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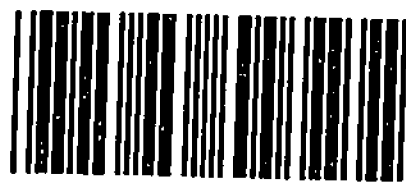
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Witnesses;

Charles W. Gardner

Frank Parkley

Counsel,

Filed

day of June 1889

Pleds,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Sarah Bostedo

KEEPING A HOUSE OF ILL FAME, ETC.
[Sections 322 and 385, Penal Code]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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Foreman.

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*The New York Society for the
Prevention of Cruelty to Children*

100 EAST 23^d ST. (COR. FOURTH AVE.)

New York, *June 19th 1889*

*Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the
City and County of New York.*

*The People
against*

Sarah Bostedo

Notice of Prosecution.

*To the District Attorney of the
City and County of New York,*

*Sir: This Society is interested in the prosecution of
the above defendant, and is familiar with the facts of the
case. It respectfully requests that before sending the papers
to the Grand Jury, fixing the day of trial, consenting to
any postponements thereof, or to any reduction of bail, or
final disposition of the charge, you will duty notify me as
its President and Counsel, so that I may confer with you
in regard thereto. This request is made pursuant to the
statute (Laws of 1886, Chapter 30, Section 1), and in
furtherance of the ends of Justice.*

I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

*Elbridge T. Gerry,
President, &c.*

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THE PEOPLE



NOTICE OF PROSECUTION

BY THE SOCIETY.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

President, &c.

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Sec. 322, Penal Code.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. ss.

Second District Police Court.

Charles W. Gardner
of No. 100 East 23rd Street, in said City, being duly sworn says
that at the premises known as Number 668 Sixth Avenue Street,
in the City and County of New York, on the 10 day of June 1889, and on divers
other days and times, between that day and the day of making this complaint

Sarah Bastedo
did unlawfully keep and maintain and yet continue to keep and maintain a Disorderly
house and did then, and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully procure
and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come
together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution and lewdness, and then and on the said
other days and times, unlawfully and wilfully did permit and yet continues to permit said men and women of evil
name and fame there to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving
themselves, whereby the peace, comfort and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood, and
there passing is habitually disturbed, in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Sarah Bastedo
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said
Sarah Bastedo
may be apprehended and dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct.

Sworn to before me, this 14th day of June 1889

Charles W. Gardner.

Police Justice.

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Police Court— 2 District.

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

Charles W. Gardner

Sarah B. Burtis

AFFIDAVIT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated *June 14* 188*9*

Isaac Justice.

Gardner Officer.

S. P. B. Precinct.

WITNESSES:

Charles W. Gardner
Sarah B. Burtis
June 14 1889

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Sec. 151.

Police Court Second District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Charles W. Gardner of No. 100 East 23rd Street, that on the 14 day of June 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Sarah Bastida did keep and maintain at the premises known as Number 668, Sixth Avenue Street, in said City, a Disorderly house and there unlawfully procure and permit as well men as women of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation to visit, frequent and come together for unlawful sexual intercourse, and for the purpose of prostitution, and there unlawfully and wilfully did permit said men and women of evil name and fame there to be and remain drinking, dancing, fighting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves whereby the peace, comfort, and decency of persons inhabiting and residing in the neighborhood and there passing is habitually disturbed in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

THESE ARE, THEREFORE, in the name of the People of the State of New York, to Command you, the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the body of the said

Sarah Bastida and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises occupied by said Sarah Bastida and forthwith bring them before me, at the 2d DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 14 day of June 1889

[Signature] POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court—2d District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles W. Barchin

Sarah Barchin

WARRANT—Keeping Disorderly House, &c.

Dated June 14 1889

Gerrit Magistrate.

W. J. Barchin Officer.

2d Precinct.

The Defendant

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

Officer.

Dated _____ 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

Dated

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Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

The within named

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Sarah Bastedo

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 45 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York, City

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

Answer. 668 Sixth Avenue, Second Number East

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Massage

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
and desire a trial by jury.
Sarah Bastedo

Taken before me this

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day of

June 1899

William H. Justice, District 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 _____

Mr. [Signature]
let 39 & 40 N 12 St Ave
Cooking [Signature]
Dr. [Signature]
[Signature] 77, let Ave

Police Court--

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles [Signature]

Edward [Signature]

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence Keeping
Disorderly House

Dated

June 15

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[Signature] Magistrate.

[Signature] Officer.

C.P.C. Precinct.

Witnesses

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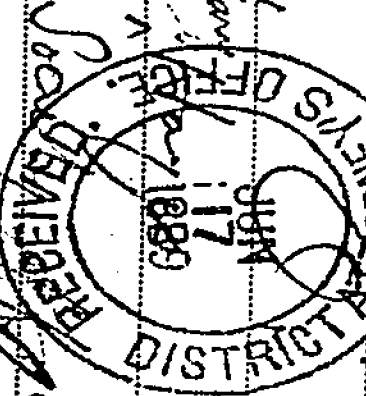
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No. 8 [Signature] Street.



It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named 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 June 15 1889 John [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 he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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The People { Court of General Sessions, Part I
Sarah Postedo { Before Judge Cowing, July 8, 1889
Indictment for Keeping a house of ill fame.

Mary Hayes, sworn and examined, testified. I lived at 668 Sixth Avenue two years next February in this city; the house belongs to P. Maresi the caterer; there are four floors in the house beside the store. Mrs. Postedo occupies the floor over mine. Mr. Barron and Mr. Clark also occupy flats with their families. I carry on dress making and have three boys; my husband is in the Bloomingdale Asylum and I have supported him. I employ from five to ten girls. I am janitress of the building. I think the defendant came to the house in the middle of October; she paid thirty dollars a month rent; she occupied the flat over me, so that every one going to her flat had to pass mine. She told me she was a massage doctress. I did not know what 'massage' was; she asked me if there would be any objection? I said I did not think so as long as it is respectable. If it was not respectable, it would not be allowed. She said, "yes, it was proper." I said that will be good.

