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DESCRIPTION:

Mullens, John

DATE:

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*Wm. H. Hays*  
Counsel  
Filed *27* day of *Feb* 1883  
Pleas *Indignity*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Indignity*

*Wm. H. Hays*

INDICTMENT - Assault with intent to  
steal a pocket watch

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*William H. Hays*

Foreman

*Wm. H. Hays*

*Wm. H. Hays*  
*Indignity*  
*Indignity*

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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 Mullens*

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

*John Mullens*

~~Second Degree~~ of the crime of ASSAULT ~~in the~~  
~~first degree~~, committed as follows :

The said *John Mullens*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on  
the ~~twenty third~~ day of ~~February~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force  
and arms, in and upon ~~one~~ a certain person whose name is so  
~~the Grand Jury aforesaid~~ *John Mullens* did make an assault, and the said *John Mullens*  
~~with intent to commit a felony~~; and ~~the said John Mullens~~  
the hands of him the said *John Mullens*

~~feloniously~~ *unlawfully* did lay  
upon the person of the said *unknown person*

, and upon the clothing  
which was then and there upon the person of the said *unknown person*

with intent then and there certain goods, chattels and personal property of the said  
*unknown person*

on the person of the said, *unknown person*

*unknown person* then and there being found, from the person of the said  
*unknown person* then and there  
feloniously 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 there dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Police Court Dist. 137  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles Brindberg

John Mullen

Offence, Assault with intent to steal

Dated February 23 1889

J. J. White Magistrate.

Richardson & Cohen Officer.

Central Office Clerk.

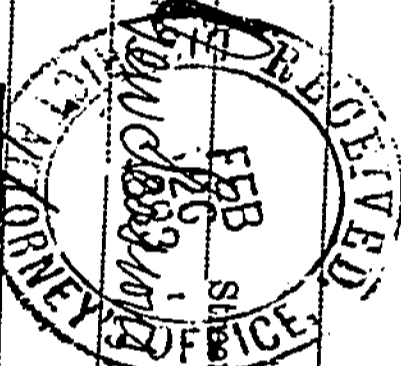
Witnesses, Edward A. Dugan

No. St. Michaels Hotel Street.

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ 500 to answer

Charles Brindberg



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 Mullen

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

Dated February 23 1889 James J. White Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

182 District Police Court.

John Muller 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 he 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 Muller

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

15 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

58 Oliver St - 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

News Boy

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

John Muller

Taken before me this

day of

5 March 1888

Charles J. Smith

Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, 1<sup>st</sup> DISTRICT.

Charles Heidelberg

aged 42 years. Sgt Detective attached to Central Office  
being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the

23<sup>rd</sup>

day of

February

1888

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

John Mullen (now here)

did then and there while on Broadway  
in said city assault an unknown  
person by placing his hand on the  
clothing worn by said unknown  
person with the intent to steal

Deponent prays that said defendant  
may be held to answer the same and  
dealt with according to law

Chas. Heidelberg

Sworn to before me, this

of

February

1888

day

Police Justice.

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Testimony in the  
case of  
John Mullens.  
filed Sep.

1883

The People  
 v.  
 John Mullens } Court of General Sessions. Part 7  
 Indictment for assault in the second degree. } Before Judge Gildersleeve. March 8, 1883.

Charles Heidleberg, sworn and examined, testified. Detective Heidleberg, did you see the prisoner at the bar on the 23<sup>d</sup> of Feb. last, last month? Yes sir. Where did you see him? Corner of Grand St. and Broadway. At what time? At about 11 1/2 o'clock. Was he in company with others? He was with three others. Who were the others? One of the name of Sullivan, Gordon and Reilly. What did you see him do, tell the jury? I saw them trying to go into gentlemen's and ladies pockets on three and four occasions, and little errand boys, and when this fellow got away we just got ready to make the arrest this one here - a boy was with a package in his outside pocket, that fellow the prisoner followed him down Broadway and while he followed him I made up my mind. I would not follow him as I had to be in Court. I sent Mr. Duggan after him. Reilly, who was at the bar a little while ago come and said, "We are all collared." He (the prisoner) did not hear the remark. Duggan got him

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and brought him to the office for me. It was Duffan followed him? Yes sir. Into how many persons pockets did you see him put his hand? I think one lady and one gentleman's, that is about all except that boy. How long a time were you watching them? About twenty five or thirty minutes. Was there a crowd where they were? Yes sir, there was a very large crowd. Where were they standing? They were standing in a crowd outside in front of a window on Grand St. in the London and Liverpool Clothing house. Was there anything there that attracted their attention? Yes sir, a picture of a large steamer on fire or in a storm, something of the kind. I did not look at it particularly. Were there many people there? About forty to fifty. Where were you standing watching them. I was first on the outside on that corner of Grand St. and Broadway, and on the opposite side of this place I went into the rubber store and asked permission of the Clerk to allow me to stand at the window and Mr. Duffan and I went into the window and watched the movements of those four boys for nearly twenty minutes.

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That was at the southwest corner of Broadway and Grand St. Yes sir, Broadway and Grand St. Edward Duffan, sworn and examined, testified. Were you with Detective Heidleberg on the 28<sup>th</sup> of February at the southwest corner of Grand St. and Broadway? Yes sir. Did you see the prisoner at the bar? Yes sir. Tell the jury what you saw him do? Well, gentlemen he was with a crowd of three others and the first gentleman he put his hand into his pocket he did not get anything. Then he put his hand into a lady's pocket. Do you mean this young man? The one right there at the bar. You saw him put his hand into somebody's pocket? Yes sir, there was a little boy came up with a parcel in his pocket. He started down Broadway and he followed him as Mr. Heidleberg went over to capture the other three the big one at the bar, Reilly a while ago halloed, "Go," but officer Heidleberg told me to go after him and I caught him. That was two persons into whose pockets you had seen him put his hand? Yes sir. You were watching them how long? About 20 minutes in the rubber store. Were the others doing

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the same thing? Yes sir.  
John Muller, sworn and examined in  
his own behalf testified. Now young man  
what do you do for a living? I drive a horse  
for Michael Driscoll. I was on a boat before  
I worked for him. I am 15 going on 16 years  
old. I have never been arrested before; my  
mother is in Court. I heard what Detective  
Needleberg and Mr. Duffan said. I was  
going along Broadway, it was too early  
to go into the paper office. I went along  
there and looked in the window and  
when I stood by the stand the first thing  
I saw the policeman, the detective run  
over and catch the other two fellows  
and come back and catch me. I did  
not run at all. Did you see Mr. Duffan  
there? Yes sir. He says he saw you put  
your hand into a lady's pocket. No sir,  
I was not long enough there. I went over  
by the stand. Officer Needleberg testified  
that you followed a boy down the street  
who had a bundle in his pocket?  
No sir. I did not follow anybody. Did  
you follow anybody down the street?  
No sir. By Mr. Requier. That is all  
untrue is it? Yes sir. The jury  
rendered a verdict of guilty. He was  
sent to the House of Refuge.

