Wm B Davis

Affidavit

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William B. Downs

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

William B. Downs

(Sec. 322,
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF KEEPING AND MAINTAINING A COMMON BAWDY HOUSE AND HOUSE OF ILL-FAME, committed as follows:

The said *William B. Downs*,

late of the *22^d* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *29^d* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said *William B. Downs*,

on the days and times aforesaid, there did commit whoredom and fornication; whereby divers unlawful assemblies, disturbances and lewd offences on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, were there committed and perpetrated; to the great damage and common nuisance of all the good people of the said State there inhabiting and residing, in manifest destruction and subversion of and against good morals and good manners, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

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

William B. Downs

(Section 385,
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *William B. Downs*,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *29^d* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

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and eighty-~~eight~~, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep and maintain a certain common, ill-governed house, and in ~~his~~ said house, for ~~his~~ own lucre and gain, certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, as well men as women, of evil name and fame and dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on said other days and times there to be and remain, tippling, drinking, gaming, cursing, swearing, quarreling, making great noises and otherwise misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and suffer, to the great annoyance, injury and danger of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State there residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT—

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

—Hiram B. Downs—

(Section 822 of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:
Penal Code.)

The said *Hiram B. Downs.*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the ~~29th~~ day of ~~June~~, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~eight~~, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in the said house and place of public resort, for ~~his~~ own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women in ~~his~~ said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully did permit, and yet continues to permit, by reason whereof the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are, habitually disturbed, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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Doyle, James

DATE:

09/21/88



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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James Doyle
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James Doyle

THE PEOPLE
James Doyle
District Attorney
at New York

JOHN R. FELLOWS
District Attorney
at New York
True Bill
Charles J. ...
Charles J. ...
Charles J. ...

Witnesses

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses,

THE PEOPLE

James Doyle

JOHN R. FELLOWS

A True Bill

*Wm. D. ...
Counsel
Filed ...
Pleas, ...*

[Illegible handwritten text]

*District Attorney
The complainant is not bound by
the return - Will in your own
name
Wm. D.
I signed what I did
J. H. ...
Charles ...
Spent ...
J.P. ...*

[Section 22, Penal Code]

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

James Doyle

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

Indictment accuse

James Doyle

of the crime of *Grand Larceny in the first degree,*

committed as follows:

The said

James Doyle

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

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

*being then and there the agent of one
Thomas G. Doyle, the duly appointed
administrator of the goods, chattels, and
credits of William Doyle, deceased, and as
such agent then and there having in his
possession, custody and control, certain
moneys, goods, chattels and personal
property of the said Thomas G. Doyle,
such administrator as aforesaid, and the
true owner thereof, to wit: the sum of
seven thousand and five hundred dollars
in money, lawful money of the United*

States of America, and of the value of seven thousand and five hundred dollars, the said James Doyle, afterwards, to-wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did feloniously appropriate the said sum of money to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said Thomas G. Doyle, such administrator as aforesaid, of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said Thomas G. Doyle, such administrator as aforesaid, did then and there and thereby feloniously steal; against the form of the Statute in such cases made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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Second COUNT.

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

James Doyle
same
of the CRIME of Grand Larceny in the first degree

committed as follows:

The said

James Doyle

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid,

being then and there the
trustee of one Thomas G. Doyle, the
duly appointed administrator of the
goods, chattels and credits of William
Doyle, deceased, and as such trustee, then
and there having in his possession, cus-
tody and control, certain moneys, goods,
chattels and personal property of the
said Thomas G. Doyle, such administrator
as aforesaid, and the true owner thereof,
to wit: the sum of seven thousand and
five hundred dollars in money, lawful
money of the United States of America
and of the value of seven thousand and
five hundred dollars; the said James
Doyle afterwards, to wit: on the day and

in the year aforesaid, at the City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, did
feloniously appropriate the said sum
of money to his own use, with intent
to deprive and defraud the said
Thomas G. Doyle, such administrator
as aforesaid, of the same and of the
use and benefit thereof; and the same
moneys, goods, chattels and personal
property of the said Thomas G. Doyle
such administrator as aforesaid, did
then and there and thereby, feloniously
steal, against the form of the statute
in such case made and provided, and
against the peace of the People of
the State of New York and their
dignity.

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Third COUNT.

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

James Doyle
of the ^{same} CRIME of *Grand Larceny in the first degree*

committed as follows:

The said

James Doyle

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, *being then and there the*

bailee of one Thomas G. Doyle, the duly appointed administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of William Doyle, deceased, and as such bailee then and there having in his possession, custody and control, certain moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said Thomas G. Doyle, such administrator as aforesaid, and the true owner thereof to wit: the sum of seven thousand and five hundred dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America and of the value of seven thousand and five hundred dollars; the said James Doyle afterwards, to wit: on the

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day and in the year aforesaid, at the City
and County aforesaid, with force and arms
did feloniously appropriate the said
sum of money to his own use, with
intent to deprive and defraud the said
Thomas G. Doyle, such administrator
as aforesaid of the same, and of the use
and benefit thereof; and the same money
goods, chattels and personal property of the
said Thomas G. Doyle such administrator
as aforesaid, did then and there and
thereby feloniously steal, 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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Forth COUNTY.