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for my business, that may throw customers into my dress making. She told me she had very wealthy brokers from downtown, who went to club houses and who were unmarried; they would come and have massage treatment and then they could retire and go home at night. She said her magic treatment soothed their nerves in such a way that they could go home and sleep quietly; sometimes they slept two hours after the treatment and that is why they went out so late. I observed after that men going in several hours during the day and night. Sometimes they would ring my bell and knock at my door, and no later than Saturday night again. Her name is on the letter box yet. Last Saturday night a fine looking gentleman called. I complained to the defendant about this. My husband was home one night and he was very bad. Since she was convicted there has been a regular boom - three to five men came instead of one. I went to Mr. Maresi and

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I went to his wife first. I saw two girls in her place. One they call Jessie something, one May Winters. I complained to the defendant that those girls did not work as my girls did who came at eight o'clock and worked till six - they can sleep all the forenoon and I am disturbed all hours of the night. She said, "Please don't speak of it, I will see that it don't occur again." I said, "Those girls don't work honorably, and that it was not a proper thing for a woman to do, and that Mr. Maresi should choose his tenants. She snapped her finger and said she could make things all right. I said I did not see how any woman could rub down a naked man and go into a bath tub and give him a bath. She said she did not mind that any more than that lamp upon the table - that she was asked by men if she was a natural woman? I said, "How can a proper woman or girl stand by and do that? She said, "You come up and I will show you." She showed me how she fingered and rubbed down. I did not go to her room to see her do it.

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I remember the time I was brought down to Court before this upon her complaint that I was interfering with her patients. Judge Duffy told me to move out. I told him I could not. She was fined fifty dollars, and after that three men to one came there. I have seen them come out of there at two o'clock in the morning. I have seen May Winters there. Cross Examined: Since I found out that the defendant kept a disreputable place I generally look to see who goes up. I was very friendly with the defendant before that. As far as I know Mr. and Mrs. Bannan and Mr. and Mrs. Clark are respectable people. I talked with them about the defendant. I made remarks that I did not think it was proper, but afterwards said the way she showed it to me under the sheets ~~showed~~ the way they manipulated I thought it was proper. She treated me once and she rubbed my husband's head. I might have told Mrs. Bannan how the defendant rubbed my arm and took the rheumatism out of it. I complained to Mr. Maresi

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and her daughter and to Mr. James, the agent of the property. I told him I would not remain for I had too many respectable ladies come to my place. I said to Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Bunnell that they did wrong to sign a paper saying that they had seen nothing wrong on the part of the defendant. Mr. Osbaldiston came and asked me "when did this notorious woman come to live here?" I have only known him for about three days before the arrest of the defendant. He came and talked with me five or six times about the defendant and told me all about her. I think he is a Professor of the massage business at 725 Sixth Avenue, within two blocks of my place. It is not a fact that after this man came to see me I complained against the defendant. I believe I saw three beds in her apartments. I would have made complaint against the defendant before I did except for the fact that I was four months behind in my rent. I was returning from 9 o'clock mass one Sunday morning when I heard two Israelitish gentlemen who were coming down from Mrs. []

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Bostedo's say, "There is nice girls up stairs, we are sorry we have not money enough for them, it was a pity they were married men."

May Hinters, sworn and examined, testified. I will be twenty two years old in August and live in this city. I have known the defendant four years, have always known her by the name of Bostedo and have lived with her four months at 668 Sixth Avenue; she had a flat on the second floor. I did not come there when she went there first then I went there a girl named Jessie lived with her. I know no other girl who lived there. I gave what they call massage treatment, that consisted of rubbing from head to foot and I had connection with men. I knew what kind of a house I was going to and I went there willingly. I had been leading a fast life before that. for a year I had connection with different men who came there. There was a fee paid for the massage; after I treated a gentleman they paid me and I gave the defendant the money; that was the same way after they had

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connection with me. I gave her the money. I got no compensation, but once in a while she gave me money. I recollect the time Mr. Gardiner came there, that was subsequent to the time the defendant was fined. I was also fined ten dollars and she paid the fine; after that the same business went on; she told one or two patients that she ^{was arrested and} fined and they left and would not come again; she told no more patients about it because it kept them away. Men came there at different hours; there was only one who came late at night, he came about eleven and stayed till twelve. The defendant paid the rent and she 'bossed' the place. I think it was June the 10th that Mr. Gardner came about twenty minutes past eleven in the morning. I was just through washing the dishes, Mrs. Postels had a headache and she was lying in the back room. I heard a knocking at the door and asked them to step into the reception room, Mr. Gardiner and his friend Frederick Doe. I had a wrapper on which I wear everyday, I asked if they would

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excuse me. I went out and dressed and came back. He told me he had brought me this friend, and I went out and told her I had promised to stay with a gentleman. She said she did not want me to because she thought they were officers. He gave me the money and I gave it to her. Then I went back into the room. I then took them into the hall bed room and there was some talk between me and them. I went in the room with Doe and left Gardner in the hall room, the door was ajar; there was a cot in the room. He went into the room with the intention of having connection, and therefore I went back and told Mrs. Posteds. Doe gave me a couple of dollars and said he did not have much money but would give me some more when he came down again. I went back and told him I would meet him outside. I went back into the room and told him I would meet him outside. I did not take off my clothes, he had taken off his coat and vest. Mrs. Posteds came

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to the bed room door and said she did not want him to stay there, if I wanted to stay with him to go out side because they were officers. That broke the thing off. He put money on the mantel piece and took it away and gave it to me. I went out with them. Since the defendants conviction I have gone on in the same way having connection with men who came there. Whatever men came there you had connection with them at the defendants house when they wanted. I always gave the money to her. I could not prove that she had connection with men, but I have seen her undress two or three times naked and come in the back room while men were inside. I went up with Gardners friend to visit a lady friend on Sixth Avenue I recollect when Mr. Barkley came a few days after on Monday evening. I was treating a patient in the front room and after I was through treating him she said I had better come out and treat Mr. Barkley, as she got through with him, and I treated him. He was in the back

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room undressed, he had a sheet over him and I treated him. I did not take the sheet off. I rubbed him, the regular massage treatment. I asked him whether he wanted the magnetic treatment, and he said he would not mind. I said I would send Mrs. Bostedo in. I left the room and went in the front room and she went in the back. I told her that he wished the magnetic treatment. She went in and I don't know what took place there. I could not exactly say how long she stayed in there because I was talking to a patient in the front room. Barkley gave me no money at that time. I don't know whether he gave any to Mrs. Bostedo or not. I did not see any more of Barkley that day. I let him into the front room on Tuesday and Mrs. Bostedo went in alone with him; they were together about two or three hours. I don't know what took place. I did not see him when he left. I think he came the next evening. I am not certain whether I let him in. I was up stairs with the lady that

