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Witnesses:

William Dancy

Under the decision in the  
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recommend the  
dismissal of this  
indictment.

May 4/92

W. W. Dancy  
Clerk

Counsel,

Filed 20 day of Feb 1888

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Moses Mingesheimer

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A True Bill.

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Part 3. May 11/92  
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GAMBLING HOUSE, &c.  
[Sections 343 and 385, Penal Code]



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Witnesses;

*William D. Smith*

Under the decision in the  
case of *Peas v. Ford*, I  
recommend the  
dismissal of this  
indictment.

*May 14/92*  
*W. M. D. Smith*  
*Att.*

Counsel,

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Pleads *Chattel Mortgage*

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GAMBLING HOUSE, &c.

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JOHN DOE

WILLIAM ORMSBY of No. 57 E. Houston

Street, being duly sworn deposes and says. That on the seventh day of February 1888, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Moses Minzesheimer and ~~John Doe~~ <sup>*Ignacio Lopez*</sup> whose true name is unknown to deponent, but who can be identified by him, did keep a room at No. 51 New Street, in the City of New York, to be used for gambling.

Deponent further says that in pursuance to instructions given him by Thomas Byrnes, Esq, an Inspector of Police in the City of New York, on the seventh day of February 1888, he went to said room at No. 51 New Street in said City, and found therein a large number of persons.

Deponent further says that there was a blackboard affixed to the wall of said room; that affixed to the floor of the said room was a telegraph instrument commonly known as a "ticker"; and deponent further says that from time to time the said ~~Minzesheimer~~ Minzesheimer, and from time to time the said <sup>*Ignacio Lopez*</sup> ~~Doe~~, called aloud certain words and figures purporting to be quotations of stocks, and that as they called the said quotations of stocks the same were placed upon said blackboard.

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led the said quotations of stocks the same were placed  
upon said blackboard.



And deponent further says that the said persons whom upon his entrance to said room he found therein were engaged in listening to said calls by said Minzesheimer or said John ~~Dee~~ <sup>Lipton</sup> and in observing said pretended quotations as they from time to time appeared upon said blackboard.

And deponent further says that having entered said rooms and having observed said blackboard, at eleven o'clock and forty five minutes on said day he signed a paper which pretended to be an order to buy five shares of an alleged stock called Lake Shore at 92 1-8, the said 92 1-8 being the last quotation of said stock which appeared upon said blackboard less commission.

Deponent further says that thereupon he handed said paper together with Five Dollars in lawful money of the United States to the said John ~~Dee~~ <sup>Lipton</sup> and received from the said Minzesheimer in return therefor a paper of which the following is a copy:

MINZESHEIMER & GLASER

Stock Brokers 40 & 42 Broadway

No. 1357

February 7th. 1888.

For value received Mr. W. J. O. may call on us for five shares of L. S. stock at 92 1-8 any time within thirty days from date, provided said stock is called for before the price for same has advanced to 93 1-8 at the New York Stock Exchange.

Time 11:45

MINZESHEIMER & GLASSER

MINZESHEIMER & CO.

We solitit and will receive no business, except with the understanding that the actual delivery of property bought or sold upon orders is in all cases contemplated.

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And deponent further says that the said persons whom upon his entrance to said room he found therein were engaged in listening to said calls by said Minzesheimer <sup>*Lefthand*</sup> or said John ~~Dee~~ and in observing said pretended quotations as they from time to time appeared upon said blackboard.

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And deponent further says that subsequently, and at twelve o'clock and twenty minutes of the same day, when said alleged stock known as Lake Shore was quoted and recorded upon the blackboards as selling at 91 7-8 at the New York Stock Exchange, the deponent handed the said writing to said Minzesheimer and received in return from him the sum of Three Dollars and seventy five cents.

And deponent further says that during the time when he was in said room he saw numbers of persons filling out similar papers, delivering the same together with money, and receiving in return therefor papers similar to those which the deponent received, together with various sums of money.

And deponent further says that he did not deliver nor receive any stock, nor was he asked for any stock by any person. Nor did he see any stock delivered to or received by any of the persons engaged in transactions similar to those in which deponent engaged, but that the whole business then and there conducted was in receiving orders and money and closing the transactions according to the fluctuations of the market made for stocks by the New York Stock Exchange, as from time to time they appeared upon said blackboard.

And deponent further says that he had no intention to buy or sell any stock, and that he does not believe that the said Moses Minzenheimer or said <sup>*Deponent*</sup> ~~John Doe~~ whose true name is unknown, had any intention to buy or sell any stock, but to settle differences on the fluctuations of



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And deponent further says that he had no intention to buy or sell any stock, and that he does not believe that the said Moses Minzenheimer or said <sup>*Piffenhill*</sup> ~~John Doe~~ whose true name is unknown, had any intention to buy or sell any stock, but to settle differences on the fluctuations of

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the stock market as they appeared upon said the said blackboard.

And deponent further says that as far as he was able to observe, the whole business carried on at the places aforesaid by the parties aforesaid was the settlement of differences upon orders to buy and sell stock according to the fluctuations of the market for stock made by the New York Stock Exchange, as from time to time they appeared upon said blackboard, without any intention on the part of the parties so engaged to deliver or receive any stock.

And this deponent on information and belief further charges that said Moses Minzesheimer and <sup>*L. F. Schuch*</sup> ~~John Doe~~ whose true name is unknown are the persons engaged in using said rooms for the gambling aforesaid.

WHEREFORE deponent charges that the said Moses Minzesheimer and said <sup>*L. F. Schuch*</sup> ~~John Doe~~ whose true name is unknown then and there kept the said room for making bets and wager contracts upon the fluctuations of stock as they appeared upon said blackboard and for gaming in violation of Section 343 of the Penal Code of the State of New York.

WHEREFORE deponent prays that a warrant may issue against said persons, and that they may be dealt with according to law.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS

12<sup>th</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY 1888.

: *William C. Crandall*  
:

*John Doe*  
*Police Justice*

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And deponent further says that as far as he was able to observe, the whole business carried on at the place aforesaid by the parties aforesaid was the settlement of differences upon orders to buy and sell stock according to the fluctuations of the market for stock made by the New York Stock Exchange, as from time to time they appeared upon said blackboard, without any intention on the part of the parties so engaged to deliver or receive any stock.

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Police Justice  
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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.

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

Dated 188 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.

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Police Court District.  
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THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Brumby  
57 East Houston  
Maxwell Winger  
Eugene Gifford

Offence

Dated Feb 12 188

Magistrate White

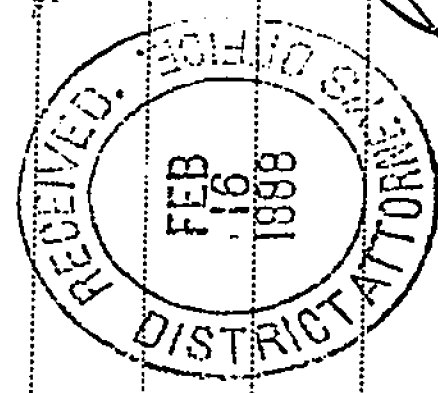
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Witnesses

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by Julius H. Stark  
Residence 1517 East 4th Street.

No. 2, by Isaac Bradman

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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Police Court - 2nd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
William C. Brown  
57 East Houston  
Marcus Wingo  
2 Eugene Gilchrist  
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Dated Feb 12 1888  
White Magistrate.

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BAILED,  
No. 1, by Julius H. Smith  
Residence 1517 East 4th Street.  
No. 2, by Isaac Bondman  
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No. 4, by  
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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 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 City Prison of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated Feb 12 1888  
Police Justice.  
I have admitted the above named defendant to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated Feb 12 1888  
Police Justice.  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named defendant guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
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#### MUSTY INDICTMENTS FOR GAMBLING.

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More mildewed gambling cases were taken from the pigeonholes of the District Attorney's office yesterday and put on the calendar of Part II. of the General Sessions before Recorder Smyth. The indictments against Francis E. Eggleston, Walter C. Ellis, Tillman H. Fischer, and John M. Lee, charged with keeping a bucket shop at 38 New street in 1888, were dismissed, the conviction of their great exemplar, Todd, having been reversed by the General Term of the Supreme Court. George and Nathan Hart, indicted for keeping a bucket shop at 40 Broadway in 1888, had the same luck.

