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O'Brien, John

DATE:

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Witnesses,
J. H. Kammeyer

Comprehend
much in fact
and conduct
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Counsel,
Filed
Pleads,
J. H. Kammeyer
day of Aug 1889

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John O'Brien
[Section 217 and 218, Penal Code.]
Assault, first degree, etc.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. J. Woodley
Jury copy. Foreman.
J. H. Kammeyer
J. H. Kammeyer

0010

Police Court—14 District.

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

of No. 524 East 80th Street, aged 33 years,

occupation Bar tender being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 11 day of January 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

John O'Brien (now here)
who pushed a Hot water Kew
over and upon deponent's head.
said Kew containing boiling
Hot water and causing said
water to fall upon deponent's
head and face and thereby
scalding deponent's head and
face

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 11 day

of January 1889.

James B. Karamagh
M. B. Bilde Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, 55

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John O'Brien

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. N^o 219 East 112th St. of m^{ts}

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 have nothing to say

John A. Brien

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

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 Jan 11 188 9 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court---
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James No. Karanagh
527 East 85th St
John Quinn

Offence
Quinn

BAILED,

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Residence Street.

No. 2, by
Residence Street.

No. 3, by
Residence Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.

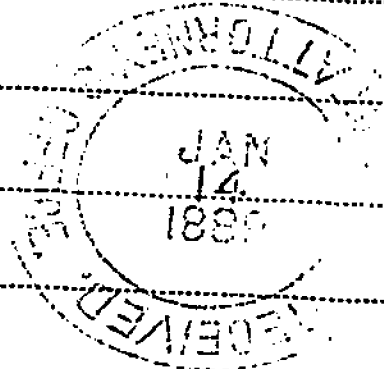
Dated *Jan 11* 1889
W. H. M. Magistrate.
Frank Officer.
21 Precinct.

Witnesses
No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *500* to answer



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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 O'Brien

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this
Indictment accuse *John O'Brien*

of the crime of *Assault in the 1st degree,*

committed as follows:

The said *John O'Brien*.

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
Seventh day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid,

with force and arms, in and upon
one James H. Harassagh, then
and there present, unlawfully and
feloniously did make an assault,
and to, at against and upon him
the said James H. Harassagh, a
quantity of hot water then and
there unlawfully and feloniously did
cast and throw, and thus the said
James H. Harassagh, with the hot
water aforesaid, so cast and
thrown as aforesaid, in and upon

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the head and neck of him the
said James M. Kavanaugh, then
and there unlawfully and feloniously
did scold and burn, the same
newspaper means and force
as were likely to produce the
death of the said James M. Kavanaugh,
with intent to injure the said James
M. Kavanaugh, thereby then and
there unlawfully and feloniously to
violate, 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 Government.

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Second COUNT.

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

John O'Brien
of the CRIME of Assault in the second degree,

committed as follows:

The said John O'Brien,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: On the day and in the year aforesaid,
at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
in and upon the said James M.
Kavanaugh, then and there being,
deliberately did unlawfully and
wrongfully make another assault,
and to, at, against and upon him
the said James M. Kavanaugh, a
quantity of hot water then and
there deliberately did unlawfully
and wrongfully cast and throw, and
pour the said James M. Kavanaugh
with the hot water aforesaid, so cast
and thrown as aforesaid, in and
upon the head and neck of him
the said James M. Kavanaugh,
then and there feloniously did

willfully and maliciously scold
and damn; and then and there and
by the means aforesaid, feloniously
did willfully and maliciously
inflict grievous bodily harm upon
the said James H. Kavanaugh,
against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and
against the peace of the People
of the State of New York, and
their dignity.

John P. Keane,

District Attorney

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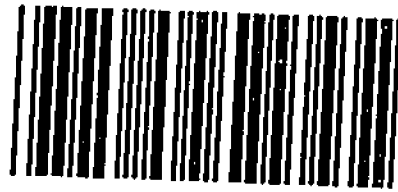
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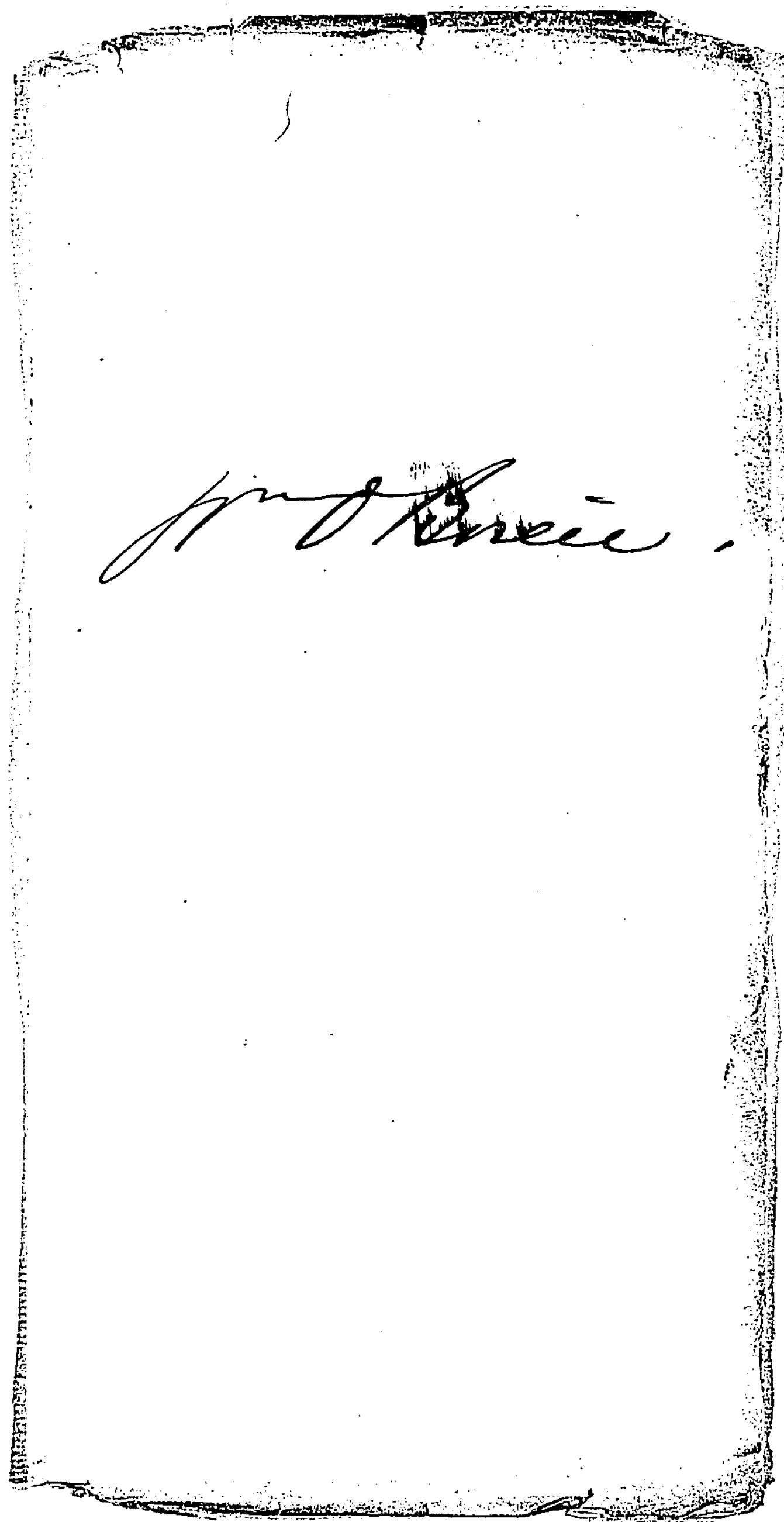
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A. 4. January 10th 1889

To whom it may concern

This is to certify that
Mr O'Brien has worked for me
for about Three (3) years as a
helper & apprentice in the moulding
department, while here he has
been steady and attentive to
his work and was always
at work when there was work
for him. His father, Timothy
O'Brien, has been working for
me for about Eleven (11) years
and is a steady and industri-
ous man.

Yours Respectfully

Wm Jm Cornell
Iron Foundry

Francis Mulligan
Foreman.
524 W 26 St

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First Regiment
Uniform Rank K. of P.

In 5 Days return to

J. O. Brien
Present

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4 HEADQUARTERS, 4

First Regiment "Uniform Rank K. of P."
STATE OF NEW YORK

PAULUS P. THOMAS,
Colonel Commanding.

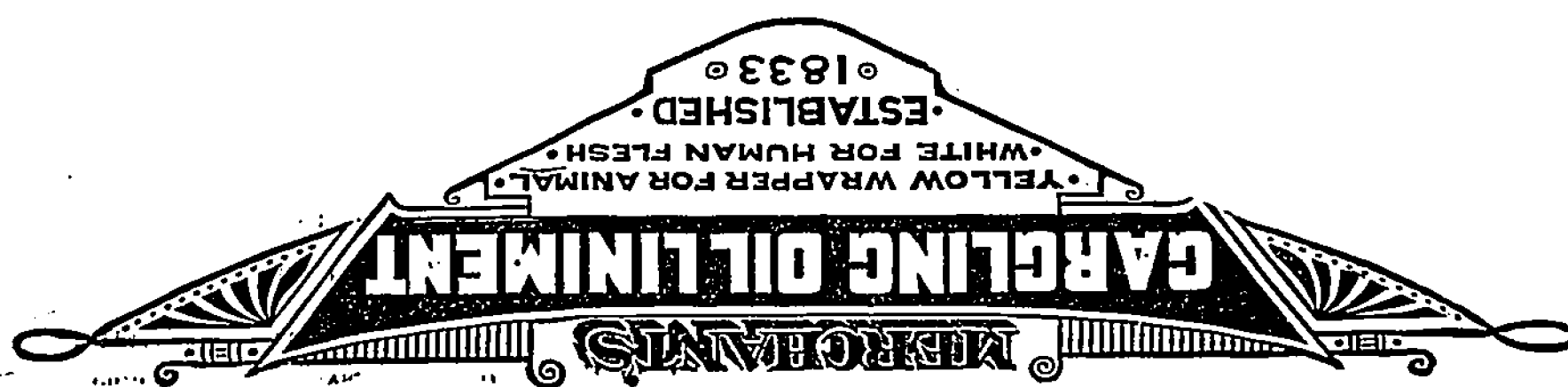
W. J. SCHWEICKERT,
Adjutant.

