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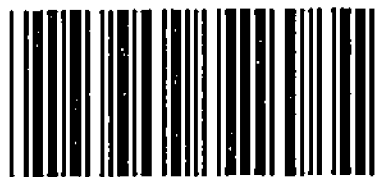
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DESCRIPTION:

Moore, Thomas

DATE:

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Witnesses:

*Wm. Albert*  
*Off. Attorney*  
*Chas. H. Lane*

Counsel,

Filed *11* day of *Nov* 188*8*

Pleads

*W. J. G. (13)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

PETIT LARCENY.  
[Sections 528, 532, Penal Code].

*Thomas Moore*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Foreman.

*Wm. Albert*  
*Part III June 17, 1888*

*Complaint sent to Special Session.*

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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*

*Thomas Moore*

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

*Thomas Moore*

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Moore*,

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

*one dead rod-fish of the*

*value of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Sonisa Kolder*,

then and there being found, then and there unlawfully 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.

*Randolph B. Martinie*  
*District Attorney*

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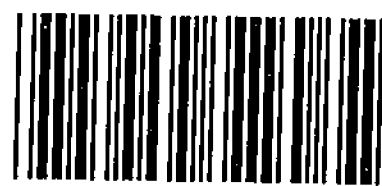
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Moran, Thomas

DATE:

11/18/85



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Witnesses:

*John Brennan*  
*John J. Conarty*

*179*  
*E. F. Kinsley*  
Counsel,  
Filed *18* day of *Nov* 188*8*  
Pleads, *Nov 19*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*Thomas Moran*

*Burglary in the Second Degree.*  
*Exhibit B*  
[Sections 498, 506 & 507, 508]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*Dec 2/88* District Attorney.

*Filed & returned.*

A True Bill.

*J. Cathin for*  
Foreman

*Dec 1 1888*

*J. J. Moran*

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Police Court—11 District.

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

of No. 579 West 17th Street, aged 60 years,  
occupation laborer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 419 East 18th Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house  
in the eighteenth ward of the City of New York  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name John Brennan

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly pushing  
open a door of deponent's apart-  
ments in said premises

on the 28 day of September 1888 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

one silver watch & a brass  
watch chain of the combined  
value of about twelve  
dollars

\$12.00

the property of deponent

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

Thomas Nolan

for the reasons following, to wit:

That on the date men-  
tioned deponent was asleep in  
his apartment in said premises.  
That deponent was aroused by the  
sound of some person moving about  
in said apartment, and saw de-  
fendant in said apartment.

John Brennan  
1889

*Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of September 1888*  
*John G. Brennan*  
*Notary Public*

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss  
OF NEW YORK,

       District Police Court.

Thomas Moran 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 the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas Moran

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

25 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States

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

Answer.

419 East 18<sup>th</sup> Street. 9 Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Helper by trade

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.

Nothing to say

Thomas Moran

Taken before me this

day of November 1888

Police Justice.

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

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 Nov. 14 1885 John 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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\$1500 Bail for E  
until 9 AM 15<sup>th</sup> inst

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Police Court-- 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Brennan  
509 West 27<sup>th</sup>  
Thomas Moran

Office Burgess

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

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

Dated Nov. 14 1885  
Samuel Magistrate.  
McLuther Officer.  
81 Precinct.

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

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

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

\$ 1500 to answer Genl Sessions.

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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

*Thomas Moran*

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

*Thomas Moran*

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

The said *Thomas Moran*,

late of the *Eighteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *Twenty-second* day of *September*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, about the  
hour of *Twelve* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *John Brennan*,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some  
human being, to wit: *the said John Brennan*,

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

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

*Thomas Moran*

of the CRIME OF ~~GRAND~~ LARCENY IN THE ~~PEOPLE~~, committed as follows :

The said

*Thomas Moran,*

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 watch of the value of eleven  
dollars, and one chain of the  
value of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John Brennan,*

in the dwelling house of the said *John Brennan,*

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.

*Randolph B. Martin*

*District Attorney*

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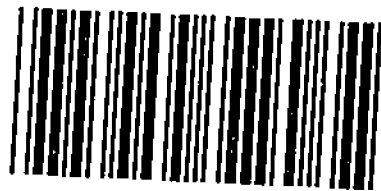
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DESCRIPTION:

Moriarty, Jeremiah

DATE:

11/20/85



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Counsel, *R. Blum*  
Filed *20* day of *Nov* 188 *8*  
Pleads, *Nov 21/22.*

THE PEOPLE  
*vs. B. B. B.*  
*vs.*  
*Exhibition*  
ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.  
(Section 219, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*Mr. B. B. B.*  
*pleading guilty*  
A True Bill.

*J. C. C. Jr.*  
*Foreman*  
*14th Cent 100/100*  
*178*

Witnesses: *J. J. Menden*  
*Then from Menden*  
*not the remainder*

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace  
City of New York.

The People vs  
against  
Jeremiah Monahan

On reading and filing the affidavit of  
Jeremiah Monahan and the certificates hereto  
annexed of Louis D. Pilabury Warden of  
the New York Penitentiary and on motion of  
James J. Walsh Attorney for the defendant  
it is

Ordered, that the fine of one hundred  
dollars imposed upon said defendant on  
the 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885 in default of  
the payment of which he is now held in cus-  
tody be and the same is hereby reduced to  
Twenty five dollars  
Sept. 30, 1886

Lucas

Ad

Blackwell's Island, New York City, Sept. 16, 1886

Warden of the New York Penitentiary.

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DEPARTMENT OF  
*Public Charities and Correction.*

*New York Penitentiary, B. I.,*

LOUIS D. PILSBURY,  
Warden.

*New York, Sept 29, 86*

*Jeremiah Moriarty sentenced  
Nov-30-1885 to the Penitentiary  
for one year and a fine  
of one hundred (100) dollars  
or one hundred (100) days  
has been an obedient  
and faithful prisoner  
and complied with the  
rules*

*Louis D. Pilsbury  
Warden*

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

} ss.

*Jeremiah Moriarty* being duly sworn, deposes and says that .. he was convicted of  
*Assault in the third degree*  
at the court of *General* Sessions of the Peace, and on the *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *November*, 18*85*  
was sentenced by *Recorder Frederick Smyth* to confinement in the New York  
Penitentiary for the term of *one* year .. and .. month .. and fined *One*  
*Hundred* dollars, and in default of payment thereof to be held in custody for the further term of  
*One Hundred* days or until the same be paid.