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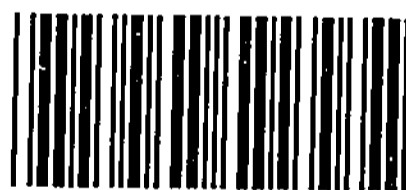
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Day of Trial  
Counsel *W. H. K.*  
Filed *10* day of *July* 1883  
Pleads *Not guilty (2 P.)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*  
*Charles M. S. S. S.*

Violation of Excise Law  
~~Acting on~~ Sunday.

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

*22 Apr 10. 1883*  
*Mrs. Mary S. S. S.*  
A TRUE BILL.

*W. H. K.*  
*W. H. K.*

Foreman.

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
AGAINST

*Charles Mulligan*

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

of the CRIME OF *Exposing for Sale and Selling Spirituous Liquors*  
*on Sunday*, committed as follows:

The said *Charles Mulligan*

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

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

*JOHN McKEON, District Attorney*

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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~~

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

Charles Mulligan

of the CRIME OF

Giving away Spirituous  
Signors on Sunday

committed as follows:

The said

Charles Mulligan

late of the

First

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

New York aforesaid, on the fourth day of February in the year

of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three, at the Ward,

City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and

known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain

wines, to-wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of

whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of

beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand

Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did ~~dispose for sale and sell as a beverage to~~ give  
away

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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POLICE COURT

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DISTRICT.

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

the Police John Watson  
of No. 89  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on Sunday the 9 day  
of February 1883 in the City of New York, in the County of New York.

At Premises 89 Christopher Mulligan Charles  
place where intoxicating liquors and wines are kept for sale, and sold as a beverage, (now here) did then and there expose for sale, and did sell  
suffered and permitted to be sold and given away, under his direction or authority, strong and spirituous liquors,  
wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the  
house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law:

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that the said Charles Mulligan may  
be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this

of

February 9 1883 day

John Watson

Hugh Gorman Police Justice.

John Watson

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BAILED,  
No. 1 by Thomas A. Valentini  
Residence 151 East 49th St.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court 2 District. 10/

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Watson

Charles Mulligan

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence, Violation of Law

Dated February 5 1883

William J. Mulligan Magistrate.  
John Watson Officer.  
Charles Mulligan Clerk.

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

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

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

No. 108 Street, 108  
to answer Feb 1

Bailed by Thomas A. Valentini

151 East 49th St  
February 5th 1883

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 Charles Mulligan

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

Dated February 5 1883 Hugh Furman Police Justice.

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

Dated February 5th 1883 Hugh Furman 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Charles Mulligan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*157 East 40 Street and about three months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Bar tender*

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

Answer.

*I have nothing to say**Charles Mulligan*

Taken before me, this

day of

*February* 188*3**Alfred J. ...* Police Justice.

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Murphy, James

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Counsel,  
Filed *13* day of *Feb* 188*3*  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*P*  
*James M. Smith*  
*John M. Keon*  
Grand Larceny, and  
Receiving Stolen Goods.

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

*William H. Phelps*  
*Feb 13/83* Foreman.  
*Wm. H. Phelps*

*S.P. 2 1/2 years*

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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 Murphy*

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

*James Murphy*

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

The said *James Murphy*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
30th ~~on the~~ day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty ~~three~~ —, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms  
one sackage of the value of *fifty*  
dollars, one other sackage of the  
value of *thirty* dollars, and one  
jacket of the *twenty* dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of ~~one~~ *the Delaware, Lackawanna &*  
*Western Express Company* then and there being found, then and there  
feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case  
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and  
their dignity.

*John McKeon*  
District Attorney

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

Ms 80  
Police Court - 1st District.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*John J. Carroll*  
Deputy District Attorney  
1 *James Murphy*  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated *31 January* 188*3*  
*John J. Carroll* Magistrate.  
*John J. Carroll* Officer.  
Precinct, \_\_\_\_\_  
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer \_\_\_\_\_  
*John*

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 Murphy*

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

Dated *31 January* 188*3* *Solomon Sturges* 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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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James 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 he 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.

James Murphy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

211 York Street Bklyn 6 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Truck Driver

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

Answer.

I have nothing to say at present

James Murphy

Taken before me this

day of

1891

Samuel H. Smith  
Police Justice.

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1<sup>st</sup>  
District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ssof No. Corner West and CanalJohn Yoe 41 years. Express driver  
Streets (Delaware Lackawanna & Western Express Co)being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 30 day of January 1883  
at the \_\_\_\_\_ City of New York,in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, and from deponent's wagon standing on Canal Street in the day time with  
the unlawful intent to cheat and defraud the true owner of  
the following property, viz:

One Package containing one seal skin bagque  
one velvet bagque and one ladies Jersey in all  
of the value of one hundred dollars

the property of Delaware Lackawanna & Western Express Company as  
Common carriers and in care and charge of this deponentand that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen, and carried away by James Murphy (now here) from

the fact that deponent saw said defendant take  
steal and carry away the aforesaid property as aforesaid  
deponent pursued said defendant and caused his  
arrest

John Yoe

Sworn before me this

31

day of

January 1883

Police Justice.

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DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, Jeremiah A.

DATE:

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 20 day of May 1883

Pleads *not guilty* (23)

THE PEOPLE

*vs.*

*B*

*Gen. D. M. Mundy*

*27 Oliver St.*

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling without License.

JOHN MCKEON,

*Per Nov 16/83* District Attorney.

*March 1884*

A TRUE BILL *Per 30 days*

*William H. H. H.*

Foreman.

