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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Edgar, William C.

**DATE:**

09/10/88



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*Order of*

Counsel,

Filed 10 day of Sept. 1888

Pleas, *Chattel*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*William C. Edgar*

*Burglary in the 1st degree*

*Section 497*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

**A True Bill.**

*J. W. Hayes*

*Foreman.*

*13 Sept 13. 1888*

*Pleas P. L.*

*Ret. Sup me.*

Witnesses;

Witness lines

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Police Court—2<sup>nd</sup> District.

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

of No. 243 West 17<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 24 years,  
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 243 West 17<sup>th</sup> Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Blind dwelling  
in the 16<sup>th</sup> Ward of said City  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name, Debit Dependent  
and her mother, Mary Hickey  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open  
a hall bed room door on the top  
floor of said premises, about the  
hour of 3<sup>1/2</sup> o'clock P.M.

on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1888 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One pair of mens shoes, of the  
value of five dollars

the property of deponent's husband, Benj. H. Barklow,  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by  
William C. Edgar, now here,

for the reasons following, to wit: That on the morning of  
said day the deponent hired a  
bed room of deponent on the top  
floor of said premises and made  
a part payment on the same. That  
he then went to bed and slept  
until the afternoon. That about

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I select deponent went up stairs  
 to the top floor and closed and  
 locked the door of the front  
 rooms where said shoes then  
 were. That fifteen minutes  
 thereafter deponent found said  
 door broken open, the wood  
 being broken and the door  
 open, and deponent found  
 the deponent with said shoes  
 in his possession done up  
 in a towel and paper, and  
 deponent took said shoes out  
 of his hands. That no persons  
 but deponent and two men  
 and said deponent were in  
 said premises at said time.  
 Sworn to before me  
 This 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 1888 Mary Barkland

J. W. Patterson

Police Justice

Police Court \_\_\_\_\_ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
 vs.  
 Burglary \_\_\_\_\_ Degree.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Bail.

Bailed by \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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Sec. 193-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*William C. Edgar* 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 C. Edgar*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *58 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *247 East 8<sup>th</sup> St. one week*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Club*

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 did not break the door, and only took the shoes to repair them until I got my own repaired.*

*William C. Edgar*

Taken before me this

*29<sup>th</sup>*

day of *August* 188*8*

*W. H. Williams*  
Police Justice.

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

*William C. Edgar*

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

Dated *August 29* 1888 *J. M. Pauwson* 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 h to be discharged.

Dated.....1888..... Police Justice.

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314 #90  
Police Court - 2 1345  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Burklew  
248 West 17<sup>th</sup>  
Wm. C. Edgar

Offence *Assault*  
and *Harassment*

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Dated August 29<sup>th</sup> 1888

*Patterson* Magistrate.

*Lagan D* Officer.

*Cony 16* Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.



\$ 15.00 to answer *G.S.*

*Cony*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*William R. Rogers*

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

*William R. Rogers*

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

The said *William R. Rogers,*

late of the *Fifth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, about the hour of *Three* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

*Benjamin A. Badlow,*

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

*one Mary Badlow,*

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

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

*William R. Pease*

of the CRIME OF *Robb* LARCENY, —

committed as follows:

The said *William R. Pease*.

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

*one pair of shoes of the value of five dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Benjamin R. Barlow*,

in the dwelling house of the said *Benjamin R. Barlow*,

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

*John R. Barlow*  
*Attorney*

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Edwards, Flora

**DATE:**

09/24/88



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270. B.M. provided 488  
W.M.  
Filed 24 day of Sept 1888  
Pleads,

Witnesses:

Bailed by:  
Emma Fairfax  
232 East 20th St.  
The miss and I  
have been arrested  
and the dept no longer  
engaged in keeping  
with house of Emma  
at 25 West 10th St  
of 25 West 10th St  
April 24/92  
A.W. any

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
James Lee  
Flora Edwards  
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[Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. A. Cooper  
D. G. Quirk  
Henry Leully  
Sen suspended

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County General Sessions  
of the Peace, City of New York -