And .. he further deposes and says that .. he is credibly informed and verily believes that his Excellency the  
Governor of the said State did—upon the report of the Warden of the said Penitentiary, that .. he had complied with  
the requirements of the act passed February 20, 1875—direct a deduction of *Three* months from the term of his  
sentence, whereby the said term *will* expire on the *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *September*, 18*86*

And .. he still further deposes and says that .. he is entirely without money, property or means of any kind,  
and that .. he is utterly unable to satisfy and pay the said fine of *One Hundred*  
dollars, for the non-payment of which he has been since the .. day of: ..  
187*7*, and is now held in custody at the Penitentiary aforesaid.

Sworn and subscribed before me this ..

*16* day of *September*, 18*86*

*Wm. M. Tammara*

*Notary Public (461)*

*W. H. County*

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in the above written affidavit as to the date and term of sentence—as  
well as to the time of the expiration thereof—of the above affiant. *Jeremiah Moriarty*  
and the deduction from the term of said sentence directed by the Governor of the State of New York are true.

*Louis S. Fishberg*

Warden of the New York Penitentiary.

Blackwell's Island, New York City, *Sept 16*, 18*86*

Court of General Sessions

The People vs

against

Jeremiah Morant

Affidavit of defendant of  
inability to pay fine. Certificate  
of Warden of Penitentiary as to good  
conduct and order.

J. J. Walsh.

Counsel for Deft.

25 Chambers St.

N. Y. City.

Filed Oct 18. 1886

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Police Court First District.CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. the 6th Precinct Police Station, aged 31 years,  
 occupation Police Officer being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
 on the 3rd day of November 1885 at the City of New York,  
 in the County of New York,

he was violently **ASSAULTED** and **BEATEN** by Jeremiah Moriarty (now  
 here) who did wilfully and maliciously strike  
 deponent one blow on the forehead with the  
 said defendant's fist while deponent was in  
 uniform and in the discharge of his duties as  
 an officer of the Municipal Police in said City  
 and County without any justification on the part of the said assailant

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

3rd1885John Renshaw

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK } ss

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District Police Court.

*Jeremiah Moriarty* 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.

*Jeremiah Moriarty*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*27 years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*83 Roster Street and 27 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Laborer.*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty -  
Moriarty*

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 \_\_\_\_\_

*Jeremiah H. Monty*  
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 *Nov. 33* 188*5* *P. G. Duffy* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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Police Court

1258  
District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John R. Ruten*  
6 Prec.

*Jeremiah Merriam*

Offence *Assault on*  
a Police officer

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

*November 3*

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Magistrate

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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*1000*

to answer

*1000 for Ex. 4 to Nov. 4/80*  
*ans.*

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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

*Jeremiah Moriaty*

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

*Jeremiah Moriaty*

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

The said *Jeremiah Moriaty*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *third* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *John Rendaen*,  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *in* the said *John Rendaen*,  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the  
said *John Rendaen*, 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,

District Attorney.

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Mott, Thomas

DATE:

11/16/85



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Witnesses:

Sept 16 1880

Very true

for

Counsel,  
Filed 16 day of Nov 1880  
Pleads *Admission*

THE PEOPLE

*Pl. 184.1.1*

*Section 1998-688, Penal Code.*

*1. Dues*

*Section 1998-688, Penal Code.*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*Pl. 184.1.1* District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*R. C. Carter Jr.*  
Foreman  
*24th Nov 1880*

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Police Court—2<sup>nd</sup> District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York.Edward D. Smythe  
of ~~North~~ Corner of Western Boulevard & 83<sup>rd</sup> Street, aged 24 years,  
occupation Clerkbeing duly sworn  
deposes and says, that the premises No 732 Washington Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a two story brick building  
in the 9<sup>th</sup> Ward  
and which was occupied by Griffiths Curtis & Co as a wholesale liquor house  
and in which there was at the time no human being, by nameattempted to be broke and  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly prying open  
the outside door of the Office leading  
from said Street with a Gimmyon the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885 in the night time, and the  
attempted to be  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Stock of Wine & Liquors and Money  
in the safe all of the amount and  
of value of sixty thousand dollarsthe property of John Griffiths, Frank Curtis & H.P. Stahl  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY attempted was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away byThomas Mott (now here)for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour of five  
thirty O'clock P.M. on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885  
the door of said premises were secured, locked by the  
foreman in the employ of Griffiths Curtis & Co.  
And deponent is informed by Officer George  
Bobel of the 9<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police that he the said  
Officer saw the said defendant in company  
with two other men unknown to deponent and  
not yet arrested in the act of trying to pry open

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the Office door of the premises No 732. Washington St. and when the defendant and the two unknown men saw said Officer they walked away from said premises and went around the Corner of Bank St. and stood there and waited until said Officer passed. When the said defendant and the two unknown men came back to said premises and tried to pry open said door again. When the said Officer came back on the opposite side of the street and watched them from the hallway of No 731. Washington St. The defendant and the two unknown men went around the Corner of Bank St. again. When the said Officer followed and caught the said defendant when a jimmy and a brace and tap were found concealed under the coat of said defendant. And the said Officer examined the office door of the house 732 Washington St. when he the said Officer found the marks of said jimmy on said door. Wherefore deponent charges the said defendant with attempting to burglariously enter said premises and feloniously take steal and carry away said property.

Sworn to before me  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1885

*E. J. Smythe*

Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Bobel  
aged 32 years, occupation Police Officer of ~~No~~  
the 9<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police ~~Street~~, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Edward D. Smythe  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 10<sup>th</sup>  
day of November 1881

George Bobel

aj. Omer

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

*Thomas Mott* 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 *Thomas Mott*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *30 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York.*

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

Answer. *104 E. 104<sup>th</sup> St. About 2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Machinist*

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  
Shoe Mow*

Taken before me this

day of *Nov*

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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 Alfred Davis

Twenty ~~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 Nov 10th 1888 My O'wly Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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*2000 for E.C.  
2000 Nov 10*

Police Court 2 District. 1732

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Edward D. Smith  
North East Corner Western  
Boulevard and 83rd St  
Thomas. Mott

*Offence Burglary*

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated November 10th  
M. J. Power Magistrate  
George Bobel Officer.

George Bobel Precinct.  
Witnesses George Bobel  
No. 9th Precinct Police Street.

