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FOLDER:

1627

DESCRIPTION:

Day, John

DATE:

12/29/84



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Witnesses:

*John Bamback*

Counsel,

Filed *21st* day of *Dec* 188*4*

Pleads

*Mohrly Co.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*John Day*

*W*

*Phila*

Grand Larceny 2<sup>nd</sup> degree  
[Sections 528, 531, — Penal Code]

PETER B. OLNEY,

*For the People District Attorney.*

*Sec'd. P.C.*

A True Bill.

*Per. Morgan*

*H. Doerflinger*

*Foreman.*

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

4 District Police Court.

John Day 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.

Question. How old are you?

Answer

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty.  
John Day.

Taken before me this

day of December 1888

Police Justice

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11 District Police Court, Affidavit—Larceny.  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss. John H. Bombach  
of No. 934-6<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of December 1888  
at the \_\_\_\_\_ City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent in the day time  
the following property, viz :

One overcoat valued at the  
sum of seventy-five dollars \$75-00  
100

the property of Joseph Aaron and  
in charge of deponent.

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen, and carried away by John Day (now here)  
from the following facts to  
wit: That while deponent was  
in his Barber Shop on the prem-  
-ises 934-6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, defendant  
entered and took from a rack  
therein the above described  
property and attempted to  
depart with the same.

John H. Bombach

Sworn before me this

26 day of December  
1888  
Police Justice,



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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 December 26 188

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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

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



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Police Court--<sup>1833</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John H. Bamboch*  
*934 "6" St.*

*John Day*  
*John*

*Offence*  
*Grand*  
*Larceny*

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated *December 26* 188 *4*

*Duffy* Magistrate.

*Cuff* Officer.

*19* Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

\$ *500* to answer *C. J. Sessions*

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John Day*

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

The said *John Day*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*twenty fifth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty *four*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one parcel of the value of*

*twenty five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Joseph Aaron,*

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.

*Peter D. O'Meara*  
District Attorney

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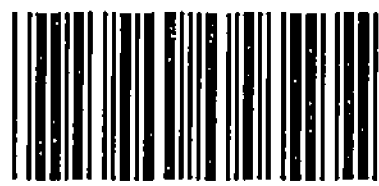
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DESCRIPTION:

Dayrus, Stephen

DATE:

12/18/84



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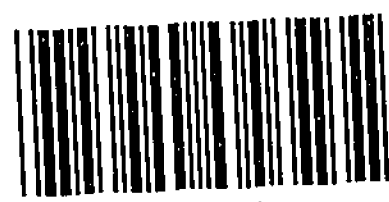
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DESCRIPTION:

Burkhardt, Henry

DATE:

12/18/84



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off Sitzkinn 10/12

And for officers & family

File 2 Record  
All the rest  
I think

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Counsel,

Filed 18 day of Dec 1887

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Plante & Gaudet (19)

THE PEOPLE.

28. Review for  
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**A**

Stephen Bayard

4013  
103  
Columbia  
Missouri

R

Henry Burkhardt

**PETER B. OLNEY,**

WHEELER H. BLOCKMAN

*Per [Signature] District Attorney.*

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# A True Bill

Henry W

W. H. R.

*Fahrenman.*

Box 24-6 m m

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Police Court— District.

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

of No. 295 East 4 Street, aged 54 years,

occupation Laborer being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises No 295 East 4 Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling  
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking  
open a window leading  
to said premises with  
a knife

on the 5 day of December 1888 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Three hundred and eighty one  
dollars in bills of various  
denominations and  
careful money of the United  
States and four ten dollar  
gold pieces

all of the value of four hundred  
and twenty one dollars  
the property of Complainant

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

Sterius Dayrus and Henry Burkhardt  
now present

for the reasons following, to wit: from the fact that  
the officer Adolph Getz Korny  
having a suspicion that they  
had broken down into the  
premises charged said Dayrus  
and Burkhardt with the offense  
and they acknowledged and  
confessed to having stolen the  
above described property from deponent's  
possession



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Sec. 108-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Herens Dayrus* 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

*Herens Dayrus.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Austria*

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

Answer.

*191 Rivington St (resided there 11 days)*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Cigar Maker*

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 - Henry Burkhardt was with me at the time*

*Stephen Tejust*

Taken before me this

day of

*Neerup*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss

Henry Burkhardt 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

Henry Burkhardt

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

103 Columbia St (resided there 2 years)

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Currier

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 was standing on the corner of 4th street and Ave C. I saw Stevens Daynes going with the mistress of Joseph Karasch premises which is situated in the basement of premises No 295 East 4th street I then saw him come out again I walked over to him and asked him what he had been doing there. He opened his coat pulled out his pocket book & showed me a large amount of money I asked him where he got it and he told me I came along with him.

Taken before me this

day of

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

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went with him to 6<sup>th</sup> street  
dock & pulled out the money  
& he gave me \$105-

Taken before me  
this 15 day of Dec 1884 Henry Burckhardt

Walter Fisher  
H



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

Dated Dec 15 188 x [Signature] Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court. 1829 District 1

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Joseph Karasch  
295 E 4th St  
Stevens Daprus  
Henry Birkhardt

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

Dated Dec 15 1884

Adolph Setz Korn Magistrate.  
10 Precinct.

Witnesses Adolph Setz Korn  
10 precinct police

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
\$ 1000 to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions.  
each



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New York Dec. 26/84

This is to Certify that  
Henry Burkhardt is known  
to me for the past 7 years  
and during that time  
I have known him to  
be an honest and industrious  
Person. He is the main sup-  
port of a Widowed Mother  
and I have never known  
him to be in trouble before.

Frederic J. Pasing  
446 E. 86. St.



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State of New York.

Executive Chamber.

ALBANY,

July 20 1886.

SIR:

An application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of Henry Burkhardt, who was convicted of Burglary 3d in the County of W. R., and sentenced Jan 2 1885, to imprisonment in the W. R. for the term of 2 years and 6 months and to pay a fine of

\$                    , I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, as amended in 1884, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts and circumstances developed upon the trial or upon the preliminary examination, or before the Coroner's jury, if no trial was had, together with your opinion of the merits of the application. Will you also inform the Governor of any other matters having a bearing upon this case which have come to your knowledge since the conviction.

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

I am,

Very respectfully yours,

Irving F. Craig.

Acting Private Secretary.

To Hon. B. B. Martine,

N. Y. City,

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Answered  
August 20<sup>th</sup> 1886.  
R. B. Lee.

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State of New York.

Executive Chamber.

ALBANY, July 26 1886.

SIR:

An application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of Henry Burkhardt, who was convicted of Burglary 3d in the County of W. R., and sentenced Jan. 2 1886, to imprisonment in the W. R. for the term of 2 years and 6 months, and to pay a fine of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, as amended in 1884, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts and circumstances developed upon the trial or upon the preliminary examination, or before the Coroner's jury, if no trial was had, together with your opinion of the merits of the application. Will you also inform the Governor of any other matters having a bearing upon this case which have come to your knowledge since the conviction.

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

I am,

Very respectfully yours,

Erving S. Craig,  
Acting Private Secretary.

To Hon. F. Amey,

N. Y. City,



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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

Stephen Daynes  
and Henry Burkhardt

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

Stephen Daynes and  
Henry Burkhardt —

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

The said Stephen Daynes and  
Henry Burkhardt, each

late of the 11th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the 5th day of December, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, with force and arms, about the hour  
of twelve o'clock in the day time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of Joseph

Harasda, —

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

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

## SECOND COUNT.

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

*Stephen Danyus and Henry Burchhardt*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE ~~second~~ DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Stephen Danyus and Henry Burchhardt*, each —

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit, on the said  
*fifteenth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty-*four* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the  
*day* — time of said day, with force and arms,

*ten* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the  
kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars  
*each*; *twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and  
unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value  
of ten dollars *each*; *fifty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due  
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the  
value of five dollars *each*; *fifty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and  
there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars,  
and of the value of two dollars *each*; *fifty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being  
then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination  
of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *ten* promissory notes for the payment of  
money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty  
dollars *each*; *twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank  
notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *fifty* promissory  
notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of  
the value of five dollars *each*; *fifty* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind  
known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars *each*; *fifty*  
promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and  
unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar *each*, and two gold coins

*of the United States, of the kind  
known as eagles, of the value of  
ten dollars each,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Joseph Karasch*, in the dwelling house of

*the said Joseph Karasch*  
there situate, 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.