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lived on the next floor. I came down and saw him. It was in the evening I was coming down to retire and I heard that Mr. Barkley was in the front room with Mrs. Postedo. I did not know his name at that time. She told me to go in and speak to him a few moments. I went in and sat on a chair and asked him if he had the treatment? He said, no. She took him into the reception room. I had a talk with Mrs. Postedo between those two times. I said I thought he was a detective. She said, no, she did not think so. She said she gave him the address of a lady living down town. She did not say anything at this time about any arrangement with regard to me. I let Mr. Barkley in the next afternoon about two o'clock; he came into the reception room. I called Mrs. Postedo out of the front room; she was talking to a patient. I told her that he was in the bed room. She said, "all right." Lizzie Dufan, who worked for Mrs. Hayes, was in there at the time. In a few minutes a knock came to the door and

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Mr. Gardner came in with an officer; that was when the arrest was made. I asked Mrs. Bostedo when we were in the station house that evening if she made the agreement with Mr. Barkley and myself, and she said 'yes' that she arranged for him and me to stay together. Only one man came there for massage treatment regularly and all the rest came for the other thing. I never saw any other girl have connection with men except myself. Cross Examined. There was one girl named "Jessie" there when I came; she stayed about two months. I saw her lie alongside one man in bed. Mrs. Bostedo did not say she would ring for the police if I stayed with Gardner's friend in the room - she said she did not wish me to stay with him in the house. I was angry with her and said whenever I had a chance to make some money she interfered, and yet I gave her the two dollars which he gave me. The man "Moses" was a man servant kept by Mrs. Bostedo. She charged two dollars for the massage and three dollars with the

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bath. Her patients paid me and I always gave the money to her. I have not talked with anybody about this case as to what I would testify but Asst. Dist. Atty. Parker. I was sent to the House of Mercy and Mr. Gardner came there to see me. Sister Mary was in the room while he was there. He asked me if I would like to come down and testify at the trial and I said, yes. I never lived in any house under the conditions I lived with Mrs. Posteds. I always arranged that I would have part of the money. I feel friendly to Mrs. Posteds. I could not exactly say how many different men I had connection with in the defendants house. I think about twenty five or thirty. Mrs. Posteds knew that ~~she~~ I had connection with men. I was there four months and saw different patients every day. Some times we did not have any and sometimes we had three or four. I know Mr. Osbaldiston, he has not been to see me. I never had any talk with him about Mrs. Posteds. She instructed me to have connection with these men.

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Charles H. Gardner sworn. My business address is 100 East 23rd St. I am an officer of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and pursuant to instructions I visited the premises 668 Sixth Ave., the residence of the defendant, on the 10th of June last. I went there with a friend Frederick Doe; he is not in the City, he went East to get work. About 20 minutes past eleven and walked up two flights of stairs and rapped on the front door. May Winters came to the door; she seemed to recognize me; she said, "I met you before. I have seen you with Frank." I did not know who Frank was, but I preserved the illusion. I introduced Mr. Doe and said he wanted to have a good friend, he was a stranger in the city and belonged in Boston (which was true) I brought him here to see you. It was quite warm in the small reception room and she said, "Won't you come into the ~~reception~~ room?" She said, "Excuse me a minute and I will change my clothes a little." She had on a loose wrapper. She asked us to take off our coats. I did not take off mine, but

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my friend did. She sat on my knee and had her dress up part of the way. I says, "my friend wants to see you." She said, the price is two dollars. I had given him two dollars before we went in. He had some in his own pocket. I told him whatever he paid out I would make good. I told him to pay whatever it was. I gave him two one dollar bills. Mrs. Postels came to the door, and May asked me and my friend to excuse her. I went to the small reception room and held the door partly to but I did not latch it, leaving it ajar about three or four inches. I sat there perhaps two or three minutes and then I opened it a little and I saw my friend. He was partly undressed, he had his coat and vest off and his suspenders down. May was getting ready to undress herself and just at that time Mrs. Postels came to the door. I could not see her, but I could see her visitor. She said, "Don't have anything to do with these men in this house. I think they are officers." May said, "I know this gentleman (meaning me) I have known him some time." She said, "Don't

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have anything to do with him here." May came into the inside room and said, Mrs. Postels thinks you two are officers; she got tripped up once before and she is very careful. She don't let me go to bed with any one unless she knows they are all right. My friend pretended to be very angry. She said, "I will go with you outside." She put on her hat and cloak and went outside.

This was the 10th of June. I had seen May before but I had no acquaintance with her.

Cross Examined

I went to the house on the 15th. I had a warrant for the arrest. I did not know when I went there on the 10th that May Winters was there. When I saw her I remembered I had seen her in Sixth Avenue on the street, but I never talked with her. I saw her in the Tombs Court. I know that Mr. Osboldiston runs an institution on Sixth Ave. but I did not see him in connection with this case. I took policemen from the station house to make the arrest. Officer Barkley by arrangement was at the house, and I found the defendant and May Winters there when I arrived.

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Frank G. Barkley sworn. I am an officer of the "Society" for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and pursuant to instructions I visited the premises of the defendant 668 Sixth Ave. The first time I went there was on the 10th of June about four or half past four in the afternoon. I rang the bell and met Mrs. Bostedo leaning over the barometer. She said, "Do I know you?" I told her I thought not. I saw the advertisement in the papers and called on that account; she said she had to be careful who she received. She asked me into the reception room and said she had two patients inside, that she could not give me treatment until they went out. Soon after she came in and asked me to go into the large room down at the foot of the hall. I went in with her; she asked me to take off my clothes. There was a raised couch there, such as is used for massage treatment and at her request I laid down on it; she gave me what she called 'the bath.' It was a bath given with a sponge and the water was scented with a little alcohol or some liquor I should

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judge. I took off my clothes and laid down on the table. She commenced her story why she had to be careful, she had been arrested two or three weeks before. I am familiar with the circumstances of the arrest. She said she had been tried in the Court of Special Sessions, found guilty and fined fifty dollars; that she distrusted almost every one; she went on and gave me this treatment. After she had given me the sponge bath she said she had a very sweet, pretty young girl and she would like to have me acquainted with the massage treatment. I consented and May Winters came in and Mr. Bostedo went out. May gave this treatment of rubbing and punching only. As soon as she was through with that she asked me if I would like the magnetic treatment? I did not know what that was. I asked her if she gave it and she said she did not but that Mr. Bostedo gave it very nicely. May called Mr. Bostedo and she came in and commenced to give the magnetic