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

James Doyle
of the CRIME of Grand Larceny in the first degree

committed as follows:

The said James Doyle

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did feloniously secrete, withhold and appropriate to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud one Thomas G. Doyle, the duly appointed administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of William Doyle, deceased and the true owner thereof, by virtue of such appointment, of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof, certain moneys, goods, chattels and personal property, belonging to, and being part and parcel of the estate of the ~~said~~ William Doyle, deceased, and then in the possession of him, the said James Doyle, to wit: the sum of seven thousand and five hundred dollars in money, lawful money

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of the United States of America
and of the value of seven thousand
and five hundred dollars, and the same
moneys, goods, chattels and personal
property, did then and there and
thereby feloniously steal: 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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Fifth COUNT.

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

James Doyle
of the ~~same~~ CRIME of Grand Larceny in the first degree

committed as follows:

The said

James Doyle

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
the sum of seven thousand and five
hundred dollars in money, lawful
money of the United States of America
and of the value of seven thousand
and five hundred dollars, of the
goods chattels and personal property
of the said James G. Doyle, the duly
appointed administrator of the goods
chattels and credits of William
Doyle, deceased, then and there being
found, then and there feloniously
did steal, take and carry away,
against the form of the statute
in such case made and provided
and against the peace of the

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People of the State of New York, and
their dignity

John R. Fellows,
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Drall, Henry

DATE:

09/26/88



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WITNESSES:

Counsel,

Filed 26 day of Sept. 1888

Pleas Guilty of

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1088, Sec. 21 and
page 1089, Sec. 5.]

B
Henry Drall

Defendant
By the Court of Special
Sessions for trial, by request
of Counsel for Defendant.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Henry Drall

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

Henry Drall

of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said *Henry Drall*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *17th* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one *Eugene D. Collins*

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

Henry Drall

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

The said *Henry Drall*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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Driscoll, Cornelius

DATE:

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A. K. Keane

Counsel,

Filed 27 day of Sept. 1888

Pleads Acquitted Oct 4

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 188, Sec. 21 and
page 189, Sec. 5.]

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

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Caroline Driscoll

H. V. Catlin

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

for Andrew Sobel

A TRUE BILL.

Paul J. [Signature]
Foreman.

WITNESSES:

[Faint, illegible text in the witness section]

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Cornelius Driscoll

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

Cornelius Driscoll
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said *Cornelius Driscoll*

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

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said *Cornelius Driscoll*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Dugan, Ignatius

DATE:

09/26/88



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Due first at
\$1500
1888
1888
1888

Witnesses:
Michael Egan
19 Sandau St

Oct. 25th 1888
The evidence in this case does not support a finding that the receipt is a forgery of the handwriting of the defendant. There is abundant evidence of the signature of the defendant on the receipt. The receipt is a true bill. Discharged.

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Counsel,
J. J. Gorman

Filed, 26. day of Sept 1888
Pleads, Acquitted Oct 2

THE PEOPLE,
vs.
Ignatius Rigan

Forgery in the Second Degree.
(Sections 511 and 521, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.
NOV 27 1888
Indictment dismissed & true
A True Bill. Discharged.

J. J. Gorman
J. J. Gorman
J. J. Gorman

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Leopoldus Drogan

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

Leopoldus Drogan

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

The said Leopoldus Drogan,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the second day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, feloniously did forge, and cause and procure to be forged, and willingly act and assist in the forging a certain instrument and writing,

which said forged instrument and writing is as follows, that is to say:

Int. x D.D. Laws, 1864. Chap. 526
Laws, 1853. Chap. 123, 52

Police Court 2 District
New York August 14, 1888

City and County of New York, ss.:

To the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York:

You are hereby directed to discharge from your custody Anna Clark committed by the undersigned Police Justice July 26th 1888 for three months for disorderly conduct

Henry Ford
Police Justice

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

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SECOND COUNT:—

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

Sagatuis Dugan —

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

The said *Sagatuis Dugan*.

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did feloniously utter, dispose of and put off as true, a certain forged instrument and writing.

which said forged *instrument and writing* — is as follows, that is to say:

Int. x D. R. Saws, 1864. Chap 586
Sagatuis Dugan, 1853. Chap 183, 42

Police Court 2 District
New York August 14 1888.

Pitney and Roubin, 25 New York, ss.:

To the Warden and Keeper of the
City Prison of the City of New York:

You are hereby directed to discharge
from your custody Edna Clark committed
by the undersigned Police Justice July 26th
1888 for five months for Disorderly Conduct

J. Henry Ford
Police Justice

with intent to defraud *the* the said *Sagatuis*
Dugan then and there well knowing the same to be
forged, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Dunn, Lawrence

DATE:

09/20/88



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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses,

Oct 10/88
I have examined the case with care and find that it would be expedient to refer the case to the de-cessed's attorney appearing on the de-cessed's behalf in the case - I have not recommended that the attachment be dismissed.

John R. Fellows
District Attorney

Counsel,

Filed *20* day of *Sept* 188*8*

Pleas, *Ch. M. Gaulty (v. l.)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Lawrence Dunn

[Section Penit Code.]

[Section]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

John R. Fellows

Foreman.

Oct 15/88

Indictment dismissed

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-----X
: People :
: vs :
: Dunn :
: :
-----X

WITNESSES TO ASSAULT.