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THIRD COUNT.

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

*Denny Burdhardt*

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

The said *Denny Burdhardt*,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *Fifth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

*gave promissory notes for the payment of money, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied, for the payment of and of the value of one hundred and five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *one Joseph Karasda, by one Stephen Douglas and certain other* ~~by a certain person or~~ persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said *Joseph Karasda*

unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have (the said *Denny*

*Burdhardt*

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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~WHEELER H. PECKHAM~~ District Attorney.

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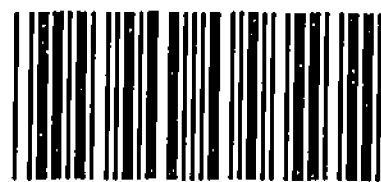
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DESCRIPTION:

Degen, Conrad

DATE:

12/18/84



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Witnesses:

*Dr. Edwin*

Counsel,  
Filed *27th* day of *Dec* 188*4*  
Pleads *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

*B*

*Conrad P. Regen*

*Violation of Sanitary Code, Section 5154*

PETER B. OLNEY,

*District Attorney.*

A TRUE BILL.

*W. H. Maguire*  
Foreman.



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

POLICE COURT,

DISTRICT.

Cyrus Edson

of No.

301 Mott

Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the

8<sup>th</sup>

day of

December

1884

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

One Conrad P. Degan,

Degan, did wilfully violate the Sanitary Code then and at all the times herein mentioned in full force and operative in the City of New York, in this that he did then bring into the City of New York a large quantity of meat, to wit: about 28 quarters of beef, which were unwholesome, impure and unwholesome meat, from animals which, the condition of the meat showed, had been sick, feverish, and had pleuropneumonia, and one of which had tuberculosis consumption, and the said meat was unfit for human food, but the said Conrad P. Degan well knowing the diseased condition of the said meat wilfully brought the same into the City of New York, for sale for human food and delivered the same, to be sold, at West Washington Market in said City, all of which was in violation of section 34 of the Sanitary Code, which is as follows, to wit:

Sec. 34. That no decayed or unwholesome fruit or vegetables, no impure or

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healthy or unwholesome, meat, fish,  
birds, or fowl shall be brought into said  
city, to be consumed or offered for sale  
for human food, nor shall any  
such articles be kept or stored  
therein.

Cyrus (Leon M.D.)

Sworn to before me  
this 8th day of December 1884

Andrew Smith  
Police Justice

Police Court / District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Cyrus Culbreth

vs.

Board of Deacons

Dated

December 8th 1884

Attest  
Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness.

Disposition

Order for Exp. Neg.

Joan

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

186 District Police Court.

*Conrad P. Degau* 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

*Conrad P. Degau*

Question How old are you?

Answer

*26 years*

Question Where were you born?

Answer

*Staten Island*

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

Answer

*Stapleton Staten Island*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Butcher*

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*

*Conrad P. Degau*

Taken before me this  
day of *March* 188*7*  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice



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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and 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 9 Dec 188 4 Andrew J. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated 9 Dec 188 4 Andrew J. Smith Police Justice.

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

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

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

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Cyrus Edson

301 Moatt St

Conrad P. Segau

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Dated

9 December  
H. White

1884

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

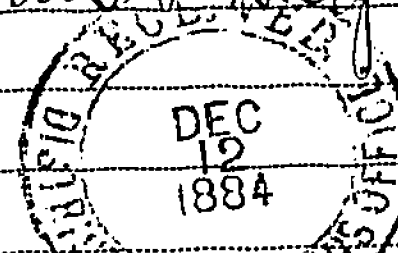
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to answer

Sessions.

Bailed

Office of  
Violation  
Statutory Code



## Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Conrad B. Dege

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

Conrad B. Dege of the Crime  
 of Bringing into the City  
 of New York impure un-  
 healthy and unwholesome  
 meat, to be offered for sale  
 for human food, commit-  
 ted as follows:-

The said Conrad B. Dege,  
 late of the City and County  
 of New York, on the eight  
 day of December, in the year  
 of our Lord one thousand  
 eight hundred and eighty  
 four, at the City and County  
 aforesaid, did unlawfully  
 bring into the said City  
 a large quantity of impure  
 unhealthy and unwholesome  
 meat, to wit: one thousand  
 pounds of impure, unhealthy  
 and unwholesome beef, to  
 be then and there offered  
 for sale ~~for~~ for human



Food, against and in violation  
 of the Sanitary Code of the  
 Board of Health of the  
 Health Department of the  
 said City of New York, then  
 and there and at all times  
 thereafter in full force and  
 operation, and especially  
 against and in violation  
 of the thirty fourth section  
 of such Sanitary Code, which  
 said section is as follows  
 to wit:

"That no decayed or un-  
 wholesome fruit or vegetables,  
 no impure or unhealthy  
 or unwholesome meat,  
 fish, birds or fowl, shall  
 be brought into said city  
 to be consumed or offered  
 for sale for human  
 food, nor shall any such  
 articles be kept or stored  
 therein."

and which said section  
 was then and there, and  
 at all times thereafter, in  
 full force and operation,  
 against the form of the  
 Statute in such case

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made and provided, and  
against the peace of the  
People of the State of New  
York and their dignity.

Peter B. Olney;

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Deguines, Cecilia

DATE:

12/22/84



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Off G. H. Hagan

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*J. Redinger*

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Dec 1884

Pleads *Not guilty (no)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*Cecilia Regines*

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling without License.  
1881 & 1882

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN M. MURPHY~~

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*J. Hagan*  
Foreman.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Celine Regianes* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is *h<sup>er</sup>* right to make a statement in relation to the charge against *h<sup>er</sup>*; that the statement is designed to enable *h<sup>er</sup>* if *he* see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *h<sup>er</sup>* that *she* is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that *h<sup>er</sup>* waiver cannot be used against *h<sup>er</sup>* on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer

*Celine Regianes*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*32 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer

*France*

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

Answer

*159 Wooster St. 15 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Boarding Home Keeper*

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

Answer

*I am not guilty.*

*I demand a trial by jury  
at the Court of General  
Sessions.*

*C Regianes*

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188 *85*

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*John J. ...*  
Police Justice.

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Excise Violation—Selling Without License.

POLICE COURT—2<sup>d</sup> DISTRICT.City and County } ss  
of New Yorkof 8<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Anthony Gilligan Street,of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the Seventh day  
of December 1889 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, atNo. 159 West Street,  
Celine Veguines (now here)

did then and THERE SELL, CAUSE, suffer and permit to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxication liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid WITHOUT HAVING A PROPER LICENSE THEREFOR contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made and provided that she then and there sold a glass of wine to a customer and received payment for the same, and the customer drank said wine on said premises.

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

Sworn to before me, this 8<sup>th</sup> day  
of December 1889

Anthony H. Gilligan  
James Patterson Police Justice.



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Police Court, 2 1815 District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

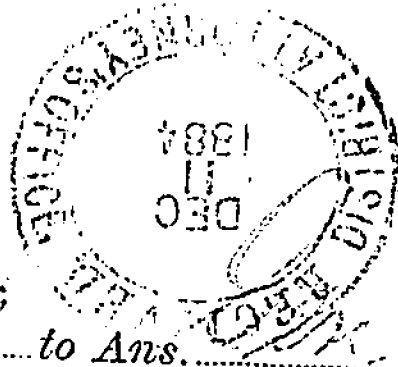
Anthony Gilligan  
8<sup>th</sup> Prec.  
Celine Degimes

EXCISE VIOLATION.  
SELLING WITHOUT A LICENSE.

Dated 8 day of Dec. 1884

Patterson Magistrate.  
Gilligan Officer.

Witness,



Bailed \$ 100 to Ans. 10 Sessions.

By Louis Berger  
121 West 3<sup>rd</sup> 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

Celine Degimes  
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 Dec 11 1884 M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 11 1884 M. Patterson Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

Dated Dec 11 1884 M. Patterson Police Justice.

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Cecilia Deagueres*

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

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

The said

*Cecilia Deagueres,*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventh* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four* —, 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN MCKEON~~ District Attorney.