*Jan 26 84*

0302

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**  
*and County*  
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Jeremiah A. Murphy*  
*the defendant*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Jeremiah A. Murphy* *the*  
*defendant*.

of the CRIME of *Selling Spirituous Liquors without a License*, committed as follows:

The said *Jeremiah A. Murphy*  
*the defendant*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirteenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *thirteen*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to

~~and to~~ certain other persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, without having a license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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Police Court

18<sup>th</sup> District.

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

ss

*John Canavan* aged 36 years  
~~and~~ a policeman attached to the 14<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 13<sup>th</sup> day  
of February 1883, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at  
No. 45 Cherry Street,

*Jeremiah A. Murphy (now here)*  
did then and there sell, and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and  
spirituous liquors, ~~with~~ ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be  
drunk in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law. *and without having a licence*

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said *defendant*  
may ~~be arrested~~ and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 14 day  
of February 1883

*John Canavan*

*W. J. O'Neil*

POLICE JUSTICE.

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In Ex: At: Feb.

BAILED,  
No. 1, by Jeremiah Murphy  
Residence 27 River Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Cameron

Jeremiah A. Murphy

Offence, Violation Excise Law

Dated 14 February 1883

W. J. Power Magistrate.

John Cameron Officer.

H. P. Power Clerk.

Witnesses,

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



to answer

Jeremiah A. Murphy

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 A. Murphy

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

Dated 14 Feby 1883 W. J. Power Police Justice.

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

Dated 14 Feby 1883 W. J. Power 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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Sec. 108—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

Jeremiah A 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.

Jeremiah A Murphy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

27 Oliver Street 9 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Liquor dealer

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

Jeremiah A Murphy Jr

Taken before me this

day of

SEPTEMBER 1889

Edw. J. O'Brien

Police Justice.

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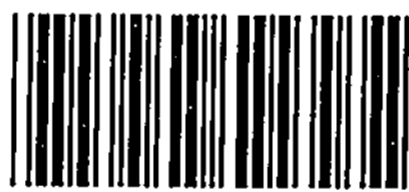
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Cummings, Patrick

DATE:

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✓ No 74

Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1883

Pleads

(both) not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and  
Receiving Stolen Goods.

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John McKee

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James McKee

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. McKee

Part 2. Feb. 9. 1883 Foreman.

#1 tried and acquitted

Part 2 Feb 16. 1883

#1 discharged on his verbal recog-  
nizance

0309

Court of General Sessions of the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

*John Murphy and Patrick Cummings*

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

\_\_\_\_\_ of the crime of Burglary in the third degree,  
committed as follows:

The said *John Murphy and Patrick Cummings*

late of the *Sweeney* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
aforesaid, on the *twenty second* day of *January* in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three*, with force and arms, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the *store* of *Patrick Greeney*

\_\_\_\_\_ there situate, feloniously and  
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers goods,  
merchandise and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit, to  
wit: the goods, chattels and personal property hereinafter described, with intent the said  
goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Patrick Greeney*

\_\_\_\_\_ then and there being, then and there  
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and *four* items  
*items of the value of fifty cents*  
*each, eight gallons of whiskey*  
*of the value of one dollar each*  
*gallon, and two hundred cigars*  
*of the value of two cents each*

\_\_\_\_\_ of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *Patrick Greeney*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *store* then and there being, 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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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said

John Murphy and Patrick  
Cummings

of the crime of Receiving Stolen Goods

committed as follows:

The said John Murphy and Patrick  
Cummings

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, four  
dozen of the value of fifty  
cents each, eight gallons of  
whisky of the value of one  
dollar each gallon, and two  
hundred cigars of the value  
of two cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of Patrick Greeley

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen of the said Patrick Greeley

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have (the said John  
Murphy and Patrick Cummings)

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

0311

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Patrick J. Lane  
aged 30 years, occupation a Policeman of 120  
120 Police Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Patrick G. Gnekey  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 29  
day of January 1883 } Patrick J. Lane

Hugh G. Gnekey  
Police Justice.

0312

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

Police Court-2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Greaney  
 519-10th St.  
 1 Patrick Cummings  
 2 Thomas Brannan  
 3 John Murphy  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Offence, Burglary and Larceny

Dated

January 30 1883

Magistrate.

Patrick Greaney

20th Precinct Clerk.

Witnesses

Paul Officer

No.

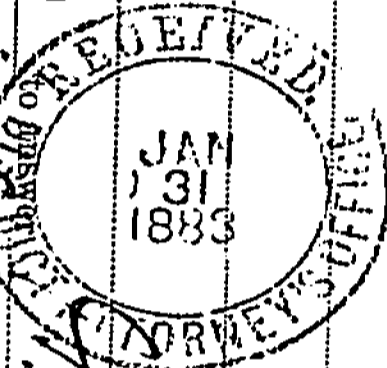
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No. 1 by \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. 2 by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street, \_\_\_\_\_

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Patrick Cummings and John Murphy guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated January 30 1883 Hugh Gardner Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated January 30 1883 Hugh Gardner Police Justice.

0313

Sec. 198-209.

21 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Thomas Brennan* 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 Brennan*

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.

*508 West 39 Street and about two years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*A Pattern Printer*

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*

*Thomas G. Brennan*

Taken before me this

*29*

day of

*February*

188*5*

*Charles J. Spencer* Police Justice.

0314

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

*Patrick Cummings*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*541 W 43rd Street and about four years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*a teamster*

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*

*Patrick Cummings*  
*Mark*

Taken before me this

day of

1883

Police Justice.

03 15

Sec. 198—200.

21 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.

John Murphy

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

59 Street 336 East and about four months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Work in a paper factory

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

Answer.

I am not guilty  
John Murphy

Taken before me this

29

day of

January

1883

Henry J. ... Police Justice.

0316

Police Court—Second District.

City and County  
of New York. } ss:

*Patrick Greehey* aged 45 years  
of No. 519 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue

deposes and says, that the premises No. 519 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Street, 20 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house

and which was occupied by deponent as a liquor store for the

sale of liquors and cigars were **BURGLARIOUSLY**

entered by means of forcibly breaking a pane  
of glass in the shop window of  
said premises and facing on said  
Avenue

on the night of the 27 day of January 1883

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

Four demijohns containing about  
eight gallons of whiskey of the  
value of eight dollars. Five  
boxes containing about two  
hundred cigars of the value  
of four dollars and fifty cents  
and of the value of twelve dollars and fifty cents

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 *Patrick Cummings*, and *Thomas Brennan*  
and *John Murphy* all now here  
for the reasons following, to wit:

That deponent is informed by  
Officer Patrick J. Lane of the  
20 Police Precinct that he  
arrested the said defendants  
with a portion of the said property  
in their possession to wit: the demijohns  
which had a private mark on  
*Patrick Greehey*

Subscribed before me this  
27 day of January 1883  
Judge of the Court Police Justice

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DESCRIPTION:

Murphy, Martin F.