MORRIS COHN, 19 Allen Street, thirteen years of age, states: Sunday night about nine o'clock August 12th, 1888, I was going to my home 19 Allen Street along Henry Street; I was on the left hand side near ⁹¹ Henry Street; I saw a crowd of people standing opposite 92 Henry Street; I crossed over and as I got on the sidewalk I saw Larry Dunn the prisoner knock down Nolan the deceased; struck him with his fist and knocked him on the sidewalk and then walked away down Henry Street; I did not hear Dunn say anything; I went for Mrs. Nolan and together we went where deceased lay and a couple of men Powers and Gunn brought him around to Birmingham Street where he lived. I have talked with Mrs. Nolan about the case; only told her what I saw. Have known Dunn five or six months; Nolan I have known a year and a half. I did not see the first part of the fight and didn't see Nolan put his arms around Dunn.

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Powers
to

MARGARET NYHAN: I am a sister of William Gunn a witness to the fight between deceased and Dunn. I reside at No. 92 Henry Street. On Sunday evening August 12th about a quarter to nine o'clock I was looking out the second story front room window of 92 Henry Street; I saw Lawrence Dunn standing right opposite 92 Henry St. near the milk store. Powers was there talking with Dunn and there were two others; I did not notice my brother there William Gunn. I saw Nolan coming around the corner from Birmingham Street; he walked up to where Lawrence Dunn was standing, struck him in the face with his fist, then he put his arm around Lawrence Dunn's neck; Dunn broke away from him; I heard both of them cursing and swearing; Dunn then threw off his coat and hat; I saw Dunn strike Nolan; they were having a regular fight; I then at once ran downstairs and saw Mr. Nolan lying on the sidewalk, his head was towards the gutter; I saw Dunn walking away; I saw the whole fight; there was no other fight prior to this one. I knew Dunn to speak to but not Nolan. The street lamp was burning directly opposite my window and I could see everything plainly.

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WILLIAM GUNN, 92 Henry Street. On the evening of August the 12th I was present at the fight between the prisoner and Nolan the deceased. I was on the same side of the street with them directly opposite 92 Henry Street; I lived on the second floor of 92 Henry Street; Mrs. Nyhan is my sister. Dunn and I were friends, had gone to school together; he was a iceman; the deceased was a bookbinder. Myself Dunn and Thomas Powers were talking at the wagon which stood in front of 92 Henry Street about 8:30 o'clock in the evening; Dunn had been drinking; we were talking about shows and theatres and about Harry Kennell's songs; Dunn was listening. Nolan then came up; I asked him how he felt; he said I feel in good humor; Powers was sitting in the wagon; he hit Powers a blow in the chest with his fist; then Powers and Dunn walked away and I and Nolan then began to talk about books; he said, If you can get me any books I will bind them for you; Dunn and Powers walked about nine feet away over to the coalbox, stood there talking. Nolan wasn't intoxicated but had been drinking beer; Dunn came over and I think asked me to take a ~~walk~~ walk and he hardly had the words out of his mouth when Nolan struck him in the face; they had no words together before this; I don't know what his reason was for striking Dunn; Dunn did not return the blow; then Nolan put his right arm around Dunn's neck forcing Dunn on his knees with his back up against the hub of the wheel; Dunn got up, took

*for
my
copy*

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his coat off threw it to some one or into the wagon; then Nolan followed him up and the two struck each other blows; they were jumping all around; they backed up on the cellar door; I tried to separate them; Nolan said before they got to the cellar--they had ~~been~~^{stopped;} about three minutes' time fighting--Nolan was calling Dunn bad names, saying he was no good; Dunn said if he could get a fair show he could take his own part; then they went at it again and they must have struck each other nine or ten ~~times~~ blows each; saw Dunn strike Nolan; fight lasted about five minutes on the cellar door; Nolan followed Dunn on the cellar door and kept him there in the corner; the cellar door is about four feet wide and six feet long; Nolan tripped on the cellar door and fell on his back towards the street on the pavement and hit the back of his head; Dunn stood there five or ten minutes and then walked away; Powers and I at once picked Nolan up, left him in front of 92 Henry Street, at McDonald's door on the steps; he couldn't speak, we washed him off, he had a cut on the side of his face; then we took him home, No. 6 Birmingham Street; got him on the floor in his house and he commenced swearing; his wife was there and a Jew who lives in the house; Powers was not there; I stayed in the house about five minutes, then came out and went to the front of my own door. Dunn and Nolan never had any fights or trouble before this. I afterwards saw Dunn on the corner of Pike Street the same evening; I told him he was foolish

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and he said, What could I do ? Then I bid him Good night and went away. About three weeks ago I went down to the Tombs to bring him some shirts and he talked about his girl in Rutgers Street; she lives at the corner of Rutgers and Monroe Street; her name is Fanny I don't know her last name. Dunn resided at 129 Madison Street.

0443

OFFICER STAPLETON, 7th Precinct, arrested Dunn on the 14th of August about 7:30 P. M. in Ridge Street near Delancey. I asked him if he didn't have some difficulty with Patrick Nolan, whether he didn't assault him; he said he did but Nolan assaulted him first and that he struck Nolan in the face or breast and knocked him down and said that deceased struck on the back of his head on the sidewalk and lay there insensible and Dunn walked away whilst Nolan lay on the sidewalk.