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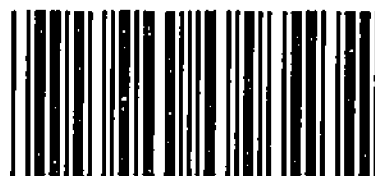
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DESCRIPTION:

DeLamater, Walter

DATE:

12/22/84



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Witnesses:

*Wm Gladky*

Counsel,

Filed

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Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*F*

*Walter*

*De Samater*

Grand Larceny 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 531, — Penal Code.]

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. W. Waples*  
Foreman.

*Dec 23/84*  
*Heads guilty*  
*State Reformatory*  
*Leominster*  
*Mass*

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2 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 27 East 82d Street, Thomas Mc Glinchy  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 9th day of December 1884  
at the \_\_\_\_\_ City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time  
the following property, viz:

One Overcoat of the value of Forty  
dollars

the property of Isaac J. Meyers in the care and  
charge of deponent who is a Groom in  
said Stable No 27 East 82d St

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 Walter Delamarter

That said property was hanging up in  
a closet in said Stable when said  
defendant came in there and imm-  
ediately thereafter deponent moved said  
property Deponent says that said defen-  
dant was the only person in said  
Stable from the time he saw said prop-  
erty until he moved the same

Wherefore deponent charges said

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defendants with feloniously taking stealing  
and carrying away said property  
he is informed by Thomas Defton that he purchased  
a beam balance representing said property from  
said Defton as before said  
This 15<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1884  
Samuel C. Bechtel Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION



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

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Edward Dalton

of No. 422 E 16<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the about 10 day of December 1884

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he purchased from

Walter Delamarter a train ticket  
representing the coal described  
in the within affidavit.

Edward <sup>his</sup> ~~X~~ Dalton  
mark

Sworn to before me, this

of

1884

16

day

Samuel C. McElroy Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Walter Delamater

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 Walter Delamater

Question How old are you?

Answer 24 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer New York

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

Answer No home

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Clerk

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

Walter Delamater

Walter Delamater

Taken before me this

day of

Dec

1884

David O. Smith

Police Justice.



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Sec. 151.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County*  
OF NEW YORK, } *of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:*

Whereas, Complainant on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police  
Justices in and for the said City, by *Thomas Mc Elroy*

of No. *27 E 82d* Street, that on the *9th* day of *December*  
188*4* at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit :

*One overcoat-*

of the value of *Forty* Dollars,  
the property of *Isaac T. Myers*  
w *as* taken, stolen and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and  
believe, by *Walter Delamarter*

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the bod *y* of the said Defendant and forthwith  
bring *2* before me, at the *2* DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence  
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to  
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this *15th* day of *Dec* 188*4*

*Samuel O'Reilly* POLICE JUSTICE.



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POLICE COURT. DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas M. Glensley  
27 East 82 St

Victim Delamarter

Warrant-Larceny.

Dated 188

Magistrate

Gardner Officer  
John Delamarter  
The Defendant

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer  
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-  
tained in this Warrant.

Joseph A. Gardner Officer.

Dated 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, Dec 17 1884

Native of MS

Age, 24

Sex

Complexion,

Color, White

Profession, Clerk

Married

Single, Yes

Read, R

Write, V

Mrs J. Walker 11 E 83

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

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

Dated Dec 188 4 Samuel C. Riff Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court-- *Z* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Thos McGlennally*  
*27 E 82 St*  
*Walter Delamarter*

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3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

DEC 18 1884

Offence *D*

Bailed,

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

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

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

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

Dated *Dec 15* 188 *4*

*O Reilly* Magistrate.  
*Kardner* Officer.  
*Cum* Precinct.

Witnesses *Edward Dalton*

No. *422 E 16* Street.

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

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

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

*Committed*



0185

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Walter De Samater*

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

*Walter De Samater*

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

The said *Walter De Samater*,

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

*one overcoat of the value*

*of forty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *James S.*

*meunier,*

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.

*Peter B. Olney*  
*District Attorney*

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

DiAlesandro, Giovanni

DATE:

12/18/84



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202 March 20/88

Witnesses:

G. Lavagha

Counsel,

Filed day of Dec 1888

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THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Giovanni  
Ricciardone  
Assault in the First Degree, etc.  
[Sections 217 and 218 Penal Code].  
Jury & Court and  
Judge - Age 267

PETER B. OLNEY,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
Pr Apr 5/88  
Divided by the Court in  
reg. J. Lavagha  
Foreman.  
Off April 27/88



0188

Police Court 18 District.

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

Gaetano Lavegha

of No. 59 Mulberry Street, aged 28 years,  
occupation Laborer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 13 day of December 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Giovanni D. Alessandro (now here) who did  
cut and stab deponent on the head  
with some sharp instrument - then  
and there held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 13 day }  
of December 1888 X } Gaetano Lavegha  
his mark

J. Henry Wood Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*Giovanni Di Alessandro* 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

*Giovanni Di Alessandro*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Italy*

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

Answer.

*19 Mulberry Street seven months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Jack 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 those men attacked me and I shot in self defense with my fist*

*Giovanni Di Alessandro*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

10

day of December 1888

*G. J. [Signature]*

Police Justice.

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

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 13 Dec 1884 J. Henry Bond Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 13 1884 Andrew Fort Police Jus. ice.

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

Dated Dec 13 1884 Andrew Fort Police Justice.



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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-- First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Gaetano Laugha  
59 Mulberry St.  
Giovanni Di Alessando

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Dated

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Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

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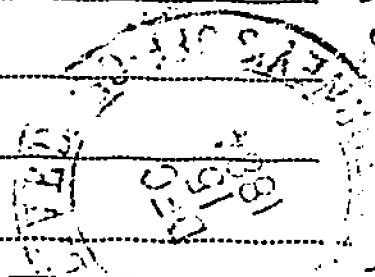
Street.

\$ 500 to answer

Sessions.

Bailed

Office of Police  
Assault & Battery



Henry Ford Magistrate.

Michael Kehoe Officer.

6 Precinct.

Michael Capriano  
59 Mulberry Street.

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Court of General Sessions, Part Q

THE PEOPLE

vs

INDICTMENT

For

*Assault*  
*1st Degree*  
*Giuseppe DiAlfonso*

To

M

No.

Street.

The indictment against the above-named defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *Final* at the Court of GENERAL SESSIONS of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on *Thursday* the day of *April* instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at that time, your bond will be forfeited.

**RANDOLPH E. MARTINE,**

District Attorney.



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Court of General Sessions,  
*Geo. M.*

THE PEOPLE

INDICTMENT

For

*James D. Alexander*

To

M

No.

*45 or 47 Bayter*

Street.

The indictment against the above-named defendant, for whose appearance you are bound, has been placed upon the Calendar for *trial* at the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, at the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House, in the Park of the said City, on *April* instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

If the defendant is not produced at that time, your bond will be forfeited.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

*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

*Giovanni Di Alessandro*

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

*Giovanni Di Alessandro*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Giovanni Di Alessandro*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirteenth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Agostino Saverio* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *thru* the said *Agostino Saverio*, with a certain *knife*

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

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

SECOND COUNT:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Giovanni Di Alessandro* of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Giovanni Di Alessandro*,

late of the City and County of New York, on the *thirteenth* day of *December* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one *Agostino Saverio*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *thru* the said *Agostino Saverio* with a certain *knife*

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

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THIRD COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Giovanni Di Alessandro* of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Giovanni Di Alessandro* late of the City County of New York, on the *thirtieth* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one *Agostino Saverio* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously, did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *in* the said *Agostino*

*Saverio* in and upon the *head* of *him* the said *Agostino Saverio*, did then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *retaliate, cut* bruise and wound, and did thereby then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict upon *him* the said *Agostino Saverio* grievous bodily harm, to the great damage of the said *Agostino Saverio* 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,  
District Attorney



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Dobbins, James

DATE:

12/04/84



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Witnesses:

*Mr. Foreman*

*And for officers*

Counsel,

Filed *4* day of *Dec* 188*4*

Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs. *James D. Collins*  
*[2 cases]*  
Assault in the First Degree, etc.  
[Sections 217 and 218 Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,  
*24 Dec/84* District Attorney.

*Reads Asslt By 9*  
A True Bill.

*[Signature]*  
Foreman.