Officer Louis Schreiber  
No. 9th Precinct Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ 2000 to answer Q.S.  
Com

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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

Thomas Mott  
otherwise called  
Thomas Beatherton

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

Thomas Mott otherwise called Thomas Beatherton of the crime of Burglary in the third degree, as a second offender, committed as follows:

Wherefore, to wit: at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the City Hall in the said City on the twenty second day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy; before the Honorable William D. Bedford, City Judge of the said City and Justice of the said Court, the said Thomas Mott otherwise called Thomas Beatherton, by the name and description of Thomas Beatherton, was in due form of law convicted of a felony, to wit: Robbery in the first degree, upon a certain indictment then and there in the said Court depending against him the said Thomas

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work, otherwise called Thomas  
Featherston, by the name and  
description of Thomas Featherston,  
doresaid, and one Dennis O'Neill,  
for that the said Dennis O'Neill,  
then late of the First Ward of the  
City of New York, in the County  
of New York aforesaid, and Thomas  
Featherston late of the same place,  
on the sixteenth day of August in  
the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and seventy, at the  
Ward, City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms, in and upon  
one Charles Thacker, in the peace  
of the said State then and there  
being, feloniously did make an  
assault and one watch of the value  
of one hundred dollars, one diamond  
of the value of twenty five dollars  
of the goods, chattels, and personal  
property of the said Charles Thacker,  
from the person of the said Charles  
Thacker, and against the will and  
by violence to the person of the  
said Charles Thacker then and  
there lawfully and feloniously  
did rob, steal, take and carry away  
and thereupon, upon the same

within aforesaid, it was considered  
 by the said Court of General Sessions  
 of the Peace, and ordered and ad-  
 judged, that the said Thomas  
 Mott, otherwise called Thomas  
 Featherston, of the name and  
 description of Thomas Featherston  
 aforesaid, for the felony aforesaid  
 whereof he was so convicted as  
 aforesaid, be imprisoned in the  
 State Prison for the term of twelve  
 years and six months, as by the  
 record thereof doth more fully  
 and at large appear.

And the said Thomas Mott,  
 otherwise called Thomas Featherston,  
 late of the Ninth Ward of the City  
 of New York in the County of New  
 York aforesaid, having been so as  
 aforesaid convicted of the felony  
 and robbery aforesaid, afterwards  
 to wit: on the tenth day of Novem-  
 ber, in the year of our Lord one  
 thousand eight hundred and  
 eighty five, at the Ward, City &  
 County aforesaid, with force  
 and arms, the building of one  
 John Fitzgerald there situate,

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intentionally and feloniously  
did break into and enter, with  
intent to commit some crime  
therein, to wit: with intent, the  
goods, chattels and personal prop-  
erty of the said John F. Higgins,  
in the said building since and  
there being, then and there  
intentionally and feloniously  
to steal, take and carry away,  
against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and pro-  
vided and against the peace  
of the people of the State of  
New York, and their dignity,  
Randolph P. Mathie,  
District Attorney.

and not, nevertheless, as a matter of course,  
and therefore, upon the com-



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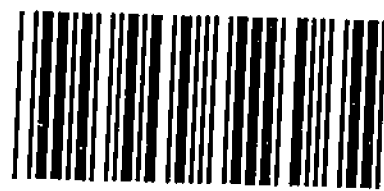
1975

DESCRIPTION:

Mullen, Thomas F.

DATE:

11/09/85



1975

Witnesses:

Michael Wiley  
Off. A. W. H.

I have examined the  
complainant herein, and  
he states that he wishes  
to withdraw his complaint.  
He says he and the defendant  
were in a row together on  
election day and he was  
(complainant) was under  
the influence of liquor.  
He wanted me a very  
simple one and he was  
not properly handled.  
I respectfully recommend  
that the indictment be  
dismissed.

Dec 5/88 Part 2

W. J. Groome  
Deputy Cash

Counsel,

Filed

Pleas,

9 Nov 1888  
Argued 11/10

THE PEOPLE

vs.

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.

(Section 219, Penal Code.)

Shuman's murder

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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dec 3/88 District Attorney.

72 Dec 5/88

Indictment dismissed  
His Honor  
A True Bill.

Foreman

J. Catlin Jr.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*Thomas F. Mullin* 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.

*Thomas F. Mullin*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*N.Y. City United States*

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

Answer.

*247 East 39 St. 3 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Paint Store Keeper*

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

Answer.

*I state this man in self  
defense. He attempted to  
strike me in front of my own door.*

*Thomas F. Mullin*

Taken before me this

day of *November* 188*5**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

*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 *Nov. 13* 188*5* *John Thomas* Police Justice.

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

*Defendant*

Dated *3 November* 188*5* *John Thomas* 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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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Kiley  
226 East 38th  
Thomas M. Mulholland

1  
2  
3  
4

Offence

Dated

November 3  
Gormyn  
R. A. A.

Magistrate.

Officer.

35th

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

300

to answer

Sessions.

Bailed

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## New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
VERSUS

Thomas F. Mullane

Assault

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. as I think that I was in error and provoked the assault, which was very simple assault and did not injure me in any way and I therefore wish to withdraw the complaint.

his  
(Michael + Kiley  
Mark

0050

Police Court—1st District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. }

of No. 272 Michael Hiley  
38 Street, aged 4 15 years,  
occupation carver being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on the 3 day of November 1885 at the City of New York,  
in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Thomas F. Mullin  
(nowhere) who struck deponent  
several blows in the face with  
his closed hand

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 the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this

3  
day of November 1885

John J. Horan Police Justice

Michael Hiley  
M.H.

0051

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Thomas F. Mullen*

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

*— Thomas F. Mullen —*

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

The said *Thomas F. Mullen*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *third* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Michael Kiley*, —  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *in* the said *Michael Kiley*  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the  
said *Michael Kiley*; — 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,**

**District Attorney.**

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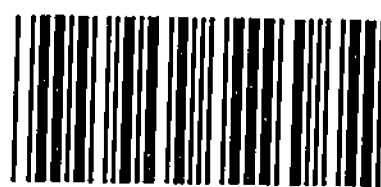
1975

DESCRIPTION:

Mullins, James

DATE:

11/30/85



1975



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Witnesses:

*W. J. Sullivan*  
*Chas. T. French*  
*Wm. Schellert*

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Counsel,

Filed 30 day of Nov 1885

Pleads, *Adultery*

*Sections 495, 506, 522 and 531.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*I*

*General*

*of*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*plea in law*

A True Bill.