Next Mr. Davis called Joseph Jobolinsky and Edward Shane, indicted in 1886 for running a gambling house at 34 Hester street. Neither appeared. Etienne Beyer, the detective who arrested them, is now a saloon keeper. Mr. Davis called for the bondsmen and discovered that he is dead. Recorder Smyth issued a bench warrant for Jobolinsky and Shane, to be served if they are alive.

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#### KILLED ON THE ELEVATOR CAR.

Van Steenburgh Fell and Broke His Neck When the Car Started Up.

John H. Van Steenburgh, an engineer of the ten-story McIntyre building at Broadway and Eighteenth street, was repairing some machinery on the open top of the car of the hydraulic freight elevator at 7½ o'clock last night. The car was stationary at the sixth story. Van Steenburgh told his 19-year-old nephew, Edward McCormack, who had been at work with him, to start the car, and the latter pulled the wire rope. The car shot upward swiftly. McCormack heard a crash an instant after the car started, and he stopped it at the ninth story. Van Steenburgh was lying dead on the bottom of the car with his neck broken. His foot had slipped somehow off the cross bars at the top of the car, and he had fallen against one of the iron girders built in the side of the shaft at each floor and used to rig tackle on which weights heavier than the elevator car carries are raised to the upper stories.

The body had toppled backward into the car after striking the girder.

McCormack was put under arrest as a matter of form. Van Steenburgh was married and leaves a widow and four children at 63 East 125th street.

#### A GIRL'S SUICIDE.

Her Little Sister Returns from School and Finds the Body.

Rebecca Burk, the twenty-two-year-old daughter of Mrs. Ann Burk, a widow, committed suicide yesterday by hanging herself at her home, 254 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn. Mrs. Burk, Rebecca, and another daughter, aged 12 years, occupied the first floor of the house. The mother came to this city each day to work, while Rebecca attended to the house-keeping and her little sister went to school.

When the latter returned from school yesterday noon she found the front door leading to the apartments locked, and, passing to the yard, peered through the back window. She saw suspended from the door leading from the kitchen her sister's body. She ran screaming to the front of the house.

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by the provisions of this act entitled to more than one member of Assembly, except in the city and county of New York, and in said city and county the Board of Aldermen of said city shall meet on the third Tuesday of July next at the place where their meetings were last held; they shall organize by appointing one of their numbers a Chairman and another as Secretary and shall proceed to divide their respective counties into as many assembly districts as they are entitled respectively to members of Assembly under this act, and shall thereupon make their certificates, respectively, containing a description of each Assembly district, specifying the number of each district and the population thereof according to the last State census. Said certificate shall be signed by a majority of such supervisors, respectively, except in the city and county of New York, and in said city and county by a majority of the Board of Aldermen of said city, and they shall cause duplicate certificates to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State and the office of the clerk of their respective counties.

The counties getting more than one Assemblyman are New York, 31; Kings, 19; Erie, 6; Albany, 4; Rensselaer, 3; Onondaga, 3; Queens, 3; Westchester, 3; Orange, 1; Ulster, 1; and Oneida, 2. The Albany people got 4 by making a vigorous kick and refusing to vote for the bill until they were permitted to retain their present number. Queens got 3 by having more population than Rensselaer, which gets 3.

The main changes from the present representation in the Senate are: Erie, 1 to 2; New York, 7 to 9 with Westchester instead of Richmond, and Kings, 3 to 5, with Richmond.

The following counties lose in the Assembly: Chautauque, 1; Cayuga, 1; Chautauque, 1; Dutchess, 1; Jefferson, 1; Niagara, 1; Oneida, 1; St. Lawrence, 2; Steuben, 1; Saratoga, 1; Oswego, 1; Otsego, 1; Ulster, 1; Washington, 1; and Wayne, 1—16 in all. The gains are New York, 7; Kings, 7; Erie, 1, and Queens, 1. The other counties' representation is unchanged.

#### THE BILLS INTRODUCED.

The bills were introduced in the Assembly by Mr. George H. Bush of Ulster, whose county loses one Assemblyman, and by Senator Jacob A. Cantor. Both bills were ordered printed and made special orders for to-morrow. Senator Walker said to-night that he would not vote for the bill unless Steuben county gets two Assemblymen instead of one. Steuben county has a population of 81,400 citizens, while the Assembly ratio is about 48,000. It has a full ratio and two-thirds.

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by the provisions of this act entitled to more than one member of Assembly, except in the city and county of New York, and in said city and county the Board of Aldermen of said city, shall meet on the third Tuesday of July next at the place where their meetings were last held; they shall organize by appointing one of their members a chairman and another as secretary and shall proceed to divide their respective counties into so many assembly districts as they are entitled respectively to members of Assembly under this act and shall thereupon make their certificates, respectively, containing a description of each Assembly district, specifying the number of each district and the population thereof according to the last State census. Said certificate shall be signed by a majority of such supervisors, respectively, except in the city and county of New York, and in said city and county by a majority of the Board of Aldermen of said city, and they shall cause duplicate certificates to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State and the office of the clerk of their respective counties.

The counties getting more than one Assemblyman are New York, 31; Kings, 19; Erie, 8; Albany, 4; Rensselaer, Monroe, Onondaga, Queens, and Westchester, 3; Orange, Ulster, and Oneida, 2. The Albany people got 4 by making a vigorous kick and refusing to vote for the bill until they were permitted to retain their present number. Queens got 3 by having more population than Rensselaer, which gets 3.

The main changes from the present representation in the Senate are: Erie, 1 to 2; New York, 7 to 9, with Westchester instead of Richmond, and Kings, 3 to 5, with Richmond.

The following counties lose in the Assembly: Cattaraugus, 1; Cayuga, 1; Chautauque, 1; Dutchess, 1; Jefferson, 1; Niagara, 1; Oneida, 1; St. Lawrence, 2; Steuben, 1; Saratoga, 1; Oswego, 1; Otsego, 1; Ulster, 1; Washington, 1; and Wayne, 1—16 in all. The gains are New York, 7; Kings, 7; Erie, 1, and Queens, 1. The other counties' representation is unchanged.

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Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Eugene Litchfield 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. Eugene Litchfield

Question. How old are you?

Answer. Thirty Three years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, New York City

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

Answer. 113 East 89th Street Three years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, Clerk & Bookkeeper

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

Answer. I am not guilty and demand a Trial by JuryEugene Litchfield

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Moses Muresheimer* 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. *Moses Muresheimer*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *fifty one years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *United States*

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

Answer. *311 East 67<sup>th</sup> Street 6 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, *Broker*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty and demand a trial by jury*  
*W. Muresheimer*

Taken before me this

day of

*Feb**12*188*8**Police Justice.*

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss. *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County*  
 OF NEW YORK, } *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 William Cruse

of No. 29 East Houston Street, that on the 17 day of February

1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Moses Mungashumer and John Paul  
do keep a room in premises  
at New Street to be used for gambling  
in violation of Section 343 of the  
Penal Code of the State of New York

Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to  
 answer the said complaint.

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 said Defendant and bring them  
 forthwith before me, at the 2 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 17 day of February 1888

A. White POLICE JUSTICE.



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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Moses Minschheimer and  
Eugene Siffert*

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

*Moses Minschheimer and  
Eugene Siffert* —

(Sec. 343,  
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed  
as follows :

The said

*Moses Minschheimer  
and Eugene Siffert* —

late of the *Xth* Ward of the City of New York in the County of New  
York aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *February*, in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, and on divers other days and  
times as well before as after, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain build-  
ing, there situated, to be used for gambling, 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. (Sec. 343 Penal Code).

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

*Moses Minschheimer and Eugene Siffert*  
of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING committed  
as follows :

The said

*Moses Minschheimer and  
Eugene Siffert* —

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with  
force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building, there situate, to be  
used for gambling, to wit: for the purpose of therein making, and causing and procuring  
suffering, and permitting to be made, bets and wagers upon the future market prices of stocks  
and valuable securities, and of commodities and other property, 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. (Sec. 385 Penal Code).