New York Jan 14 1885
to all whom it may concern
William C. Brian
I have known for two years to the
best of my knowledge he is a good
and Honest Boy.

Respectfully

P. J. Thomas

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If not called for in 5 days, return to
GRIGGS BROTHERS,
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE,
70 East 108th Street,
New York City, - - N. Y.

See other side.

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Cures

Burns and Scalds,
Chilblains, Frost Bites,
Scratches or Grease, Chapped
Hands, Flesh Wounds, External
Poisons, Sand Cracks, Galls of All Kinds,
Siftfast, Ringbone, Poll Evil, Swellings, Tumors,

FOR MAN

Gargot in Cows, Callous, Lameness, Horn
Distemper, Crownscab, Qulttor, Foul
Ulcers, Farcy, Abscess of the
Udder, Swelled Legs, Thrush,
Sprains and Bruises,
Toothache, Foot
Rot in Sheep.

Foundered
Feet, Roup in
Poultry, Cracked Heels,
Epizootic, Stringhalt, Wind-
galls, Spavins, Sweeney, Rheuma-
tism, Lamé Back, Hemorrhoids or Piles,

& BEAST.

Fistula, Mango, Caked Breasts, Sore
Nipples, Curb, Old Sores, Corns,
Whitlows, Cramps, Boils,
Weakness of the Joints,
Contractions of
Muscles.



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New York City, Jan. 14, 1889.

This is to certify that I have known William O'Brien for the past two years or more, and during that time have always found him to be steady and upright, he having worked by my side for some time. If this letter will do him any good, I trust that his future will be an attainment for any act that I know not of, or any one now pursuing against him.

Very Respectfully

Daniel L. Griggs

No. 20 East 189th St.

New York City

W. H.

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New York 1/14/89

To whom it may concern
This is to certify that I
have known Wm. A. Allen
for the past seven years
having worked with him
for the past three years
in the employ of J. B. &
J. M. Cornell &
I have always found him
to be an honest sober
& industrious young man
hoping that this mention
of him will be of some
benefit to him

I am Respectfully

Christopher Hyman
539 7th St

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

For Africa & the ...
I have as a ...
I have now - ...
city against the ...
to ...
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will ...

Wm. C. ...

The ...

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J. B. & J. M. CORNELL,
IRON WORK
FOR BUILDINGS, &c.,
OFFICE: 141 AND 143 CENTRE STREET.

JOHN M. CORNELL.
HENRY M. CORNELL.

New York, Dec 26th 1888

To whom it May Concern

This is to certify that
Mr O'Brien has been employed
by me in the foundry as a helper.
he has been steady and attentive
to his work while here.

Yours Respectfully
Francis Mulligan
B and M Cornell's Iron Foundry
524 W 26th St.

0030

NEW YORK GENERAL SESSIONS

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PEOPLE

X

VS.

X BURGLARY

WILLIAM O'BRIEN AND ANOTHER

X

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK SS: I, FRANCIS MULLIGAN,
being first duly sworn according to law do depose and say
I reside at *Number 445 East 58th* Street, in the
City of New York.

I am employed as Foreman in the Iron Foundry of
J.B. & J.M. Cornell, iron merchants, at 524 W. 26th Street,
this City, and have been so employed in said place for
the past *22* years.

I know the defendant William O'Brien and I know his
parents and connections.

His father Timothy O'Brien has worked for me in
said foundry for the past eleven years, and is a sober,
steady quiet and respectable citizen.

The defendant William ' Brien has been employed in
said foundry by me for the past three years as a helper and
apprentice in the ~~Moulding~~ department and has been very
quiet, honest, respectable and steady young man.

He was working for me up to the time of his arrest
and I am willing, notwithstanding defendant's unfortunate
position, to take him back at once in my employ and give
him the situation he fulfilled at the time of his arrest.

Sworn to before me this

17th day of January, 1889

P. M. Greff, Notary Public

Francis Mulligan

0031

NEW YORK GENERAL SESSIONS

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PEOPLE

X

VS.

X

MURDER BY.

WILLIAM O'BRIEN AND ANOTHER

X

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS: I, CHRISTOPHER GLYNN

being duly sworn according to law, do depose and say-

I reside at 559 W. 30th Street, this City.

I am employed by the iron merchants J.R. & J.H. Cornell at their foundry at 524 W. 20th Street, this City.

I have known defendant William O'Brien for the past seven years, and have worked ^{with} him in said foundry for the past three years.

I have always found him to be quiet, steady and industrious, and an honest young man. He was very attentive to his work in the foundry, and I have often heard his character spoken of as being of the very best.

Sworn to before me this

10th day of January, 1889.

Edward F. Davis
Notary Public Christopher Glynn
City & County of New York

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NEW YORK GENERAL SESSIONS

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P E O P L E

X

BURGLARY

VS.

X

WILLIAM O'BRIEN AND ANOTHER

X

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS: I, *Paul P.* THOMAS
being first duly sworn according to law do depose and say-
I reside at *273.9th Ave* Street in the
City of New York.

I know said defendant William O'Brien, and have
known him for the past two years or more, and know other
people who know him in this City, and the reputation that
said William O'Brien bears for honesty and good character
in this community is of the very best.

I have always found him to be upright and honest
in all his transactions, and a steady and attentive boy to
his work.

Sworn to before me
this 16th day of January, 1889.

Paul P. Thomas
Alex. F. Rogers
Notary Public
W. H. C. Rogers
No 52

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NEW YORK GENERAL SESSIONS

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PEOPLE

X

vs.

X

FUGGLAY.

WILLIAM O'BRIEN AND ANOTHER

X

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CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS: I, DANIEL L. BRIGGS
being duly sworn do depose and say-

I reside at 70 East 109th Street, in this City.

I am employed by the firm of J.B. & J.M. Cornell, iron
merchants at 524 W. 25th Street, New York City.

I have known the defendant William O'Brien for the
past two years or more.

He worked during that time day after day by my side
I have always found him to be steady, sober, upright and hon-
est.

Sworn to before me

this 15th day of January, 1909.

Daniel L. Briggs
:
Gabriel Levy
att. at Deeds
NYC

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

.....being duly
sworn, says that he resides at No.Street, in the City of
New York; that he is... years of age; that on the... day of...
18....., at Number.....in the City of
New York, he served the within.....on.....
the.....by leaving a copy thereof with.....
.....
.....
.....

Sworn to before me this
day of

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}

N. General Sessions

The People
Complainter

against

William O'Brien

Defendant.

vs

Applicant of good
Character, as to

William O'Brien

HOWE & HUMMEL,

Attorneys for

Defendant

87 & 89 CENTRE ST., New York City.

Due and timely service of cop of the within
hereby admitted

this day of 18

Attorney.

To

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N.Y. Court of General Sessions

The People &c.

- v s-

Daniel Walsh

City and County of New York, Ss:-

Henry Woods being duly sworn deposes and says: That he is a Plasterer by trade and has been in business as such for the last past six years.

That he is well acquainted with the defendant above-named and has known him intimately for the past six years.

That the defendant was an apprentice learning the trade of Plasterer under deponent during said time and that he was a hard-working, industrious and honest young man, willing to work and to perform his duties properly.

That your deponent is prepared to take said defendant back in his employ at once, if the Court found it proper to discharge him.

Sworn to before me this :::
18th. day of January 1889 :::

Julius Meyer
Commissioner of Deeds

New York City

Henry Woods

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New York January 1889.
To Whom it may Concern;

To JOHN WOODS, Dr.

PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL PLASTERER,

Removed to (452.) W. (50th Street,
443 WEST 48TH STREET.,

BETWEEN 9th & 10th AVENUE.

I have known Daniel Walsh over six years
having worked for me about three years
steadily; and occasionally for the past three
years. He is a quiet, honest, and industrious
young man; slow to take offence, and seldom
or never gives any. Any further recommendation
required, apply to.

John Woods } 452 W. 50th
Jas. Henry Woods } Street,

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N.Y. Court of General Sessions

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The People &c. :

- v s- :

Daniel Walsh :

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City and County of New York, Ss:

Michael F. Powers being duly sworn deposes and says: I reside at 438 West 30th. Street in this city. That I am a Fireman in the New York Fire Department and connected with Engine No: 19.

I have known the defendant Daniel Walsh for the past 16 years as an honest, industrious young man. He has never been arrested before to my knowledge and I consider him honest and do not believe he would have been in this trouble if it had not been through the influence of drink.

Sworn to before me this :::

15th. day of January 1889 :::

Michael F. Powers

Just Meyer

Commissioner of Deeds

New York City

0038

General Session.

The People

v.

Samuel Walsh.

affiant on
behalf of the
defendant.

Attest.

Wm. H. H. H.

0039

Police Court—2 District.City and County } ss.:
of New York, }

James H. Campbell,
of No. 293 - 9th Avenue ~~Street~~, aged 33 years,
occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No 293 - 9th Avenue ~~Street~~,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a two story brick
building, and the first of
~~which~~ which was occupied by deponent as a Liquor Saloon
and in which there was at the time ^{no} human being, by ~~name~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking
a window facing the yard of said
Liquor Saloon

on the 25th day of December 1888 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

four bottles of whiskey and food, and
lawful money of the United States, amounting
together five dollars; altogether of
the value and amounting to nine
dollars
(\$9.00)

the property of Repeant

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

William Offrein and Daniel Welsh (both now
here) and acting in concert together

for the reasons following, to wit: On the above-mentioned
date about the hour of 1 o'clock my
deponent securely locked and fastened
the doors and windows of said saloon.
Subsequently deponent was informed
by police officer Alexander Shields of
the 20th Precinct that about the hour
of 1 o'clock on said date, he the
said Shields heard a noise inside

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Said Saloon. That the said Shields then and there looked in through a front window of said store and saw the said O'Brien therein. That the said O'Brien then passed hurriedly through one of the windows of said Saloon and said Shields followed him, arrested him and found the afore-described property in his ^{Said O'Brien's} ~~possession~~ possession.