I took Dunn to Gouverneur Hospital to the bedside of Nolan; then I took him to the station house. I spoke to Nolan and asked him if he knew Dunn; Nolan was unconscious and did not speak, nor did Dunn say anything. Dunn was night watchman for a builder; I had known him about two years.

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MARY NOLAN, wife of deceased, resides at No. 6 Birmingham Street, states that Nolan about two months before the fight with Dunn had a sprained ankle; about two months before the fight I was looking out the window one day; it was the first day my husband was able to go out, and I saw Dunn take my husband by the shoulders and turn him around and my husband stumbled and limped away. I never heard of his having any other trouble with Dunn. I last saw my husband about four o'clock in the afternoon of August 12th; he had gone out about nine o'clock in the morning to see his mother; I next saw him lying on the sidewalk about nine o'clock in the evening in front of my house; I saw Willie Gunn and Thomas Gunn and the young Jew around him; they carried him upstairs; his face was covered with blood and his clothes were torn. He never spoke a word from the time I saw him until the ambulance came two days afterwards and took him away. The 13th of August, Monday, I called in Dr. Scully of No. 208 or 210 Madison. My husband was buried on the 19th of August, 1888 from his mother's house, No. 6 Monroe Street. I attended the funeral.

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THOMAS GUNN, 92 Henry Street, knew both deceased and the prisoner; have known Dunn since I was a baby; I wasn't at the fight (in this respect he contradicts his brother); I came around and helped to pick Nolan up; my brother was there at the time of the fight; I was taking a walk up Monroe Street as far as Rutgers; came back and helped to carry Nolan into Mrs. Nolan's with my brother; he was insensible; he muttered something but could not speak. He said Oh; he didn't ask for anything; I didn't hear him swear or curse (in this respect he contradicts his brother William Gunn;) I remained with Nolan about five minutes and went away alone; I left him there with the Jew who lives in the same house where Nolan lived; I didn't see Dunn that evening. I work for J. B. Smith, builder, 16 Gramercy Park.

Handwritten notes:
Dunn
Nolan
Gunn

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THOMAS POWERS, 101 Monroe Street, iceman by occupation:
On August 12th about nine o'clock I was in Henry Street
; I was with William Gunn and Lawrence Dunn opposite
92 Henry Street; Thomas Gunn was standing about ten
feet away talking with a couple of parties; I first saw
Nolan about twenty minutes of nine; was coming up the
street; he struck me on the chest with his fist the
first thing; he said nothing to me or Dunn; he next
put his arms around Dunn's neck; Dunn said Let go; he
let go and punched Dunn; I saw Dunn on his knees when
they fought up against the wagon; Dunn was under the
influence of liquor; Nolan was drunk; I walked away
when Nolan struck me and I stood and saw the whole
fight through; it lasted about nine or ten minutes;
they fought all over the sidewalk; Dunn tried to throw
off his coat; Nolan struck him again; they then fought
on the cellar door; Dunn had his back to the shutters
and Nolan had his back to the gutter; I saw Dunn strike
or push Nolan and Nolan fell and hit himself on the
back of his head; Dunn walked away; William Gunn and I
picked him up and put him in the doorway of 92 Henry
Street; there was blood on the side of his chin or
neck; I didn't see blood anywhere else; William Gunn
and some one else carried Nolan away; I walked to Pike
and Henry Street; I didn't see Gunn; I saw D. Monday
night following in Bayard Street and the Bowery; he
asked me how he was getting along; he said he hoped he
would get along all right. I had a couple of drinks

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with him afterwards on the same evening; I met him again and returned him two dollars that I had got from Mr. William Neyhan the latter had borrowed of him; I understood from Dunn that he didn't want to come around the neighborhood. I have been convicted of attempted pocket picking; sent to Penitentiary for five months.

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Dr. J. M. P. CHALMERS, physician, attended Nolan at Gouverneur Hospital August 14th, attended Nolan until his death which occurred August 17th; he was suffering from traumatic meningitis caused by the infliction of injury in back of the head; I also found a contusion back of the right ear, also on the back of the head where it was black and blue; his left eye was also black and blue. I kept a record of the case and will produce it. After death body sent to his residence.

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DR. A. McCARTHY SCULLY, 208 Madison Street, saw de-
ceased August 13th professionally between 10 and 11
a. m. He was insensible; made an examination and cor-
roborates Dr. Chalmers as to the nature of the Injury.

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DIANA LLOYD, 94 Henry Street, married; On August 12th
9 P. M. I was sitting on stoop in front of my residence
and I saw two men fighting in front of 92 Henry Street;
I recognized Dunn the defendant but I did not know
Nolan; I saw Dunn strike Nolan and knock him to the
sidewalk; I then saw a woman pick Nolan up and sit him
on the steps of 92 Henry Street; I then went after an
officer and brought him to the corner of Birmingham
and Henry Street; I did not see the first part of the
fight.

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Dr. Bird - 249 W. 45th Street
Knew surgeon at hospital
at time Nolan, died, was
hospital there -
Examined him - He was
uncertain - and remained
so all the time - died on
May 17.
Diagnosis was meningitis
- probable -

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County of Hamilton

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
NEW YORK,

against

Lawrence Davis

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

DISTRICT ATTORNEY,

No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK CITY

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TORN PAGE

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

Thomas Stapleton

of No. 4 Breuners Place Street, aged _____ years,

occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,

that on the 11 day of August 188

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

Arrested Lawrence Henry (number) on the complaint of Patrick Nolan who informs deponent that he had been assaulted in such a manner that he is now confined to Gowanus Hospital suffering from this injury and unable to appear in Court
Thomas Stapleton

Sworn to before me, this 13

of Aug

188 (day)

[Signature]

Police Justice,

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

P
vs.
Leman Adams

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated *July 15* 188*8*

Krupp Magistrate.