And the Grand Jury Aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuses the said *Moses Mingesheimer and Eugene Siffert* of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows :

The said *Moses Mingesheimer and Eugene Siffert* doth. —

late of the Ward, City and County, aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain common gaming-house, there situate, for *their* lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain ; and in *their* said common gaming-house, then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and injuriously did cause and procure divers idle and ill-disposed persons to be and remain, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, gambling together and making bets and wagers upon the future market prices of stocks and valuable securities, and of commodities and other property, in the common gaming-house aforesaid, there did unlawfully and injuriously procure, permit and suffer, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, then, and on said other days and times, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, by such procurement, permission and sufferance of the said *Moses Mingesheimer and Eugene Siffert* —

there did gamble together and make divers such bets and wagers, for divers large and excessive sums of money, to the great annoyance, injury and damage of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State, there inhabiting and 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 and dignity of the people of the State of New York.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Monahan, Cornelius

**DATE:**

02/13/88



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Witnesses:

*off Jones*

Upon examination, I read  
and the defendant of the  
indictment herein.

Feb. 24, 1888. *W. Barker*  
*W. Barker*

*No 173*

Counsel,

Filed,

Pleads,

*13* day of *Feb* 188*8*

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THE PEOPLE,

vs.

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*Cornelius Monahan*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Keeping Open on Sunday,  
(III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1889, Sec. 5)

*2412 3d Ave*  
*Wm* JOHN R. FELLOWS.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill

*W. Barker*

*On recom. of Dist. Atty.  
indict. dis. B. R.*

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Witnesses:

*off Jones*

Upon examination, I deem  
and the receipt of the  
indictment herein  
Feb. 24, 1888. *off Baker*  
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A True Bill

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On recom. *Foreman*, Dist. Atty.,  
indict. ds. *P.B.A.*

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Cornelius Monahan 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. Cornelius Monahan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Dutchess County N.Y.

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

Answer. 357 East 52<sup>nd</sup> St; 7 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Bar tender

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, and demand an  
examination in this court. If held, I desire  
trial at general session  
C. Monahan

Taken before me this

9<sup>th</sup>

day of May

1886

John J. Sullivan



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Excise Violation—Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT—6 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York, }

of No. the 33<sup>d</sup> Precinct Police Josiah Jones Street,  
 of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 8<sup>th</sup> day  
 of January 1888, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
 Cornelius Monahan (now here)  
 being then and there in lawful charge of the premises No. 2412-3<sup>d</sup> Avenue  
 Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be  
 drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of  
 the statute in such case made and provided.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Cornelius Monahan  
 may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 9<sup>th</sup> day }  
 of January 1888. }  
 J. M. Jones Police Justice.

Josiah Jones

Sec. 192.

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before John J. Gorman a Police Justice  
of the City of New York, charging Cornelius Monahan Defendant with  
the offence of

Violation of Excise Law

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to  
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-  
ing thereof having been adjourned,

We, Cornelius Monahan Defendant of No. 357  
East 52nd Street; by occupation a Bar tender  
and Thomas L. Guilfoyle of No. 2447-3 Avenue  
Street, by occupation a Blacksmith Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that  
the above named Cornelius Monahan Defendant  
shall personally appear before the said Justice at the 6th District Police Court in the City of New York,  
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of One  
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 9th  
day of January 1888.

John J. Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

C. Monahan  
Thomas L. Guilfoyle

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John J. Shaw*  
day of *March*  
188*8*  
Police Justice

Sworn to before me, this

*Thomas Guilfoyle*

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says that he is a resident and *free*  
holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Two* Hundred Dollars,  
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and  
liabilities, and that his property consists of *house and lot No.*

*2447 - 3<sup>d</sup> Avenue of the value of*  
*Eight thousand dollars, more or less.*  
*Thomas Guilfoyle*

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs,

Undertaking to appear  
during the Examination.

Taken the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_ 188

Justice.



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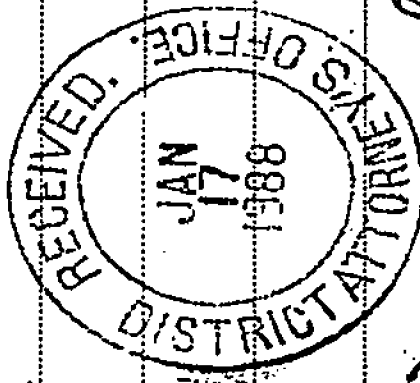
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Police Court-- 6<sup>th</sup> 94 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
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Dated January 9 1888  
Jones Magistrate.  
Jones Officer.  
93 Precinct.

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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 Carlin

March guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of one 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 January 9 1888 Wm. J. Jones Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named Carlin

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated January 9 1888 John Jones 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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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*Plaintiffs*  
*against*

*Cornelius Monahan*  
*Defendant.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York. by this indictment accuse the above named defendant 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 defendant late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *eighth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, 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 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,*  
~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE~~, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Moore, James

**DATE:**

02/14/88



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Witnesses:

*10. Rich*  
*off Connolly*

Counsel,

Filed, *14* day of *Feb* 188*8*

Pleads, *Ch. Grady*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*22 Nov 88*  
*James Moore*

*James Moore*

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

~~RANDOLPH B. MARINE,~~

*P. 3 Feb 74* District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*G. H. Martin*

*Foreman*  
*Public Feb 21/88*  
*Pleads Guilty*

*Grand Larceny 12 day*

*S.D. 6 yrs - 6 mos*  
*Feb 24/88*

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Police Court—300 District—City and County  
of New York ss.:of No. 87 Market Street, aged 46 years,occupation Lignom Merchant being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 87 Market Street, 2 Wardin the City and County aforesaid the said being a Three story Brickprivate dwelling houseand which was occupied by deponent as a Dwellingand in which there was at the time a human being, by name Marjoryfour children and John Rockwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking thefastenings of deponent's sleepingroom door on the upper floor ofsaid premises and thus gainingan entrance theretoon the 4<sup>th</sup> day of February 1888 in the night time, and the

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

Three hundred  
and fifty dollars in Gold Coins,  
and three hundred dollars in  
Bills all good and lawful money  
current of the United States of the  
sum and Total value of \$One hundred and Fifty dollars  
(\$ 150.)the property of David Rock, Complainant

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 byJames H. Rock (now here)for the reasons following, to wit: at about half past  
twelve o'clock on the night of  
said date, the inmates of said  
house effectually closed up  
said house and retired for  
the night. At the hour of two  
o'clock on the morning of said  
date deponent returning home  
found his money aforesaid gone,



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When said defendant was arrested on the 4<sup>th</sup> in, he confessed to having taken said money, and when he was brought to Court and informed of his rights, he then confessed and admitted in open Court, without coercion or intimidation that he entered said premises and took, stole and carried away said property. Now therefore defendant charges said defendant with Burglariously entering said premises and taking, stealing and carrying away said property and prays that he be dealt with as the Law directs.

Sworn to before me } David Koch  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1888 }

Sam'l C. Rice Police Justice

Police Justice.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Police Justice.

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Police Justice.

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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses.

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.



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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

3  
District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am guilty. I took the money James Moore*

Taken before me this

day of

1888

*James Moore*  
District Police Justice.

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Dated 1888 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 1888 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1888 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 \$1000 and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York until he give such bail.

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

Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Moore  
87 Market  
John J. Leach

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Leary & Connelley  
with

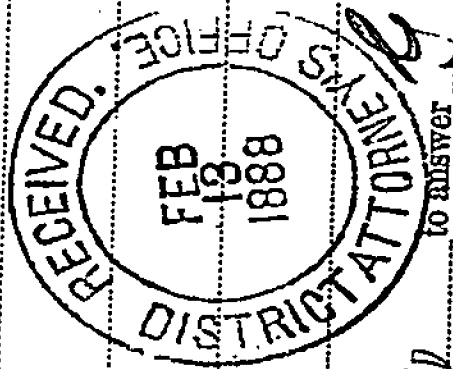
Witnesses

No Street.

No Street.

No Street.

No Street.



\$15.00 to answer

Committed

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Grand Jury Room.

PEOPLE,

Dear Mr. Parker

The bearer Mr.

P. Roche is a partic-  
ular friend of mine  
he and brother have  
been robbed by a  
man on the road in  
your part to day.

He would like to  
have the man pro-  
secuted to the full  
extent of the law

Yours  
J. M. C.



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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 Moore*

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

*James Moore*

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

The said *James Moore*.

late of the *Seventh* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *February*, 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 *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Dana Roche*.

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there  
some human being, to wit: *one John Roche*.

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods  
chattels and personal property of the said *Dana Roche*.