*Len Jones*  
*As counsel for*  
*[Signature]*

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Police Court—1 District.CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

of No. 89 Madison Street, aged 59 years,  
 occupation Shoemaker being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
 on the First day of December 1884, at the City of New York,  
 in the County of New York, in presence of the Court  
 he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by James Watkins (Tom Hove)  
who struck deponent on the violent blow on the nose  
with his fist and cutting deponent's nose. The  
said blow was struck by the defendant while in Court  
and after the defendant had been held to answer on  
a charge of felonious assault made by the deponent  
 without any justification on the part of the said assailant

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of December 1884

Michael J. Tainey  
 Police Justice.



0200

Police Court—First District.

City and County { ss.:  
of New York,

of No. 30 Madison Street, aged 60 years,  
occupation Longshoreman being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and ~~BEATEN~~ by James

Dobbins who did wilfully make  
a thrust of the blade of a knife  
at the body of deponent or cutting  
the coat worn by deponent with the  
said knife then and there held in his  
hands

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 6<sup>th</sup> day  
of November 1888

Wm. J. Farney  
Police Justice.

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Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
in the complaint of  
Michael Murray  
vs.  
James D. H. H.

Offence—Felonious Assault & Battery  
Dated 188  
Magistrate.  
Officer.  
Clerk.

Witnesses,  
No. Street,  
No. Street,  
No. Street,  
\$1000 to answer General Sessions.

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

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

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

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.



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Sec. 151.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss *In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County*  
OF NEW YORK, } *of New York, or any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York. GREETING:*

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police  
Justices for the City of New York, by *Michael Kerney*  
of No. *37 Madison* Street, that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
188\_\_\_\_ at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

and *Felmon* by *James Dobbin* who  
he was violently Assaulted and Beaten by *James Dobbin* who  
*did with fully armed Felmon* *make a threat at*  
*any time* *body with a knife*  
Wherefore, the said Complainant has prayed that the said Defendant may be apprehended and bound to  
answer the said complaint.

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said  
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring *Am*  
forthwith before me, at the \_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence  
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to  
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_

POLICE JUSTICE.



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POLICE COURT, \_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-A. & B.

Dated Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> 1887

Duffy Magistrate.

Finin Officer.

The Defendant James Duffy  
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer  
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-  
tained in this Warrant.

Finin Officer.

Dated Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> 1887

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at  
night.

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

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 11:05 AM

Native of W.E.

Age, 38

Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Complexion, \_\_\_\_\_

Color W

Profession, Engineer

Married Yes

Single, \_\_\_\_\_

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

H. H. H. H. H.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Dobbin

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

33 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

8 Hayes Street, Brooklyn, New York

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Copier

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.

James Dobbin

Taken before me this

day of August 1888

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *Dec 1* 188 *x J. J. Duffy* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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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

1792 District.

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

Michael Kerney  
30 Madison St.  
James Dobbin

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

Dated Apr 6 188 X

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

\$2000 to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Dobbin*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty-four Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *8 Nagai Str About fifteen months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Worker*

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*

*James Dobbin*

Taken before me this

day of

1884

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated December 1 188 J. A. Duffy Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



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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-- 1790 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Sweeney  
30 Meadows St  
James S. Sweeney

1 .....

2 .....

3 .....

4 .....

Office of Michael Sweeney

Dated September 1<sup>st</sup> 1881

Patrick G. Duffy Magistrate.

Thomas Sweeney Officer.

1<sup>st</sup> Dist. Court - 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct.

Witnesses .....

No. .... Street.

No. .... Street,

No. .... Street.

to answer ..... Sessions.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
against

*James Dolbin*

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

*James Dolbin* —

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

The said *James Dolbin*, —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-  
said, on the *first* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, — at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Michael Tarnay*, —  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *kill* the said *Michael Tarnay*, —  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the  
said *Michael Tarnay*: 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,  
~~JOHN McKEON~~, District Attorney.

Witness:

M. Tierney

Adm. officer.

64.

Counsel,

Filed

day of

Dec

1884

Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
James Robbins  
[2 cases]

Assault in the Third Degree.  
(Section 219.)

PETER B. OLNEY,  
JOHN McKENNON,

District Attorney.

In Dec 5/84  
A True Bill  
Indorsed 9-8.

Foreman.

Sen. Bureau  
Fid



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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 Dorrnis

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

James Dorrnis

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

The said James Dorrnis

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Michael Fairney, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and ~~in~~ the said Michael Fairney, with a certain knife

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

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

SECOND COUNT:

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

James Dorrnis

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

The said James Dorrnis

late of the City and County of New York, on the Sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one Michael Fairney, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and ~~in~~ the said Michael Fairney, with a certain knife

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

Peter B. O'Neary,  
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Doe, John

DATE:

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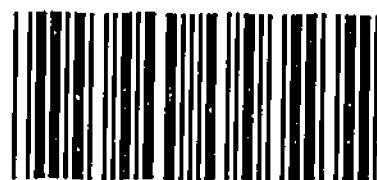
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O'Brien, John

DATE:

12/09/84



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Witnesses:

Louis Sheridan

Samuel Friedman

Wm. J. Conner

Bail \$5000. for

John Doe and

John O'Brien

Dec 11, 1884.

Bail reduced to

\$2500. Dec 12, 1884.

W. 2-ailed by  
Wm. J. Campbell  
114 Columbia St.

46 13th Dec. 10/84

Counsel,

Filed 9 day of

Pleads

Dec 1841  
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W. J. Conner

THE PEOPLE

vs.

N.A.

John Doe and

John O'Brien

[Section 3229, Penal Code]

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

W. J. Conner  
Foreman.

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

John Brown  
John O'Brien

Ind -  
Dec. 9/14

Dec. 10/17  
taken by Fay  
for 21/90  
J. J. 17/90

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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 Doe, whose real name is to the Grand Jury unknown, and John O'Brien

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

John Doe, whose real name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and John O'Brien of the Crime of Falsely personating another, committed as follows:

On the fourteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty four, there was depending in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace of the City and County of New York, a certain criminal action between the People of the State of New York, and James C. Campbell and Milton S. Campbell, and on the said day, an indictment had been duly filed in the said Court charging the said James C. Campbell and Milton S. Campbell, with the Crimes of Obtaining money from another by the practices known as mock auctions, and Petit Larceny, and on the said day, an order had been duly made and entered in the said Court, admitting the said James C. Campbell to bail, in the sum of twenty hundred dollars.



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And the said John Doe, late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, well knowing the premises aforesaid to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, did personally appear before the Honorable Frederick Smyth, Recorder of the City of New York, and Justice of the said Court, and at such then and there being authorized to take bail and surety in the said criminal action, on behalf of the said James C. Campbell, and did then and there feloniously and lawfully personate one Louis Smith, and in such assumed character did then and there feloniously become bail and surety for the said James C. Campbell, that the said James C. Campbell should appear and answer the indictment aforesaid, in whatever Court it might be prosecuted, and should at all times render himself amenable to the orders and process of the Court, and, if convicted, should appear for judgment and render himself in execution thereof: and did then and there, feloniously and in such assumed character, enter into and acknowledge a certain written undertaking in the penal sum of twenty hundred dollars, conditioned

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upon the appearance of the said James  
C. Campbell to answer the said in-  
dictment as aforesaid; And the said  
John O'Brien, late of the City and  
County aforesaid, was then and there  
feloniously concerned in the commission  
of the felony and false personation  
aforesaid, so as aforesaid by the said  
John Doe done and committed, and  
was then and there feloniously present,  
aiding and abetting in its commission  
and did then and there feloniously  
counsel, command, induce and  
procure the said John Doe, the felony  
and false personation aforesaid, in  
manner and form aforesaid, to do  
and commit: 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.

Peter B. Olney,

District Attorney.

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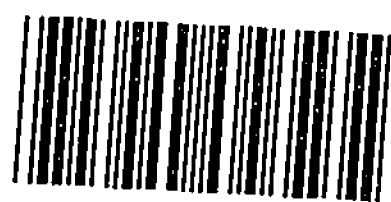
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Doe, John

DATE:

12/31/84



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Witness:

George E. Brown

Louis Brown

1 - Bailed on another  
indictment.

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of Dec 1884

Pleads

Not guilty Jan 16/85

THE PEOPLE

Ministry vs. B

John Doe

[crossed]

Assault in the Third Degree.  
(Section 219).