That defendant has seen said bottle so found in the possession of said O'Brien and fully identifies the same as the property stolen from said Saloon.

That previous to said burglary said Shields saw said White loitering suspiciously around said Saloon.

Sworn to before me
this 20th day of December 1888
J. H. Campbell
Police Justice

Police Court _____ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ _____ Bail.

Bailed by _____

No. _____

Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Alexander Shields
aged *32* years, occupation *Police officer* of ~~No~~

20th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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Alex Shields

W. J. Dwyer
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Daniel Welsh

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

322 West 26th Street New York one year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Painter

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.

Daniel Welsh

Taken before me this

25

day of

September

1883

Police Justice.

0043

Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

William O'Brien 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 was drunk and did not know what I was doing

W. O'Brien

Taken before me this

45

day of

December 1885

Police Justice.

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

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, each 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 25 188 8 P. J. Duffy Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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105 1995
Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James St. Campbell
293 - 28. 9 Ave
1 William O'Brien
2 Samuel Walsh
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Officer J. J. Conroy

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated Dec. 25 1888

Driff Magistrate.

Shields Officer.

720 Precinct.

Witnesses Alexander Shields

25th Precinct Police Street.

of Collins 16th Precinct

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$1000 over to answer

Conroy
J. J. Conroy

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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 O'Brien
and Daniel Welsh

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

William O'Brien and Daniel Welsh

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

The said *William O'Brien and*
Daniel Welsh, both

late of the *Twentieth* 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 *eight*, with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *saloon* of one

James H. Campbell

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

James H. Campbell

in the said *saloon* 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 O'Brien and Daniel Welsh
of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY committed as follows:

The said

William O'Brien and Daniel Welsh

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

four bottles of whiskey of the value of one dollar each bottle and the sum of five dollars, in money, lawful money of the United States and of the value of five dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the *saloon* of the said

James H. Campbell
James H. Campbell

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

John P. X. ellons
John P. X. ellons

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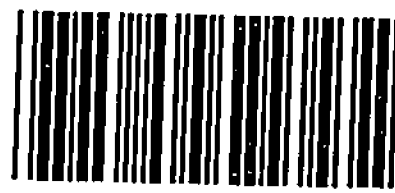
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DESCRIPTION:

O'Connor, Daniel

DATE:

01/31/89



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Witnesses;

Officer Buchanan 14th

Stephen Reed
Sergeant for R.D.

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Counsel, 3/ day of Jan'y 1889
Filed
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Daniel O'Connor

Burglary in the Third degree.
and Grand Larceny
and degree
[Section 498, 506, 528 V.S.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm J. Borlary
Jan'y 31/89. Foreman.
E. Leonard Ray Esq
1417 111, Mass. Rev
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0050

Police Court—3rd District.

City and County of New York ss.:

of No. 134th Street, aged 33 years,
occupation Balcon Keeper, being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 134th Street, 1st Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said Being a Five Story
Apartment House, and the store
floor which was occupied by deponent as Balcon
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking
the parlour fastenings &c &c
thus gaining an entrance to
said store on the 26th day of January 1889 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Two Coats, Sam Segan
and Fifty cents in good and
lawful current coin of the
United States, all of the total
value of Fifty Dollars (\$50)

the property of Frank Dunning
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

Daniel O'Connor (now
deceased)

for the reasons following, to wit:

Deponent locked,
bolted and effectually closed said
store at One O'clock on said
night and date and at about
three O'clock on said night and
date Officer Arthur C. Gendron
of the 1st Precinct Police, found said
deponent in said premises and
informed deponent; therefore

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Deponent now Charges said
Defendant with Burglary
entering said premises and
taking stealing and carrying
away said property and prays
that he be dealt with as the
Law directs Frank Brenning

Sworn & before me
this 76th day of Jan 1888
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, vs.,
on the complaint of

vs.

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Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Arthur E. Benham
aged 34 years, occupation Policeman of No. the 14th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Frank Dunning*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 26th day of January 1889 } *Arthur E. Benham*

J. G. Cuffey
Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

3 District Police Court.

Daniel O'Connor 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 guilty
Daniel O'Connor

Taken before me this
day of

1888

Police Justice.

0054

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 *Jan 16* 188 *g. B. Buggy* Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District. 138

THE PEOPLE, &C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

134
James O. Connor

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Office
J. M. Connor

Dated Jan 26 1889
J. M. Connor Magistrate.
J. M. Connor Officer.
14 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 5.00 to answer

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

0056

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Daniel O'Connor

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

Daniel O'Connor

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

The said

Daniel O'Connor

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

Frank Brenning

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

Frank Brenning

in the said saloon 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

Daniel O'Connor
of the CRIME OF *Grand LARCENY in the second degree* committed as follows:

The said

Daniel O'Connor

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

*two coats of the value
of fifteen dollars each,
four hundred cigars of the
value of five cents each
and the sum of fifty
cents in money, lawful
money of the United States
and of the value of fifty
cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the *saloon* of the said

Frank Brenning
Frank Brenning

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

John R. Fellows
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Donnell, Joseph

DATE:

01/30/89



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Witnesses:

Emma P. Larson

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Q. C. P. A

Counsel,

Filed

30 Jan'y 1889

Pleads,

Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

W. H. S.

Joseph O'Donnell

Grand Larceny Second degree.

[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

Mr. Geo. H. G. JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Pleads guilty. District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Geo. H. G.

Foreman.

Geo. H. G. 1/31/89

W. H. S.

0060

Police Court—

5 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of Emma B. Lamson
Madison Ave Hotel 35th Street, aged 32 years,
occupation Married being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 17th day of January 1888 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:

One card case one pocket book and
money together of the value
Twenty five dollars

the property of

deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,
and carried away by Joseph O'Donnell (now free)

from the fact that about the hour
of 3 PM of said date deponent
was walking in west of 18th Street
between the Western Boulevard and 18th
Avenue where she was approached
by the deponent who snatched
said property from deponent
thereof and ran away with the
same.

Emma B. Lamson

Sworn to before me, this

19

day

of January 1888
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

Joseph O'Rourke 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 -
Joseph Moore

Taken before me this

day of *Jan* 188*8*

John J. Moore
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.....

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 Jan 21 188 9 A. J. White 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 offense within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated.....188 Police Justice.

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Emma B. Hanson
Madison ave 308 150
Joseph O. Hamill

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Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

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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

Joseph O'Donnell

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by
this indictment, accuse

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

The said

Joseph O'Donnell

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eighteenth*
day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
day time of the same day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *twenty dollars*

~~dollars~~; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of

twenty
dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *twenty*

dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *twenty*

dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of *five dollars, one*

card case of the value of
four dollars, and one
rocketbook of the value of
one dollar

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Emma B. Lamson*, on
the person of the said *Emma B. Lamson* then and there being found,
from the person of the said Emma B. Lamson
then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the
statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State
of New York, and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Grady, John

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

Nelligan, Mannie

DATE:

01/17/89



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Witnesses:

Catharine Cornell
Jesse William Hyman 2P

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Counsel,
Filed
Pleads,

17 day of January 1889

THE PEOPLE

Grand Larceny degree.

[Sections 528, 53, Pennl Code].

John O'Grady 2P
Maurice Neiligan 2P

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Thos B Woodson

Foreman.

January 17/89

(Book)

Wm H. Woodson
Counsel for the People

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Court of Gen-Sessions

The People

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John O'Grady

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23D STREET,

New York, Jan. 18, 1889

CASE NO. 39.641 OFFICER Barkley
 DATE OF ARREST Jan. 8
 CHARGE Grand Larceny -
 AGE OF CHILD Thirteen years.
 RELIGION Catholic
 FATHER Dead Michael -
 MOTHER
 RESIDENCE No. 26 Bridget Washington Street (near.)

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

Oct. 24/86 - Bridget O'Grady was arrest-
 ed with boy John, while drunk on streets.
 Discharged.

May 9/87 - John O'Grady arrested for
 Petit Larceny - Convicted in Court of Special
 Sessions. Sent to Catholic Protectory.

Later - Mrs O'Grady was committed
 to work-house for "drunk and disorderly."

All which is respectfully submitted,

P. J. Holloway Secretary
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To the Court

Court of
General Sessions

The People

vs.

John A. Grady

Grand Jurors.

PENAL CODE, §

Report of the New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,

NEW YORK CITY.

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Court of Gen. Sessions

The People

agst.

Maurice Arlligan

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23D STREET,

New York, Jan. 12 1889

CASE NO. 39641 OFFICER Barker
DATE OF ARREST Jan 8,
CHARGE.

Grand Larceny

AGE OF CHILD Thirteen years

RELIGION Catholic

FATHER

MOTHER dead
Julia

RESIDENCE No. 38 Washington Street

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT there is

no previous record against child
Maurice Arlligan. The mother is
a well meaning, industrious wo-
man in poor circumstances.

All which is respectfully submitted,

E. Fellows Secretary
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To the Court

Court of
General Sessions.

The People

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Maurice Kellogg

Wound Larceny.

PENAL CODE, §

Report of the New York Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,
President, &c.,

100 East 23d Street,
New York City.

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,of No. 51 Washington Street, aged 59 years,occupation Keep a Grocery Store being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 25 day of November 1888 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession and

person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money of the United
States of the amount and value of
One hundred and three dollars

the property of

Deponent

and that this deponent

has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by

John Brady, Maurice Kelligan
both now here from the fact that the
said defendants came into deponent's store
no 51 Washington Street to buy a head of
Cabbage and while deponent was in conversation
with the boy Kelligan and in the act of
selling said Kelligan a head of Cabbage
the defendant Brady inserted his
defendants hand into the pocket of deponent's
dress and abstracted the pocket book
containing said money and the both defendants
ran away pursued by deponent therefore
deponent charges said defendants with acting in
concert with each other in taking stealing carrying
away said money

Catharine Cornell
mark

Sworn to before me, this
day
1888

William J. [Signature]

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

1st District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John Grady

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 34 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 26 Washington St 4 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Beer papers

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

Answer. I am guilty
John Grady
Mack

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

187 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Maurice Keligan 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.