*J. Carter Jr*

Foreman

*Dec 11/85*

*Heads Jury Box*

*Len Meyer*

0054

Police Court—<sup>34</sup> District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 321 East 13<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 52 years,  
occupation Merchant being duly sworn.deposes and says, that the premises No 7 Bowers Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building in  
the 10<sup>th</sup> Ward of said city  
and which was <sup>in part</sup> occupied by deponent as a furniture and Carpet Store  
and in which there was <sup>not</sup> at the time a human being, Booke andwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly tearing off  
a number of boards forming part  
partition dividing the hall-way on  
the 2<sup>d</sup> story from the warehouse, at about  
11 o'clock A.M.on the 22<sup>d</sup> day of November 1885 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Three rolls of Russells Carpets  
in all of the value of seventy  
dollarsthe property of deponentand 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 Mullins, now here, and  
two other persons unknown to deponentfor the reasons following, to wit: that said store and  
warehouse on the 2<sup>d</sup> floor of said  
premises was burglariously entered  
by tearing down a portion of  
the partition and said property  
was taken and stolen therefrom.  
That deponent is now here

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informed by Morris Gallman  
that he, said Morris, saw said  
defendant within said store,  
on the 2<sup>d</sup> floor of said premises,  
and in the act of rolling a  
roll of Carpet out through  
the roller made in said  
partition wall by the tearing off  
of said boards, and that two  
other men were in his com-  
pany and assisting him.

Sworn to before me this }  
28<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885 } W. B. Smith  
Solomon B. Smith  
Plaintiff

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Burglary Degree.

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 14 years, occupation Errand Boy of No. 73 Suffolk Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles Busch  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 28<sup>th</sup>

day of November 188 8

Morris Gillman  
Solomon Busch  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*James Mullins* 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. *James Mullins*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years 9 ages*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *36 Cherry St. all my life*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Fire-Smith*

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 was  
drunk and don't remember  
anything about it.*

*James Mullins*

Taken before me this

*23*

day of *November* 188*8*

*John F. Smith*  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

*James Mullins*  
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 *November 23* 188 *Salmon B. Smith* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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Noosh

E. P. M.

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Busch  
321 E. 13  
James Mullins

Offence Burglary and  
Larceny

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

November 23

1885

Magistrate

C. Schellenberg

Officer.

10<sup>th</sup> Precinct.

Witnesses

Morris Gilman

No.

73 Support

Street.

Conrad Schellenberg

10<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police

Street.

No.

1000

to answer

Street.

G. J. [Signature]

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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 Mullens*

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

*James Mullens*

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

The said *James Mullens*,

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty second* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *store* of one

*Charles Busch*

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

*Charles Busch*,

in the said *store* 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 Mullens* —  
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the second degree committed as follows:

The said *James Mullens*.

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,

*three rolls of carpet of the value*  
*of twenty five dollars each*  
*roll, and seventy yards of*  
*carpet of the value of one*  
*dollar each yard.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Charles Busch*,

in the *store* of the said *Charles Busch*.

there situate, then and there being found, in the *store* 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.

*Randolph S. S. S. S.*  
*District Attorney*

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FOLDER:

1975

DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, James

DATE:

11/19/85



1975

Witnesses:

*[Signature]*

Counsel,

Filed

19

day of

Pleads,

July 23.

1888

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*James B. [unclear]*

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.

(Section 219, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*J. C. [unclear]*  
Foreman

May 28<sup>th</sup>

Part of June 12. 1888

Complaint and official sessions

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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 Cunningham*

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

*James Cunningham*

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

The said *James Cunningham*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *James T. Quinn*,  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *in* the said *James T. Quinn*,  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound, and illtreat, to the great damage of the  
said *James T. Quinn*, 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,**

**District Attorney.**



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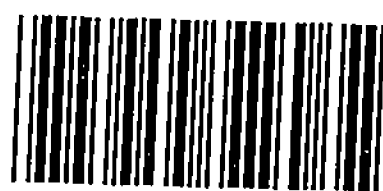
1975

DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, John

DATE:

11/05/85



1975

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Witnesses:  
*Wm. H. Hays*  
*Chas. G. Thompson*  
*Off. Clerk*

*Deposited  
part. We have  
deposited a claim  
in the PA*

Counsel,  
Filed *5* day of *Nov* 188*5*  
Pleads, *Indictment*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Indictment*  
H.D.  
Robbery, *Indictment* degree.  
[Sections 224 and 226, Penal Code.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.  
*In the office of  
Head of the  
Robbery.*

A True Bill.

Foreman.

*J. Catlin Jr.*  
*12 Nov 1885*  
*12 Nov 1885*

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Police Court First District.CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of Sandy Hook New Jersey House of Detention  
 Occupation Seaman being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
30th day of October 1885, at the 1st 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 monies of the United  
States in Silver Coins of the

the value of Four 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

John Murphy (now here) and another man  
not now arrested, for the following reasons  
to wit: While deponent was walking along  
Greenwich street at about the hour of five  
o'clock & thirty minutes P.M. on the above  
described date the said defendants Murphy  
came behind deponent and forcibly seized  
hold of deponent by throat and forced deponent's  
head back and said other man not arrested  
forcibly pulled deponent's right hand out of  
deponent's pantaloons pocket and forcibly abstracted  
said money from deponent's right hand  
wherefore deponent charges the said defendants

Subscribed before me this

1885

Police Justice

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and said other man not arrested with feloniously taking stealing and carrying away the aforesaid Monies from the person of deponent with force and violence without his consent and against his will the aforesaid Monies sworn to before me

this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October 1885

Robert Sharp  
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 1885

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

Dated 1885

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

Dated 1885

Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Offence—ROBBERY.

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Dated 1885

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

ss

*John 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.

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  
his  
John X Murphy  
mark*

Taken before me this

day of

1888

Police Justice.

0070

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

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

Dated Oct 3/82 188 J. J. Duffy Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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Police Court-- First District. <sup>1199</sup>

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Robert Sharp  
House of Detention  
John Murphy

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Offence Robbery

Dated

Oct 3 1885

Magistrate

Duffin  
Two Mulberry

Officer.

Precinct.

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Witnesses

Robert Sharp  
House of Detention Street.