The People,

vs

Lora Edwards

City and County of New York SS:

Lora Edwards being duly sworn says that she is the defendant above named, that about four years ago she was indicted by the then Grand Jury for keeping and maintaining a disorderly house at premises No 238 Greene Street in said City, that thereupon she appeared and plead not guilty to said indictment and from and after said date up to the present time, deponent has been out of custody, having given good and sufficient undertaking or bail for her appearance. That deponent has at all times been ready and willing to go to trial, being wholly innocent of the charge as laid in said indictment, and in addition deponent swears that she is innocent, if any has long

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since been abated, deponent  
shortly after the finding of said  
indictment, having returned  
from said premises No 238  
Greene Street.

found before me this  
26<sup>th</sup> day of April 1872 E. Corn Edwards

Hubwaldheim  
Mayor Public N.Y.C.  
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General Lesson

The People &

- apt -

Bro Edwards

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Affidavit

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ally in depth

23 Chambers St.

N.Y.

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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

*Jane Doe*

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

*Jane Doe whose real name is the*  
*the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*

(Sec. 322,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Jane Doe,*

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *first* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~eight~~, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said *Jane Doe* —

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

*Jane Doe* —

(Section 385,  
Penal Code.)

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

The said *Jane Doe,*

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

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

THIRD COUNT—

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

*Jane Doe* —

(Section 322 of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:  
Penal Code.)

The said *Jane Doe*.

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Egan, Denis

**DATE:**

09/26/88



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WITNESSES:

Counsel,

Filed 26. day of Sept 1888

Pleads *Guilty (P.A.)*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

B

*Dennis Egan*

*Chas. W. [unclear]*

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

**A True Bill.**

*J. W. [unclear]*  
Foreman.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Denis Egan*

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

*Denis Egan*

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

The said *Denis Egan*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eight* day of *April* 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 *Sam's record*

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

*Denis Egan*

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 *Denis Egan*

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

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Eichler, Edward

**DATE:**

09/20/88



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Witnesses:

*J. A. Paulman*

Counsel,  
Filed *20* day of *Sept* 188*8*  
Pleads, *Admittedly* (2/1)

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*B*  
*Edward Eichel*

Grand Larceny Second degree  
[Sections 628, 629, 572, Penal Code.]

*Pz* vs *11/88* JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
*Arrested & acquitted.* District Attorney.

*Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1888*

**A True Bill**

*J. Weaver*  
Foreman.

*Correct*  
*W.A.*

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Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No.

90 Hill St

Ida Schrott

Street, aged 71 years,

occupation

Housekeeper

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 21 day of August 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the Day time, the following property:

One trunk containing a quantity of dresses, skirts, wraps and other wearing apparel all of the total value of One hundred and fifty 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 Edward Schuler (now here)

for the reason that on said day and date Deponent gave said trunk to Deponent to take to the Grand Central Depot; Deponent went to said Depot and after due and diligent search and inquiry failed to find said trunk; said Deponent is unable or unwilling to give the name of, or identify the man by whom he gave said trunk; therefore Deponent now charges said Deponent with stealing and carrying away

Sworn to before me, this 18th day of August 1888

Police Justice.

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Said trunk and property  
and praye that said defendant  
be dealt with as the Law  
directs

Sworn & before me *Wm Ida Schrott*  
this 14<sup>th</sup> day of *Sept*

*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

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_

ss.

Offence—LARCENY

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888

Magistrate \_\_\_\_\_

Officer \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk \_\_\_\_\_

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street, \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

3 District Police Court.

*Edward G. Gilder*

signed according to law on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is his right 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.

*Edward Gilder*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*18 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

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

Answer.

*744 Rivington St 2 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Express man*

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*  
*Edward Gilder*

Taken before me this

day of

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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 committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Defendant

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

Dated Sept 14 1888 J. J. Puffy Police Justice.

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

Dated Sept 14 1888 J. J. Puffy 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.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Police Court---320 1459 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Paul Christy*  
*vs*  
*90<sup>th</sup> Street*  
*Willetts*  
*Chapley*

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Dated *Sept 14<sup>th</sup>* 188*8*

*Duffy* Magistrate.