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treatment. It consisted of fondling the
privates and conversation about sexual
intercourse. She claimed that sexual
intercourse was well adapted to the
wants of men and women; she
thought it was something divine, hea-
venly, just suited to men and wo-
men; she said I was a healthy
man and I ought to have a nice
woman. She proposed then to furnish
me with one; she said she could
not give me one to night in the
house, but she knew a very nice
woman, Miss Harris and told me
she resided at 329 West Fifteenth St.;
she said she would have her there
at her rooms next evening if I
would call. I told her I would do so,
and after the treatment I received
I dressed myself; she took the price
three dollars for the treatment she
had given. I went there on the
evening of the 11th about five o'clock
as agreed; she said she had been dis-
appointed. In the mean time I went
to see if Miss Harris lived at that
address and found she did live
there. Mrs. Bosteds said she had been
disappointed in Miss Harris not

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coming there, saying that she had never disappointed her; she said. I would not be always so disappointed coming there. Then she asked me if I would not like another treatment from Marnie? I told her I thought not that evening. Well then would not I like the magnetic treatment? I finally consented to the magnetic treatment. I laid down on the bed with my clothes on and I gave her liberty to open my pants; she fondled with my privates and so on. That was the magnetic treatment. I gave her two dollars that night when I left. There was a very heavy thunder shower came up and I did not get away for an hour and a half perhaps. I went there again on the afternoon of the 13th, two days afterwards. There had been no arrangement to call. I merely called there again to secure further evidence. I think May Winter met me in the hallway. There was two men coming from the room as I went in there was two men just coming from the room as I

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went in there. I visited the entire evening with Mr. Bostedo. entirely. May Winters left the room. The entire conversation was about sexual intercourse and she talked about the French business. I asked her what that was and she described it to me. She laid down on the bed and unbuttoned herself and allowed me to handle her breasts; she pulled up her clothes and exposed herself on the bed, I lying on the bed with her. When I came away it was between ten and eleven o'clock; she said it was late, I had better go. She had not made any direct proposition yet to have connection in the house. She said, "you are not a detective; you may be a detective, you are not are you?" I told her I was not a detective but that I was in the insurance business, and gave her the office where she could call if she was suspicious. She then said she thought I was all right and enquired if I knew a certain man. I did happen to know him and described him and then she said she was

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perfectly satisfied, she said, I am not afraid of you any more, I had been talking of Miss Harris, and she said, "Why not instead of having Miss Harris come here why don't you take my Marnie? She is a nice, sweet young girl; she has never been touched by any man, you would like her and Marnie would like you. I told her I would be satisfied with Marnie if she was satisfied. Marnie was May Winters. She said, "Come back tomorrow afternoon and you can have the front room and you can have Marnie." I gave her two dollars for this evening's treatment, entertainment and went away. I came back the next afternoon - as agreed, that was the 14th. I met Mrs. Bostedo again; she took me into the reception room because the other rooms were engaged I suppose. She said there was two men in the room; she said when the men vacated the room in the mean time the men

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went out and Mrs. Bostedo went to call Mamie. Before I had a chance to see Mamie Officer Gardiner and the fellow officer arrested me and the whole crowd. I saw Mamie after the arrest; they arrested me. I was at the Police Court afterwards. I do not remember any conversation I had after that with the defendant. I was at her house four times. I have told everything that I remember. Cross examined. I know of the man who keeps a massage establishment at 725 Sixth Avenue. I do not understand that he is the one who made complaint to our Society. Usually complaints are made at the office to the clerk and sometimes they come through the police. We are paid our expenses whatever we disburse, by the Society. I work on a salary and do the general work of the Society. I have been in its employ six years. I am well satisfied that no outsider was furnishing money to the Society to make this investigation, but I do not know. Mr. Stocking could answer that question.

The Case for the Defence

James Bannan, sworn. I reside at 668 Sixth Avenue. I have seen the defendant and spoken with her several times. I lived on the third floor and she lived directly under me. I know Mrs. Hayes. I know them both as tenants in the house. I went in once to repair a floor (I am a carpenter) for Mr. Maresi in Mrs. Bosted's room and on another occasion I went in to fix a screw on a pump. I seen her working around her house, I seen no person there, I never knew of any person being there but herself and girl. What transpires inside of her house I know not, I considered her as quiet a neighbor as I ever lived with.

May Winters recalled by Counsel.

Q. Was anybody promised you that if you came here and testified in this case that you would be discharged? No sir.

Q. Have you been discharged?

A. No sir.

Q. Are you still confined at the House of Mercy. A. Yes sir.

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Sarah Bostedo, sworn and examined, testified. I would like to say to the Judge and the jury that my society for the past four years has been men. I went into the business legitimately. I took the business from Mrs. Kelly. She said to me, "Always be on the look out for detectives and the police coming etc." You all know about the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. I am treating a very good class of men, the best men of this city. I tried to keep my place legitimately. Mary Winters I met four years ago, she was of a poverty stricken family. Her sister was my servant; she was unfortunate in my house, I cared for her as if she was my own child. She was six and a half months in the family way and I cared for her. Mary through Comstock was arrested for having an obscene picture. I took Mary in my house, she having walked the streets and lived in a house of ill fame. I never saw her until she came to my house telling me there had been a robbery.

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she would like to come to live with me. I said to her, "Mary, you must never leave your name on the street, you must never see any one in my house, I would like you to leave the life you are leading. you are a delicate girl, I will do the best for you. Through Mr. Hayes my business was broken up. She would say to my patients as they went down stairs, "you are a dude, you are a ruffian, I wonder if I can get that man to wash my windows." The boy Moses was my servant. I did not need him, but he did not have any one to take care of him, and through sympathy I took him, I sent him to his mother. I could show you her letters of gratitude. My business was very much injured. Sometimes for a week I would not have a patient. One patient came late, I turned down the gas, he was my most paying patient, always paying me five dollars and coming for legitimate treatment. Massage is a legitimate treatment. Until four days ago I treated ladies; my fare was paid to California. By the way the question is, whether you

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allowed girls to have men in your house? I have not allowed them. If I am allowed to say - this man is a lawyer - it is not true his statement, neither is it with regard to Mr. Gardner. I have nervous headaches. When I am incapable of seeing patients, I lie in a dark room and say to Mary, "I see no patients while I laid ill." That was the time Gardner came there, I was locked up and paid my fine. Mary has caused me a good deal of trouble and told positive falsehoods of my house. I never would have taken her in if I thought she would have done it. I had not girls there for the purpose she mentioned. Her sister was my servant for the last four years. I understand myself well. I am sorry that men are not better than what they are. They carry the form of men -

The Court. You have got to lecturing.