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,

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SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said *James Moore*,

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 the said day, with force and arms,

~~the same day,~~ *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *Twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *Twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *Twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *one hundred* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *Twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *Twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each*; *ten* United States Silver Certificate of the

denomination and value of twenty dollars *each*; *Twenty* United States Silver  
 Certificates of the denomination and value of ten dollars *each*; *Twenty* United  
 States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of five dollars *each*; *Twenty*  
 United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of two dollars *each*;  
*one hundred* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of one dollar  
*each*; *Two* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of  
 twenty dollars *each*; *Five* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination  
 and value of ten dollars *each*; *Twenty* United States Gold Certificates of the  
 denomination and value of five dollars *each*; <sup>gold</sup> and divers coins, of a number, kind and  
 denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *Three hundred*  
*and fifty* dollars, of the goods, chattels  
 and personal property of the said David  
 Dodge, in the dwelling house of the  
 said David Dodge then situate, 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. Fellows,*

*District Attorney*



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**BOX:**

**297**

**FOLDER:**

**2828**

**DESCRIPTION:**

**Morgan, Patrick**

**DATE:**

**02/01/88**



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Witnesses:

*William Fish*

Counsel,

Filed,

Pleads,

day of *July* 188*8*.

*not guilty* (3)

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*B*

*Patrick Morgan*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.  
(Keeping Open on Sunday.)  
(III Rev. Stat., 7th Edition, page 1889, Sec. 5)

*645 10.1.88*

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

RANDOLPH B. MARFINE,

District Attorney.

*Pr. in 19/88*  
*It appeared by counsel to a*  
*U.S. for trial.*  
*A True Bill.*

*Donald J. For*

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,  
Plaintiffs

against

*Patrick Morgan*  
Defendant.

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York. by this indictment accuse the above named defendant 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 defendant late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty ninth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, 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 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. Thellous,*

~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE~~, District Attorney.



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**BOX:**  
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**FOLDER:**  
2828

**DESCRIPTION:**  
Morrisey, Thomas F.

**DATE:**  
02/01/88



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Witness:  
Officer Bees

50 J.B.  
Counsel,  
Filed, 1 day of July 1888  
Pleads, for Entry (3)

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Keeping Open on Sunday.)  
(Ill. Rev. Stat., 7th Edition), page 1889, Sec. 6)

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Thomas Morrissey  
July 6/88

*[Signature]*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RENDOLPH B. MARINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

off. July 16. Pmt. I. Que.

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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,  
*Plaintiffs*

*against*

*Thomas F. Morrissey*  
*Defendant.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York. by this indictment accuse the above named defendant 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 defendant late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty-second* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, 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 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*  
**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.**



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Morton, John

**DATE:**

02/14/88



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2828

**DESCRIPTION:**

Kelly, James

**DATE:**

02/14/88



2828

Witnesses:

L. W. Anthony  
off Powers,

Counsel,

Filed 14 day of Feb 1888

Pleads

Guilty (17)

THE PEOPLE

1st grand

jurors

John Morton

James Kelly

Robbery, (MONEY) degree.

(Secs. 224 and 225, Penal Code)

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

G. J. Fennell Foreman.

Part II February 29/88  
Jail kept for with

Robbery 3rd day -  
D.V. 10 yrs - B.M.  
even



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Witnesses:

*E. W. Anthony*  
*off Powers*

Counsel,

Filed

1888

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

*2nd Power*  
*92nd Power*

*John Morton*

*James Kelly*

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Robbery, (MONEY) degree.  
(Secs. 224 and 228, Penal Code.)

A True Bill.

*E. J. Henry* Foreman.

*46* *Part III* *February 29/88*  
*Ind. before jury with testimony*  
*Robt. Head. Robbery 3rd day.*  
*D.V. 10 yrs. - D.B.M.*  
*even*

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Police Court District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

*James H. Anthony*  
of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
Occupation *Baker* day of *February* 188*8*, at the *4<sup>th</sup>* Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

*One Overcoat, one pair  
of gloves, one Watch, and a  
Chain Gold, and thirty two  
Dollars in Gold and Silver  
current Bill and Coins of the  
United States, all of the total  
value of one hundred and three  
(\$103.)*

of the value of *One hundred & Three* DOLLARS,  
the property of *Complainant*  
and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was  
feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

*Mr. Corten and James  
Kelly, both now here; in the  
manner following  
as deponent was informally  
officer Lawrence, officers of the  
New York Police, on the night  
of said date at about four (4)  
o'clock said defendants dragged  
deponent into the hallway of No  
6 Chatham Square and with force  
violence and against deponent's  
will, then and there took, steal  
rob and carry away said property  
and money from deponent.*

deponent

Sworn to before me this

Police J. 1888



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Wherefore Dependent charges  
said Defendants with Taking,  
Stealing and Carrying away  
by force, violence and against  
Dependent Will, said Property  
and prays that they be dealt  
with as the Law directs

Spoken before me } J<sup>es</sup> W. Anthony  
this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1888 }  
J<sup>as</sup> M. Putnam } 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,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—ROBBERY.

vs.

1  
2  
3  
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Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Lawrence J. Power*  
aged *31* years, occupation *Police* of No. *5th Precinct*

Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *James A. Anthony*

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

Sworn to before me, this *4th*  
day of *Feb* 188*8*

1888

*Lawrence J. Power*

*J. M. Pentecost*

Police Justice.

0625

Sec. 103-200

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK.

3 District Police Court.

*John Morton* 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 to see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him, that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*John Morton*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*James J. [illegible]*  
Police Justice.

0626

Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*Am not guilty*  
*James Kelly*

Taken before me this

day of

1880

Police Justice.



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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.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

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

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John M. Kelly*  
*James M. Kelly*  
*James M. Kelly*

Residence Street.

No. 1, by

BAILED.

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. 1300. 8 App. Street.

No. 1500. 8 App. Street.

No. 1500. 8 App. Street.

No. 1500. 8 App. Street.

By J. J. S. 5-9 1/2 A. M.

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Police Court--*2*  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John M. May*  
*James M. May*  
*James M. May*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

*Anthony Bailer*  
*H 300. 2 apt. Street.*

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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Street.

*By J. J. 5- 7th St. N.Y.*

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 they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of *Three Hundred Dollars, back* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated

188

Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated

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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

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Police Justice.



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POLICE COURT—3 DISTRICT.  
CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on  
the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord 188 8  
of James W. Anthony  
of Long Branch, New Jersey Street, in the City of New York,  
and Jacob Ehrlich  
of 3 Astor House, Broadway Street, in the said City,  
personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the City of New York, and  
acknowledged themselves to owe to the PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, that is to say: the said

James W. Anthony  
the sum of Three Hundred Dollars,  
and the said Jacob Ehrlich  
the sum of Three Hundred Dollars,  
separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of their respective  
goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the con-  
dition following, viz:

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

John Martin and James Kelly

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

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

James W. Anthony  
Jacob Ehrlich

J. M. Patterson Police Justice.



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POLICE COURT— 3 DISTRICT.  
CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, }

RECOGNIZANCE TO TESTIFY.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on  
the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord 188 8  
of James W. Anthony  
Long Branch, New Jersey Street, in the City of New York,  
and Jacob Ehrlich  
of 300 North Avenue Street, in the said City,  
personally came before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the City of New York, and  
acknowledged themselves to owe to the PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, that is to say: the said

James W. Anthony  
the sum of Three Hundred Dollars,  
and the said Jacob Ehrlich  
the sum of Three Hundred Dollars,  
separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be levied and made of their respective  
goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in the con-  
dition following, viz:

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

John Martin and James Kelly

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

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

J. W. Anthony  
Jacob Ehrlich

J. M. Putnam Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

day of October  
1885  
S. J. Quinn Police Justice

Sworn before me, this

the within-named Bail, being duly sworn, says that he is a Home holder in  
said City, and is worth Six Hundred Dollars,  
over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities; and that his property consists of

Personal Property contained  
in premises No. 3 Cedar Street,  
Brooklyn, of the value of  
five thousand dollars.  
Jacob Ehrlich

New York Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

Recognition to Testify.

ss.

James W. Anthony

Magistrate

Filed

day of

188

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John D. Sullivan*  
day of *July*  
1881  
Sworn before me, this *5*  
John D. Sullivan, Police Justice

*Jacob Ehrlich*  
the within-named Bail, being duly sworn, says that he is a *German* holder in  
said City, and is worth *Six* Hundred Dollars,

over and above the amount of all his debts and liabilities; and that his property consists of

*Personal Property Contained  
in premises No. 3 Astor House,  
Broadway, of the value of  
five thousand dollars.*  
*Jacob Ehrlich*

New York

Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

Recognizance to Testify.

ss.