*Jacob* Officer.

*Central* Precinct.

Witnesses *Catharine Munch*

No. *90 Willett* Street.

*Ben [unclear]*

No. *Central Office* Street.



No. *500* Street.

*GS* to answer.

*Bailed*

BAILED,

No. 1, by *J. Shubbing*

Residence *13 Willett* Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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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

*Edward Eichler*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Edward Eichler*—

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

The said *Edward Eichler*,

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

*divers articles of clothing and wearing apparel, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, and one trunk of the value of five dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *one* *Ida Schroth*

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Edward Eichler* \_\_\_\_\_

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

The said *Edward Eichler*

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,

*divers articles of clothing and wearing apparel, of a number and description to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars, and one trunk of the value of five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Ida Schroth*

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

*Ida Schroth*

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

*Edward Eichler* \_\_\_\_\_

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:**

Eisner, Frederick

**DATE:**

09/26/88



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WITNESSES:

Counsel,

Filed 26. day of Sept. 1888

Pleas *Chinquilly Oct 1*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*B*

*Fredrick Eisner*

*Oct 25/88*

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

*136 Court 169th St*

**VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW**  
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1083, Sec. 21 and page 1089, Sec. 5.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

**A True Bill.**

*J. W. Grayson*  
Foreman.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Frederick Eisner*

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

The said

*Frederick Eisner*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, 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

*William S. Morris*

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

— *Frederick Eisner* —

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

*Frederick Eisner*

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

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

District Attorney.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Elliott, James

**DATE:**

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Witnesses:  
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Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed, 10 day of Sept 1888  
Pleads, \_\_\_\_\_

INJURY TO PROPERTY.  
[Sec. 651, Penal Code.]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

James Elliott

vs. M.M.

James S. Searns  
District Attorney

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

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

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Charles Sacher

of No. 159 West 27 Street, aged 63 years,

occupation Instrument Maker being fully sworn deposes and says,

that on the 2nd day of September 1888

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

Elliot (now he) did willfully and maliciously break and destroy a large pane of french plate glass in the window of Depment's shop at the above address. of the value of seventy dollars the property of Sire & Son by kicking said pane of french plate glass with his feet.

Depment further says that said pane of plate glass was rendered entirely worthless by the injury done it in the

Subscribed before me this 2nd day of September 1888

James Sacher

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manner and at the time aforesaid.  
Wherefore defendant prays the said  
defendant may be held and dealt  
with according to law.

Sworn to before me  
this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1888

Charles Fisher

John J. Gorman  
Police Justice

Police Court District.

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

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness,

Disposition,

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

*James Elliott*

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.

*James Elliott*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*23 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*257 St. 27th St. 3 Mo*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Carpet Cleaner*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty  
I did not break this glass  
Unipully  
James Elliott*

Taken before me this

day of *Sept* 188*8*

*John J. ...*  
Police Justice

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

*Almuscellio*

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

Dated. *Sept 5* 188 *J. J. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- 2 1382 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Sachse  
169 West 27<sup>th</sup> St  
James Elliott

offence Malicious  
Damage to Property  
(felony)

Dated Sept 5 1888

Yoman Magistrate.

Carey and Logan Officers

16<sup>th</sup> Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

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No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*James Elliott*

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

*James Elliott* —

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY *destroying* —  
PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *James Elliott*,

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *second* day of *September*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms, *a certain* *pane of*  
*glass*, —

of the value of *seventy* *dollars*, —  
of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Charles Sadler*,  
then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break*  
*and destroy*; —

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

*James Elliott* —

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY  
REAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said *James Elliott*,

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

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aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *a certain*

*piece of glass* —

of the value of *seventy dollars*, —

in, and forming part and parcel of the realty of a certain building of one

*Charles Sadler*, —

there situate, of the real property of the said

*Charles Sadler*, —

then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully *break and destroy* (

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.

*Randolph B. Martine*  
**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**