Maurice Keligan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

13 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

38 Washington Street about a year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

School boy

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

Answer.

I am guilty

Maurice Keligan

Taken before me this

day of

1889

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
Three *Hundred Dollars, each* *and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of*
the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *Jan 9th* *188* *J. H. M. J.* *Police Justice.*

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Catharine Cormee
51 Washington St.
John O'Grady
Maurice McEligan

Office
from the person

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated Jan 9th 1889

Wm Ford Magistrate.

Wm Flynn Officer.

Charles Gardner 2nd Precinct.

Witnesses

No. 100 East 23rd Street.

No. Street.

No. 500 68 Street.

\$ to answer

See Report of N. Y. S. P. C. C.
for information about defendant
filed with these papers, If lost,
notify the Society at once.

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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 J. Brady and
Maurice Sullivan*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by

this indictment, accuse *John J. Brady and
Maurice Sullivan*

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

The said *John J. Brady and Maurice
Sullivan, both*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *28th*
day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the
day time of the same day, divers 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 a number and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the
payment of and of the value of *one hundred and
three*

dollars; divers other promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of a number and denomination
to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, for the payment of and of the value of
one hundred and three
dollars; divers United States Silver Certificates of a number and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *one hundred
and three*

dollars; divers United States Gold Certificates of a number and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *one hundred
and three*

dollars; divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of *three dollars, and one
pocket book of the value of
one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Catherine Cornell, on the
person of the said Catherine Cornell*, then and there being found,
from the person of the said Catherine Cornell,
then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the
statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State
of New York, and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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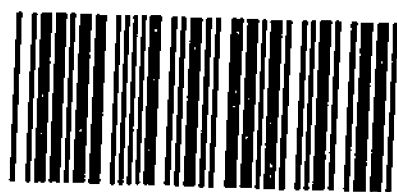
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O'Hara, John

DATE:

01/24/89



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Witnesses:

Marcus H. Cawley

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Counsel,

Filed

Pleads,

24 day of Jan'y 1889

Chicago

THE PEOPLE

vs. John O'Stara

Defendant

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. T. Brooks
Foreman.

Part II January 29/89.

Indicted & committed to the 3rd day.

Rev. Sir.

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Police Court 2 District.

City and County { ss.:
of New York,

of No. 305 West Marcus M. Cauley
Street, aged 34 years,
occupation Longshoreman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 10th day of January 1889 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, in West St

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by John

O'Hara (now here) who
willfully and maliciously cut
and stabbed deponent twice in the
head and once in the neck with
a knife which he the said
deponent then and there held
in his hand, cutting deponent
severely.

Deponent further says that such
assault was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 10th day

of January

1889

Marcus M. Cauley

John Duff
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

John O'Kara

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

John O'Kara

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Pennsylvania

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

Answer.

No 305 West Street about 6 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Longshoreman

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

Answer.

The complainant got my thumb in his mouth and bit it and struck me with his fist.

Taken before me this

day of

John O'Kara

Police Justice.

John O'Kara

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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

ten ~~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 *Jan 10* 188 *9*

[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--- District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Marcus McCauley
306 vs. 41
John O'Hara

Account-plain
Office

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street

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Dated Jan 10 1889

Quiffy Magistrate.

Theo H. Snyder Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses Patrick McCauley

No. 429 Washington Street.

Geo M. Keali

No. 429 Washington Street.

No. 500 to answer

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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 O'Hara

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

John O'Hara

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

The said

John O'Hara

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
tenth day of *January* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-nine*, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Marcus Mc Cauley*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and *him* the said *Marcus Mc Cauley*
with a certain *knife*

which the said

in *his*

John O'Hara
right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, cut, stab and
wound,

with intent

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

John O'Hara

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

The said

John O'Hara

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of
the said *Marcus Mc Cauley*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and *him* the said
Marcus Mc Cauley
with a certain *knife*

which the said

in *his*

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

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THIRD COUNT—

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

John O'Hara
of the ~~CRIME~~ ^{CRIME} of ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

John O'Hara
late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said
Marcus McCauley in the peace of the said People then

and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and

with a certain

which

the said

in

right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the

and neck

of

the said

John O'Hara
Marcus McCauley
then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, stab, cut, bruise and
wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrong-
fully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Marcus McCauley*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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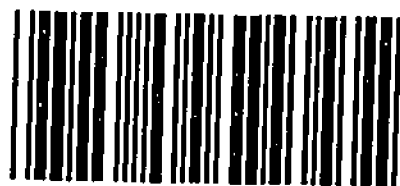
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O'Neill, James

DATE:

01/24/89



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Counsel,
Filed *24th day of May* 188*9*
Pleads, *Indigently*

Pleads,

Section 48, Subd. 5, Ch. 570.

*Burglary in the second degree,
Armed
Breaching*

James O'Neill

*State of New York
County of Westchester
v. James O'Neill*

THE PEOPLE

James O'Neill

District Attorney.

A True Bill

Foreman,
Thos B. Woodruff

Foreman.

Part III January 29/89

Pleads Petit-Jacques

Rev: Mr. Carr.

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Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 195 North Street, aged 34 years,
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 195 North Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a five story ten-

ement building the second floor
of and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name deponent

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening
a door leading into said
premises

on the 19 day of January 1889 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One shawl and one
child's sack valued
at three dollars

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

James Neill
for the reasons following, to wit: at about the hour
of one o'clock P.M. on said
date the said property was
in the kitchen of deponent's
apartment the door being closed
and deponent was in the front room
when a little girl came in and
informed deponent that a man
was trying to sell said property

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on Baxter Street. Defendants found
the said property in the possession
of the defendant on Baxter
Street.

Sworn to before me
this 20th day of January 1889 Modestia Formichelli

John J. Formichelli
Police Justice

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

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James O'Neil*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *56 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *102 Mott St. 6 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Fireman*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

James ^{*his*} *O'Neil*
mark

Taken before me this

20th

day of *September* 188*9*

John J. Conahan
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 *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 *July 20* 188 *9**John J. [Signature]*.....Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Police Court--- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Modestia Formichea
195 vs. Worth St.
James O'Neil

Offence Burglary

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Dated Jan 20 1889
Gorman Magistrate.

Murphy Officer.
6 Precinct.

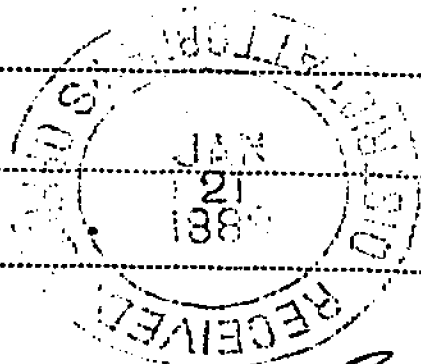
Witnesses
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BAILED,

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Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James O'Neill

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

of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows:
The said *James O'Neill*.

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

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

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

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to
steal, take and carry away;

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

James O'Neill
of the CRIME OF Box LARCENY committed as follows:

The said James O'Neill.

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

one bundle of the value of three
dollars, and one package of the
value of two dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Moderata Formidelli

in the dwelling house of the said Moderata Formidelli.

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

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THIRD COUNT—

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

James O'Neill
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said James O'Neill

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

one shawl of the value of
three dollars, and one sacque
of the value of two dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Modesta Formidelli

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

Modesta Formidelli

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

James O'Neill

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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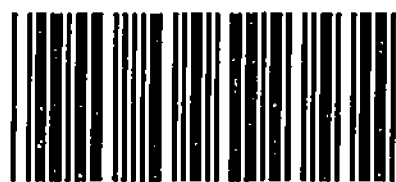
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O'Neill, Thomas

DATE:

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Counsel,
Filed 21 Jan 1889
Pleads, *Chynich*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Thomas O'Neill
Burglary in the first degree.
Section 496

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Woodman
Foreman.
Jan 23/89
Charles H. Hays
24/01 mo 0 1/2

Witnesses;
John J. Hays

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CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

POLICE COURT, 3 DISTRICT.

of No. 11th Precinct Street, aged 28 years,
occupation Callegary being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 17th day of January 1889

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

has reason to believe he does
believe that James Down
(now here) is an important
and material witness in a
case of Robbery and as said
Down has no fixed residence
here, Deponent asks that he be
detained as the Law pro-
vides and directs

John H Holland

Sworn to before me, this

January 1889

day

David C. Sullivan Police Justice.

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Police Court—

District,

City and County
of New York

of No.

occupation

deposes and says, that the premises No.

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a

and which was occupied by deponent as a

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

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

near door fastenings

on the

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

A quantity
of jewelry, of the value
of five hundred dollars
(\$500.)

the property of

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

Amice Aggini M^{re}
Thomas O'Keefe (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit:

At 12 O'clock on
said night and date
deponent locked, bolted
and effectually closed said
premises and about nine
or ten minutes thereafter
deponent heard some one
at the front and back door
of said premises, then

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Deponent ran out his front
door and called for help,
The Officer came and the
quest of said deponents
followed, therefore deponent
now charges said deponents
with attempting to Burglariously
enter said premises, and
attempting to take, steal and
carry away said property and
prays that they be dealt with
by the law direct

Known to before me } Solomon Daiches
this 31st day of Dec 1888 }

John J. Quinn Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—BURGLARY.

vs.

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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Officer Hesse of the 12th
Precinct Police, being
duly sworn deposes and
says, I am 43 years of
age, and live at No 170
Clinton St.