Mrs A. S. Springar

No. 134 Greenwich Street.

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

\$ 2000 to answer G. S.

Com

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

*John Murphy*

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

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

The said *John Murphy*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirtieth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, in the *morning* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Robert Sharp*, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

*four silver coins of the value of one dollar each, eight silver coins of the value of fifty cents each, sixteen silver coins of the value of twenty five cents each, and twenty silver coins of the value of ten cents each.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Robert Sharp*, from the person of the said *Robert Sharp*, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said *Robert Sharp*, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, *the said John Murphy* being then and there aided by an accomplice actually present, whose name is *the Grand Jury aforesaid* induction 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. Smith*  
District Attorney

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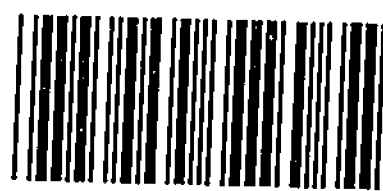
1975

DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, John

DATE:

11/10/85



1975

Witnesses:

*J. C. G. Smith*

*John Conway*

*J. C. G. Smith*

*J. C. G. Smith*

It appears by the within affidavits that it is impossible to secure the at-

tendance of *John Conway*

a material and necessary witness for

the People and without whose evidence

a conviction cannot be had. I there-

fore respectfully recommend that the

defendant herein *John Conway*

be

discharged on his own recognizance.

N. Y. *Jan 29*, 1886

*Randolph B. Martine*

District Attorney.

Assault in the Second Degree.  
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*John Conway*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*Pr. Clk. 29/1/86 District Attorney.*

*Recd. by the Clerk of the Court on Jan 29*

A True Bill.

Foreman.

*J. C. G. Smith*  
*Pr. Clk. 29/1/86*

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## Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Murphy

City and County of New York, ss.:

John O. Lavercool being duly sworn, deposes and says: I ~~reside at No. 80 Wooster Street~~ and a Police Officer attached to the 8 Precinct ~~in the City of New York. I am a subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York.~~ On the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 1885, I called at No. 80 Wooster Street

the alleged residence of Terence McKeon <sup>Witness</sup> an attachment for contempt the complainant herein, to serve him with ~~the annexed subpoena~~ and was informed by the Keeper of the lodging house at that address that the said McKeon had left there to go to New Jersey and expected to be back in a week. I have called on several occasions since and on Jan'y. 24. 1886 when I was informed that he had not returned since starting for New Jersey, and that he had not been seen or heard of since. I have made diligent search and inquiry but have been unable to ascertain the present whereabouts of the said Terence McKeon

John O. Lavercool

Sworn to before me, this 28<sup>th</sup> day

of January 1886  
Rudolph L. Schaff  
Court of Decas

Subpoena Server.

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COUNTY OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People, vs.

vs.  
*John Murphy*

OFFENCE

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.



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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

*vs.*  
*John Murphy*

City and County of New York, ss.:

*John O. Savercool* being duly  
sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. *and a Police Officer attached*  
*to the Precinct* Street, in the City of New York. I am a ~~subpoena server~~ in the  
office of the District Attorney of the City and County of New York. On the *24* day  
of *January* 1886, I called at *No. 80 Wooster Street*

the alleged *residence* of *John Conway*  
~~as witness~~ ~~the complaint~~ herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by the lodging  
house keeper that he had put him out  
by reason of his quarrelsome disposition  
and that he did not know where he is  
or where he can be found. I made  
diligent search and inquiry at several  
lodging houses in the neighborhood and  
have been unable to gain any trace  
or information of the said *John Conway*  
at either of them.

*John O. Savercool*

Sworn to before me, this

*28*

day

of

*January*, 1886

*Rudolph L. Schaff*  
*Com. of Deeds*

Subpoena Server.



0078

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

The People, &c.

vs.  
*John Murphy*

OFFENCE

HAROLD D. HARTON,  
District Attorney.

0079

Attest  
Mr. J. H. H.

In witness whereof  
this will certify that  
Jesse M. C. was admitted  
to this institution on  
Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> '85 suffering from  
Compound Fracture of  
Skull and is in a  
precarious condition

Thomas Kelly M.D.

0080

Sec. 198-200

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Murphy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *30 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *50 Wooster St. about 2 months*

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 must have been very  
drunk for I remember  
nothing about it. I was on  
the best of terms with  
McKern and would not  
have had it happen for  
the world.*

*John Murphy*

Taken before me this

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at

the

Office of

Justice.

by

the

Justice.

at

the

Office of

Justice.

0081

Police Court— 2<sup>nd</sup> District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 50 Wooster Street, aged 31 years,  
 occupation Long-shore-man being duly sworn  
 deposes and says, that on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1885 at the City of New  
 York, in the County of New York, Terence McKeon  
 was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

John Murphy, now here; who  
struck said Terence a violent  
blow with a cut-sung he,  
Murphy, held in his hands,  
therewith fracturing the skull  
of said Terence. That said  
injured man is in St. Vincent  
Hospital, and as deponent is informed  
and believes, is seriously injured and  
unable to appear in Court. That  
deponent believes said defendant so  
assaulted said Terence

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 be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 4<sup>th</sup> day  
 of November 1885

Solomon B. Smith  
 Police Justice.

his  
James M. Grant  
mark

0082

Police Court, 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

James M. Gault  
80 Wooster St.

John Murphy

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Offence-Felonious Assault & Battery

Dated November 4 188

Smith Magistrate.

John C. Saverville Officer.

8<sup>th</sup> Met. Police

Witnesses, John Conway

No. 80 Wooster Street,

Jerome McKern

No. 780 Wooster Street,

or Thos. Kelly

No. St Vincent Hospital Street,

\$ 1000 to answer General Sessions.

Jerome McKern  
80 Wooster St

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 Murphy and 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 November 4 188

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188  
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.

0083

**PART 2.**

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE THIRD STORY AND FRONTING THE PARK.  
If this Subpena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.  
Bring this Subpena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace,**

The People of the State of New York,

To

*Terrence McKern*

of No.

*80 Wooster*

Street,

GREETING

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *14* day of *December* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

in a case of Felony whereof *he stands* indicted. And this you are not to omit, under the penalty of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *December* in the year of our Lord 1885.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney*

LT BLUE



0084

Notary Public,  
N. Y. Co.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Murphy

Affidavit of Service of Subpœna.