PETER B. OLNEY,  
JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

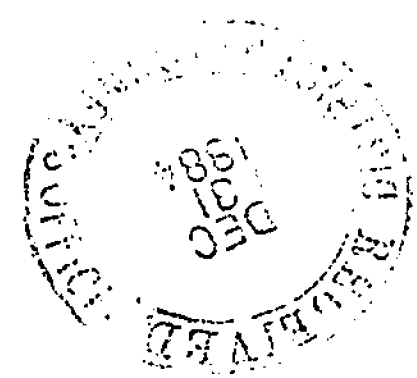
A True Bill.

*[Signature]*

Foreman.

~~Not guilty~~

~~Not guilty~~



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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 Doe, whose  
real name is to the  
Grand Jury unknown*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse  
*John Doe, whose real name is to the  
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows;

The said *John Doe, 7*

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

PETER B. OLNEY,  
~~JOHN McLEON~~, District Attorney.

Witnesses:

Geo. E. Oram

Dennis Cunningham

Bail fixed for

on Dec in the 6

Indictment for

\$25000

1884

May 19/88

Thirteenth Court

(indicted John Doe)

bailed on six indict.

made by

James Oram,

343 Cherry Street

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13th Jan 5/85

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Counsel,

Filed 24 day of Dec 1884

Pleads Voluntary Dec 16. 1886.

THE PEOPLE

Henry B. Oram

indicted John Doe

[crossed]

Assault in the Third Degree. (Section 218)

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN MURKIN

Dobbs. Request of, Clerk of Court, District Attorney.

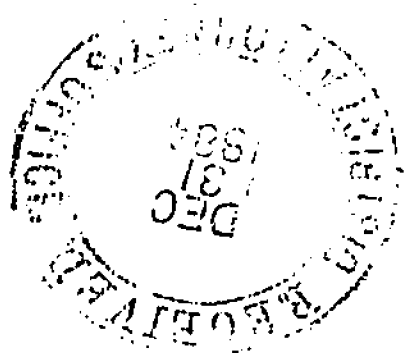
Oct 9 Request of Counsel of Court.

A True Bill.

J. H. Oram

Prothonotary

Dec 18 1884



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City and County of New York ss.  
 George E. Oran, <sup>of 550 Nassau Street New York City</sup> being duly sworn de-  
 poses and says that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
 December 1884, at the City of New York  
 in the County of New York, he was violent-  
 ly assaulted and beaten by John  
 Doe. whose right name is unknown  
 to deponent, but who can be identified  
 by deponent.

Deponent further says that he was so  
 assaulted and beaten by the said  
 John Doe without any justifica-  
 tion in the part of the said  
 assailant. That he the said John  
 Doe, <sup>threatened</sup> said at the time of making said  
 assault, that he would kill deponent,  
 and then and there called upon a  
 crowd of bystanders, to aid him in  
 his said assault, and told them to  
 "hold the son of a bitch down (referring to  
 deponent) don't let him up, murder him."

Wherefore the deponent prays that the said  
 assailant may be apprehended and  
 dealt with according to law  
 Sworn to before me George E. Oran  
 this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1884

M. C. Beecher  
 Notary Public  
 Kings County N.Y. 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

*John Doe, whose real name is to the Grand Jury unknown.*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York by this indictment accuse  
*John Doe, whose real name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *John Doe,*

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

PETER B. OLNEY,  
~~JOHN McKEON~~, District Attorney.

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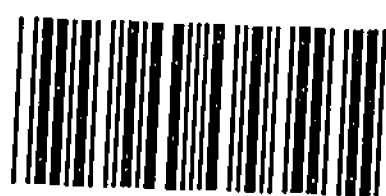
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Doe, John

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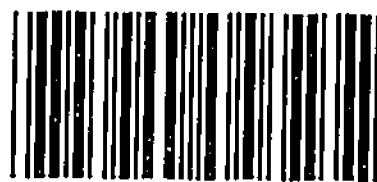
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Roe, Richard

DATE:

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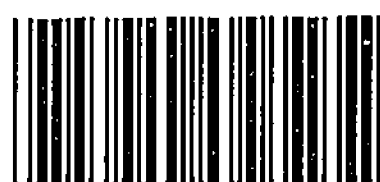
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Hoe, Robert

DATE:

12/31/84



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Witnesses:

Eugene E. O'Sullivan

Daniel D. O'Sullivan

Not Bailed or any other indictment.

12.5 on Dec. 16/84

Counsel,  
Filed 31 day of Dec 1884.

Pleads wholly true Nov 16/84.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
1. John Doe  
[Scars] NA  
2. Richard Roe  
[Scars] NA  
3. Robert Doe  
[Scars]

PETER B. OLNEY,  
JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
Foreman.

Perbill Detainer 1884  
Pleads guilty  
Judge's Disposition.  
PA & G.

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Bought Dec 11  
at 330 E. 8th St  
at 8:45 PM paid  
3000

Dec 11/84  
330 E. 8th St  
New York

City, County and  
State of New York } ss:—

George C. Oran of 150 Nassau Street, New York City, being duly sworn deposes and says, that he has just cause to believe and does believe, that John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Roe whose right names it has been found impossible to discover, but who can be identified by deponent, did on or about the 6th day of December 1884 at number 330 East Eighth Street in the City of New York and County of New York, unlawfully allow to be used a certain room establishment and apparatus for gambling purposes, and further did sell and offer to sell what are commonly called lottery policies, committed in the manner and form as follows, that is to say, on the 6th day of December 1884 deponent entered the said premises 330 East Eighth Street in the City of New York and County of New York aforesaid; and there saw the said John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Roe, and had conversation with each of them as follows. Deponent first went into the front part of 330 East Eighth Street, and then went through a room fitted up as a cigar store, or supposed cigar store, and then went through a door in a partition

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and going back, found divers and sundry persons present, and saw the said Richard Roe and Robert Hae engaged selling what is called lottery policy, and heard them call out to the divers and sundry persons who were present buying lottery policies, in the words as follows: that is to say; "who next" - Depoent then went into the rear room in the rear of the place where the said Richard Roe and Robert Hae were selling lottery policies, where other and divers persons were engaged in other gambling games known as "red and black" and "sweat" games, and where ~~establisment~~ establishment and apparatus were used in the presence of said John Doe for the purpose of gambling at the said gambling games of "red and black" and "sweat" games. That after seeing the said gambling games openly conducted in the presence of the said John Doe, depoent went back into the room where Richard Roe and Robert Hae were engaged in selling lottery policies, and depoent stepped up in front of the counter, back of which the said Richard Roe and Robert Hae were so engaged, and said first to the said Richard Roe in the presence and hearing



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of the said John Doe, who had followed deponent out, "give me a gig 3, 11, 3 3 for \$30. in both lotteries". The said Richard Roe thereupon took a piece of paper, recorded the said gig upon the same, at the same time laying the said paper while so recording it, upon a certain apparatus, book and document used for recording lottery policies, and made an impression or copy upon said manifold book, of the said gig or lottery policy so sold to deponent, and then handed the paper hereto annexed, which deponent recognizes as what is commonly called a lottery policy, to deponent, and deponent handed said Richard Roe the sum of 30 \$ to pay for the said lottery policy in the presence and view of the said John Doe. Deponent further says, that after purchasing the said lottery policy of the said Richard Roe, that in a moment or two he stepped up to the desk of Robert Hoe, and waiting in line for deponent's turn while others were buying lottery policies of the said Robert Hoe, when deponent's turn came, he said to the said Robert Hoe, "give me 3-9-27 for \$25. in both lotteries". The said Robert Hoe

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took a slip of paper in the presence and view of the said John Doe, and wrote the numbers, figures and signs upon the said paper hereto annexed and marked "Exhibit B", at the same time laying the said paper hereto annexed upon a manifold book while he recorded the figures and characters upon the said paper, thereby making a copy and record of the said figures and characters in said lottery policy upon said manifold book. The said Robert Aae then handed to deponent the said paper hereto annexed and commonly called lottery policy, and deponent handed to said Robert Aae a one dollar bill, when said John Doe said to said Robert Aae, "don't give him that slip". Deponent had hold of the paper as the said John Doe spoke to the said Robert Aae and tore the paper a little, returning the paper to the said Robert Aae, who then handed deponent back the one dollar bill. The said John Doe then with force and arms took hold of the said deponent with his left arm, saying to deponent, "I want to see you". Deponent went with him out into the rear store in front of after which, the said John Doe