DATE:

02/21/83



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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Martin J. Murphy

Violation of Excise Law.

105 Bowery

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William J. Murphy

Foreman

0319

**Court of General Sessions**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Martin F. Murphy*

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

*Martin F. Murphy*

of the CRIME OF *Selling Spirituous Liquors without a License*,

committed as follows:

The said

*Martin F. Murphy*

late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty ninth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to a certain person whose name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,

; without having a license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

*John McKeon*  
*District Attorney*

~~Second Count.~~ And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John McKeon* of the crime of exposing for sale and selling spirituous liquors on Sunday, committed as follows, that is to say: The said *John McKeon* 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, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did expose for sale and sell as a beverage to a certain person whose name is to the Grand Jury unknown,

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

0320

BAILED,  
No. 1, by John O'Connell  
Residence 24 Fulton Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John O'Connell

1 Martin Murphy

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Offence, Viol. Exces. Load

Dated

Sept 29

188

Smith

Magistrate.

Smith

Clerk.

Smith

Officer.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

David O'Connell

to answer

Ball

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 Martin Murphy

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

Dated Sept 29 188 2 Solon B. Smith Police Justice

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

Dated Sept 30 188 2 Solon B. Smith Police Justice

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

Dated Sept 29 188 2 Solon B. Smith Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Martin 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. Martin Murphy

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 19 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. U.S.

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

Answer. 27 Bleeker Street, One month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter

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 dont know if there is a Licence, or not, it is not my place to look for it

Martin F. Murphy

Taken before me this

25

day of

Sept

1887

Robert J. Smith  
Justice.

0322

Third District Police Court.

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

of the 10<sup>th</sup> Present Police Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 29  
day of September 1887, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
at No. 105 Bowery Street,

Martin Murphy (nowhere)  
did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, or exposed for sale, under his direction or authority,  
strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than  
Selling Beer without License  
five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Excise Laws of the State of New York, entitled  
"An Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this 29  
day of September 1887

Solomon Smith  
POLICE JUSTICE.

John Wade

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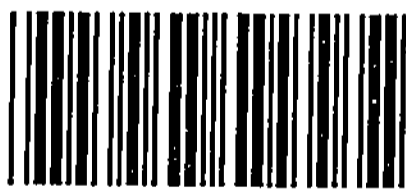
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Murray, Edward

DATE:

02/16/83



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Business Council  
applied for a Certificate  
to extend the Affiliated  
of the Council 20th

Counsel  
Filed 16 day of Feb. 1883  
Pleads Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward M. Brown

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Grand Jury  
BURGLARY—  
John Jackson,  
District Attorney.

**A TRUE BILL**

*John W. ...*

*Foreman.*

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

Edward Murray

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

Edward Murray

of the CRIME OF BURGLARY in the second Degree, committed as follows:

The said Edward Murray

late of the ~~fourteenth~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~seventh~~ day of ~~January~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ with force and arms, about the hour of ~~twelve~~ o'clock in the ~~night~~ time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Michael J. Burke

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, ~~by means of~~

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, one Michael J. Burke within the said dwelling-house, the said

Edward Murray

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of Michael J. Burke

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.

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

Edward Murray

of the CRIME OF ~~Sexual~~ ~~Harassment~~ committed as follows:

The said Edward Murray

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, about the hour of ~~twelve~~ o'clock in the ~~night~~ time of said day, ~~one overcoat of the value of twenty dollars and one saddle cloth of the value of five dollars~~ of the goods, chattels, and personal property of Michael J. Burke

in the said dwelling house of one

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney

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

Edward Murray  
of the crime of Receiving Stolen Goods

committed as follows:

The said Edward Murray

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the  
year aforesaid, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, one  
overcoat of the value of twenty  
dollars, and one saddle  
both of the value of five  
dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of \_\_\_\_\_

Michael J. Burke  
by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen of the said Michael J. Burke

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have (the said Edward  
Murray)

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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FILED,  
1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Evidence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Evidence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Evidence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Evidence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court 7th District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael S. Burke  
5 Prince St.

1 Edward Murray

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence, Burglary

Dated 11th February 1883

A. B. White, Magistrate.

Thomas Gray & Patrick Mulholland

14th Precinct

Witnesses, Thomas Gray

No. 14 Precinct Street,

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

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



W. Burke

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 Edward Murray

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

Dated 11 February 1883 Andrew 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.

0328

Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

18 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

Edward Murray 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.

Edward Murray

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

First Avenue bet 28 & 29 Sts One 1/2 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 am not guilty,

Taken before me, this 11  
day of February 1883

Edward <sup>his</sup> Murray  
mark

[Signature] Police Justice.

0329

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Gray  
aged 31 years, occupation a policeman attached of No. to the 14th Precinct Police ~~Street~~, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Michael J. Burke  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

February

1883

Thomas Gray

Andrew J. White  
Police Justice.

0330

Police Court—First District.

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

Michael J. Burke

of No. 5 Prince Street, aged 64 years,  
occupation Real Estate Agent being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 5 Prince

Street, 14 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick  
building

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house where  
deponent resides were BURGLARIOUSLY  
entered by means forcibly breaking a pane of glass of an outer  
door and removing the bolts of said door and forcibly  
opening an inner door leading into the basement of  
said premises and entering therein

on the night of the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883

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

One over coat and one Table cloth <sup>in all</sup> of  
the value of twenty five dollars

the property of deponent

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

Edward Murray (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: that at or about the hour of  
ten o'clock on the night of said day deponent fasten  
and secured the said outer door and about the  
hour of six o'clock on the following morning  
deponent was aroused by Officer Gray then  
deponent found said premises had been burglariously  
entered and the aforesaid property was missing  
Deponent further says that he was informed by  
Officer Gray that he found the aforesaid property

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in said defendants possession which deponent has seen and fully identifies as his property stolen as aforesaid.