Q

Did you see
Lawrence Higgins about
twelve O'clock on the night
in question?

A

I saw him
on Madison St, to the
best of my knowledge
about ten minutes or
twelve past twelve (12)
O'clock on Saturday
night. I came out
at twelve O'clock, and
there can be no mistake
about the time, I saw
him on my post about
that time, with some one
else.

Sworn to before me

This 31st Day of Dec 1888 } John Justice

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Officer Moray of the
12th Precinct Police being
duly sworn deposes and
says;

Q. What time was this
Burglary committed?

A. The arrest was
made about ten or fifteen
minutes after
12 o'clock night time.

Sworn to before me }
this 31st day of Dec 1888 }
Police Justice

Michael Devlin being
duly sworn deposes and
says I live at No 12
Jackson St and I am
in the liquor business
and I am 29 years of
age. I knew the
Defendant Higgins.

Q. Can see him Saturday

Q night He was in my place from 9 o'clock to 12 o'clock on that same night

Q How far is that from the place in Grand St. where the burglary was committed?

A About three (3) blocks. I saw him on the corner when I was closing my place

I swore before me
this 31st day of Dec 1898

Police Justice

Court The defendant Higgins is discharged and the other defendant is held to answer in \$1500 at General Sessions

M. J. Treacy

Stenographer

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

3 District Police Court.

Thomas Meier 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
Thomas Meier

Taken before me this

day of

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John J. ...
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

3 District Police Court.

Lawrence Higgins 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

Lawrence Higgins

Taken before me this
day of

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Police Justice.

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

Defendant
Thomas O'Neil

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

Dated *Dec 31* 188 *8* *John Thomas* 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

Lawrence Higgins

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

Dated *Dec 31* 188 *8* *John Thomas* Police Justice.

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\$3000 bail for Ex
at 2 PM Dec 31st

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

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Police Court

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District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Ed Archer
598 Grand St
Law Higgins
The Office

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Dated

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Dec 31
Gorman Magistrate.

JA Moran Officer.

12 Precinct.

Witnesses.....

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. 2, 1500 to answer

W. Dickson

0108

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Thomas O'Neill

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

Thomas O'Neill of the crime of

of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE 1st DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Thomas O'Neill,

late of the 1st Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the 29th day of December, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, with force and arms, about the
hour of three o'clock in the night time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one Solomon Sanders,

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

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

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to
steal, take and carry away; the said Thomas O'Neill

being then and there assisted by
a confederate actually present,
whose name is to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown,

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

John R. T. Jones,
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Reilly, Bernard

DATE:

01/24/89



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WITNESSES:

Samuel Sagan

Counsel,

Filed *24* day of *Jan* 188*9*

Pleads *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

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Demond O'Reilly

James W. H.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21 and
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

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JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. Woodley
Foreman.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Bernard O'Reilly

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

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

The said

Bernard O'Reilly

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

Daniel Dugan

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

Bernard O'Reilly

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said

Bernard O'Reilly

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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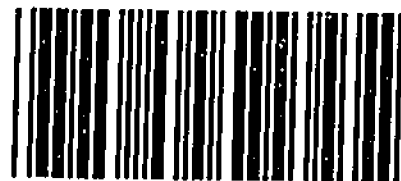
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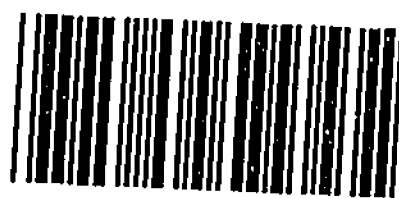
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Smith, Richard

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Arthur Conditon
F. W. W. W. W.

Counsel,

Filed 10 day of June 1889

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael O'Rourke
Victor Henderson
Samuel Hamevek
Walter Clark
Richard Smith

GAMING HOUSE, &c.
[Sections 343, 344 and 385, Pennl Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Pl. June 11/89
All pleas guilty

A True Bill.

W. O. Woodruff

No. 1. Sentence Mrs.
" 2. Sentence Mrs. Foreman.
" 3. Fine \$100.00
" 4. Sentence Mrs. \$75.
" 5. Fine \$75.

W. O. Woodruff

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City, County, and State of New York, ss.

Anthony Corinto being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that Samuel Hancock, and Richard Smith

here present, ~~as~~ the ones known as J. Babcock and Henry Brown respectively

in annexed complaint.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

4 day of January 1889

G. Thompson

Anthony Corinto

Police Justice.

l. R. N. l. A. Al. sup. Charles Cox

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Y OF New York COUNTY OF New York } ss.
AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Anthony Bonuto

a 150 Nassau Street, New York City, being duly sworn deposes and says, he is more than 1 years of age, and is employed as Chief agent of the New York Society for the suppression of Vice, that he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, that J. Babcock, J. Blank, alias Charles Dor, Michael O'Rourke, and Dick Ros Henry Brown.

whose real names are unknown, but who can be identified by Fred McHarter did, at the City of New York County of New York and State of New York, on or about the 24th day of December 1888, and ~~between that day and the 27th day of December 1888 inclusive~~ unlawfully use a room, table, establishment or apparatus for gambling purposes—and did engage as a dealer or game-keeper in a gambling or banking game, where money or property was dependent upon the result—and did sell, ~~or offer to sell what is commonly called a "lottery policy,"~~ aid, assist and abet in the same and a certain writing, paper, or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a certain lottery, hereto annexed, and did indorse and use a book or other document for the purpose of enabling others to sell or offer to sell lottery policies, writings, papers or documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, against the form of the statute of the State of New York in such case made and provided.

Deponent further says, he has just ~~cause~~ and is positive to believe, is informed and verily does believe ~~from personal observation~~ and from statements made by Fred McHarter and others

that the said J. Babcock, J. Blank, alias Charles Dor, Michael O'Rourke, Henry Brown, Dick Ros, and to deponent aforesaid, now have in their possession, at in and upon certain premises occupied by them and situate and known as 70 East 124th Street

in the City of New York and within the County and State aforesaid, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a

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public offense, divers and sundry device, apparatus, tables, establishment and paraphernalia layouts, chips, deal boxes, cards, lottery tickets, lottery policies, writings, papers, books and documents for gambling purposes, in violation of the Provisions of Chapter IX of the Penal Code of the State of New York, wherefore deponent prays that warrants may be issued for the arrest of the persons named aforesaid, and to search for, seize and take possession of all of said unlawful matter, and that all be dealt with according to law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
2nd day of January 1889. }

Anthony J. Courtstock

G. J. Smith

Police Justice.

CITY OF New York AND COUNTY OF New York ss.

of 150 Nassau Street, being over 21 years of age
 being further sworn deposes and says that on the 24th, 25th, 26th & 27th day of December 1888,

deponent visited the said premises, named aforesaid, and there saw the said
J. Babcock, J. Blank alias Charles Dorr, Michael O'Rourke & Henry Brown aforesaid, and
 had dealings and conversation with them as follows:

Deponent saw the gambling games of Red and Black and Faro, being conducted on the 24th day of December as follows. J. Babcock aforesaid was dealing Red and Black, while others were gambling & playing in the same. J. Blank ^{alias Charles Dorr} was dealing Faro while Michael O'Rourke was acting as lookout for the game.

Heard Babcock say, some man had got into a good many down town houses. Deponent also overheard a conversation that one of Courtstock's men was going about after evidence. Deponent also heard one person say that their place, meaning 20 East 12th Street was protected, that they paid \$100 a month to the Police.

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of that precinct, and that every house in ~~the~~ 14th street had also paid money for protection.

Dec 25th on visiting said premises, Deponent saw

J. Blauk ^{alias Charles Doh} was dealing Faro and others were playing.

Dec. 26th ~~Dick~~ ^{Harry Brown} was dealing Faro, and J.

Boabeck was dealing Red and Black. There was one player who carbed in \$135⁰⁰/₁₀₀ ^{of chips}, while another man lost \$220⁰⁰/₁₀₀ in deponent's presence.

Dec 27th Michael O'Rourke was dealing Faro, and J.

Blauk ^{alias Charles Doh} was aiding, assisting and abetting as lookout.

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 3rd day of January 1888.

J. H. M. M. M.

Police Justice.

J. H. M. M. M.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
_____ day of _____ 188____. }

Police Justice.

THE PEOPLE	AGAINST
ON COMPLAINT OF <i>Anthony Crutcher</i>	<i>J. Biberich</i> <i>J. Frank alias dealer, for</i> <i>Michael O'Leary</i> <i>Rich. Lee</i> <i>Harry Brown</i>

Affidavit of Complaint.

WITNESSES:

A. Connelley
Fred W. P. Martin

Violation Sec. 244, P. C.
Gambling and Policy.

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Sec. 198-200.

182 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Samuel Hancock

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

47 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

16 Downing St 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Oysterman

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

Answer.

I am not guilty and by advice
of counsel waive examination
Samuel Hancock

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1st District Police Court.

Richard Smith 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. Richard Smith

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 221 East 42 St 2 Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Inspector

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

Answer. I am not guilty and waive
examination
Richard Smith

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Michael O'Rourke 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. *Michael O'Rourke*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *58 East 11th Street, Brooklyn*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *None*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*

Michael O'Rourke

Taken before me this

day of *January* 188*9*

J. W. McDonald

Police Justice.

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

Anthony Bonaiuto being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that Victor Henderson, Richard Smith

here present on the one known as Victor Dr, and Henry Brown, respectively
in annexed complaints warrant

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

4th day to January 1889

J. A. McDonald

Anthony Bonaiuto

Police Justice.

~~Suppression of Vice, and he has just cause to believe, is immoral and very does~~

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New York COUNTY OF New York } ss.
AND STATE OF NEW YORK.