Superior Officer.

Witness,

E.

De await Court

of injuries

Patrick Nolan

Died 17th August 88.

Disposition, *vervencu abcapital*

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Lowermer Hospital
Aug 15-1888
I hereby certify that Pat
Wolan was unconscious in above
named Hospital the result of
which is not yet known.
J. M. P. Chalvers M.D.
Acting House Surgeon

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Government Hospital
17 Aug., 1888.

Patrick Nolan of 6 Bermingham St.
admitted to this hospital Aug. 14, and
here today at 12.53 p.m.

J. T. J. Bird, M. D.
House-Surgeon

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

Officer Thomas Stapleton 7th Precinct
 being sworn says, On Augt. 14/88
 I arrested Lawrence Dunn the
 defendant in Ridge St. near
 Broome, I asked him if he had
 not assaulted a man by
 the name of Pat Nolan.
 He said Yes - but Nolan
 assaulted him first, I took
 him to Gouverneur Hosp. where
 Nolan was lying in bed, I spoke
 to Nolan the deceased & asked
 him if he knew this man, Nolan
 was unconscious & could not speak.
 I took Dunn to the Stater House
 the next morning to Essex Market
 Court before Judge Duffey, who
 committed him to await the
 injuries to Nolan. After the
 death of Nolan Dunn was
 arraigned on the 5th Sept. before
 Judge Ford who discharged him on the
 felonious assault case & then
 held him without bail for
 manslaughter. I know the
 defendant for some time, I never knew
 him to be in trouble ^{before}, I know him to
 be a quiet industrious young man.

Taken before me

Thomas Stapleton

this 11 day of September 1888

Francis C. O'Connor CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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Thomas Powers being sworn says: I reside at 101 Monroe St. I am an Ice man. On Augt. 12/88 About 9 PM I was standing with the prisoner in front of 92 Henry St. Patrick Nolan came along & shoved & pushed 3 or 4 people. He came up to the prisoner Lawrence Dunn & put his arms around his neck Lawrence Dunn told him to leave go & Nolan punched him in the face, they clinched & Lawrence Dunn threw off his coat & Patrick Nolan followed him up & Dunn struck Nolan & Nolan fell, striking his head on the sidewalk. I picked Nolan up & I put him sitting in the doorway of 92 Henry St. I washed the blood off him, some young men took him home. Dunn when he threw off his coat backed away & Nolan followed him up. Dunn made no attack on the deceased - he merely defended himself.

Taken before me

this 11 day of September 1888

Sindona C. Quinn, CORONER.

Thomas Powers

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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Morris Cohen 13 years old Sings.
I reside at 19 Allen St. On August
12th I was going home when I saw
a little fight around Henry St.
I saw Larry Dunn strike Patrick
Nolan & knocked him down on
the sidewalk in front of 92
Henry St. I walked away then
No one pulled for me about this case,
I have talked to my father of the case
I go around for Mrs Nolan & I talked
to her of the case. She asked me if
I saw the fight & I told her all
I knew, the same as I told here.
Mrs. Nolan is the widow of the
deceased, I did not see the first
part of the fight, I did not
see deceased put his arms
around the neck of Dunn.

Morris Cohen

Taken before me

this 11 day of September 1888

Richard C. Quinn CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY. 4

Mrs Diana Lloyd being sworn says:
 I reside at 944 Henry St. On
 Aug. 12/88 about 9 PM I was
 sitting on ~~the~~ stoop in front of
 my residence when I saw two
 men fighting in front of 92 Henry St.
 I recognized ~~Dum~~ the defendant
 but I did not ^{know} Nolan. I saw ~~Dum~~
 strike Nolan & knock him to the
 sidewalk. I then saw two men
 pick Nolan up & sit him on the
 steps of 92 Henry St. I then
 went after an Officer & brought
 him to the corner of Birmingham
 & Henry. Nolan was then being carried
 to his residence at No 6 Birmingham
 I did not see the first part of
 the fight. I do not know the
 defendant but I hear everyone
 speak well of him.

Mrs. Diana Lloyd

Taken before me

this 11 day of September 1888

Andriance Tidman CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY. 7

he got washed by Powers, then we
took him to his house. Both of them
were intoxicated. I was not with
them during the day. Both of them
could talk straight & could
walk straight. They had been
drinking but were not drunk.
I don't think that the deceased &
Nolan had been drinking together

William Gunn

Taken before me

this 11 day of

~~1880~~ 1880

~~William Gunn~~
Sindman

CORONER.