Witness Yes: you all need it too.

By Counsel I state whether or not with your knowledge any sexual intercourse has taken place in your house since the 20th of last May.

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A Not to my knowledge. I gave no instructions or permission to Mary Winters to do anything of the kind. When she went out and injured herself and became sick, I cared for her and had a physician for her. I said to Gardner and Doe, "I am ill?" Mary argued with me, she was angry. I said, "Mary, we must not compromise this house, this is a respectable house. If your conduct goes on where can you live?" I knew her mother. I saw her through the keyhole door and saw Gardner or the man have her pressed up against the mantel piece and heard the talk such as men use. Of course I know how they talk, certainly. I said to her at once, "Mary, I want to see you." I made these men angry. I said to her, "Don't compromise this house; go out properly and take this money." She did not give me any money that she said ever came for immoral purposes. I never gave the French treatment. I don't know what it means. If men used the massage

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treatment, we would have better men
and better brains. Cross Examined
my right name is Sarah Bostedo.
I have never gone by the name of
Higraharn. I had a patient in her
house with a cancer in her breast
when I was treating her. I was not
convicted of petty larceny under the
name of Ann Gray Higraharn, the
goods of James A. Kearne. I was
convicted and fined before Judge
Duffy of Keeping a disorderly house
I was convicted under the statement
of a miserable man whom I have
seen here today. The testimony of
the witnesses who appeared against
me sworn to what is false. I don't
know whether they are my enemies
or not and I don't care. I regret
it very ~~deeply~~ that I trusted May;
I have been kind and motherly
to her as my neighbors will testify.
I saw a man in his shirt sleeve
through the keyhole, he had no
business in her room where
there was a bed. I said at once,
"Let him come out of that room
and go to the reception room."

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there was a bed. I said at once,
"Let him come out of that room
and go to the reception room."

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You have always kept a proper, straight legitimate house? Yes sir. Why didn't you turn her out of the house? I kept Louisa for four years more or less. Louisa was unfortunate, not fast. What distinction do you draw there? When she was twelve years old she was sought by a man; she was penniless, and finally seduced and gave birth to a child. She was in the family way and lived with her mother when she became pregnant. She said she sprained her side and she gave birth to a child. Didn't you know that she (Mamie) was accustomed to make her living by prostitution? No. I never saw Mary during the two years after she was arrested by officer Stocking for selling an obscene picture; she did not offer it. It was Barnstock's detective that caused the trouble. I saw her at her mother's on the top floor four years ago when I first commenced business. She often said, "Cannot I do what I have a mind to in my own room? I did not wish her to keep the name

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she had, May Winters. I did not want to have her come into my house to make it 'disrespectable'. I wanted to make her respectable. She learned the massage treatment of Osbaldiston. You remember May Winters testified at the Police Station ^{you said} you had made arrangements for her to stay with men & what does that mean? Have connection with a man. I made no arrangement. I saw a man in his shirt sleeves. I said he had no business there. I never made an arrangement with Barkley. I made no statement in the Police Station. Then as I understand you, you declare that all these witnesses swore falsely and maliciously? Yes sir, saying they had French treatment: they had nothing of the kind.

Margaret Clark, sworn and examined.
I reside at 668 Fifth Avenue and lived there up to the time of the defendants' arrest. I lived there with my husband and child and was a tenant of the house when Mrs. Postedo came there. I remember the day when she was arrested but don't remember

the date. I was in her room three times that day. I went up in the morning about ten o'clock with my baby. I stayed there about 20 minutes. Mrs. Bostedo took the baby, who was not well, and put her to sleep. There was no one there but Mrs. Bostedo and Miss Kinters. I had been in the house frequently and never saw anything wrong there. I saw only two beds. I saw a cot lying back of the sofa in a large room not up at all. I saw two operating tables, one in the large back room and one in the front room; they were very high and narrow.

Cross Examined. I don't know anything about the alleged practices ~~took~~ which are said to have taken place in that house. I have never seen or heard anything wrong in the house.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty. She was subsequently brought up and sentenced to the penitentiary for one year.

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Testimony in the
Case of
Sarah Bostedo

filed June
1879

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Police Department of the City of New York.

Precinct No. 19

New York, July 3rd 1889

To whom it may concern

This is to certify
that the apartments 66 8th Ave,
formerly occupied by
Mrs Bostedo, are now vacant

Thos. Reilly
Capt 19 Prec

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Precinct No. _____

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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Sarah

Boricko

House of fame

Officer

Send to Secretary's Office
to-day sub poenas for
Officers Gardner &
Barkley & Stocking,
& Mrs Hayes to be
here to see me to-mor-
row (Saturday) at
11 A.M.

July 5/09

[Signature]
O. R.

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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

Sarah Bostedo

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

Sarah Bostedo

(Sec. 322,
Penal Code.)

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

The said

Sarah Bostedo

late of the *21st* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *tenth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, and on divers other days and times, as well before as afterwards, to the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common bawdy house and house of ill-fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times aforesaid, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain; and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and procurement of the said

Sarah Bostedo

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

SECOND COUNT—

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

Sarah Bostedo

(Section 385,
Penal Code.)

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

The said

Sarah Bostedo

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

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

THIRD COUNT—

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

(Section 322
Penal Code.)

of the CRIME OF KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE, committed as follows:

The said

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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Counsel,

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Brady

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. M. Pines

Foreman.

June 4/89

Placed by 2 day

Elmer D.