City and County of New York, ss.

John D. Savercool a Police  
Officer of the 8<sup>th</sup> Precinct

That he is over 21 years of age; that on the  
day of December 11<sup>th</sup>, 1885, at No. 80 Wooster  
Street

, in the City and County of New York, he served a subpœna in the  
above-entitled action, of which a copy is hereto annexed, upon Terrence McKeon  
a witness in the said action, personally, by delivering the said subpœna to and leaving the same  
with the said Terrence McKeon in person, at the place aforesaid; and that  
deponent knew the said Terrence McKeon so served as aforesaid, to be the  
person named and described in the said subpœna, as such witness.

Sworn to before me, this

14<sup>th</sup> day of Dec - 1885 } John D. Savercool  
Andolph Lischaf  
Comr. of Deeds  
N. Y. City

0085

**Court of General Sessions**

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*against*

*John Murphy*

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE OF SUBPENA.**

*Filed Dec 16, 1988*

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

*District Attorney.*

*the Peace*

0086

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

The People of the State of New York, To the Sheriff, Deputy  
Sheriffs, and Policemen of the City and County of New York,  
Greeting:

We Command You, and each of you  
That you attach and take the body of  
*Francis McKeon*  
who stands charged before our Justices of  
our Court of General Sessions of the Peace, in and for the said  
City and County, with a Contempt, and him forthwith bring  
before our said Justices, to be dealt with according to law.

Witness, Hon. *James H. Irving* (City Judge)  
of our said City, this                      day of  
in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-five

BY THE COURT.

*[Signature]*  
Clerk of Court.

0087

ATTACHMENT FOR A CONTEMPT.

Dated,

Dec 16 1883

James McLean

against

Of the State of New York.

THE PEOPLE

New York General Sessions of the Peace.

~~Attorney~~  
Caul & Low

0088

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 Murphy*

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

*John Murphy*

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

The said *John Murphy*

late of the City and County of New York, on the *third* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty*five*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

*Serence McLean,*

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault; and the said *John Murphy*

with a certain *cut - razor* which *he* the said

*John Murphy*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there an *instrument* likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *him*, the said *Serence McLean*, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *him* bruise 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.

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SECOND COUNT:

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

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

The said *John Murphy*

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 one *Serence McKeon*. —

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make an assault: and the said *John Murphy*,

with a certain *part - namely* —  
which *he* the said *John Murphy*

in *his* — right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the  
*head* — of *him* the said *Serence*  
*McKeon*. —

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat —  
bruise ~~and wound~~ *and fracture*, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously,  
wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Serence*  
*McKeon*, to the great damage of the said *Serence McKeon*,  
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,**

District Attorney.



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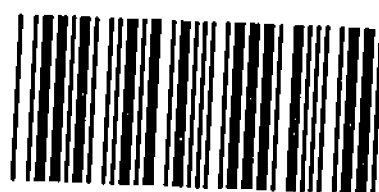
1975

DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, John

DATE:

11/18/85



1975

Witnesses:

*Harold Humphrey*

*Off Wade*

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Counsel,

Filed *10/10* day of *Nov*

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Pleads *McKieley 19*

THE PEOPLE

ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.  
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

*H. J. W.* vs. *H.*  
*348-2*  
*Don Humphrey*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*Mr. Law 4/86 District Attorney.*

*Pleads Assault 3d.*

*Per: J. H. H. H. H.*

A True Bill.

*J. Cattin*

Foreman.

*Dec 10*

*Harold Humphrey a witness  
in the case of the People vs.  
Don Humphrey, charged with  
Assault in the First Degree.*

*Comptroller*

0091

0092

Police Court 4 District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

Hannah Murphy

of No. 348 East 61.

Street, aged 45 years,

occupation Housekeeper.

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 8 day of November 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

John Murphy (nowhere)

who cut and stabbed deponent

in the left arm with a knife

he held in his hand

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 be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 15 day

of November 1885.

Hannah Murphy  
(mark)

John J. [Signature] Police Justice.

0093

Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss

*John 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.

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.

Taken before me this 19 day of July 1887

Police Justice.

*John Murphy*

0094

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 Murphy

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 Nov 15 1885 John J. Brown Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Herman Murphy*  
348 Eos. 61

1 *John Murphy*

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*Offence*  
*fel assault*

Dated *Nov 15* 188 *5*

*Gorman* Magistrate.

*Maude* Officer.

*28* Precinct.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *fel* Sessions.

*Clue*



0096

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 Murphy*

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

*John Murphy*

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

The said *John*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eightth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *five*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Annah Murphy*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Annah*, with a certain *knife*

which the said *John* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound,

with intent *her* the said *Annah* 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 *John Murphy* of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *John*

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 one *Annah Murphy* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *her* the said *Annah*

with a certain *knife*

which *her* the said *John* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a *knife* likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut 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.

*Randolph Martin*  
*District Attorney*

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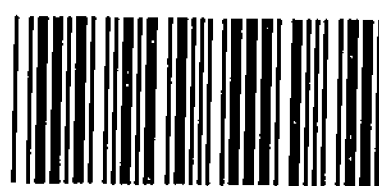
1975

DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, Thomas

DATE:

11/12/85



1975

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Witnesses:

*W. L. Lynch*  
*W. L. Martin*

*New York*  
*Miller, Attorney*  
*242. E. 109th*

*Vol 90 A*

Counsel, *O. L. Thompson*  
Filed *12* day of *Nov* 188*5*  
Pleads, *Nov 13*

THE PEOPLE

*16. 2109*  
*44 W*  
*carpenter*  
*R*  
*Stromsund*

*Bringing in the Third Degree.*  
*Rexx*  
*Sections 498, 506, 522, 532*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*Dr. W. L. 109th*  
*Needs at 109th St.*

A True Bill.

*over*

Foreman

*J. C. Carter Jr.*  
*14th Per*

0099

Police Court— District.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss

of No.