Wherefore deponent charges said defendant with unlawfully entering said premises and taking stealing and carrying away the aforesaid property

Sworn to before me this 3<sup>rd</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883  
Wm. J. Burke  
Police Justice

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Testimony in the  
case of  
Edward Murray  
filed

Feb 1883

The People *vs.* Edward Murray (Court of General Sessions. Part I  
 Indictment for burglary in the second degree, grand <sup>3. 1883</sup>  
 larceny and receiving stolen goods.

Michael J. Burke, sworn and examined,  
 testified: I live at 5 Prince St, am a  
 real estate agent. I lost some property upon  
 the night of the 10<sup>th</sup> of Feb. There was an  
 overcoat taken out of the office; the office  
 is a part connected with the dwelling.  
 I think one of the boys fastened the place  
 up. I was informed that my place had  
 been broken open in the morning; the  
 officers came and wakened me about  
 four o'clock. I came down stairs and we  
 found the glass was cut in the outside  
 of the door and the bolts put back - they  
 got into the office that way: the prop-  
 erty was taken away. I saw the coat  
 and table cloth afterwards in the station  
 house that morning with the officer.  
 I identified it as my property. What were  
 they worth? I guess they were worth  
 about twenty dollars. Cross Examined:  
 This property was hanging up in a  
 closet which was in the back office.  
 I sleep up stairs. I know the parents  
 of the prisoner, but I do not know him.

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I have known them for a great many years to be worthy people.

Thomas Gray, sworn and examined.  
I am an officer of the Fourteenth precinct. I arrested Murray on the morning of the 10<sup>th</sup> of Feb. at five o'clock in the morning, it was dark; he was carrying an overcoat on his arm and he had a table cloth buttoned under his coat. I found the table cloth when I went to the station house. I did not see the table cloth till I went to search him. I went to look at Mr. Burke's place and found a pane of glass was broke in the door, and the hand must have been inserted and the bolt drawn back; Mr. Burke identified the property as his.

Patrick Cully, sworn and examined.  
I am attached to the 14<sup>th</sup> precinct. I saw this property with the prisoner. On that morning Officer Gray and myself stood on the corner of West St. and the Bowery; the prisoner came along carrying a coat. There was another young man with him at the time we stopped the two of them and asked him where he was going with the coat. He said he was bringing it to Mr. Miller.

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up town. The other fellows that were with him started to walk away. I went after him and I took hold of him. Gray took the defendant and brought him to the station house. In one of the pockets of the overcoat we found a <sup>large</sup> pocketbook with rent receipts and bill heads belonging to Mr. Burke, a real estate agent. Then I went to Mr. Burke's place. This was about five o'clock on the morning of the 11<sup>th</sup> of February; it was dark.

Edward Murray, sworn and examined, testified in his own behalf. I work in the wood yard of Mr. Tunnell, Twenty eighth St. I am 18 years old, I live in First ave. between Twenty eighth and Twenty ninth Sts. with my mother who is in Court. I have heard the charge made against me. I was down town that Saturday night in the Bowery and I went into a museum between Bayard and Canal Sts. on the left hand side going up town. I came out about ten o'clock and was going home. I went in and had two drinks, and going along, it was snowing, and I seen this table cloth and overcoat on the sidewalk. I picked it up, I turned around then and went down town. The

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officer came up to me and asked me where I got the coat? I told him I found it. I found those things in the street. I don't know where <sup>Mr.</sup> Burke lives and was never in the neighborhood of 5 Prince St. I don't know any of the down town streets. I have never been in trouble of any kind before. Cross Examined. After I came out of the Museum I went into liquor stores from ten o'clock till five in the morning. I was walking around from one place to another. I found the coat and table cloth on the sidewalk. I was carrying the coat on my arm and the table cloth I put in my breast. I could not tell what time I found them.

Thomas Gray, the officer, recalled. It is four blocks from where the burglary was committed. That I arrested the prisoner. Bridget Murray, the mother of the prisoner, testified that she lived at 491 First Ave., he lives with her, is going on 18 years old, works in Tunnell's wood yard, and this night in question is the first time he was ever on a spree. Edward Murray, the brother in law of the prisoner, testified that he worked in a wood yard and that the accused has never been in trouble before.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of burglary in the second degree.

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DESCRIPTION:

Murray, Mary

DATE:

02/16/83



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Having examined the witness  
for the people in this case  
and learning that the contents  
of the Bagshaw, who stole the  
goods was the result of  
information furnished by  
defendant and that she has  
four children dependent upon  
her I would recommend  
that she be discharged  
on her own recognizance

Geo. M. Brady  
D.A.D.

Filed 16 day of Feb 1883

Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Mary Murray*  
RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*William A. M. M.*  
Foreman

*Feb 20 1883*

*Richardson & Co.*

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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*

*Mary Murray*

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

*Mary Murray*

of the crime of RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS,  
committed as follows :

The said *Mary Murray*  
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on  
the ~~twenty eighth~~ day of ~~January~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~ at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms.  
*eighty three yards of cloth of*  
*the value of one dollar and*  
*twenty cents each yard*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *the New York Central*  
*and Hudson River Railroad Company*  
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *the New York Central*  
*and Hudson River Railroad Company*  
unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have, he, the said *Mary*  
*Murray*

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

The prisoner testified  
to Robert being indicted  
for the same crime along  
with the Grand Jury of  
the same County, he is  
indicted along with  
Complaint and turned  
over to Officer Paul D. H.  
of the same County and  
went through a bench  
warrant issued by the  
Judge of the County Court  
of the same County and  
was indicted for the same  
crime as Robert.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Street, \_\_\_\_\_

**Distig:**

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John De Mulder

Grand Central Sec

Wm. H. Flaherty

Edw. M. Miller, President

~~Mr. J. W. W. W. W.~~

Dated \_\_\_\_\_  
*P. J. J. J.*

Friday

William Dunn

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Deebley

Witnesses William J. R.

10. 10 Wilber

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ALSI  
5-11  
6-11  
OFFICE

*[Handwritten signature]*

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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 Patrick J. Flaherty

guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of 25 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated July 10 1883 Thos. Glavin 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 Elizabeth Bales <sup>by Wesley M. W. he</sup> guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order her to be discharged.

Dated May 8 1883 Hugh G. Grier Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Mary Munday* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is *her* right to  
make a statement in relation to the charge against *her*; that the statement is designed to  
enable *her* if *he* see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *her*  
that *he* is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that *her* waiven cannot be used  
against *her* 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. I knew  
nothing about how the cloth  
was obtained. I was asked to  
pass it off as ~~my~~ *mine* when I went to do so  
when I was arrested*

Taken before me, this

day of

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*Mary Munday*  
*Munday*

*Augustus* Police Justice.