*James W. Anthony*

*Matheson* Magistrate

Filed

day of

188



Indictment filed Feb. 14. 1888

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

The People &c.

against

John Morton and James Kel-

ly .

Abstract of testimony on

trial Feb. 29th 1888.

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Indictment filed Feb. 14. 1888

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

The People &c.

against

John Morton and James Kelly.

Abstract of testimony on  
trial Feb. 29th 1888.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III .

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 :  
 The People of the State of New York      Before  
   ::HON. R. B. MARTINE  
   :      and a Jury.  
   :  
 John Morton and James Kelly.               :  
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Indictment filed Feb. 14, 1888.

New York, Feb. 29, 1888.

Appearances:

For the People, Asst. Dist. Atty. Parker;

For the Defendant, W. S. McPheepers, Esq.,

JAMES W. ANTHONY, a witness for the People, testified:

I am a baker and reside at Long Branch, N. J. I was in this City on the 4th. of Feb. last. At about half past two or three o'clock in the morning I was in a saloon in the Bowery and I took out my pocketbook and saw that I had \$35 in bills and silver. I also had a watch and chain. I came out of the saloon and went down to a place at the corner of Oliver and Chatham Square. I met these two defendants in there. I came out and they followed me on the street. When I was in front of No. 4 or 6 Chatham Square they came up to me and proceeded to go through my pockets and to take my overcoat off; one went at one shoulder and one at another. They did not use any violence; I did not offer much resistance. I had a little drink in me but I was capable of taking care of myself.



## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, PART III .

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 :  
 The People of the State of New York     Before  
   ::HON. R. B. MARTINE  
   :     and a Jury.  
   :  
 John Morton and James Kelly.           :  
   :  
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Indictment filed Feb. 14, 1888.

New York, Feb. 29, 1888.

Appearances:

For the People, Asst. Dist. Atty. Parker;

For the Defendant, W. S. McPheepers, Esq.,

JAMES W. ANTHONY, a witness for the People, testified:

I am a baker and reside at Long Branch, N. J. I was in this City on the 4th. of Feb. last. At about half past two or three o'clock in the morning I was in a saloon in the Bowery and I took out my pocketbook and saw that I had \$35 in bills and silver. I also had a watch and chain. I came out of the saloon and went down to a place at the corner of Oliver and Chatham Square. I met these two defendants in there. I came out and they followed me on the street. When I was in front of No. 4 or 6 Chatham Square they came up to me and proceeded to go through my pockets and to take my overcoat off; one went at one shoulder and one at another. They did not use any violence; I did not offer much resistance. I had a little drink in me but I was capable of taking care of myself.

## CROSS-EXAMINATION:

I spent my time in the city in visiting saloons and the different ten-cent dime museums. I had drank altogether on that evening about three glasses of ale and one glass of whiskey. I believe I had one drink with these defendants; I treated them. I did not have any extended conversation with these men in the saloon except inviting them to drink. I did not ask these men to take me to the Lodging House. These men took my coat and gloves.

LAWRENCE T. POWERS, a witness for the People, testified:

I am a Police Officer attached to the 7th. Precinct. I was standing in front of No. 18 East Broadway on the 9th of the 24th of Feb. and I saw this complainant going across the street with the two defendants, Kelly having hold of him on the right and Morton being on his left. I saw them stand in the doorway of Number 6 East Broadway and take the coat off the shoulders of the complainant. I went over and arrested them.

## CROSS-EXAMINATION:

I first saw the complainant at East Broadway and Catharine St. in company with the two defendants. The robbery occurred in a hallway and I could see what transpired.

## D E F E N C E.

JOHN J. MORTON, one of the defendants, testified:

I met the complainant on the 24th. of Jan. about 3 o'clock. Kelly and I were standing outside a saloon

## CROSS-EXAMINATION:

I spent my time in the city in visiting saloons and the different ten-cent dime museums. I had drank altogether on that evening about three glasses of ale and one glass of whiskey. I believe I had one drink with these defendants; I treated them. I did not have any extended conversation with these men in the saloon except inviting them to drink. I did not ask these men to take me to the Lodging House. These men took my coat and gloves.

LAWRENCE T. POWERS, a witness for the People, testified:

I am a Police Officer attached to the 7th. Precinct. I was standing in front of No. 13 East Broadway on the 9th of the 24th of Feb. and I saw this complainant going across the street with the two defendants, Kelly having hold of him on the right and Morton being on his left. I saw them stand in the doorway of Number 6 East Broadway and take the coat off the shoulders of the complainant. I went over and arrested them.

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I first saw the complainant at East Broadway and Catharine St. in company with the two defendants. The robbery occurred in a hallway and I could see what transpired.

## D E F E N C E.

JOHN J. MORTON, one of the defendants, testified:

I met the complainant on the 24th. of Jan. about 3 o'clock. Kelly and I were standing outside a saloon



and the complainant came along and staggered against us. He excused himself and he asked us where he could get a drink. We went into a place and had a drink with him and then he said to us "I am pretty well drunk, I haven't any money and I will sell my coat to pay for a bed". I told him he could do just as he pleased about his own property. He asked us if we could find him some place where he might lay down and we were bringing him to this lodging house at No. 6 East Broadway. When we got as far as the door the officer came over and arrested us.

CROSS-EXAMINATION:

I have gone under the name of John Hart. I don't remember going under the name of Henry Delaney. I would not have said anything to this man only he knocked against us. He was a stranger in the city and we were showing him to a lodging house when we were arrested. I know Kelly only for a short time.

The prisoners pleaded guilty to robbery in the third degree.

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The prisoners pleaded guilty to robbery in the third degree.

# 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 Norton*  
and *James Kelly*

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

*John Norton and James Kelly*  
of the crime of ROBBERY IN THE *First* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *John Norton and James Kelly*  
*Norton, Kelly* —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*fourth* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, in the *month* time of the said day, at the Ward, City  
and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *James W. Anthony*  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and  
*one* promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and un-  
satisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty  
dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars — ; *three* promissory notes for the  
payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States  
Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each* ;  
*seven* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied  
(and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and  
of the value of five dollars *each* ; *ten* promissory notes for the payment  
of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury  
Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each* ; *ten*  
promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the  
kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of  
one dollar *each* ; *one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind  
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars  
— ; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known  
as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each* ;  
*seven* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes),  
being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each* ; divers coins,  
of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of  
*five dollars, one overcoat of the value of*  
*thirty dollars, one pair of shoes of the value*  
*of three dollars, one watch of the value of*  
*forty dollars, and one chain of the value*  
*of twenty dollars, —*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *James W. Anthony*  
from the person of the said *James W. Anthony* against the will,  
and by violence to the person of the said *James W. Anthony*  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *(the said*  
*John Norton and James Kelly, and each*  
*of them being then and there aided by an*  
*accomplice actually present, to wit: each*  
*by the other.)* —

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

RANDOLPH E. MARTINE,

District Attorney.



# 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 Martin*  
*and James Kelly*

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

*John Martin and James Kelly*  
of the crime of ROBBERY in the *first* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *John Martin and James Kelly*  
*do hereby* —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *February*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, in the *month* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *James W. Anthony* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and *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 of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars — ; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each* ; *seven* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each* ; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each* ; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each* ; *one* promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars — ; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each* ; *seven* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each* ; divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *five dollars, one overcoat of the value of thirty dollars, one pair of shoes of the value of three dollars, one watch of the value of forty dollars, and one chain of the value of twenty dollars,* —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *James W. Anthony* from the person of the said *James W. Anthony*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *James W. Anthony*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *(the said John Martin and James Kelly, and each of them being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, to wit: each by the other.)* —

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2828

**DESCRIPTION:**

Mueller, Theodore

**DATE:**

02/15/88



2828

Witnesses:

*Off Jones*

No 264

*P. C. Chapman*

Counsel,

Filed,

15 day of

Feb

1888

Pleaded

*Guilty*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

B

*Theodore Mueller*

*Feb 29/88*

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

*F*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.  
(Keeping Open on Sunday,  
Ill. Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1889, Sec. 6)

*U.S. Court Southern District of New York*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Ed. Kavan* 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,  
*Plaintiffs*

*against*

*Theodore Muller*  
*Defendant.*

**The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York.** by this indictment accuse the above named defendant 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 defendant late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty-ninth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, 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 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,*

~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE~~, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**  
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**FOLDER:**  
2828

**DESCRIPTION:**  
Muller, John

**DATE:**  
02/09/88



2828

WITNESSES:

No 800 N. Street

Counsel,

Filed 9 day of Feb 1888

Pleads *Ignorance of Law*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

B

John Miller

*Feb. 14/88*  
Laid in the Court of Sessions  
for trial, by request  
of Counsel for Defendant.