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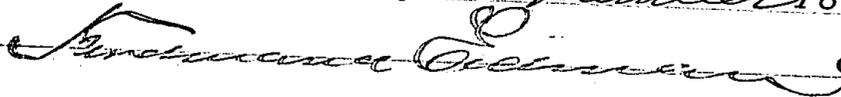
Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY. 5

Margaret Nyhan being sworn says
 I reside at 92 Henry St. On Aug. 12/88
 about 9 PM I was looking out of
 2nd story window & I saw the
 defendant Lawrence Drum
 standing right opposite the
 window talking to a couple
 of young fellows there, I saw
 this Mr. Nolan come around
 from his residence & strike
 Lawrence Drum in the face
 with his fist & Mr. Nolan
 also had his arm around
 Lawrence Drum's neck &
 Lawrence Drum broke away
 took off his coat & hit & gave
 them to two young men alongside
 of him, they both men gave
 blow for blow & went down
 stairs & I saw Mr. Nolan
 lying on the sidewalk & Lawrence
 Drum walking away. Both men
 were intoxicated - they were both
 staggering, Nolan went & struck Drum
 for the second time, Drum was standing
 there when Nolan came & deliberately
 struck him, Drum had been drinking
 but was not drunk, he staggered not
 from the blows but from drink

Taken before me

this 11 day of September 1888 Margaret Nyhan



CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

6

Wm. Gunn being sworn says: I reside at 92 Henry St. I am a Plumber & Gas fitter. I worked last about 2 weeks ago. On Aug. 12/88 about 9 PM I was standing at a wagon apposite 92 Henry St when Nolan the deceased came along. Drum was after leaving the wagon - walked about 10 feet away to the Coal box. Nolan & I were talking about binding a book. Then Drum came over & Nolan struck him in the face, then he put his arm around Drum's neck which caused Drum's back to go against the wheel - on his knees - he was - Drum then forced his way up & while trying to take off his coat Nolan still followed him up. Then they both went at it. They backed up on a cellar door & there is a piece of wood on the cellar door raised about 1/4 inches & Nolan tripped on it & fell while they were clinching. He was picked up & put in a doorway where

Taken before me

this

day of

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CORONER.

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STATE OF NEW YORK

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss:

AN INQUISITION.

Taken at the Coroner's Office

No. 67 Park Row Street, in the 4th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, this 11 day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and 88 before

Ferdinand Eidman for MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, Coroner,

of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of Patrick Holan

now lying dead at

Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of

Twelve good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said Patrick Holan came to his death, do upon their Oaths and affirmations, say: That the said Patrick Holan come to his death by

Traumatic Meningitis following

Meningeal Hemorrhage caused by a fall on the sidewalk, due to being knocked down by Lawrence Dunn during an altercation on the sidewalk opposite 92 Henry St. on August 12, 1888 about 9 P.M.

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

JURORS.

John Number 1394. 3 Av.

Edw. Atwood 1649. 2d Ave

B. B. Steinbrink 1366-3d Ave

Rudolph Meyer 1435. 3rd Ave

Karner Meyer 1401 3d Ave

William Wilkening 1427 3d Ave

Fritz Buchant 1647. 2 Av

John Phillips 1613 2 Av

Henry Gerken 1454. 3rd Ave

John Muller 1444-3rd Ave

Conrad Firetag 1634-2 Av

James R. Kane

1357 - 3 Av

Ferdinand Eidman

CORONER, E. S.

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TESTIMONY.

W^m A. Conway M. D., being duly sworn, says:
 I have made a post mortem examination of the body of
 Patrick Nolan now lying dead at
 6 Monroe St and from such an autopsy
 and history of the case, as per testimony, I am of opinion the cause of
 death is Traumatic Meningitis following Meningeal
 Hemorrhage caused by a fall on the sidewalk
 or some external violence of that nature.

W^m A. Conway M. D.

An autopsy made at 6 Monroe St about 1:30 P.M.,
 August 18th 1888 about 24 hours after death showed
 the following results.

On external view of the body there was a slight cut
 on the right side of the chin about 1/2 inch long, left eye
 slightly ecchymosed (black & blue) a slight scratch on the nose which
 the undertaker explained by saying it was received by a piece of
 ice while removing the body from the ice box to the dissecting
 table. The body was that of a very powerful muscular man
 of 5 ft 7 inches in height. On removing the scalp from the
 skull there was found on the back of the head a bruise with
 collection of blood between skull & scalp. On removing the skull
 clots of blood were found covering the whole surface
 of the membranes of the brain on the posterior portion of
 both lobes with evidences of inflammatory action in
 the membranes. The lungs were adenomatous, the heart
 enlarged & fatty, liver fatty & enlarged, stomach mucous
 membrane congested & thickened, kidneys normal except slightly
 fatty, other organs normal.

The cause of death in my opinion was Traumatic Men-
 ingitis following meningeal hemorrhage, resulting from a
 fall on sidewalk or some external violence of that nature.

Sworn to before me,

this 18th day of August 1888

Indiana Aidman

CORONER.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

MEMORANDA.

| AGE | PLACE OF NATIVITY | WHERE FOUND | Date When Reported |
|--------------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 25 Years - Months - Days | Ireland. | 6 Monroe St from Sourvenem Hospital | August 17 th |

While in an altercation with Lawrence Sullivan August 12th at about 9 PM in front of 94 Henry St N.Y. City, deceased with a sword he have been of a handsome disposition especially while in liquor fell or was pushed to the sidewalk and received the injuries from which he subsequently died. Lawrence Swan 138 Henry St has the reputation of being good & headstrong.

M. J. B. M.

SP. 624

Dr. Swan.