231 East 10<sup>th</sup> St

occupation

Bar tender

Street, aged

25

years,

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No

1981

3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue

Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a

Brick Building

in the 12<sup>th</sup> Ward

and which was occupied by deponent as a

Liquor Store

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

James Lynch

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

opening a door leading to a store room in said premises. From the hands of said premises—

on the

5<sup>th</sup>

day of

November

1885

in the

Night

time, and the

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

One Bag containing Clothing of the Value of Five Dollars—

property

in the Care and Charge of deponent

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

BURGLARY

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

Thomas Murphy. (Genuine)

for the reasons following, to wit:

That at or about the hour of 11<sup>30</sup> P.M. on said date deponent heard a noise in the store room in said premises and on entering deponent discovered that said room was being entered as aforesaid and saw the said Murphy in said room with the said property. That the said Murphy immediately

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ran out of said premises and  
disposed of said property in  
the yard which had been taken  
from and carried away from  
said premises

Given before me } James Lynch  
this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1884

Wm. H. H. Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

*Thomas 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. *Thomas Murphy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *17 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *242 East 109th Street 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Carpenter*

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*

*Y<sup>his</sup>  
Thomas Murphy  
mark*

Taken before me this

day of *November* 188*8*

*W. J. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.



0102

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Thomas - Murphy  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Four 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 Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> 1887 Wm. H. Hulse Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

0103

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Police Court--

District,

THE PEOPLE & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Lynch*  
2318 E. 105  
*James Lynch*

*Office of the*  
*Deputy*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated

188

Magistrate

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

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

Street.

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

Street.

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

Street.

\$

to answer

*Bill Callahan*

*Am*

0104

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Thomas Murphy*

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

*Thomas Murphy*

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

The said

*Thomas Murphy*

late of the *Small St.* — Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *12th* — day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *room* of one

*James Sugden*

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

*James Sugden.*

in the said *room*, 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

*Thomas Murphy* —  
of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY, — committed as follows :

The said *Thomas Murphy*,

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 pairs of stockings of the value*  
*of twenty five cents each pair, one*  
*undershirt of the value of one*  
*dollar, and one pair of drawers*  
*of the value of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of ~~one~~ a certain person, whose  
name is *to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*,  
in the *room* of the said *one James Lynch*. —

there situate, then and there being found, *in the room* 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.

*Randolph B. Martin*  
*District Attorney*

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1975

DESCRIPTION:

Myers, George

DATE:

11/10/85



1975

Witnesses:

*A. L. L. L. L.*  
*M. M. L. L.*

*7* *Steele & Co.*

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1885

Pleads

*Myself*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*Exonerated*

*(2 cases)*

*Exonerated in the Third Degree*  
*Sections 498, 506, 526 and 531*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*See 7/10*

*Exonerated*

Foreman

*J. C. L. L.*

*May 27*

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NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL  
SESSIONS.

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THE PEOPLE &c.:  
:  
--VS--:  
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GEORGE MEYER S:  
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To:

P. B. Martine Esq:

Dist. Atty &c.

Dear Sir:

Please to take notice that  
at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, hold in and for  
the City and County of New York, in Part 1. thereof, a motion  
will be made for the discharge of the above named defendant.

*on December 9/1885*

Yours &c.

Charles Steckler

Deft's Attorney.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.:  
being duly sworn deposes and says: that he is \_\_\_\_\_ years of age, and a clerk in  
the office of CHARLES STECKLER, Esq, the attorney for the \_\_\_\_\_ in this  
action; on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188 at No. \_\_\_\_\_  
in the City of New York, he served the annexed \_\_\_\_\_  
upon \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ therein  
by delivering to, and leaving with \_\_\_\_\_ personally \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ true cop thereof \_\_\_\_\_

Deponent further says that he knew the person so served to be \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

N.Y. General Session Court.

The People vs.  
Plaintiff.

AGAINST  
George Meyers,  
Defendant.

Notice of Motion.

CHARLES STECKLER,  
Deft's Attorney.  
Nos. 47 & 49 Centre Street,  
N. Y. City.

Due and timely service of a copy within  
\_\_\_\_\_ is hereby admitted.  
Dated N. Y., \_\_\_\_\_ 188  
\_\_\_\_\_ Atty.

To: John Conner Esq. Dist. Atty.  
Chief Clerk

Sir: Please take notice that the within is a  
true copy of an \_\_\_\_\_  
this day duly filed and entered in the office of  
the clerk of this Court in this action.  
Dated N. Y., \_\_\_\_\_ 188  
Yours, &c.,  
CHARLES STECKLER,  
Attorney for \_\_\_\_\_  
To: \_\_\_\_\_ Esq.  
Atty. for \_\_\_\_\_

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NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL  
SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE &c.:

--VS--

GEORGE MEYER :

To:

R. B. Martine Esq:

Dist. Atty &c.

Dear Sir:

Please to take notice that  
at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, hold in and for  
the City and County of New York, in Part 1. thereof, a motion  
will be made for the discharge of the above named defendant.

Yours &c.

Charles Steckler

Def't's Attorney.

Sir:

Please take notice that the within is a true copy of an  
this day duly filed and entered in the office of the clerk of this Court in this action.

Dated N. Y., ..... 188

Yours, &c.,

CHARLES STECKLER,

Attorney for

To:

Esq.

Atty. for

*N.Y. General Sessions Court.*

*The People vs.*

Plaintiff.

AGAINST

*George Meyers,*

Defendant.

*Notice of Motion.*

CHARLES STECKLER,

*Of the* Attorney.

Nos. 47 & 49 Centre Street,

N. Y. City.

Due and timely service of a copy within  
*Notice of Motion* is hereby admitted.

Dated N. Y., *Dec 11*, 1885.

To

Atty.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.:  
being duly sworn deposes and says: that he is ..... years of age, and a clerk in the office of CHARLES STECKLER, Esq, the attorney for the ..... in this action; on the ..... day of ..... 188 at No. .... in the City of New York, he served the annexed ..... upon ..... the ..... therein by delivering to, and leaving with ..... personally ..... true cop thereof .....  
Deponent further says that he knew the person so served to be .....  
Sworn to before me this  
day of ..... 188 }

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Police Court— District.

City and County }  
of New York, ss.:

of No. 248 Canal Street, aged 32 years,

occupation Superintendent being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 248 Canal Street,

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

building

and which was occupied by deponent as a manufacture of shoes and

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

James J. J. J.