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Selling on Sunday, &c.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and  
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS  
RANDOLPH B. MARLINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*G. L. Larn*

Foreman.

*Feb. 14 Part 2 True*

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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,  
*Plaintiffs*

against

*John Müller*

*Defendant.*

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

The said defendant, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifteenth* day of *January* 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

*— Daniel J. Hogan —*

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 defendant 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 defendant, 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. Feltow,*  
**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2828

**DESCRIPTION:**

Mulligan, William

**DATE:**

02/01/88



2828

Witnesses

G. F. Bauer

L. H. Ebbert

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1888

Pleads,

Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Mulligan

Grand Larceny, second degree.

[Sections 528, 529, 530 Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Samuel E. For

Foreman.

Part III February 7/88

Pleaded, Attempt 9 L. & C. deg.

S. P. 2415 - P. B. M.

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Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 473 1/2 Avenue Street, aged 27 years,  
occupation Milk dealer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

One live horse attached by leather  
harness to a sleigh. together of the  
value of three hundred and fifty dollars  
(\$ 350.00)

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 William Mulligan (nowhere)

from the fact that deponent went  
into the premises no 457 W 37<sup>th</sup> St  
for the purpose of delivering some milk  
and left said horse and sleigh  
standing on said street in front of  
said premises. and when deponent came  
out of said premises he discovered  
that said horse and sleigh were  
missing.

Deponent is informed by John H. Ebbes  
that he the said Ebbes saw the said  
defendant in said sleigh driving said  
horse at the corner of 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue and  
44<sup>th</sup> Street. Whereupon deponent charges

Sworn to before me this  
1888 day

Police Justice

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the said defendant with feloniously  
taking stealing and carrying away said  
property, and prays all may be held  
and dealt with according to law.

I swear to before me)  
this 26th day of June 1888)

James C. Sullivan  
Police Justice

Geo. F. James

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John H. Ebers*  
aged *19* years, occupation *Milkman* of No. *616 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue*  
Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *George F. Darrow*  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 188*8* *John H. Ebers*

*Sam'l C. Bull*  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*William Mulligan* 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. *William Mulligan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *New York*

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

Answer. *627 W. 87th St 11 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 don't know anything about it*

*Wm Mulligan*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

day of

1887

Police Justice.

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Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 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.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George H. Lamm  
1473-902  
Wm. Mulligan

Offence

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 1500

to answer

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

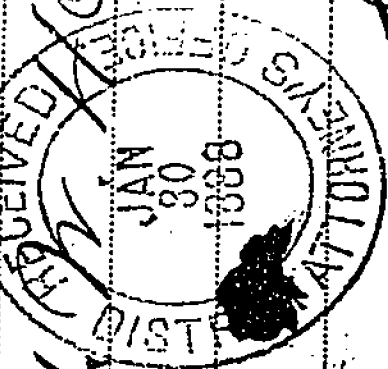
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Residence

Street.



# 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 Mulligan*

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

*William Mulligan*

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

The said

*William Mulligan,*

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

*one horse of the value of two hundred and fifty dollars,  
one sleigh of the value of seventy five dollars, and  
one set of harness of the value of twenty five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*George F. Bauer*

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



## SECOND COUNT—

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

*William Mulligan* —

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY committed as follows:

The said *William Mulligan*,

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 horse of the value of two hundred and fifty dollars,  
one sleigh of the value of seventy five dollars, and  
one set of harness of the value of twenty five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*George F. Bauer*

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

*George F. Bauer*

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

*William Mulligan* —

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:**

2828

**DESCRIPTION:**

Murphy, Francis

**DATE:**

02/07/88



2828

Witnesses:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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Counsel,

Filed

day of

1888

Pleads,

*John A. ...*

*7 Feb*

*Chas. ...*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

[Sections 224 and 228, Penal Code].

*Francis Murphy*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*G. H. ...* Foreman.

*John ...*

*John ...*

*S. P. ...*



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Police Court-- District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

*Honorable Stephen A. Lessor*  
of *New York* - Street, Aged *30* Years

Occupation *Printer* - being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
*1<sup>st</sup>* day of *February*, 188*8*, at the *6<sup>th</sup>* Ward of the City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of de-  
ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

*Good and Lawful Money*  
*of the United States issue to*  
*the amount and value of Three*  
*dollars*

of the value of *Three* DOLLARS,  
the property of *deponent*.

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

*Charles Murphy (nowhere)*  
*and two other persons not yet*  
*arrested and unknown to deponent*  
*from the fact that at or about the*  
*time of 12 30 P.M. said date deponent*  
*was walking along the Bowery and*  
*when in front of premises No 43 Bowery*  
*the said Murphy in company with the*  
*said unknown persons pushed*  
*deponent into the hallway of said*  
*premises threw deponent down and*  
*while deponent was lying prostrate*  
*in the hallway of said premises*

Sworn to before me, this

day of *February*, 188*8*

Police Justice.

The said Murphy, forcibly took said  
Money from the said family pocket  
of pants. Then in depositions  
person. The said Murphy and unknown  
persons. Then kicked. Cleverly in  
the body and then ran away with  
said money in their possession.  
Deposition immediately followed  
the said Murphy and caused the  
his arrest by Officer John Rensen.  
Deposition therefore says that the  
said Murphy may be held to  
answer the same.

I am to be signed & a deposite  
this 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 1888  
J. J. Owen  
Magistrate

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

1. 2. 3. 4.

Office—ROBBERY.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. to answer General Sessions.



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

*Francis Murphy* 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.

*Francis Murphy* -

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 Years* -

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland* -

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

Answer.

*At home* -

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 may think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the Charge* -  
*Francis Murphy*

*This complainant said & the officer that the defendant took \$3 from him in silver and nickel - One dollar piece and the rest in halves &c - That the defendant was one of the witness Jacob Jasmitzky - while the complainant's pockets were being rifled and until the defendant was taken by the officer. One dollar and forty one cents - a half dollar silver piece & the rest in small coins*

Taken before me this

day of *February* 188*8*

Police Justice.



was found on the defendant.

The Court believes the complaining witness was partially under the influence of liquor at the time, and that he was not drunk and was able to procure the defendant when he was released through the outery of the witness Gurnitsky.

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5995

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 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 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.

Police Court District. 208

THE PEOPLE & C.,  
BY THE COMPLAINT OF

Albert. Casside  
James Murphy

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3  
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Dated 188

Magistrate.

John Rinken Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. 12. East. Broadway.

Combl. Court Committee

No. 12. East. Broadway.

No. 12. East. Broadway.

No. 12. East. Broadway.

Committee to answer

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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.



0666

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT,

DISTRICT.

*John Renken.*  
 of *the 6th Precinct Police* Street, aged *34* years,  
 occupation *Police Officer* being duly sworn deposes and says,  
 that on the *1st* day of *February* 188 *8*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *he arrested*  
*Francis Murphy. Charged with*  
*Robbery. as Sergeant in the annual*  
*affidavit - on Complaint of Albert*  
*Lessiter. Dependent returns that the*  
*said Lessiter will not appear -*  
*as a witness he having no home*  
*or residence in New York City -*

*Dependent therefore prays that the said*  
*Lessiter may be required to furnish*  
*surety to appear as a witness against*  
*said Murphy. John Renken*

Sworn to before me, this

of *February* 188 *8*

day

Police Justice,

0667

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated, 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

Committed to the  
House of Detention & Paid  
of bail in the hundred dollars

0668

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Francis Murphy*

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

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

The said *Francis Murphy*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first* day of *February*, 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, in and upon one *Albert Serisier*, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

*one silver coin of the kind called dollars, of the value of one dollar, two other silver coins of the kind called half dollars of the value of fifty cents each, four other silver coins of the kind called quarter dollars of the value of twenty five cents each, and divers other coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of three dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Albert Serisier*, from the person of the said *Albert Serisier*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *Albert Serisier*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away,

*the said Francis Murphy* then and there aided by two accomplices actually present, whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid as yet 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.