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Sec. 298-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Elizabeth Pills*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*57 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*247 W 33<sup>rd</sup> St about 16 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*I keep house*

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 of the  
charge the property was not found  
in my apartments as stated. I did  
all in my power to aid the officers  
in arresting the persons they said  
they wanted*

Taken before me, this

day of

*July 1883*

*Elizabeth Pills*  
*Mum*

*Hugh J. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Sylvester Mitchell* 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.

*Sylvester Mitchell*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*18 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Brooklyn*

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

Answer.

*381 West 31<sup>st</sup> St. About 3 Years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Lather*

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 of the charge of Mr.  
Paherty on 33<sup>rd</sup> St. & 8<sup>th</sup> Ave. I walked  
with him to Mrs. Munnays house I know  
nothing whatever of the crime with which  
I am charged*

Taken before me, this

day of

*Feb* 188*8*

*Sylvester Mitchell*

*Hughes* Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Daniel Flaherty* 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.

*Daniel Flaherty*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*17 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*This City*

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

Answer.

*439 West 89 St - About One Year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Cather*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of the charge  
Mitchell had nothing to do with  
it, I met him at Cor 33<sup>rd</sup> Street  
& 8<sup>th</sup> Ave and asked him to take  
a wafer and help me bring a bag to  
the house of Mr Murnay & he did  
so that is all he had to do with the  
matter I did not know that the stuff was stolen*

Taken before me, this

day of

*July* 188*8*

*Daniel Flaherty*  
*ma*

*High Gunner* Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*William Cairns*  
aged 33 years, occupation Police Officer of No. the 16<sup>th</sup> Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John Scoulan  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July 1888 } William Cairns

Hugh Gardner  
Police Justice.

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Police Court District.

City and County  
of New York, ss.:

*John Sculley*  
of the Grand Central Depot *42nd Street* Street, aged *48* years,  
occupation *State Policeman* being duly sworn

deposes and says, that ~~he~~ *he* ~~was~~ *was* a Railroad Car on the track  
of the Hudson River Railroad while on its way to *the City and County aforesaid, the said being a* *Car for*  
*the conveyance of goods and Merchandise*  
and which was occupied by ~~deponent~~ *the Hudson River Railroad*  
*Company as such* BURGLARIOUSLY  
entered by means of forcibly breaking and removing  
the lock or other fastening of said  
Car while the same was being propelled  
by steam to the City of New York  
on the *28th* day of *January* 188*3*

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

*Two rolls of cloth containing about*  
*eighty three yards of the value of*  
*about One Hundred Eighty Eight*  
*Dollars. The property being in the*  
*possession of the New York Central and*  
*Hudson River Railroad Company as*  
*Common Carrier. And in the case*  
*and charge of deponent as a State*  
*Policeman*

The property of

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

*Which Flaherty & Sylvester Mitchell both now*  
*present and two others not arrested*

for the reasons following, to wit;

*That the aforesaid Car*  
*which had been locked and fastened*  
*was discovered to have been broken open when*  
*it had reached Barclay Street. And a case*  
*of goods consigned to the firm of Sullivan*  
*Orail & Co. was found to have been broken*  
*and the aforesaid property which was originally*  
*in the case was found to be missing. That*  
*the defendant Flaherty now admits and confesses*

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in Court that he was present when the car was broken and entered by said other persons & that he took the property from them after they had stolen it from the case in the car & deponent believes the same to be true - Deponent further alleges that the defendant Mitchell was found in the house of a woman named Bills in whose possession a portion of the stolen property was found as deponent is informed by Officer Cairns 16<sup>th</sup> Precinct - who further informs deponent that a ~~woman~~ woman named Murray was arrested at a pawn office in the 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue she having at the time of her arrest a part of the stolen property in her possession which she was about disposing of for a loan Deponent therefore charges that the Elizabeth Bills and Mary Murray did unlawfully knowingly & feloniously take and receive said property into their possession they & each of them being well aware and fully understanding that the same was stolen property

Sworn to before me this } John Scanlon  
 8<sup>th</sup> day of July 1883 }  
 Hugh Gorman }  
 Police Justice }

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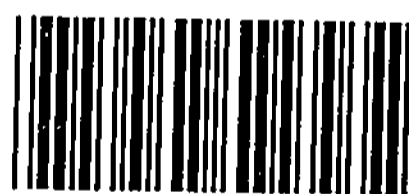
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Murray, William

DATE:

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Ray, John

DATE:

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*W.D. 1970*  
*W.D. 1970*  
Filed *26* day of *Feb* 188*3*  
Pleads *Indemnity*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*W.D.*  
*W.D. 1970*  
*W.D. 1970*  
*W.D. 1970*

ROBBERY—First Degree.

JOHN MCKEON,  
*April 23/73*  
District Attorney.  
*Charles G. 2 day*  
*W.D. 1970*  
A True Bill. *April 26/73.* 26.

*William H. 1970*  
*April 19/73.*  
*Foreman.*  
*W.D. 1970*  
*Specd. & Appointed of*  
*W.D. 1970*  
*April 24/73.*  
*W.D. 1970*  
*30 27 26 22*

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Court of General Sessions of the City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

William Murray and  
John Ray

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

William Murray and John  
Ray of the crime of Robbery in the first degree,

committed as follows:

The said William Murray and  
John Ray

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the twenty first day of February in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty three at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms, in and upon one Stermann Peters  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault ~~and~~  
teach to them being then and  
there aided by an accomplice  
actually present and, one  
watch of the value of fifty  
dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Stermann Peters  
from the person of said Stermann Peters — and against  
the will and by violence to the person of the said Stermann Peters  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, against the  
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People  
of the State of New York and their dignity.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Testimony in the  
case of  
John Ray

Filed Feb. 1883

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 The People } Court of General Sessions. Part I  
 John Ray } Before Judge Geldersleeve. April 19, 1883  
 Jointly indicted with William Murray for  
 robbery in the first degree.