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking a

lock off the front door of the third

story of said building

on the 15 day of Oct 1885 in the day time, and the

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

5 gross and seven dozen  
pairs of the value of One  
hundred and thirty dollars

the property of Gustav Prueck and in the care  
and custody of deponent

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

George Meyer

for the reasons following, to wit:

that deponent in  
company with Rudolph Zimmerman  
the foreman of said premises  
at about 5.30 A.M. of the  
above date securely locked  
doors and bolted all the  
into said premises and  
deponent and said Zimmerman



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returned about 7 o'clock the following morning and missed the aforesaid property. Defendant is informed by Officer Crystal of the 6th Precinct Police that he found a part of said property in the bed room of said defendant viz 2<sup>nd</sup> story front Room No 1 Essex street said and Defendant fully identifies said property as being a portion of said property taken stolen and carried away from said premises.

Sworn to before this Samuel A. Hall  
1<sup>st</sup> Monday of Nov. 1885  
J. H. Coffey  
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Swish* District Police Court.

*George Meyers* 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. *George Meyers*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *No 1 Essex street New York 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Cutter of Clothing*

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  
George Meyers*

Taken before me this

day of *January* 1885

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 \_\_\_\_\_

*George Meyers*

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

Dated November 1<sup>st</sup> 1885 *Wm. Cuffy* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court 104/211 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Samuel McRae*  
*248 Canal*  
*George Meyers*

*Offence Burglary*

BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Dated *November 1* 188 *8*

*Bruffy* Magistrate  
*Crystal E. Cregar* Officer.  
*6* Precinct.

Witnesses *Rudolph Finn*  
No. *248 Canal* Street.  
*Officers Crystal E. Cregar*  
*of the 6th Precinct* Street.

No. *200* Street,  
\$ *200* to answer *G.S.*

*Com*

0117

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*George Muger*

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

*George Muger*

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

The said *George Muger*,

late of the *Sixth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirtieth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *factory* of one

*Frederick Bernick*

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

*Frederick Bernick*,

in the said *factory* 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

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

The said *Figoraz Meyer*,

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,

*eight hundred yards of the value of*  
*Twenty cents each,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Lyndene Brumada*,

in the *factory* of the said *Lyndene Brumada*, —

there situate, then and there being found, in the *factory* 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

George Muger

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

The said George Muger,

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,

eight hundred pairs of shoes  
value of twenty cents each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Gustave Bernick,

by ~~ascertain~~ person of persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said Gustave Bernick,

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

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.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**



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Witnesses:

*James M. Bane*  
*M. L. Lammiman*  
*Off. Corrupt.*

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*Pled Car. Bane*

Counsel,

Filed

Day of

1885

Pleas,

*Wiggle, 100'*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*Egonaz - 100'*

*(2 cases)*

*Bringing in the Third Degree.*  
*Sections 498, 506, 528, 531 & 550.*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*District Attorney.*

*Licenses*

*Trud. & 100'.*

A True Bill.

Foreman

*J. Cathin Jr.*

*Acquitted on 100'*  
*Indictment*

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Police Court— District.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.:of No. 142 Centre Street, aged 39 years,  
occupation Embosser being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 142 Centre Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a five story brick  
buildingand which was occupied <sup>in part</sup> by deponent as a Embosser of Satins Belts &c  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Mr. Bush  
the Superintendentwere **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking  
open the front door of the second  
story of said buildingon the 30 day of Oct 1885 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Five pieces of Melveteen  
of the value of thirty seven  
dollarsthe property of Sharpless Brothers and in the care  
and custody of deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid**BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away byGeorge Myers (now here)for the reasons following, to wit: that deponent is informed  
by August Holmes deponent's  
servant that he left said premises  
at five thirty o'clock P.M. on  
the above date and securely  
locked fastened and bolted  
all the doors and windows  
leading into said premises  
and did not return until seven

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At about the following morning when  
 he discovered that the front <sup>door</sup>  
 second story had been broken open  
 and said premises Burglarized  
 and the aforesaid property feloniously  
 taken stolen and Carried away  
 and deponent is also informed by  
 said Holmes that he saw said defendant  
 standing in the hallway of said premises  
 acting in a suspicious manner on  
 the evening of Oct 30, 1885 Deponent  
 is further informed by Officer Crystal  
 of the 6<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police that he found  
 a piece of Velveteen in defendants  
 room at No. 1<sup>st</sup> Essex Street 2<sup>d</sup> floor  
 front room said defendants residence  
 and deponent fully identifies said  
 property as that which was taken away  
 Deponent is further informed by William  
 Miller of No 137 Dixie St that saw  
 said Defendant Carrying said  
 property through Essex street at about  
 Ten O'clock A.M. Oct 31, 1885

Sworn to before me this  
 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 1885

Samuel Bernheim

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| Police Court                            | District |
| THE PEOPLE, &c.,<br>ON THE COMPLAINT OF |          |
| 28.                                     |          |
| Dated                                   | 188      |
| Magistrate.                             |          |
| Officer.                                |          |
| Clerk.                                  |          |
| Witnesses:                              |          |
| Committed in default of \$              | Bail.    |
| Bailed by                               |          |
| No.                                     | Street.  |

P. G. Keefy  
 Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 30 years, occupation Fireman of No. August Holmes

205 Grand Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Samuel Reinheim

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

Sworn to before me this 1

day of Nov 1885

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 16 years, occupation Errand boy of No.

137 Division Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me this 1

day of Mar 1887

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss

1st District Police Court.

*George Myers* 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.

*George Myers*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*101 Essex Street 5 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Cutter*

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*  
*George Myers*

Taken before me this

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

Dated

Apr 1 1885

W. J. Duffy Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named \_\_\_\_\_

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_

188 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_

188 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Police Justice.

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Amos Perkins  
142 Centre  
George Myers

Offence *burglary*

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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3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated *Nov 1* 188*✓*

*James Crystal* Magistrate  
Officer.  
Precinct.

Witnesses *August Holmes*  
No. *245* Street.

*William Miller*  
No. *137* Division Street.

*Me. J. Kappeler*  
*214 W. Centre*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ *2000* to answer *Genl. Sessan*

*COM*  
*Geo. Keller 140 Centre*

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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

*Rigoraz Miguez*

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

*Rigoraz Miguez*

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

The said *Rigoraz Miguez*,

late of the *Sixth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirtieth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the \_\_\_\_\_ of one

*Daniel Bandman*

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

*Daniel Bandman*,

in the said *building* 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

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

The said *Figoras Myers*,

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,

*four pieces of velvet of the*  
*value of twenty five dollars*  
*each piece.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Daniel Bendheim*,

in the *building* of the said *Daniel Bendheim*,

there situate, then and there being found, *in the building* 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.

*Randolph B. Martin*  
*District Attorney*