*John A. Hallam*  
*District Attorney*



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

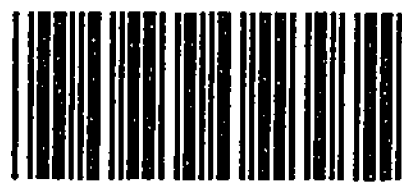
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Murphy, James F.

**DATE:**

02/17/88



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WITNESSES:

*Officer Collins*

*W 317*  
Selling on Sunday.

Counsel,

Filed *17* day of *July* 188*8*

Pleads *Indignantly - (23)*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*B*

*James S. Murphy*

*May 17/93*  
Certified for trial by request  
of Criminal for District Court.

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Selling on Sunday, &c.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and  
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

*72713* JOHN B. FELLOWS,  
RANDOLPH B. MARINE,

*June 1 1893* District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Wm. Marshall*  
*Forwards*

*Wm. Marshall*  
*305*  
*12-2*

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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,

*Plaintiffs*

*against*

*James F. Murphy*  
*Defendant.*

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

The said defendant, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifth* 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

*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 defendant 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 defendant, 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. Feltow*  
**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2828

**DESCRIPTION:**

Murphy, Richard

**DATE:**

02/08/88



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Witnesses:

17, 10, 19  
34  
Filed  
Counsel,  
Pleads,  
day of  
1888  
Chryzulla

THE PEOPLE  
Grand Larceny in the second degree,  
(MONEY.)  
(Sec. 528 and 537, Penal Code.)  
Richard Murphy  
149.135.08.  
32923

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Gustav

Foreman.

Part III February 14/88  
Pleads - Petit Larceny  
Sentence suspended  
B.M.  
(15)

Police Court— 5 District,

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

Charles Methke

of No. 1619 First Avenue Street, aged 41 years,  
occupation Manufacturer of Cigars being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 2nd day of February 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the night time, the following property viz :

Good and lawful money of the United  
States Consisting of bills, silver coins  
and pennies and one check in the Murray  
Hill Bank; one pocket book  
and one desk key; altogether  
amounting in value to forty  
dollars.

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Richard Murphy (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: On  
the above mentioned date, about the  
hour of 6:30 o'clock <sup>in said premises</sup> deponent  
left his cigar store and retired into a  
back room to eat his supper. That  
before deponent left he had the afore-  
described property in a box in  
his money drawer in said store. That  
deponent returned to his store in  
ten minutes thereafter and there and  
there found said property was missing.  
Subsequently deponent caused the arrest  
of said defendant and found in his  
possession and concealed in his said

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

Police Justice.



Police Court— 5 District,

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

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of No. 1619 First Avenue Street, aged 41 years,  
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Deponent

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has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Richard Murphy (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: On  
the above mentioned date, about the  
hour of 6:30 o'clock <sup>approx</sup> p.m. deponent  
left his cigar store and retired into a  
back room to eat his supper. That  
before deponent left he had the afore-  
described property in a box in  
his money drawer in said store. That  
deponent returned to his store in  
ten minutes thereafter and there and  
there found said property was missing.  
Subsequently deponent caused the arrest  
of said defendant and found in his  
possession; and concealed in his car

Sworn to before me this 2nd day of February 1888

Police Justice.

defendants Cap, ~~and check on pocket~~  
~~and~~ one key which deponent  
 fully identifies as a portion of said  
 property stolen from his possession

Wherefore deponent charges  
 said defendant with the Larceny as  
 aforesaid

Sworn to before me  
 the 3<sup>rd</sup> day February 1888

J. J. [Signature] Notary  
 Police Justice

0677

Sec. 198-200.

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Richard Murphy* 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. *Richard Murphy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *16 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *329 East 135th Street and about 5 months.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I work in a paper factory.*

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.*

*Richard Murphy*

Taken before me this

day of

188

Police Justice.



Bill of exchange 215  
Police Court-- 3-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles McKee  
1619 - 1st ave.  
Richard Murphy

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

February 3 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Joseph A. Lewis

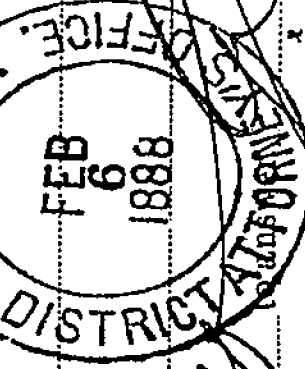
27 4th Precinct Police

Philip Hoffman

No. 1625 7th Avenue

No.

Street.



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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 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 February 3 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.

1888

Police Justice.

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Richard Mumford*

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

*Richard Mumford*

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

The said *Richard Mumford*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *second* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *night* time of the same day, *two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *six* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *two* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *six* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each*; *two* United States Silver Certificate of the

denomination and value of twenty dollars *each* ; *Three* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of ten dollars *each* ; *Six* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of five dollars *each* ; *Ten* United States Silver Certificates of the denomination and value of two dollars *each* ; *Ten* United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of one dollar *each* ; *Two* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of twenty dollars *each* ; *Three* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of ten dollars *each* ; *Six* United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of five dollars *each* ; and divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *Ten* dollars, *one written instrument and evidence of debt, to wit: an order for the payment of money of the kind called bank checks for the payment of and of the value of six dollars, one pocket book of the value of one dollar, and one key of the value of ten cents,* —

of the proper moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of one —

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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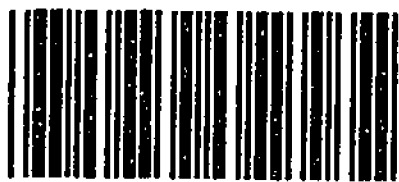
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Murphy, Timothy

**DATE:**

02/20/88



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Witnesses:

Off. M. M. M.

No 340

Counsel,

Filed 20 day of Feb'y 1888

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Timothy Murphy

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. W. W. W.  
Foreman.

Feb'y 20/88.

Clearance of Jury  
Pen 6mo.

From an examination of the  
evidence in this case it  
appears that a plea of  
guilty of assault in the  
third degree be accepted  
and  
and  
and

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0683

Police Court—1st District.City and County  
of New York, ss.I, John J. Wimmer of No. 10th Avenue Street, aged 29 years,occupation Police Officer being duly sworndeposes and says, that on 1st day of February 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Timothy

Murphy (now here) who  
cut deponent twice on  
the right cheek with some  
sharp instrument which  
he then held in his hand  
deponent being at the time  
in full uniform

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 6th dayof February 1888John J. WimmerWm. G. Wimmer  
Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT,

DISTRICT.

of No. 6th Precinct, Precinct Street, aged 25 years,occupation Precinct officer being duly sworn deposes and saysthat on the 1st day of February 1888

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

Timothy Murphy (now dead) did  
 unlawfully cut John Wimmer a  
 police officer of the 6th Precinct  
 twice in the face with a knife  
 while said Wimmer was arresting  
 defendant. Dependent asks  
 that said defendant may be  
 held to answer the result of the  
 injuries inflicted upon said  
 Wimmer who is now confined  
 to his house. Edward L. Conner

Sworn to before me, this

of February 1888

day

  
 Police Justice.

Police Court, 1 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward J. Cooney

vs.

Timothy Murphy

AFFIDAVIT.

*Assault on John Winter*

Dated Feb 27 1888

Rickett Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

The justice presiding  
in 1st Dist Court in  
my absence will  
please hold the  
examination in  
this case

Feb 27 J. P. McLaughlin

Disposition, to await  
result of injuries

0686

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Timothy Murphy* 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.

*Timothy Murphy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*40 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*24 Mulberry St. 16 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*None*

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 do not remember striking the complainant.*  
*Timothy Murphy*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

day of February 1885

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Timothy Murphy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*40 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*24 Mulberry St. 16 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*None*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 do not remember  
striking the complainant.  
Timothy Murphy  
mark*

Taken before me this

day of *February* 188*5*

Police Justice.

0090

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.

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

Dated 188 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 City Prison of New York, until he give such bail.