Anthony Courtick

150 Nassau Street, New York City, being duly sworn deposes and says, he is more than 21 years of age, and is employed as Chief agent of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, that he has just cause to believe, is informed and verily does believe, that Victor Dor, Henry Brown, Charles Nichols
J. Smith

whose real names are unknown, but who can be identified by Fred McMarley
did, at the city of _____ County

of _____ and State of New York, on or about the 10th day of December 1888, unlawfully use a room, table, establishment or apparatus for gambling purposes—and did engage as a dealer or game-keeper in a gambling or banking game, where money or property was dependent upon the result—and did aid, assist abet in the ~~sell, or offer to sell what is commonly called a "lottery policy," and a certain writing, paper, or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a certain lottery, hereto annexed, and did indorse and use a book or other document for the purpose of enabling others to sell or offer to sell lottery policies, writings, papers or documents in the nature of a bet, wager or insurance, upon the drawing or drawn numbers of a lottery, against the form of the statute of the State of New York in such case made and provided.~~

Deponent further says, he has just ~~come~~ ^{cause} to believe, is informed and verily does believe from ~~personal observation and~~ from statements made by Fred McMarley

to deponent

that the said Victor Dor, Henry Brown, Charles Nichols and
J. Smith aforesaid, now have in their possession, at in and upon certain premises occupied by them and situate and known as Number

Seventy east Twelfth street
in the city of New York and within the County and State aforesaid, for the purpose of using the same as a means to commit a

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public offense, divers and sundry device, apparatus, tables, establishment and paraphernalia layouts, chips, deal boxes, cards, lottery tickets, lottery policies, writings, papers, books and documents for gambling purposes, in violation of the Provisions of Chapter IX of the Penal Code of the State of New York, wherefore deponent prays that warrants may be issued for the arrest of the persons named aforesaid, and to search for, seize and take possession of all of said unlawful matter, and that all be dealt with according to law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
 3rd day of January 1889. }

Anthony Bonetto.

J. H. Murphy Police Justice.

CITY OF New York AND COUNTY OF New York ss.

Frederick H. Kraper of 150 Nassau Street, of more than 21 years of age being further sworn deposes and says that on the 10th day of December 1888.

deponent visited the said premises, named aforesaid, and there saw the said Victor Dor, Henry Brown, Charles Nichols and J. Swift aforesaid, and had dealings and conversation with them as follows:

Deponent found Victor Dor at the door, and he entreated the same to allow persons to enter said premises if they were known to him to be all right. Upon being admitted by Victor Dor, deponent found the gambling game of Faro, in full operation. Henry Brown was dealing said gambling game and Charles Nichols was in the lookout chair aiding assisting & abetting said game as a lookout, and J. Swift aforesaid kept the game on the cut box or tally rack. Deponent saw money won and

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look and sat watching said gambling game
being so conducted for about one hour.

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 3rd day of January 1889 } J. H. MacMaster
J. H. MacMaster }
Police Justice.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
_____ day of _____ 188_____ }

Police Justice.

THE PEOPLE	ON COMPLAINT OF	AGAINST
	Anthony Grunberg et al.	
		Richard J. Lee
		Henry Brown
		Charles Wick
		J. J. Smith

Affidavit of Complaint.

WITNESSES:

A. Connelley
Fred W. Martin

Violation Sec. 344, P. C.
Gambling and Policy.

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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.....

Defendants

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, *each* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison, of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *Jan 9* 188 *9* *J. H. Thompson* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Jan 4th* 188 *9* *J. H. Thompson* 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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Indictment found
January 9/89

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Ferdinand A. Hill
32 East 43

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

F A Hill
32 E 43

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

F A Hill
32 E 43

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Comstock
vs.
1 Samuel Hancock
2 Richard Smith
Michael Komke

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

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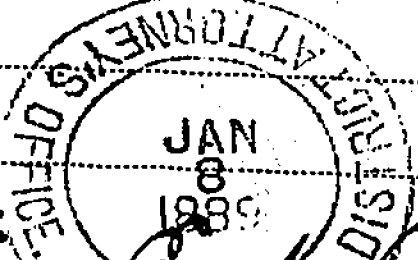
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to answer

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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

*Samuel Mancoda
Richard Smith and
Michael O'Rourke*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Samuel Mancoda, Richard Smith and Michael O'Rourke*

(Sec. 343, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed as follows:

The said *Samuel, Richard and Michael, all*

late of the *22nd* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *22nd* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, and on divers other days and times as well before as after, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate, to be used for gambling, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Samuel Mancoda, Richard Smith and Michael O'Rourke*

of the CRIME OF ALLOWING A ROOM, ESTABLISHMENT, TABLE AND APPARATUS TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said *Samuel, Richard and Michael, all*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, having the care, custody and supervision of, and authority over the use of a certain room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling-table, and establishment, and divers cards, chips, dice, implements and paraphernalia and sundry devices and apparatus,

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a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, the same being suitable for gambling purposes, with force and arms, feloniously did allow the same to be used for gambling purposes, against the form of the Statute, in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

Samuel Manada
of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS DEALER IN A gambling GAME,
where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:

The said Samuel Manada,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was, and yet is a common gambler; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said Samuel,

at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, feloniously did engage as dealer in a certain gambling game commonly known as "Red - and - Black" where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said gambling game 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. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

Richard Smith
dealer
of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS GAME KEEPER IN A gambling GAME,
where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:

The said Richard Smith,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was, and yet is a common gambler; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said Richard,

at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, feloniously did engage as dealer in a certain gambling game commonly known as "Xaro" where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said gambling game 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.

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FIFTH COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS PLAYER IN A GAME,
where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:
The said

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was, and yet is a common gambler; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said

at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, feloniously did engage as player in a certain game commonly known as where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said banking game 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.

SIXTH COUNT. (Sec. 385, Penal Code.)

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Samuel Stansbury, Richard Smith and Michael Stansbury* of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:
The said *Samuel, Richard and Michael, all*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain common gaming-house there situate, for *their* lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in *their* said common gaming-house, then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and injuriously did cause and procure divers idle and ill-disposed persons to be and remain, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, to game together and play at a certain unlawful game of cards called "*Spoo*" *and red & black* in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, there did unlawfully and injuriously procure, permit and suffer, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, then, and on said other days and times, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, by such procurement, permission and sufferance of the said *Samuel, Richard and Michael*

there did game together and play at said unlawful game of cards, for divers large and excessive sums of money, to the great annoyance, injury and damage of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State, there inhabiting and residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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Witnesses:

Arthur Crummett
F. H. Wellman

Counsel,

Filed 10 day of Aug 1889

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Samuel Hancock
(2 cases)
Richard Smith
(2 cases)
Michael O'Rourke
(2 cases)

[Sections 343, 344 and 385, Penal Code]

GAMING HOUSE, &c.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Pr Aug 11/89 District Attorney.
all. pl. to go.

A True Bill.

Geo. W. Moody

Foreman.

MS. 1-2837
Sentence. OWS. PRM

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Sec. 198-200.

10th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Victor Henderson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

70 East 12th St 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Steward

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty and am in
examination
Victor Henderson*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

15 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Richard Smith

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 31 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 221 East 42nd St 2 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Inspector

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

Answer. I am not guilty and was in
examination
Richard Smith

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

15th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Charles Nichols 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.

Charles Nichols

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

37 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

70 West 12th St 3 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Steward

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

Answer.

I am not guilty by advice of
my Counsel I waive examination

Cha Nichols

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *Jan 7th* 1889 *J. Murphy* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Jan 4th* 1889 *J. Murphy* 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---

1578 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Anthony Ernestock
Victor Henderson
Richard Smith
Charles Nichols

Offence

Dated Jan 4 1889

John F. Jole
Magistrate.
Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses J. A. Macmartin
No. 168 Nassau Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 500 to answer

Prison

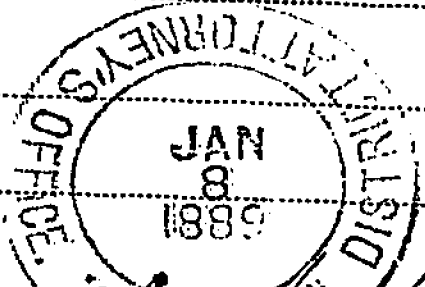
BAILED

No. 1, by Ferdinand H. Bell
Residence 32 E 43 Street.

No. 2, by F. H. Bell
Residence 32 E 43 Street.

No. 3, by Ricardo Rodriguez
Residence 160 Lexington Street.

No. 4, by
Residence Street.



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Victor Henderson,
Richard Smith and
Charles Richards*

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

*Victor Henderson, Richard
Smith and Charles Richards*

(Sec. 343, of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed
Penal Code.) as follows:

The said

*Victor Henderson, Richard
Smith and Charles Richards, all*

late of the *15th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *eight*, and on divers other days and times
as well before as after, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and
County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain
building there situate, to be used for gambling, against the form of the Statute in such case
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and
their dignity.

SECOND COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

*Victor Henderson, Richard
Smith and Charles Richards*

of the CRIME OF ALLOWING A ROOM, ESTABLISHMENT, TABLE AND
APPARATUS TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said

*Victor Henderson, Richard
Smith and Charles Richards, all*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year
aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

a certain room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling-table, and 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 gambling purposes, with force and arms, feloniously did allow to be used for gambling purposes, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT. (Sec. 385, Penal Code.)

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Victor Henderson, Richard Smith and Charles Smith* of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said *Victor Henderson, Richard Smith and Charles Smith* all late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain common gaming-house there situate, for *their* lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in *their* said common gaming-house, then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and injuriously did cause and procure divers idle and ill-disposed persons to be and remain, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, to game together and play at a certain unlawful game of cards called *low, "roulette" and "red and black"*, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, there did unlawfully and injuriously procure, permit and suffer, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, then, and on said other days and times, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, by such procurement, permission and sufferance of the said *Victor Henderson, Richard Smith and Charles Smith* there did game together and play at said unlawful game of cards, for divers large and excessive sums of money, to the great annoyance, injury and damage of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State, there inhabiting and residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

Witnesses;

Anthony Constant
F. H. McMartin

Counsel,

Filed 10 day of Sept 1889

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Victor Henderson
(2 cases)
Richard Smith
(3 cases)
Charles Nichols

[Sections 343, 344 and 385, Penal Code]
GAMING HOUSE, &c.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Sept 11/89 District Attorney.
Not present guilty.
all found guilty

A True Bill.