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had conversation with defendant in substance as follows: - The said John Doe said, 'what did you come in here for you God damn son of a bitch, don't you know I run this place? Defendant said, no I did not know it. The said John Doe said, yes you do damn you. Defendant said, I did not know it, and then started for the front door. whereupon the said John Doe took hold of defendant's clothing with his two hands, and said, give me that paper you bought. Defendant replied, what paper. He said, the paper you bought at the first desk. Defendant said, I was getting a paper when you stopped me. John Doe said, I don't mean that paper, I mean the play you made at the first desk which you put into your pocket. The said John Doe then forcibly seized hold of defendant saying, 'you God damn son of a bitch, it is now between me and you'. Defendant thereupon opened his coat and showed to said John Doe his badge of office, saying, take your hands off, I am an Officer in the discharge of my duty. The said John Doe did thereupon strike defendant in the chest with his right hand, and



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again forcibly seized hold of defendant and again said to defendant, "you God damn son of a bitch, it is between me and you and it will be murder." at the same time while the said John Doe had forcible hold of defendant with his hands, he attempted to trip defendant up with his feet and throw defendant to the ground; but defendant keeping upon his feet defended himself as best he could by pushing the said John Doe away from him, and pushed him up against the cigar counter, throwing the said John Doe to the floor in defendant's efforts to break his hold upon defendant. The said John Doe pulled defendant down to the floor with him, calling out to the divers and sundry persons present, "to hold the son of a bitch down, don't let him up, murder him, the God damn son of a bitch," and other expressions of like import. Defendant released himself from the said John Doe and started for the door, whereupon the said John Doe again got forcible hold of defendant and dragged defendant back again. Defendant broke loose from the grasp of the said John Doe, and again made

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for the door, and defendant had his hand upon the knob of the door, and the said John Doe got hold of defendant with his left hand, and was about to strike him with his right hand, when Joseph A. Dutton opened the door and released defendant from the grasp of the said John Doe.

Defendant further says, that while in said room he saw dice and sundry persons gambling in the presence of the said John Doe at the gambling games of "red and black" and "sweet", and further saw the said Richard Roe and Robert Hae sell what are commonly called lottery policies to dice and sundry persons other than defendant. And defendant saw then and there, signs upon the wall in the words following "Envelope game every evening" (meaning thereby, the game of lottery policy known as envelope game). Another sign, "Parties not playing will please make room for those who are".

Defendant therefore prays that the said John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Hae may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

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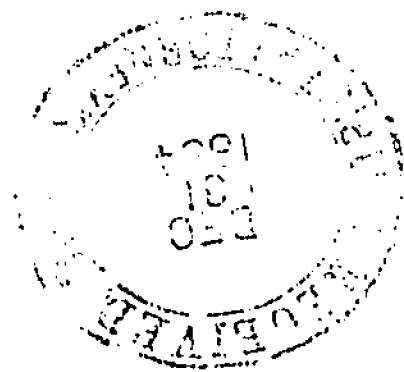
Subscribed and sworn to before me } George E. Oran  
this 19th day of December 1884 }  
N. C. Decker

~~Police Justice~~  
Notary Public  
King County  
Certificate filed in D. C. Co.

Police Court - District  
125 - 1884  
Ordered 3 bills by  
the People & C.  
on the complaint of

George E. Oran

vs  
John Doe  
Richard Roe and  
Robert Roe.





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New York Sept 21. 1888  
There are (6) indictments against me

- (1) Indictments are for writing Lottery
1. " for keeping <sup>and</sup> Gambling House
1. " for exposing Gambling Pools
- (2) " for Assault <sup>and</sup> Battery on  
Anthony Comstock's Officers

The actions for which the above  
indictments are drawn, all occurred  
on the one night in a store located  
on East 8<sup>th</sup> St, during the Fall of 1884.

On the evening in question I visited  
the above mentioned premises,  
to see the proprietor Mr Alfred  
Smith, simply in a friendly way.  
While there a commotion was  
raised among the people in  
the place, and the cry of Police  
was raised, everybody in the  
store then tried to get to the  
doors leading to the street, while  
struggling amongst the 60 or 70

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people, in my endeavor to get to the street, I was suddenly confronted by a man - who I did not know at the time, who had a pistol in his hand pointed at my head, he said to me, "Get back or I will shoot you" in trying to get away from the pistol I was shoved against another man, who was shoved with myself against the street door, and if I struck this man, it was done while I was laboring under great excitement, caused by my desire to get out. About (6) weeks after, while on Chambers St one day, I was accosted by two men, one of whom said, the other, there is John Doe or Richard Roe, I want you to arrest him, as there is a bench warrant in the District Attorney's office against him.

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I was then taken to the Court of General Sessions, where the above mentioned warrant was read to me, and I was then for the first time made aware of the charges preferred against me, I was placed under \$2500.00 Bail. On several occasions I expressed a desire to the District Attorney's Office, to have my case put on the calendar, and was anxious to prove my innocence on any and all of the indictments. I was held for I have been unable to bring my case to trial as yet, and am ~~much~~ very anxious to have <sup>them</sup> disposed of. In conclusion I will simply say that I am innocent of every count in these indictments. I never wrote policy in my life, never kept or maintained a gambling place nor exposed or owned gambling



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implements of any description  
As for the assault, in trying  
to get out to the street, I may  
have jostled or pushed against  
some one man, amongst the 70  
people there, they were all  
strangers to me

Respectfully  
Timothy Conners

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COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING:

An indictment having been found on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December

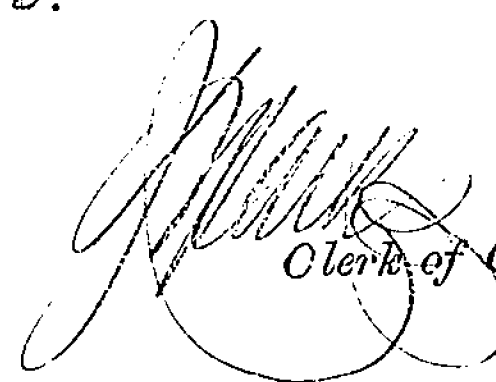
188 4, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of  
New York, charging John Doe - Richard Roe -  
and Robert Roe.

with the crime of Allowing Gambling Apparatus to be used.

You are therefore Commanded forthwith to arrest the above named John Doe, Richard Roe  
and Robert Roe and bring him before that Court to answer the indictment; or  
if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver him into the custody of the Keeper of the  
City Prison of the City of New York,

New York City, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 188 5.

By order of the Court,

  
Clerk of Court.

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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

<sup>against</sup>  
John Doe  
Richard Roe  
Robert Noe

Bench Warrant for Felony.

Issued January 5<sup>th</sup> 1885

The officer executing this process will make his  
return to the Court forthwith.

*Handwritten signature*

*of J. J. Lomen  
fructified as John  
Doe. Upon arrest  
by me on this  
Arrested Mr. \$25.00  
by Judge Downing  
Jan 19/85  
Chas Kelly  
Jas. Dough*



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City and County of New York ss.