Police Court

234 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John J. Murphy*  
*of 6th Street*  
*City of New York*

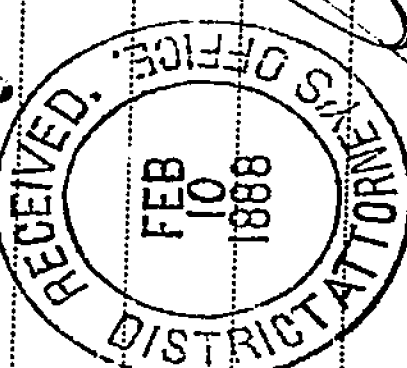
Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Prison.

Witnesses  
*Edward J. Conroy*  
*John J. Murphy*



No. Street.

No. Street.

to answer

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Timothy Murphy*

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

*Timothy Murphy*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

*Timothy*  
late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
day of *January* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *John J. Winter*  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,  
and *with* the said *John*  
with a certain *sharp instrument to the Grand*  
*jury aforesaid unknown*  
which the said *Timothy*  
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and  
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and  
wound,

with intent

*John* the said *John*  
thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York  
and their dignity.

## SECOND COUNT—

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

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

The said

*Timothy*  
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of  
the said *John J. Winter*  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make another assault, and *with* the said *John*  
with a certain *sharp instrument to the Grand*  
*jury aforesaid unknown*  
which the said *Timothy*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a weapon and  
an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did  
wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, cut, stab and wound, against the form of the statute in  
such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York  
and their dignity.



## THIRD COUNT—

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

*Smithy murder* —

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

The said *Smithy*.

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said *John J. Wimmer*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and

*him* the said *John*. —

with a certain *sharp instrument to the Grand Jury aforesaid indictment* —

which *he* the said *Smithy* —

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the *right* *cheek* of *him* the said *John*. —

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

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:**

Murray, John

**DATE:**

02/29/88



2828

No 446

Counsel,

Filed 29 day of Feb 1888

Pleads, Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs. Richard  
J. S. Smith  
H. S. Smith

John Murray

Burglary in the second degree,  
and carrying a dangerous weapon.  
[Section 497, 506, 512, 530, 550.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Filed by  
Mr. J. S. Smith II  
" 12" Part II July

A True Bill.

Pr. Incl. 888. 3d  
Grand Jury July 12.

G. J. Keenan

Foreman.

S. P. 2 yrs. 5 mo.  
D. B. M.

Witnesses:

Mr. Ellen Collins

Off. Jurors

San Bruno  
76 words

Conf.



# 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 Murray*

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

*John Murray*

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

The said *John Murray*

late of the *5th* Ward 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*, with force and arms, about the hour of *twelve* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

*Allen Rollins.*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some human being, to wit: *The said Allen Rollins.*

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods chattels and personal property of the said *Allen Rollins.*

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 Murray*—of the CRIME OF *felony* LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said

*John Murray*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 the said day, with force and arms,

*Two shirts of the value of five dollars each, two pairs of the value of five dollars each, one pair collar of the value of ten dollars, one necktie of the value of ten dollars, two pairs of gloves of the value of one dollar each pair, two undershirts of the value of four dollars each, four table cloths of the value of two dollars each, twelve knives of the value of one dollar each, twelve spoons of the value of one dollar each, and the sum of three dollars in money, lawful money of the United States and of the value of three dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Allen Rollins*—in the dwelling house of the said *Allen Rollins*—

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.

THIRD COUNT—

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

*John Murray* —

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

The said

*John Murray*

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, with force and arms, *two shirts of the value of five dollars each, two pairs of the value of five dollars each, one fur collar of the value of ten dollars, one muff of the value of ten dollars, four table cloths of the value of two dollars each, twelve pairs of the value of one dollar each, and twelve yards of the value of one dollar each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Ellen Collins* —

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

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

*John Murray* —

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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Police Court—2 District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 41 West 11<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 59 years,occupation Housekeeper Being duly sworn.deposes and says, that the premises No 41 West 11<sup>th</sup> Street,in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brickbuilding,and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling houseand in which there was at the time a human being, by name Ellen Collinsand five others,were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly prying up theupper sash of the window leading fromthe front area into deponent's basement,and reaching in the inside blinds on saidwindowon the 19<sup>th</sup> day of February 1888 in the night time, and the

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

clothes wearing apparel, consisting of shirtswaists, muff, collar, scarf, kid gloves,three dollars in good and lawful moneyof the United States, two umbrellas, tablecloths, knives and forks together ofthe value of sixty dollars(X \$60.00)the property of deponent and her servants, and all inand deponent further says, that deponent care and custody 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 Murray alias Williams(now here)for the reasons following, to wit: that at the hour of 10/8O'clock PM said date deponent's housewas securely locked and fastened,and at about that time deponent and theother members of her family retired for thenight. And at about the hour of 6/30O'clock AM February 20<sup>th</sup> deponentdiscovered that her house had been enteredas aforesaid and the aforesaid property.

had been taken from and carried away.  
 Deponent is informed by Officer  
 John P. Sweeney of the 9<sup>th</sup> Prec.  
 Police that at the hour of 11:20 O'Clock  
 on February 20<sup>th</sup> he arrested the said  
 defendant on Waverly Place near  
 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue. and at that time he the  
 defendant had in his possession two skirts  
 and waists bear skin collar and muff knives  
 and fork table cloth and other property which  
 deponent has since seen and identifies as  
 a portion of the property aforesaid.  
 Wherefore deponent charges the said defendant  
 with burglariously entering said premises  
 as aforesaid and feloniously taking stealing  
 and carrying away said property and  
 prays he may be dealt with according  
 to law.

Sworn to before me)  
 this 21<sup>st</sup> day 1888

Eden Collins

Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

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.

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation \_\_\_\_\_ of No. \_\_\_\_\_

*John F. Sweeney*  
*Police Officer*  
*9th Precinct* Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Ellen Collins*

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

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_

*A. J. White*  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

*John Murray* 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  
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 Murray*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *31 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *London Eng*

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

Answer. *No home*

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 may think will tend to your  
exculpation?

Answer. *I am not guilty*

*John Murray*

Taken before me this

day of

Police Justice.

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BAILLED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court-- District.  
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THE PEOPLE, &c.  
IN THE COMPLAINT OF  
*John Murray*  
*James Williams*  
141 11th St  
1500

Dated *July 21* 1888  
Magistrate.  
*John D. Murray* Officer.  
Witnesses  
*John D. Murray*  
*John D. Murray*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
RECEIVED.  
FEB 23 1888  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

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

*John Murray*  
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.

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.

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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 Murray*

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

*John Murray*

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

The said

*John Murray*

late of the *22nd* Ward 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*, with force and arms, about the  
hour of *three* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

*Allen Rollins*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there  
some human being, to wit: *The said Allen Rollins*

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

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 Murray*—of the CRIME OF *Against* LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said

*John Murray*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 the said day, with force and arms,

*Two shirts of the value of five dollars each, two pairs of the value of five dollars each, one pair of the value of ten dollars, one pair of the value of ten dollars, two pairs of gloves of the value of one dollar each pair, two undershirts of the value of four dollars each, four table cloths of the value of two dollars each, twelve knives of the value of one dollar each, twelve spoons of the value of one dollar each, and the sum of three dollars in money, lawful money of the United States and of the value of three dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Allen Rollins*—in the dwelling house of the said *Allen Rollins*—

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 Murray* —

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

The said

*John Murray*

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, with force and arms, *two shirts* of the value of *five dollars each*, *two* *waists* of the value of *five dollars each*, *one* *fur collar* of the value of *ten dollars*, *one* *rug* of the value of *ten dollars*, *four* *table cloths* of the value of *two dollars each*, *twelve* *knives* of the value of *one dollar each*, and *twelve* *forks* of the value of *one dollar each*.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Ellen Collins*.

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

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

*John Murray* —

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:**

Murray, Thomas F.

**DATE:**

02/13/88



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WITNESSES:

*Higgins*

Counsel,

Filed 13 day of July 1888

Pleads

*Not guilty (14)*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*B*

*Thomas S. Murray*

*July 21/88*

*U.S. Court of Special Sessions for trial, by request of Counsel for Defendant.*

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JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*Glavin* Foreman.

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Selling on Sunday, &c.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and  
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

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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,  
*Plaintiffs*  
 against

*Thomas F. Murray*  
*Defendant.*

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

The said defendant, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifteenth* day of *January* 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 Higgins*

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 defendant 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 defendant, 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,*  
~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.