Wm B. Wood

No. 3 - Fine \$200.
No. 182 - Sentence 2 w's -

Foreman.

R. B. M.

General Sessions Court } ss
 City, County & State of New York }
 The People }
 or }
 Michael A. Bourke et. al. }

The People or }
 or }
 Charles Dor, alias J. Blaue et. al }

The People or }
 or }
 John Smith alias J. Smith }

John Sparks, esq.
 Clerk &c.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly send
 the papers of Complaints, in the above entitled
 Cases, to the Towns Police Court, as there are
 defendants complained of who have not been
 arrested upon said Complaints, and they desire
 to surrender themselves upon the same.

J. R. Fellows
 Sincerely
 J. R. Fellows

Received the within papers this 25th day
 of Jan. 1889

Anthony Bontade

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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

*Michael O'Rourke, Victor
Henderson, Samuel Mancosta,
Walter Rhada and Richard
Smith*

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

*Michael O'Rourke, Victor
Henderson, Samuel Mancosta
Walter Rhada and Richard Smith*

(Sec. 343, Penal Code.) of the CRIME OF KEEPING A ROOM TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING, committed as follows:

The said *Michael O'Rourke, Victor Henderson,
Samuel Mancosta, Walter Rhada
and Richard Smith, all* late of the *22nd* Ward of the City of New York; in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *29th* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and on divers other days and times as well before as after, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, unlawfully did keep a certain room in a certain building there situate, to be used for gambling, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *Michael O'Rourke, Victor Henderson, Samuel Mancosta, Walter Rhada and Richard Smith* of the CRIME OF ALLOWING A ROOM, ESTABLISHMENT, TABLE AND APPARATUS TO BE USED FOR GAMBLING PURPOSES, committed as follows:

The said *Michael O'Rourke, Victor Henderson,
Samuel Mancosta, Walter Rhada and
Richard Smith, all* late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, having the care, custody and supervision of, and authority over the use of a certain room in a certain building there situate, and a certain gambling-table, and establishment, and divers cards, chips, dice, implements and paraphernalia and sundry devices and apparatus,

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a more particular description whereof is to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given, the same being suitable for gambling purposes, with force and arms, feloniously did allow the same to be used for gambling purposes, against the form of the Statute, in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

Richard Smith

of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS DEALER IN A gambling GAME, where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:

The said Richard Smith.

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was, and yet is a common gambler; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said Richard Smith

at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, feloniously did engage as dealer in a certain gambling game commonly known as "2 game," where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said gambling game 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. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

Michael Scandone

of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS GAME-KEEPER IN A gambling GAME, where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:

The said Michael Scandone.

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was, and yet is a common gambler; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said Michael Scandone

at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, feloniously did engage as game-keeper, in a certain gambling game commonly known as "roulette" where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said gambling game 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.

FIFTH COUNT. (Sec. 344, Penal Code.)

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

Samuel Hancock
of the CRIME OF ENGAGING AS ^{dealer} ~~PLAYER~~ IN A gambling GAME,
where money and property were dependent upon the result, committed as follows:

The said Samuel Hancock,

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on divers other days, was, and yet is a common gambler; and on the day and in the year aforesaid, the said Samuel Hancock.

at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in a certain room in a certain building there situate, feloniously did engage as ^{dealer} ~~player~~ in a certain gambling game commonly known as "red and black" where money and property were dependent upon the result, a more particular description of which said gambling game 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.

SIXTH COUNT. (Sec. 385, Penal Code.)

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Michael O'Rourke, Victor Henderson, Samuel Hancock, Walter Clark and Richard Smith of the CRIME OF MAINTAINING A PUBLIC NUISANCE, committed as follows:

The said Michael O'Rourke, Victor Henderson, Samuel Hancock, Walter Clark and Richard Smith, all

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain common gaming-house there situate, for their lucre and gain, unlawfully and injuriously did keep and maintain; and in their said common gaming-house, then and on said other days and times, there unlawfully and injuriously did cause and procure divers idle and ill-disposed persons to be and remain, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, on the day and in the year aforesaid, and on said other days and times, to game together and play at a certain unlawful game of cards called "far", "roulette" and "red and black", in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, there did unlawfully and injuriously procure, permit and suffer, and the said idle and ill-disposed persons, then, and on said other days and times, in the said common gaming-house aforesaid, by such procurement, permission and sufferance of the said Michael O'Rourke, Victor Henderson, Samuel Hancock, Walter Clark and Richard Smith there did game together and play at said unlawful game of cards, for divers large and excessive sums of money, to the great annoyance, injury and damage of the comfort and repose of a great number of persons, good citizens of our said State, there inhabiting and residing, and passing and repassing, to the common nuisance of the said citizens, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Rourke, Thomas

DATE:

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Witnesses,

John Desmond

Counsel,

Filed *31* day of *Jan* 188*9*

Pleads, *Magistrate Feb*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

vs. other

Thomas O'Rourke

72 March 1, 1889.

Druid & Emerald Assoc. Inc.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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all other requests

A True Bill.

Wm. B. Bradley

Feb 18 1889

Foreman.

By Wm. B. Bradley

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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THE PEOPLE
v.
THOMAS O'ROURKE,
Indicted for Robbery in
the 2d Degree.
Indictment filed Jan 31, 1889.
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: Tried Feb. 28th, 1889, before
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: The Hon. Frederick Smyth,
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: and a Jury.

A P P E A R A N C E S:

Assistant District Attorney Davis for the People.
Messrs. Purdy & McLaughlin for the Defense.

V I O L A D E S M O N D, the complainant, testified that she lived at No. 15 West 44th Street, between Fifth and Sixth Avenues. On the 20th of January, 1889, she lived at 115 Seventh Avenue, near 17th Street. She saw the defendant on the evening of January 20th. It was Sunday night. When she first saw the defendant he was standing in the porch of the 17th Street door of Fink's saloon, which was at the corner of 17th Street and Seventh Avenue. The porch was over the 17th Street

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door of the saloon. The defendant was standing alone. The defendant stepped forward and struck her with his first and took the money out of her hand and started up towards Sixth Avenue. She had a five dollar bill in her hand, which she intended to get changed. She, the complainant, lived next door to the saloon in 17th Street. He struck her in the eye. She had the bill open in her right hand. When he struck her she put her left hand up to her eye, and she felt the defendant wring the bill out of her right hand. She went up into her room and laid down. Her eye and her face were swollen. She laid down and slept until near twelve o'clock that night, and then she went down to Fink's saloon to get some liquor to bathe her eye. She wanted some whisky. The defendant was in the saloon, leaning against the bar. As soon as he saw her enter the saloon he pulled his hat over his eyes and turned the collar of his coat. She walked up to him and pushed up his hat, and said, "You are the one that struck me." Then the defendant turned around and struck her again. She went up to her room and lay down again, and about three o'clock on the following afternoon, she went to the 30th Street Police Station and made a complaint.

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She, the complainant, watched the saloon in the evening and saw the defendant in there drinking with a girl, and called a police officer and had him arrested. In the saloon the defendant acknowledged that he struck her, but did not take any money from her. A girl who said that she was the defendant's sister said, in the defendant's presence, that the defendant had been drinking for three weeks, and if he had not been drinking he would not have done it.

Under Cross Examination, the complainant testified that she was married and that her husband was in Delhi, New York. She, the complainant, boarded for four weeks at 115 Seventh Avenue before the robbery. Before that she resided at 31 South Fifth Avenue, and had lived there nine or ten months. She rented the floor that she occupied from an Italian named Phimonela, who lived in the back yard of the same house. Her husband did not live there with her. He was out West and only came to New York occasionally. He came to New York about once in ten or twelve months. She had never been arrested in her life. Her husband had been last in New York about two months before the robbery, when she was living at 31 South Fifth Avenue. She had been in the habit of

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visiting Fink's saloon when she wanted anything to drink. When she was robbed it was between six and seven o'clock in the evening. She carried the money in her hand because she did not have a pocket book with her. She intended to get the bill changed at a cigar store in Seventh Avenue near 17th Street. She took the bill from her pocket book in the bureau drawer. She wanted to pay a bill for coal. She had not been in the saloon that evening before to drink, and had not been in there at any time that afternoon. She did not have on a red dress with a very short skirt. She was not intoxicated that evening. When she was in the saloon at twelve o'clock and the defendant struck her she did not say "You white-livered son of a bitch, I will get even with you."

OFFICER EDWARD F. BRETT, testified that he was attached to the 19th Precinct, and arrested the defendant at half past twelve o'clock on the morning of January 22d, in Fink's saloon, Seventh Avenue and 17th Street. On the preceding afternoon at about four o'clock the complainant came to the 30th Street Police Station and made a complaint that she had been robbed. He asked the complainant if she thought

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that O'Rourke would be in the saloon then, but she said no, she thought he would be there in the evening. He, the witness, and Officer Grady went to the saloon in the evening to make the arrest and when they entered they found Officers Ackert and McDermott in the saloon. McDermott said to him, the witness, "Here is a man that this woman charges with robbery," and he, the witness, said, "I am just coming down after that man." He, the witness, informed the defendant of the charge against him, and he said, "I will tell you how it came around. She came in about twelve o'clock last night, and I was sitting in the room with a girl, and she lifted off my hat and said, "You are the man that struck me," and I said, "Go away; who are you talking to?" and she insisted upon it and I got up and slapped her face." He, the defendant, said that he took no money whatever from the complainant. He, the witness, then arrested the defendant, and took him to the station house, and also kept the complainant at the station house overnight so that she would appear as a witness in the morning.

Under Cross Examination, the witness testified that the complainant told him in the station house that she going through 17th Street to pay a coal man for some coal

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that he had left at her house, and that the defendant came up and struck and robbed her. She said that the robbery occurred about seven o'clock in the evening. She said that she had a five-dollar bill in her hand.