Louis Bensinger - of 328 E. 74 St.  
New York City. being duly sworn de-  
poses and says that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
December 1884 - at the City of New-  
York in the County of New York, he  
was violently assaulted and beaten by  
John Dal, whose right name is not  
known to deponent, but who can be  
identified by deponent, and that  
such assault was without any  
justification on the part of the said  
assailant

Wherefore the deponent prays that the  
said assailant may be apprehended  
and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this

10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1884

N. J. Beecher Louis Bensinger  
Notary Public

Kings County

Certificates filed in N.Y. 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

John Doe, Richard  
Roe and Robert Roe

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Roe, whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the CRIME OF KEEPING A Room TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Roe, each —

late of the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate, to be used for gambling purposes, to wit: to be used for the purpose of therein conducting a certain gambling game commonly called red and black, where money and property was dependent upon the result, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Roe, whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown — of the CRIME OF KEEPING A room, TO BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SELLING LOTTERY POLICIES THEREIN, committed as follows:

The said John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Roe, each —

late of the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building, there situate, to be used for the purpose of therein selling and offering to sell what are commonly called Lottery Policies, and divers writings, papers, and documents in the nature of bets, wagers and insurances upon the drawing or drawn numbers of certain public or private lotteries, and of therein endorsing and using books and other documents for the purpose of enabling divers persons to sell and offer to sell lottery policies and other such writings, papers, and documents, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the said *John Doe* *whose real name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*, of the CRIME OF KNOWINGLY PERMITTING A *Room* TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said *John Doe*, 7

late of the *Eleventh* Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *sixth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* being then and there the *owner* — of a certain *certain building* *room*, there situate, known as number *three hundred and thirty* *Eighth Street*, — in the said Ward, City and County, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did knowingly permit the said *room* —

— to be used for gambling by divers common gamblers whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, whom in the said *room* — the said *John Doe* — did then and there knowingly permit to engage as players in a certain gambling game commonly called *Red and Black*, where money and property was dependent upon the result, 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Doe*, *whose real name is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*, of the CRIME OF KNOWINGLY PERMITTING A *Room* TO BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SELLING LOTTERY POLICIES THEREIN, committed as follows:

The said *John Doe*, —

late of the *Eleventh* Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *sixth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* being then and there the *owner* — of a certain *certain building* *room*, there situate, known as number *three hundred and thirty* *Eighth Street*, —

in the said City and County, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did knowingly permit the said *Room* — to be used by *Richard Roe and Robert Roe*, *whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*, for the purpose of therein selling and offering to sell what are commonly called Lottery Policies, and divers writings, papers and documents, in the nature of bets, wagers and insurances upon the drawing or drawn numbers of certain public or private lotteries, and for therein endorsing and using books and other documents for the purpose of enabling divers persons to sell and offer to sell lottery policies and other such writings, papers and documents, 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,  
~~JOHN M. OLNEY~~,  
District Attorney.



Witnesses:

George E. O'Connell

Dennis Cunningham

Ex. 1 - Bailed on another  
indictment

125 and 1897

1897

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of Dec 1884.

Pleads *Voluntarily & Lawfully*

THE PEOPLE

*Murphy vs. Connor*

*indicted in*

*John Doe*

*[6 cases] NA*

*Richard Roe*

*[3 cases] NA*

*Robert Doe*

*[3 cases]*

*Keeping Gambling Establishment,  
etc.  
(Section 848, Penal Code.)*

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN MACEON~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Moore*

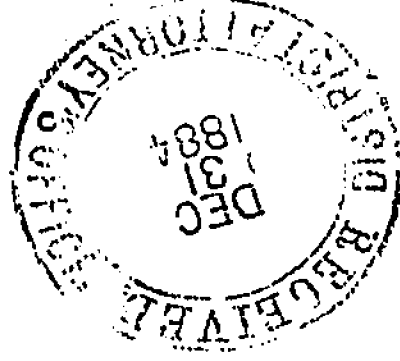
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*Part III October 1888*

*Pleads Guilty.*

*Judge & Defendant.*

*Dr. H. H.*



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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 Doe  
Richard Roe  
and Robert Doe

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Doe, whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the CRIME OF ALLOWING GAMBLING APPARATUS TO BE USED, for gambling purposes, committed as follows:

The said John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Doe, each —

late of the Eleventh Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, and on divers other days were and yet are common gamblers; and they the said John Doe, Richard Roe and Robert Doe on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, known as Number Three hundred and thirty Eighth Street, with force and arms, feloniously did allow to be used for gambling purposes, to wit: for the purpose of therewith conducting a certain banking game commonly called red and black, where money and property were dependent upon the result, a certain gambling table, establishment, and diver cards, chips, devices and apparatus, a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, the same being suitable for the purposes aforesaid, 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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN McKEON~~, District Attorney.

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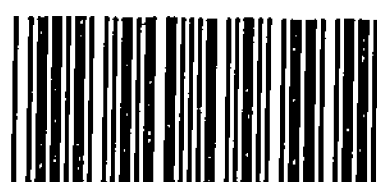
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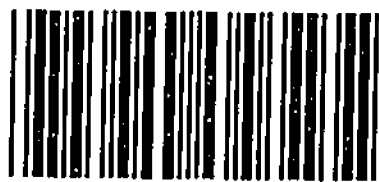
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Hoe, Robert

**DATE:**

12/31/84



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Witnesses:

Ego. E. Grand  
Sonia Grand  
2276-2<sup>nd</sup> Ave

No. 1 - Bailed on another  
indictment.

1250-1311 1884

Day of Trial,  
Counsel,  
Filed 11 day of Dec 1884  
Pleads with jury 16/12

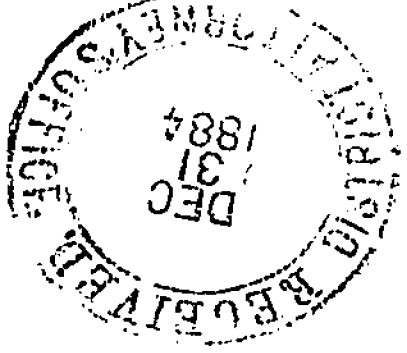
THE PEOPLE  
Thurley 6/11/84  
indicted vs. B  
John Doe and  
[Cases] 114  
Robert Doe  
[Cases]

PETER B. OLNEY,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. W. Harper*  
Foreman.

Part III October 18/84  
Pleads Smith  
Fine \$100.00



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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 Doe and Richard Roe, whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *John Doe and Richard Roe, whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown* of the crime of "Selling to another what is commonly known as a Lottery Policy," committed as follows:

The said *John Doe and Richard Roe,* each —

late of the First Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the *Sixth* — day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

*George E. Oram* —

a certain paper, instrument and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said paper, instrument and writing, called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery policy is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Doe and Richard Roe, whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,* of the crime of "Selling to others what are commonly called Lottery Policies," committed as follows:

The said *John Doe and Richard Roe,*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, ~~and~~ *and* yet ~~are~~ common gamblers; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to divers persons (whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), certain instruments and writings, commonly called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against Peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.



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THIRD COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Doe and Richard Roe whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown* of the crime of "Selling a paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a Lottery," committed as follows:

The said *John Doe and Richard Roe, 7*

late of the First Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the *Sixth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

*George E. Oram*

a certain paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper and writing is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said paper and writing is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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.

FOURTH COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Doe and Richard Roe whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown* of the crime of "Selling a writing, paper and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a Lottery," committed as follows:

The said *John Doe and Richard Roe, each*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, *was* and yet *are* common gamblers; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and

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County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one *George E. Oram*

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among certain persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows. that is to say :

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(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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.

**PETER B. OLNEY,**

**District Attorney.**

Witnesses:

Ego E. Orman  
Louis B. Orman

But failed on an  
other indictment

125 order

Day of Trial, 1898

Counsel, Filed 21 day of Dec 1884.

1 Pleads *voluntarily* de 16/12

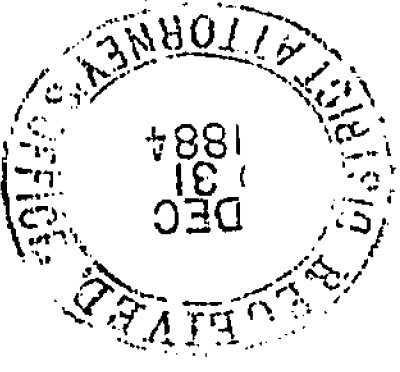
THE PEOPLE  
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*indicted*  
vs. *John Doe and*  
*[Case] 1/4*  
vs. *Richard Roe*  
*[Case]*

PETER B. OLNEY,  
District Attorney.

For a day -  
A True Bill.

*J. H. Voepel*  
Foreman.

Done  
Part III October 1888  
Pleads guilty  
Judgment Quashed  
*[Signature]*



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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Walter J. G. A.  
Britton &  
P.S. Cassidy  
Sunday Mercury  
for the People

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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 Doe and Robert  
Doe whose real names are  
to the Grand Jury unknown

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
John Doe and Robert Doe, whose real names are  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown —  
of the crime of "Selling to another what is commonly known as a Lottery Policy," committed as  
follows:

The said John Doe and Robert Doe, each 7

late of the First Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the Sixth — day of  
December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four  
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

— George E. Oran —

a certain paper, instrument and writing, commonly called a lottery policy, which said paper, instru-  
ment and writing, called a lottery policy, is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said instrument and writing so commonly called a lottery  
policy is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the  
statute in such case made and provided, and against the Peace of the People of the State of New York,  
and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
John Doe and Robert Doe, whose real names  
are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,  
of the crime of "Selling to others what are commonly called Lottery Policies," committed as follows:

The said John Doe and Robert Doe, 7

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and  
on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, ~~was~~ were  
and yet ~~are~~ common gamblers and on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and  
times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to divers  
persons (whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), certain  
instruments and writings, commonly called lottery policies (a more particular description of which is  
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in  
such case made and provided, and against Peace of the People of the State of New York and their  
dignity.