Witnesses;

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Police Court—Harold District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

Fannie Cohen

of No. 4 Bayard Street, aged 10 years,

occupation House Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 4 Bayard Street, 10 Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a Dwelling House

and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling

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

deponent and three children

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open a

door of the second floor leading from the hallway

into backroom

on the 23 day of May 1889 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

one clock of the value of Ten dollars

the property of George Cohen deponents Husband
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

John Brady (now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent saw said Brady
in said premises with said property in
his possession. That deponent called out
and said defendant threw said clock at
her striking her on the arm. That said
defendant ran out of said room and
deponents husband pursued him and
caught him and held him until Richard
Tinkley an officer attached to the

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11th Precinct came along and took him in custody

SWORN TO BEFORE ME
THIS 23 DAY OF May 1889
[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

J. F. [Signature]
James F. Cohen
made

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

1. 2. 3. 4.

Offence—BURGLARY.

Dated 1889

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 193-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

3 District Police Court.

John Brady 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.

John Brady

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Dublin Ireland

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

Answer.

21 West St

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Sadd Fitterman

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.

*The Complainant is mistaken
I saw another man pass
me who had a bundle
in his hand I desire
now to plead guilty
John Brady*

Taken before me this

23

day of

May

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Wm. J. McQuinn
Police Justice.

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BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court 3
District 459

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
James John
Richard Butler
John Brady
Offence Burglary

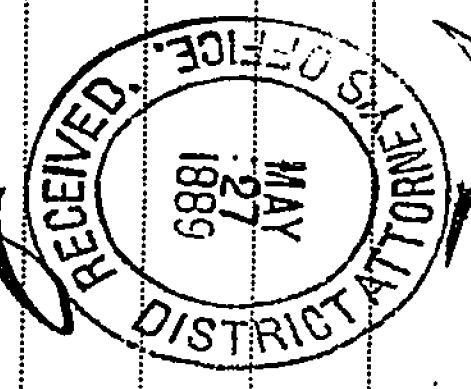
Dated May 23 1889

Daniel O'Reilly
Richard Butler
Officer

Witnesses
George John
11th Precinct

No. 4 134th Street

No. _____ Street _____



No. _____
\$10000 to answer

UNMITTED

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

Dated May 23 1889 Daniel O'Reilly Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1889 _____ 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 _____ 1889 _____ Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Brady

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

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

The said

John Brady
late of the Tenth Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the twenty-third day of May, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, with force and arms, about the
hour of twelve o'clock in the day - time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one

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

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

George Cohen
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

— *John Brady* —
of the CRIME OF *PETIT LARCENY* committed as follows:

The said

John Brady —
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 clock of the value of
ten dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the dwelling house of the said

George Cohen
George Cohen

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

John R. Bellows,
District Attorney.

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Bromiley, John

DATE:

06/21/89



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Witnesses:

Nov 7th 1889.
On the peace hearing
presented, and separately
in the statements of the
Kingsbury as contained
in the Blackboard
files, it seems plain
that no intention to commit
harassment existed. I
ascertained that the
check be returned

J. H. Woodman
Dist. Atty.

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of June 1889
Pleads, *Not guilty as per
leave to withdraw it.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B
John A. Bromley

Grand Larceny, second degree.
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. H. Woodman
Dist. Atty.
Rat. III. December 11th 89. Foreman.
*on rem. of out.
att. indirect costs.*
J. H. Woodman

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Sec. 192.

6th

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before John Cochran a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging John A. Bromley Defendant with
the offence of Larceny - Felony

and he having been brought before said Justice for an examination of said charge, and it having been made to
appear to the satisfaction of said Justice that said examination should be adjourned to some other day, and the hear-
ing thereof having been adjourned,

We, John A. Bromley Defendant of No. 4133
3rd Avenue Street; by occupation a Police man
and Andrew Wilkinson of No. Jerome Avenue, Fordham
East, by occupation a Horse Trainer Surety hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named John A. Bromley Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice at the 6th District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Fifteen
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 11th
day of June 1889.

John A. Bromley
Andrew Wilkinson
John Cochran POLICE JUSTICE.

POOR QUALITY
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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

day of June 1889
John D. Jackson Police Justice.

Sworn to before me, this

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and free
holder within the said County and State, and is worth Thirty Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of house, stables and two

lots on the West side of Jerome Avenue 200
feet of Kingsbridge Road, of the value
of nine thousand dollars overall less
therein

Andrew Wilkinson

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

Taken the day of 188

Justice.

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Police Court—6 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

of No. 171 West 133rd Street, aged 48 years,
occupation Contractor being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 16th day of June 1889 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 check drawn
on the Tradesman's National Bank of New York
City for One Hundred and ~~Fifty~~^{Forty} Seven Dollars and
seventy six cents, payable to the order of this deponent
and by this deponent endorsed

the property of this deponent, and of the value of
One hundred and ~~Fifty~~^{Forty} Seven Dollars and
seventy six cents

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 A. Bromley, now here,

from the following facts: On said day,
at about the hour of ten in the forenoon,
deponent gave said check to said Bromley
at Druff's hotel Fordham, for the purpose
of having said check cashed and the proceeds
thereof brought to deponent at said hotel.
Said Bromley took said check away with him
but failed to return and never gave back
to deponent said check, the proceeds thereof, nor
any part of said proceeds. ^{Charles} Henry Zeltner
of 176th street near 3rd Avenue informs deponent
that on said day he cashed said check for said
Bromley and gave to said Bromley therefor the
sum of One hundred and ~~Fifty~~^{Forty} Seven Dollars
and seventy six cents. Deponent searched for

Sworn to before me, this 16 day
of June 1889
John A. Bromley Police Justice.

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said Bromley diligently and failed to find him until the 9th day of June when finding him at his residence, 8th Avenue near 177th Street, he caused his arrest.

Sum to before me this
10th day of June 1889
Rob. C. Jackson
Police Justice

Wm. L. Lacey

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Sec. 198-200.

6th

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John A. Bromiley being duly examined before the under-
signed according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that it is h^{is} right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against h^{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^{is} waiver cannot be used
against h^{im} on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. John A. Bromiley

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 44-33 - 3rd Avenue; 1 week

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Policeman

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

John A Bromiley

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice:

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 28 years, occupation Brewer of No. 1356 Fulton Avenue, New York

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

Sworn to before me, this 1st

day of June

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Charles H. Zeltner

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

Application made June 11th

After examination, by counsel

not retained, and grounds being

specified as expected to prove

lack of probable intent and other

evidence to show that no crime

had been committed, examination

in examination of 9th June

1889

June 11th 89

Police Justice

Police Court

6th District

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Cleary
177 West 138th St

John H. Bromley

Offence Larceny
Felony

Dated

June 10th

1889

Michael
Magistrate

John H. Bromley
34th St
Precinct

Witness Charles H. Sullivan
No. 1356 Fulton St
Street

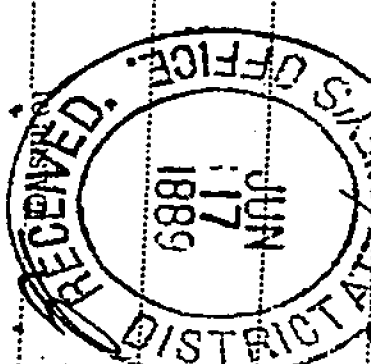
Charles Sullivan
No. 1356 Fulton St
Street

John H. Bromley
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John H. Bromley
No. 1356 Fulton St
Street



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

John H. Bromley

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 June 10th 1889

John Coakley Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named defendant to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed, after reexamination as above stated.