1888

AN INQUISTION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

Patrick Moran

whereby it is found that he came to his death by

Strangulation

Meningitis, following

Meningeal Membrane

from face on Dissection

Caused by a Blow

Report taken on the 11 day

of September 1888 before

M. J. B. MESSENGER, Coroner.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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M. J. B. M.

No. 624

Ind. Desat.

1888

AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

Patrick Nolan

whereby it is found that he came to his death by

traumatice

Meningitis, following

Menigeal Hemorrhage

from fall on pavement

Caused by a blow.

Inquest taken on the 11 day

of September 1888 before

M. J. B. MESSEMER, Coroner.

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While in an altercation with Lawrence Dunn on August 12/88 about 9 P.M. in front of 94 Henry St. N.Y. City, deceased who is said to have been of a quarrelsome disposition especially while in liquor fell or was pushed to the sidewalk and received the injuries from which he subsequently died. Lawrence Dunn 125 Henry St. has the reputation of being quiet & peaceable.

Southern Hotel

| | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 23 Years - Months - Days | Place of Nativity | Where Found | Date When Reported |
| | Ireland. | 6th Avenue New York | August 17th |

MEMORANDA

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From Murdoch Hospital.

New York, Sept. 5th 1888

To Coroner Messers.

Sir:

Please hold an Inquest on the body of

Name: Patrick Nolan. Residence: 6 Birmingham St.

Age: 29 years 0 months 0 days. Admitted Aug 1st day,

Father Dennis 0 th 1888, at 4³⁰ o'clock P.M.

Nativity, U.S.; of Mother Irish By Ambulance A

Cap in U. S., Epi in City. From 6 Birmingham St B

Civil Bond: _____ Occup.: _____ Examined by Dr. Herdin C

Suffering from symptoms of _____

Traumatic Meningitis

Said Injuries said to have been received by being assaulted D

on the evening of Aug 12th

Death took place Aug 17 day, 17 th 1888 at 12⁵⁵ o'clock P.M. E

The Autopsy revealed _____ F

Held by Coroner or Successors
hours.

Remarks: _____ G

J. J. Bird M. D.
HOUSE SURGEON PHYSICIAN.

- Ad. I. State the day of the week.
- Ad. A. State whether by *Ambulance* or *Friends*.
- Ad. B. State whether from a *Proinct* or a *Residence* and give the name.
- Ad. C. State whether from *Natural Causes* or from *Shock* (conscious or unconscious; due to *Injuries*, and if so, give *name, place, date, number, character, and Extent* of *Injuries*, always stating where indicated, whether *right* or *left*).
- Ad. D. State *when, where, how, by what means or persons* received, also whether *Accidental, Suicidal* or *Homicidal*; in falls, the *distance, location and place*; in *Burns and Scalds* the *circumstances* attending the same; in *runover* cases, the *line of Street, Car, Railroad or Conveyance*; in *Weapons*, the *character* of the same, &c., &c., always giving such information as will lead to an accurate knowledge of the case and facilitate judicial inquiry and justice.
- Ad. E. State *name, date, place, character* and *results* of any *operation* or *amputation* performed.
- Ad. F. Give a short resume of the *Autopsy* with the *Pathological Diagnosis* and the *Cause of Death* at the End.
- Ad. G. State here any important facts not embodied in the above statements.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Lawrence Dinn*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *129 Madison St 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Seaman*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty and counsel waives examination
Lawrence Dinn*

Taken before me this
day of *Sept* 188*7*

William J. ...
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Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT — 3 — DISTRICT.

Diana Lloyd

of No. 94 Henry Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the Sunday 12th day of August 1888

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

of three o'clock P.M. on said date while I was sitting down on the front stoop of no 94 Henry Street I saw the two men fighting in front of no 92 Henry Street I knew the defendant Drum but did not know the deceased Volan at the time I did not see the first of the quarrel but I did see Drum strike Volan the deceased and knock him down he laid on the walk for some two or three minutes and two men caught hold of Volan by the arm and ~~lifted~~ lifted him up and placed him on the stoop of no 92 Henry Street I then went after a Policeman and brought him to ~~the~~ the corner of Birmingham and Henry Streets and deceased was carried into his own house to 6 Birmingham Street

Sworn to before me this

3rd day of September 1888

J. Merrifield

Police Justice

Thomas Powers of no 101 Monroe Street aged 21 years being duly sworn deposes and says that at about the hour of 9 o'clock P.M. of the 12th day August 1888 I was

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Standing on the walk in front of No. 92 Henry Street talking to the defendant the deceased Nolan came along intoxicated and pushing every body out of his way and Nolan caught hold of Dunn around the neck I then told Nolan to let go of him and Nolan struck Dunn in the face with his fist and Dunn threw off his coat and the two of them clinched and the deceased fell down striking the back part of his head on the walk and he lay down on the walk insensible until three or four other men and myself picked him up and set him in the door way of No. 92 Henry Street and I washed his face and I walked away and four or five other men carried him home

Sworn to before me this }
3rd day of September 1888 } Thomas Powers
J. M. [Signature]

Police Justice

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFRIDA VIT.

es.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness.

Disposition.