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THIRD COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Doe and Robert Roe, whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown*, of the crime of "Selling a paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a Lottery," committed as follows:

The said *John Doe and Robert Roe,*

late of the First Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, on the *Sixth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one

*—George E. Drown—*

a certain paper and writing, in the nature of a bet and wager upon the drawn numbers of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper and writing is as follows, that is to say:

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(a more particular description of which said paper and writing is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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.

FOURTH COUNT—

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John Doe and Robert Roe whose real names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown* of the crime of "Selling a writing, paper and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a Lottery," committed as follows:

The said *John Doe and Robert Roe, each*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the day and in year aforesaid, and on divers other days and times between that day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, *are* ~~was~~ ~~and~~ ~~are~~ common gamblers and on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and



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County aforesaid, with force and arms, feloniously did sell to one *George E. Oram*

a certain paper, writing and document in the nature of an insurance upon the drawing of a certain lottery, the same being a scheme for the distribution of property by chance among certain persons who had paid or agreed to pay a valuable consideration for such chance (a more particular description of which said lottery is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), which said paper, writing and document is as follows. that is to say :

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(a more particular description of which said paper, writing and document is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), 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.

**PETER B. OLNEY,**

**District Attorney.**

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Donohue, William

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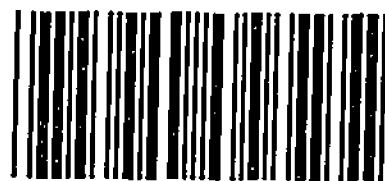
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DESCRIPTION:

Churchill, Frank

DATE:

12/29/84



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Witnesses:

W. Sheridan

W. Sheridan

Ch. 308

Counsel,

Filed

day of Dec

1884

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

William Donohue

and

Frank Churchill

Sarah S. O'Neil

Ch. 3 for District Attorney.

Ch. 2 of Circuit Court of  
A True Bill

No. 1. 1st Jury

No. 2. 2nd Jury

No. 3. 3rd Jury

No. 4. 4th Jury

No. 5. 5th Jury

No. 6. 6th Jury

No. 7. 7th Jury

No. 8. 8th Jury

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Police Court 4 District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York,Michael Sheridan  
of No. 740 Second Avenue Street, aged 36 years,  
occupation Oyster Dealerdeposes and says, that the premises No. Aforesaid 21 Ward Street, being duly sworn  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling where  
deponent resides with his family  
and which was occupied by deponent as a such  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Susan  
Sheridan and two childrenwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly Raising  
A rear window leading from the  
yard into said premises; with  
intent to commit some crime therein;on the 24 day of December 1884 in the Night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:A Cotton Skirt of the Value  
of twenty five centsthe property of deponent's wife Susan Sheridanand deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by  
William Donohue and Francis  
Churchill acting in collusion & both now personsfor the reasons following, to wit: That about two O'clockAM on the night of said day while  
deponent and his family were asleep  
the defendants were found at said  
window which they had raised up and  
the defendant Donohue was found having  
the skirt in his possession in the act of  
pulling the same from deponent's room while  
said Churchill was standing beside him as deponent  
is informed by Officer John Sheridan and deponent  
believes the same to be true Michael SheridanSubscribed to before me this  
23rd day of December 1884  
John Donohue  
Officer Justice



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CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John J. Sheridan*  
aged *29* years, occupation *Police Officer* of No. *the 21 Precinct*

Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Michael Sheridan*  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

*25*  
*December*  
188*4*

*John J. Sheridan*

*William Murray*

Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*William Donohue*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*22 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*East 115<sup>th</sup> Street*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Blacksmith*

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 do not know anything about it*

*William Donohue*  
*mark*

Taken before me this

day of *December* 188*4*

*John J. ...*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 199-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I do not know anything about it*

*Frank Churchill*

Taken before me this

day of December 1884

Police Justice.



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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed,  
and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named William Donohue  
And Francis Churchill  
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 Dec 25 1884 Henry Murray 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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*Daniel Donagan*

BAILED,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Police Court

1856  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Michael Sheridan*  
749 vs. 2<sup>nd</sup> Av.

*William Donohue*

*Francis Churchill*

*Offence*  
*Murder*

Dated

*December 25* 188*4*

Magistrate.

*Murray*  
*John J. Sheridan* Officer.

*21* Precinct.

Witnesses

*Call the Officer*

No. *Officer who arrested* Street.

*Francis Churchill*

No. *Off David H. Riggs* Street.

*21<sup>st</sup> Precinct.*

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

\$ *5.00* - *law* to answer *Yes*

*Tom*

0270

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

William Donohue  
and Frank Churchill

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

Frank Churchill

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

The said William Donohue and Frank Churchill, each

late of the *2nd* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *24th* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force and arms, about the hour of *two* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one Michael

*Shrader*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, *each* of them the said William Donohue and Frank Churchill being then and there assisted by a confederate actually present

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, *one* the said Michael Shrader, within the said dwelling house, the said

William Donohue and Frank Churchill

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

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

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SECOND COUNT.

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

*William Donohue & Frank Churchill*

of the CRIME OF ~~GRAND~~ LARCENY, ~~IN THE~~

~~Second~~, committed as follows:

The said *William Donohue and*

*Frank Churchill, each*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *twenty*  
*fourth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty-*four*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the  
*night* time of said day, with force and arms,

*one skirt of the value of*  
*twenty five cents,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Michael*

*Sherridan,*

in the dwelling house of ~~one~~ *the*

*said Michael Sheridan,* there situate, 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.

*Peter B. Olney*  
*District Attorney*



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

1627

**DESCRIPTION:**

Dooley, William

**DATE:**

12/24/84



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Witnesses:

Clara R. R.

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Counsel,

Filed 24 day of Dec 1884

Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

*vs.*

*P*

*William Dooley*

Grand Larceny 2nd degree

[Sections 528, 529, 530 — Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,

*D. C. Jan 5/85*  
District Attorney.

*Read & P.L.*  
A True Bill.

*Dooley*  
Foreman

*Per: Sir m.*

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 1517 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue & 85<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 33 years,  
occupation Domestic being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

A Quantity of Silver Ware.  
of the Value of Thirty One  
Dollars.

the property of Samuel Schram and  
in deponent's care and charge.and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by William Dorley (now here)

from the fact that deponent missed  
said property from said premises  
and deponent is informed by  
James G. M. Parlan that he arrested  
the said Dorley and found in  
his possession the Silver Ware here  
shown which deponent fully identifies  
as the property which had been  
taken stolen and carried away  
from deponent's possession

Clara Ree

Sworn to before me, this 20 day  
of December 1888  
Wm. J. Burke  
Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 231 Truman Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of blum Ree,  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December 1888 James F. McParlan

M. A. Burke  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 196-200

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

District Police Court.

*William H. Dooley* 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.

*William H. Dooley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*21 Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Wales.*

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

Answer.

*96 Street + 3 Ave. 1 Year.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Brook Peddler.*

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.*  
*William Dooley*

Taken before me this

day of

*March*

*1888*

*at*

*Police Justice.*

Police Justice.



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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 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Clara Rev.  
 1517 4<sup>th</sup> Av.  
 William Dooly

Dated Dec 20 1884

Magistrate.  
 M. Parlan Officer.

Witnesses James M. Parlan  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Precinct.  
 No. 23 Precinct, Police

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
 \$ 1000 to answer G.S.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of \$1000 Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warder and Keeper of the City Prison

Dated Dec 20 1884

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1884

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1884

Police Justice.



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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*William Dooley*

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

*William Dooley*

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

The said *William Dooley*

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

*seven spoons of the value*

*of three dollars each,*

*and one knife of the value*

*of five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Samuel Schram,*

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.

*Peter B. Olney,*

*District Attorney*