Dated June 11th 1889

John Coakley 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 18

Police Justice.

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ORIGINAL

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

John A. Bromley

Grand Larceny.

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. Since I made ~~the~~ complaint in this action, June 10th 1889, and within a day or two after, I received from the defendant ~~the~~ proceeds of the check referred to in the complaint. On reflecting upon the whole transaction, I do not believe that the defendant ever had any criminal intention to deprive me of my money. He was drinking heavily at the time, and I am informed that after he had got the check cashed he made an effort to find me for the purpose of giving me the proceeds. Although I was put to considerable trouble I do not feel disposed to press the charge further, and I beg to be permitted to withdraw the charge.

J. M. S. Halsey

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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 A. Brundage

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

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

The said *John A. Brundage*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *sixth* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one written instrument and evidence
to wit, to wit, a certain order
for the payment of money of
the kind called bank checks,
for the payment of and of the
value of one hundred and forty
seven dollars and seventy six
cents, and the sum of one hundred
and forty seven dollars and seventy
six cents in money, lawful
money of the United States and
of the value of one hundred and
forty seven dollars and seventy six cents,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *James Seaman*,

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

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~~Second~~ COUNT:—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment further
accuse the said *John A. Cronin*
of the same CRIME of ~~Grand~~ LARCENY, in the
second degree, committed as follows:

The said *John A. Cronin*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
sixth — day of *June* — in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, at the City and County aforesaid, being
then and there the *agent and trustee* of

James Seeson —

and as such *agent and trustee* then and there having in *his* possession,
custody and control certain moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said

James Seeson —
the true owner thereof, to wit: *one written instrument*
and evidence of debt, to wit: a certain
order for the payment of money of
the kind called bank checks,
for the payment of and of the value
of one hundred and forty-seven dollars,
and seventy-six cents, and the sum of
one hundred and seventy-six cents
and seventy-six cents in money,
lawful money of the United States,
and of the value of one hundred and forty-seven
dollars and seventy-six cents, did afterwards, to wit:
on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,
feloniously appropriate the said *moneys, goods, chattels*
and personal property —
to *his own use*, with intent to deprive and defraud the said *James Seeson*,

of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same moneys, goods, chattels and
personal property of the said *James Seeson* —

did then and there and thereby feloniously steal, 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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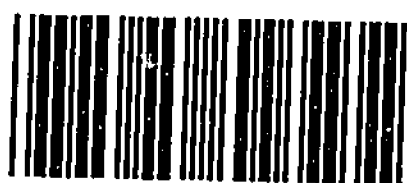
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DESCRIPTION:

Brotufsky, Solomon

DATE:

06/07/89



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Pay reduced to
\$500.00
June 14/89
Witnesses;

No. 50
6th May 8/90
Racy

Counsel,
Filed
day of June 1889
Pleads
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THE PEOPLE
vs.
Solomon Brothsky
B
F May 8/90
[Section 49 7,506,52 & 153 / 1]
Burglary in the second degree.
and second degree

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Part II June 10/89
Tried & payed in price
8 for acquittal
4 for conviction

A True Bill.

[Signature]

Sept. 25, 1889 - 11, 11, 15, 17
June 26
Foreman.

Part II, Tuesday, 11/11/89
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Jan 20/90
- 10/11/89

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Police Court—Third District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 86 Henry Street, aged 30 years,
occupation House-keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 16 Ludlow — Street, Tenth Ward
in the City and County aforesaid the said being a dwelling house

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Mary Newkofsky

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly entering through
the window of the room on the first floor
of said house leading into the yard by opening
the said window & entering the room through
the same

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

One Gold chain valued seventy dollars
one Pair of Gold Earrings worth Eighteen Dollars
one Diamond Earring worth twenty Dollars
one pair Gold Bracelets worth thirty five Dollars
one Gold watch & diamond worth fifteen Dollars
and five gold Rings worth about twelve Dollars
and the sum of Fifty Dollars in lawful
money of the United States, and one Silver
watch worth about fifteen Dollars, of the
total value of Two hundred thirty five Dollars

the property of deponent (Sole Newkofsky)
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

Solomon
Protufsky

for the reasons following, to wit: that on the said 28th day of
August 1888 deponent saw the said property &
money & placed the same in a ~~wardrobe~~ wardrobe
about six o'clock in the Evening & on a morning
about 8 o'clock the same were & had been taken
away & deponent was informed by her daughter
Mary Newkofsky that she saw the said Solomon
Protufsky in the room of deponent & saw said
Protufsky at the said ~~wardrobe~~ wardrobe & saw him

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Lette something from said Mardro & said Mary asked said Brotsky what he wanted there to which he replied he wanted to see Maria & he then left the room going through the window leading into the yard. That said Brotsky was a visitor to defendant's house every day from 28th day of August 1888 & thereafter he did not again appear and defendant could not find him although she searched for him & caused a search to be made by the police to whom she reported the loss burglary aforesaid. That said Brotsky also admitted to defendant's husband Louis Newkoff that he took said property. That said time he was not defendant's husband

SWORN TO BEFORE ME
THIS 23 DAY OF May 1889
J. C. Hecht
Police Justice
J. C. Newkoff
her

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 within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1889
Police Justice.

Police Court, District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

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Office—BURGLARY.

Dated 1889

Magistrate.

Witness,

Officer.

Clerk.

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 23 years, occupation Butcher of No. 86 Chryslie Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 23d day of May 1889 } Mary Newkopsky

Do J. C. [Signature]
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 23 years, occupation Butcher of No. 86 Chryslie Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 23d day of May 1889 } Louis Newkopsky
Manic

Do J. C. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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Sec. 103-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Third

District Police Court.