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

POLICE COURT— 3rd DISTRICT.

of No. Thomas Stapleton
The Seventh Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says that on the 14th day of August 1888
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Dependant Arrested

Lawrence Dym (nowhere) for assaulting and
beating one Patrick Nolan of No 6 Birmingham
Street who was taken to the Government Hospital
on said date and deponent saw said Nolan
deceased at said Hospital on the 17 day of
August 1888 deponent was informed by
the Surgeon of said Hospital J J Smith
that said Nolan deceased had died
on the 17th day of August at said Hospital
and gave deponent the annexed certificate
hereto attached

Deponent further says that at the time he
arrested ~~the~~ the defendant Dym
that he Dym admitted and confessed to
deponent that the deceased Nolan had
struck him first and that he defendant
struck the deceased in the face or breast
and knocked the deceased Nolan down
and said Nolan deceased struck on the
back part of his head on the sidewalk and lay
there insensible and defendant then went
away while said Nolan was lying on the walk

Sworn to before me this Thomas Stapleton
14th day of Sept 1888
Henry Ford

Police Justice
Margaret Nyhan of no 92 Henry Street aged
26 years being duly sworn deposes and

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Says that on Sunday night at about the
hour of nine o'clock P.M. on the 12th day of
August 1888 I was looking out of the window
on the second floor in premises No 92 Henry
Street Lawrence Dunn the defendant was standing
in front of said premises No 92 Henry Street
talking to a couple of young men when the deceased
Nolan came along and struck the defendant
in the face with his fist and the deceased
Nolan had hold of the defendant Dunn
around the with his Nolan's arm and
Dunn broke away from Nolan and pulled off
his coat and hit and threw his coat and
hat to some young man that was standing
alongside of him and both the defendant
and the deceased Nolan, struck each
other a number of blows and they were both under
the influence of liquor and when I went down
stairs I saw Dunn walking away and the
deceased Nolan was lying on the sidewalk

Oswento before me this

3rd day of September 1888
J. Bennett

Margaret Nighan

Police Court,
District.

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THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
vs.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness.

Police Justice

Disposition.

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

POLICE COURT

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DISTRICT.

William Spurr

of No. 92 Henry Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the Sunday 12th day of August 1888

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, I was standing at

Mc Dowells wagon in front of 92 Henry Street when the deceased Nolan came along Nolan was intoxicated at the time and the defendant Spurr was about ten feet away from where I was standing Spurr came over to where we were at the wagon and the deceased Nolan struck Spurr with his fist in the face and Spurr struck him and Nolan placed his arm around Spurr's neck and when Spurr got loose from Nolan he Spurr pulled off his coat and hat and they both clinched and they were striking at each other when Nolan tripped a partner a piece of wood and fell on the sidewalk on the back part of his head and did lay down on the walk insensible my brother and I and another man carried him home and he lay on the floor cursing and swearing and I gave him a drink of water

Sworn to before me this

3rd day of September 1888

Wm Spurr

J. Merrifield

Police Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

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

Dated *Sept 5th* 1888 *J. Henry Ford* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sept 5th 10 a.m.

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Police Court

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas Stapleton
7th Precinct
Laurence Wain

Offence *Herzoid*

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by *Mr. William Conway*
Residence *Conway Office* Street.

Thomas Powers
101 Onerva
William Gunn
92 Hervey
Mr. J. T. J. Bird
Government Hospital

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Dated *Sept 3* 188 *8*

Ford Magistrate.

Supleton Officer.

7th Precinct.

Witnesses *Maria Cohen*

No. *19 Allen* Street.

Margaret Syhan

No. *9 Hervey* Street.

Wiana Lloyd

No. *94 Hervey* Street.

\$ _____ to answer.

Without Bail

Conway

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Lawrence Dunn

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

Indictment accuse Lawrence Dunn -

of the crime of manslaughter in the second degree,

committed as follows:

The said Lawrence Dunn,

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

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

with force and arms, in and upon one
Patricia Nolan, then and there residing
indignantly and feloniously did make
an assault, and then the said Patricia
Nolan, with the hands of him the said
Lawrence Dunn, in and upon the head
of him the said Patricia Nolan, then
and there indignantly and feloniously did
strike, beat and wound; and the said
Lawrence Dunn, with his hands upon
said him the said Patricia Nolan, down
into and upon the ground there, then

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and there indignantly and feloniously did
push, cast and throw with great force
and violence, by reason of which said
pushing, casting and throwing he the
said Patrick Nolan did then and there
fall, with great force and violence down
into and upon the ground there, he
the said Lawrence Dunn giving unto
him the said Patrick Nolan, then and
there, as well by the striking, beating
and wounding of him the said Patrick
Nolan with the hands of him the said
Lawrence Dunn, as aforesaid, as also
by the pushing, casting and throwing
him the said Patrick Nolan down into
and upon the ground as aforesaid,
in and upon the head of him the said
Patrick Nolan, one mortal wound and
fracture, of the length of four inches
and of the breadth of three inches, of
which said mortal wound and fracture
he the said Patrick Nolan, at the City and
County aforesaid, from the day first
aforesaid until the seventeenth day
of August in the same year aforesaid,
did languish, and languishing did
live, on which said seventeenth day of
August in the year aforesaid, he the
said Patrick Nolan, at the City and
County aforesaid, of the said mortal

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wound and fracture did not.

And so the Grand Jury did
do say that the said Lawrence Dunn,
in the said Col. John Nolan, in manner
and form, and by the means aforesaid,
intentionally and feloniously did kill
and slay, against the form of the
Statute in such case made and provided,
and against the peace of the People of
the State of New York, and their dignity.

John P. Keenan,

~~John P. Keenan~~