Herman Peters, sworn and examined,  
 testified. I live now at 32 1/2 East 10th St.; my  
 business place is in Third ave.; on the night  
 of the 21<sup>st</sup> of Feb. I lost a gold watch, worth  
 fifty dollars, which I carried fastened to the  
 button hole of my vest. I saw Ray the night  
 I lost my watch about 3 o'clock in the morn-  
 ing in Twelfth St. near Fifth ave; he came  
 down Mavorley Place and Washington Park;  
 then I walked up Twelfth St. Murray and Ray  
 were together. Neither of them did anything  
 to me then, but I walked on and when near  
 Fifth ave. they took my watch and knocked  
 me down. I could not tell who knocked  
 me down; they were both together. I held  
 Murray till the officer came. As soon  
 as I got the blow I lost my senses. They  
 grabbed for the watch. I think it was  
 Murray knocked me down. Ray ran away.  
 Nobody was in sight beside Ray and  
 Murray when I was knocked down.

Cross Examined. I keep a liquor saloon at  
 29 Third ave. That time I lived at 28  
 Wooster St. near Grand. I had been up

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to Rivington and Orchard St. and from there I went up to my store; it was closed and I went up Broadway to Waverley Place and down to the Park. They walked alongside of me, I could not tell which one spoke to me first; they walked alongside of me about half a block and Officer Leeson told them to get away; then they left and I went up, I don't know which way they walked. I went up Twelfth St. and down Fifth Ave; then I felt somebody come behind me and take hold of me. Then I turned round I saw Murray and Ray; my watch was gone then, I think it was Murray took my watch and then knocked me down. I grabbed hold of him when he took my watch and then he knocked me down. As far as I know I only got struck once. I was at a party that night and I stayed there till two o'clock. I wanted to see a friend of mine in Sixth Avenue and Tenth St. I had a little more liquor than I ought to have had that night. I knew I had my watch in Twelfth St. because I felt it. I was arrested once charged with robbery. I kept a watch for a friend of mine for safe keeping, I gave the watch back and was discharged. I was never charged with stealing.

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George J. Leeson, sworn. I am an officer of the 15<sup>th</sup> precinct. I was on duty about Twelfth St on the night of the 21<sup>st</sup> of Feb. I did not see Ray till I got there in Twelfth St. About ten minutes to three on that morning I met the complainant and Murray on the corner of Waverly Place and University Place. Murray had hold of him leading him towards the west side of the Park. I saw the complainant's chain shining and I saw suspicious circumstances about Murray. He said he was directing the man to Sixth Ave. I said there were plenty of policemen around to direct him. I directed Peters to Tenth St and Sixth Ave. and I followed this thing up in connection with officer Ivory; we heard the cry of murder three or four times and we went down to Twelfth St. and Fifth Ave. I saw three men in the middle of the street - Peters, Murray and Ray. Ray walked away before Murray did. It seemed as if Peters had hold of <sup>caught</sup> Murray and he said, "I don't know anything of this affair, officer." Ivory took Murray. I searched Ray and found nothing on him and Ivory found nothing on Murray. Two gentlemen halloed out of the window "there is the man that robbed that man."

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When Peters came up I saw it was the same man I directed to Tenth St. and Sixth Ave. The two men who called out of the window were Painter Bros. 31 West Twelfth St. I found the complainant's watch right by the truck where they left - about twenty five feet from where I first saw the three men. Cross Examined. Peters was under the influence of liquor, but he was able to walk. Joseph Ivory, the other officer, was sworn and corroborated the statement of Officer Leeson. Peters was all covered with blood. His coat was all blood, he was bare headed and he had a mark on his head. I saw he had no watch; he said the men robbed him; we got hold of the two men. There was snow on the street; we searched and could not find the watch then; we brought them to the station house, and in the morning we found the watch in the neighborhood of where we arrested these men - twenty five feet away. David Painter sworn. Live 31 West Twelfth St; on the 21<sup>st</sup> of Feb I saw three men struggling in front of the house. I heard the cries of "murder," which awakened me from sleep. I saw three men struggling together in the street. I called

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out, "let that man alone." One started away towards Fifth Ave, but the other man seemed to remain with the man and he called to the man who was going away: "Come back, John and help me". I am sure there was no one else in the street at the time but these men.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the second degree.

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

Police Court - 2<sup>nd</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Herman Petrus*  
*W. S. J. de W.*  
*William Murray*  
*John Wray*  
Offence, *Robbery*

Dated *February 21* 188

*W. S. J. de W.* Magistrate.  
*W. S. J. de W.* Clerk of the Court.

*W. S. J. de W.* Witnesses, *George J. de W.*

*Plaintiff in 15 free street*  
*George J. de W.*

No. *William* Street, *1112*  
committed to prison  
with bail

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

*William Murray and John Wray*  
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they 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 they give such bail. *He legally discharges*

Dated *February 21* 188 *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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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

District Police Court.

John Wray 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.

John Wray

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

Atlantic Avenue Brooklyn (resided there 5 yrs)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bar Tender

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

Answer.

I am not guilty  
John Wray

Taken before me this

day of

John Wray  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*William Murray*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*38 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*426 W 138th (resided there 1 year)*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Seaman*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*William Murray*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Form 98.

*Second*

Police Court, Sixth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

*Herman Peters*

*31 years old* of No. *28* *3* Avenue

being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that on the

18<sup>th</sup> 188*3*, at the

*Fifteenth*

Street,

*21*

day of

*February*

Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of the deponent, by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz.: *in the night time*

*one double case gold watch*

of the value of

*fifty*  
*Complainant*

DOLLARS,

and that this Deponent has 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

*William Murray and John Wray*  
(now present) from the fact

that deponent whilst in

*Twelfth* street was struck

with on the head <sup>which blow</sup> and they took the watch as above described from deponent's possession

deponent down. Deponent

saw William Murray and John

Wray together before deponent

was struck, and when deponent

was struck deponent caught

hold of Murray who got away,

and ran up *Twelfth* street

with said Wray. Deponent is informed by officer George J. Leeson, of the 15<sup>th</sup> precinct police that he saw said Murray leave

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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Police Justice.

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held of deponents coat and saw said Murray  
release himself from deponents hold, and  
saw him walk away from deponent in  
company with said Wray. and further  
when going up Twelfth street they took  
opposite sides of the street.