The Complainant, being recalled by the District Attorney, testified that she told the officer that she was going to get change to pay a coal man when she was robbed. The coal man was waiting for the money at her house. He had no change. She owed him twenty-five cents.

Under Cross Examination, the witness testified that she was a dressmaker. During the month preceding she had made one dress for a Mrs. Fulton in 38th Street, between Seventh and Eighth Avenues. She had also made some dresses for young girls that lived in 26th Street. She did not know their numbers. They brought the dresses to her house. She, the witness, had lived in the city about seven or eight years, and had worked partly as a dressmaker and partly in doing housework. She had been a dressmaker ever since she was fifteen years old. She had worked as a servant for Misses Tavenely and Thompson, who kept a French school. She worked there as a waitress during the school season of

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the preceding year. She had also worked for Father Burke, the Pastor of St. Benedict's Church as a servant in December, 1938.

For the Defense, Patrick Keenan, testified that he was a bartender and tended bar for John Fink, of 117 Seventh Avenue. He knew the complainant, Viola Desmond, by sight. She had been in the habit of coming into the saloon. He knew O'Rourke. He testified that on the night of the alleged robbery the complainant came in about half past six with a man and had a drink. She returned about nine o'clock. She ordered a drink for herself and treated everybody in the saloon. He served whisky and beer. She came in again about ten o'clock at night. She had on a red dress which was pretty short. It came down a little below her knee. O'Rourke came in about half past ten. They had a round of drinks, and the complainant took a drink and ordered drinks for the party. Then there were a number of drinks taken, each person ordering in turn. Then O'Rourke caught hold of the complainant and started to waltz with her, and she knocked off his hat and started to kick it, and O'Rourke sort of pushed her in the face, and she fell against the ice-box and became angry. He,

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the witness, told her not to get angry about that, and she said, "Yes, I will get square with the white-livered son o' a bitch," and she went out then, and he, the witness, heard nothing more until the officers came in on the following evening about midnight and arrested O'Rourke. The complaint was under the influence of liquor at the time that she and O'Rourke attempted to waltz.

Under Cross Examination the witness testified that he had been arrested for a violation of the excise law.

Henry Smith, bartender, of Seventh Avenue and 25th Street, testified that he saw Mrs. Desmond and O'Rourke in Fink's saloon on the night of January 20th. He reached the saloon at about a quarter past O'Rourke and a woman were sitting in the small room drinking, and then O'Rourke commenced to waltz upon the floor, and showed her the sporting pictures on the wall. She knocked his hat off and attempted to kick it, and he shoved her onside up against the ice-box, and she got mad and threatened to get square with him.

Under Cross Examination he testified that he left his own place of employment at Seventh Avenue and 25th Street about half past ten o'clock and reached Fink's saloon about one. He was in Fink's saloon altogether

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about four hours.

James W. Wall testified that he kept an oyster and fish market at 155 Seventh Avenue. He entered Fink's saloon at about half past eleven o'clock on the night of the 20th of January. When he entered he saw the complainant at the bar and afterwards in the little back room. She was smoking and drinking and invited all hands to drink with her. The witness then corroborated the previous witnesses as to the dancing and the knocking off of the hat, and the threat of the complainant against the defendant.

Under Cross Examination, he testified that he had a number of drinks in the saloon, and paid for one round. He could not swear that Mrs. Desmond paid for any round.

T H O M A S O ' R O U R K E, the defendant, testified that he was a bartender. He had been working in Fink's saloon, but had been laid off with a sore leg. The testimony of the complainant was entirely untrue. He saw her on Saturday night between ten and eleven o'clock in Fink's saloon in Fink's back room. There was a blind man in there playing a harmonica, and the complainant got up and waltzed by herself. He, the defendant, and a young woman were sitting at a table.

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There were also other men and women in the room. The complainant took two glasses of beer and went out. At about half past ten o'clock on Sunday night a young man in the back room named Charley Eckers and a lady friend were sitting in the back room, and Eckers called him, the defendant, into the room. Then the complainant came in and had a glass of beer and a cigar. The young girl that was with his friend Eckers put out her hand and he, the defendant, pretended that he was going to spit at it, and the complainant passed the remark that she would not allow any man to do that to her, and everybody laughed at her, and he, the defendant, went into the saloon, and then the complainant finished her cigar and filled her lip with snuff and went out of the saloon. She returned about one o'clock and had a few drinks. Then the complainant began to dance around the floor, and he, the defendant, had been drinking and caught hold of the complainant and started to waltz with her. The complainant said that he couldn't dance, and he, the defendant, pushed her away from him and she fell against the icebox. She knocked off his hat and kicked and he gave her a shove, and as she went out of the door she said, "You white-livered son of a bitch I will get square on you."

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He, the defendant, did not snatch a five-dollar bill or any money from her hand at any time.

Under Cross Examination he testified that he had been convicted of an assault upon a young man named Spitzer, whose father had formerly been employed in the District Attorney's office. He had never been arrested for stealing, but had been arrested for violation of the excise law. He had served two years and a half in State prison for the assault. He first got three months for the assault in Jefferson Market, and then Spitzer, as he believed saw his father in the District Attorney's office and got a bench warrant out and he, the defendant, was taken to headquarters and brought to the General Sessions and sentenced to State prison for two years and a half. It was in a fight between Spitzer and himself that the cutting was done, but he, the defendant, did not cut Spitzer. He was sentenced in 1883. He was sentenced by Recorder Smyth to State prison on October 5th, 1883, for two years and a half.

CHARLES ACKERT testified for the Defense that he was a truck-driver with a stand at St. John's Park. He saw O'Rourke and Viola Desmond in Fink's saloon on the night of the 20th of January, and he corroborated the account of what occurred previously

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given by the witnesses for the defense.

Under Cross Examination he testified that he entered the saloon with a lady friend named McGinniss, to give her a drink. He invited the defendant, O'Rourke to sit at the table with Miss McGinniss and himself and have some drinks in the back room. He had known O'Rourke for about three years as a bartender.

B E R N A R D S C H L I C H, of 113 Seventh Avenue testified that he had known the defendant for two years, and he had always found the defendant to be upright and square.

Under Cross Examination he testified that he had never been convicted of any crime. He knew Viola Desmond, the complainant by seeing her on the street.

P E T E R F A L D O N, grocer, of 116 Seventh Avenue, testified that he sold wood and coal. He did not know the complainant and had never sold her any wood.

L O U I S O L P P, truck-driver, of 932 Eighth Avenue, testified that he had known the defendant for about two years and a half and that he always found him to be honest.

N A T H A N C O H E N testified that he was a

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cigar dealer at 129 Eighth Avenue. He had known the defendant for some months, but he did not know anything about his character. He had known him as bartender in Fink's saloon, and he supplied cigars to Fink.

In Rebuttal, Officer Brett was recalled and testified that when he first saw the complainant in the station house on Monday afternoon the 21st of January about four o'clock in the afternoon. The complainant drew his attention to a black eye. Her eye was badly bruised. When he arrested the defendant the defendant admitted that he struck her. The complainant was perfectly sober when she came to the station house.

Under Cross Examination, he testified that he knew nothing about the ~~xxxxxx~~ complainant's character, and he did not know anything of the character of the house where she lived. He had never seen her walking the streets as a prostitute, and no complaint of prostitution had ever been made against her at the station house. He had seen her previously at the station house on one occasion. A girl had lost some clothes and she accompanied the girl to the station house to recover the clothes.

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Police Court-- 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss
OF NEW YORK,

Viola Desmond

of No. 115 Seventh Avenue Street, Aged 18 Years

Occupation Dressmaker being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

20 day of January 1889, at the 16 Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

One five dollar note
in good and lawful money of the
United Statesof the value of five DOLLARS,
the property of Deponent

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

Thomas O. Rowke, now here,
under the following circumstances: Deponent
carried the said note in her hand
on the way to get it changed. In West
Seventeenth Street near Seventh Avenue
deponent passed near the defendant
who stood near a street electric
light and in full view. The defendant
struck the deponent a blow in the
face with his fist and he then
seized the said five dollar note
and went away. Deponent was
stunned and not able to
follow the defendant then. This
was about 7 P. M. On the

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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Police Justice.

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day following Defendant saw the
Defendant in a liquor saloon in
Seventh Avenue and caused his
arrest and now asks that he
be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this
22nd day of January 1889

John O. Hutton
Police Justice

made Demand

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1889
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1889
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1889
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—ROBBERY.

vs.

1.

2.

3.

4.

Dated

1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198—200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Thomas O'Rourke

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

25 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N.S.

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

Answer.

246 West 25th St.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bar Tender

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

Answer.

I am not guilty. That
is all I have to say.
Thomas O'Rourke

Taken before me this

22

day of August 1885

McQuinn
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

Thomas O. Rouke

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

Dated Jan 22 188 9 Wm. Plummer 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.

420 118
Police Court--- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Viola Diamond
1116 - 27 - 2 ave
Thomas O. Bowler

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Robbery
Offence

Dated Jan 22 1889
O'atman Magistrate.
Brett & Hayes Officer.
19 Precinct.

Witnesses

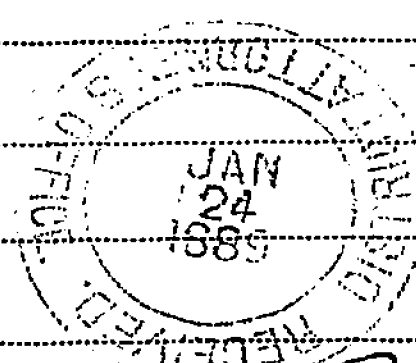
No. Street.

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\$ 15.00 to answer \$ 3.50

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Thomas O'Rourke

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

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

The said *Thomas O'Rourke*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, ~~in the~~ time of the said day, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Vida Desmond*, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

~~one~~ promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *five* dollars; ~~one~~ promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of *five* dollars; ~~one~~ United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of *five* dollars, and ~~one~~ United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *five* dollars;

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

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

John R. Fellows,

Attorney