Shown to before me  
this 21 day of February 1883

Hermann Peters

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

City and County  
of New York ss George T. Lesson police  
officer is present being sworn says that  
at about a quarter past three o'clock in  
the morning of the 21 February 1883. Deponent  
attention was attracted to the cries of  
a man who was calling out murder  
in Twelfth <sup>street</sup> Deponent went in the direction  
of where the cry was heard in company  
with officer Joseph Ivory of the same precinct  
and deponent saw Hermann Peters have  
hold of William Murray who was trying  
to get away, and saw Murray release  
himself from said Peters hold. and  
walk away with John Wray who  
separated from Murray when a few  
feet from said Peters. and they walked  
on opposite sides of the street

Shown to before me  
this 21 day of February 1883

George T. Lesson

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

Form 96.  
Police Court—Sixth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON COMPLAINT OF

Affidavit—Robbery.

Dated

187

Officer

Magistrate.

Precinct.

WITNESSES:

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DESCRIPTION:

Murtha, Thomas

DATE:

02/07/83



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Counsel,  
Filed 7 day of Feb 1883  
Pleads Not Guilty

15 Feb 1883  
THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
R  
Shawmunda  
12th

Grand Larceny, second degree, and  
Receiving-Stolen Goods.

JOHN MCKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

William H. Phelps  
Part 2 Feb 17/83 Foreman.  
Pleads Guilty  
Hence of Refuge.

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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 Murtha*

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

*Thomas Murtha*

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

The said *Thomas Murtha*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, ~~on the~~ *20th* on the day of ~~January~~ *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~three~~ *three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms *one box robe of the value of thirty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Patrick*

*W. Shan*

then and there being found, then and there

feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and

their dignity.

*John McLean*

*District Attorney*

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6th 85

District Police Court

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick Whelan  
Southern Boulevard  
Appt 138 d Street  
Murray Murtha

AFFIDAVIT Larceny

DATED February 2 1883

Murray MAGISTRATE

James McKinnis 33 OFFICER

WITNESSES:

James R. McKinnis

Officer James

\$300

DISPOSITION

Warrant

James

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.6<sup>th</sup>

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

*Thomas Martha* 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 Martha*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*15 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Mott Haven*

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

Answer.

*3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue & 134<sup>th</sup> St., 15 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Nothing*

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 took the Robe from Mr Mahan's house while standing in front of Father Hughes church at Alexander Avenue & 137<sup>th</sup> Street at about 8 O'clock on the evening of January 30<sup>th</sup> 1883, I have nothing further to say in relation to the matter*

Taken before me, this *2nd*  
day of *February* 1883

*Thomas Martha*

*Wm Murray* Police Justice.

6<sup>th</sup>.

*Affidavit—Larceny.*

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.  
of ~~No.~~ *Southern Boulevard* & *138<sup>th</sup> Street,* *23<sup>rd</sup> Ward*  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 18*73*  
at the *City of New York,*  
in the County of New York, *with the intent to deprive deponent of his property* was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, *from in front of premises 137<sup>th</sup> St. & Alexander Ave*  
*in the night time to wit: 8 O'clock P.M. on said day*  
the following property, viz.:

One Black Bear Skin Lap Robe  
of the value of thirty-dollars

the property of depenant who is 38 years of age and  
by occupation Maron Builder )

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 Thomas Murtha (now here), from the fact that since the commission of said offence, to wit February 2<sup>d</sup> 1883 and in open court on said day the said Thomas Murtha admitted and confessed to deponent that he did on the 30<sup>th</sup> January 1883 - feloniously take, steal and carry away the above mentioned property R # 1 N P 6

Patrick Whelan

Sworn before me this 22 day of January 1883  
J. B. Smith  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 212.

*6<sup>th</sup>* District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statement that the crime therein mentioned

*James Garces*

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

*Thomas Murtha*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same, and the said crime beingailable by me, but bail not having been taken by me, I order that he be admitted to bail in the sum of *three* 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 at the City of New York, *February 2*, 188*3*

*Wm. H. H. H.* Police Justice

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Myers, Albert

DATE:

02/19/83



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May 5

Day of Trial  
Counsel, *H. P. J.*  
Filed *19* day of *Feb* 188*3*  
Pleadings *Dr. J. J. J.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling on Sunday.

*John McKeon*

JOHN MCKEON,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*William H. J. J.*  
Foreman.

0372

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Robert Meyer*

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

*Robert Meyer*

of the CRIME OF *Exposing for Sale and Selling Spirituous Liquors on Sunday*, committed as follows :

The said *Robert Meyer*

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

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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Police Court 3<sup>d</sup> District.

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

of No. 10<sup>th</sup> Precinct James Cowen  
Police Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on Sunday the eleventh day  
of February 1883, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,  
at premises No. 27 Bowery  
a place where intoxicating liquors and wines were kept for sale, and sold as a beverage,  
Albert Meyer [now here]  
did then and there expose for sale ~~and did sell, caused, offered and permitted to be sold, and~~ under his  
direction or authority strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, to be drunk in  
the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law; and did not keep said place closed on said  
Sunday the 11<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883 as required by law.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Albert Meyer  
may be ~~prosecuted and~~ dealt with according to law. That said premises were open and  
and liquors exposed for sale at the hour of 10 P.M. of said day  
Subscribed to before me, this 12<sup>th</sup> day }  
of February 1883 } James Cowen

J. W. Patterson  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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BAILED,  
 No. 1, by Morris Houghes  
 Residence of Maryland Street,  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

123  
 Police Court-3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Brown  
10th Prec.

1 Albert Meyer  
 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence, Violation of  
Police Law

Dated February 12 1883

Matthew Magistrate.

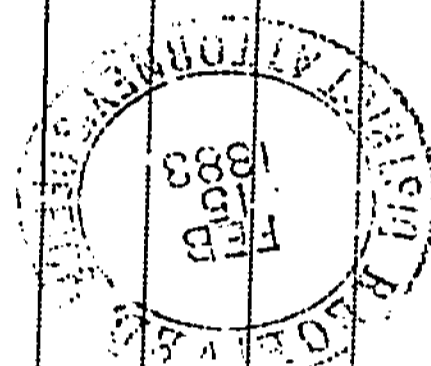
Edward H. Officer.

M. H. Clerk.

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

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

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



No. 100 Street,  
 to answer of

Quiles

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 Albert Meyer

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

Dated February 12 1883 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated February 12 1883 J. M. Patterson 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

*Albert Meyer* 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.

*Albert Meyer*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Twenty seven years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*27 Bowery, about 10 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Bar tender*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty*

*Albert Meyer*

Taken before me this

day of *May* 190*4*

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*John J. Stinson*

Police Justice.