Solomon Brotufsky

being duly examined before the undersigned 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?

Solomon Brotufsky

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *32 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Poland*

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

Answer. *46 Jorayth Street, three years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Plasterer*

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

Solomon

h^e

X Brotufsky

Mark

Taken before me this

23d

day of

May

1889

Police Justice.

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.
China District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF

Protolofsky

BEFORE HON.

James Keiley
POLICE JUSTICE,
May 23rd 188*9*

APPEARANCES:

For the People,

For the Defence,

May 23 188*9*

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G. J. Tracy
Official Stenographer.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,
ON COMPLAINT OF

Rentofsky
Protosky

Examination had *May 23* 1889
Before *Daniel O'Reilly* Police Justice.

M. J. Treacy

Stenographer of the *3rd* District Police

Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of
the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of *Alle Rentofsky*

and all herein

as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated *May 24th* 1889

M. J. Treacy
Stenographer.

D. O'Reilly
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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New York May 23^d 1889
Criminal District Police
Court. Hon. Daniel O'Reilly
Presiding.

Dele Henkopy

vs.
Isaacson Brothsky

Burglary

Dele Henkopy, being duly
sworn, deposes and says,
Q What did your prop-
erty consist of, which
you say the Defendant
stole?

A One gold chain,
Q How much was that
worth?

A \$70. Seventy dollars
Q What else?

A Bracelets, worth
thirty five (\$35, five Rings
worth Eleven dollars, one
pair of Ear rings worth
Eighteen dollars and
fifty \$50 Cash

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Q. What else?
A. One diamond
ring. When was this
property taken?

A. Nine
months ago, the 28 of
August on a Tuesday
evening.

Q. Are you a
married woman?

A. I am
married now.

Q. How long
do you know the defendant,
A. About two years

Q. Did he call at your
house everyday?

A. Everyday.
Q. When did he last call
at your house?

A. The day
before the things were
taken.

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Q. Did you see him in the month of Sept '88?

A. No Sir.

Q. Did you see him in the month of Oct '88?

Q. Did you give him money to go to Louisville Kentucky?

A. No Sir.

Q. Did he sleep at your house?

Q. A. Never. Did he make you an offer of marriage?

A. He has got a wife - No Sir.

Q. Did ^{you} ~~not~~ lend him money?

A. Never.

Q. Did you tell him to write to his wife and have her stay where she was?

A. No Sir.

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Q. Did you see him enter your house and steal this property?

A. Yes, Sir, the Child

Q. Did you see him when you found your property gone?

A. I went to the station house and reported the fact and also to Police Head-
quarters.

Q. You did not see the Defendant till when?

A. Till last night.
Q. You did not know he was in New York?

A. Yes, Sir.
Q. You say this property was in your wardrobe?
A. Yes, I saw the things

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at six o'clock or five
minutes before, I took
fifteen cents out of the
wardrobe

Q. Did you look
over your jewelry every
evening?

A. I had it in
my hand that night.
I left my father inside
and my child outside. My
father went in and saw
him.

Q. Who else?

A. Q. My child -

Were not some
men playing cards there?

A. Q. Yes Sir.
Where did look, & find
the defendant?

A. In 446 Forsyth
Street at his store that
night, I did not find
him; the woman opened

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Q. The door and "I know
nothing about him," she
said, closed the door and
told me to go out.

Did you
search for him after
that?

A

I could not
find him.

Sworn to before me }
this 23rd day of May 1889 }

Police Justice

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Mary Genkowsky of 928B
Christie St, age 51 years
being duly sworn,
deposes and says, When

Q. Did this happen?

A. At night, I do
not know the date.

Q. Who was there?

A. A man just like
him (Defendant).

Q. Was it
in the room?

A. It was, no one
was in the room except
my grandfather.

Q. The man
you saw, looked like
this Defendant?

A. Yes Sir.

Q. Did he have a black
beard, like the Defendant?

A. Yes Sir.

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Q. Do you swear that
this Defendant is the
man?

A. Yes Sir,
Q. What will become of
you if you swear falsely,
if you should tell a
lie? You would not
go to Heaven?

A. No Sir,
Q. How did the man come
into the room?

A. Through
Q. the back window
Where
could you go to from the
back window?

A. To the yard. I
saw him coming out

Q. Was the window
fastened?

A. It was closed
with a catch

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Q. Did he open the window?

A. No Sir, he made no noise

Q. Did you say anything to the man?

A. I asked him what he wanted, he said nothing, I told him my mother was out, I called my grand father, and the man went away.

Q. Was the wardrobe locked?

A. It was.

Q. Did you see wardrobe open?

A. It was locked

Q. Was there any light in the room?

A. Yes Sir, yes.

Q. Which room was it?

A. The kitchen

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Q. Are there any other rooms there?

A. Yes, bedroom and the wardrobe was in the kitchen and a lock on it.

Q. What kind of a lock?

A. A lock with a key.

Q. Did he have a bundle in his hand?

A. I saw something about so big (the child used her hands to show the length of the bundle).

Q. Did you see where he took it from?

A. The Wardrobe, I saw him, he had it open and locked it again.

Q. Were any people playing cards in the room?

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Q. A. Yes Sir,
Where do you live?
A. 42 St Chrystie St
Q. Did he go to the house
after that?
A. He never did

Sworn to before me }
This 13th day of May 1889 }
Police Justice

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Louis Rencofosky, the
husband of Complainant,
being duly sworn deposes
and says

Q. Were you in the
room at the time?

A. I was not. I
was making bologna at
No. 16 Cladgate St.

Q. When
did you stop making
them?

A. About half past
six o'clock.

Q. What did you do
then?

A. She told me all
about it.

Q. You did not see
it?

A. No Sir, but he
told me where he
bought the key, I asked

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him what was the matter,
and he said I took the
jewelry, he said he had
it about two weeks
and then pawned it in
Staten Island.

Q.

He was
a visitor and was at
the house frequently?

Q.

He was your rival for
the hand and heart of this
Complainant?

A.

He were

Q.

good friends. When did
you last see the man
(Defendant)?

A.

I did not
see him till the other
night when this happen-
ed, ~~at~~ two weeks after
this took place I saw

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Simm, and he told me
all about it.

Q. Where did
you see him?

A. In Hester St.

Q. Did you tell your wife?
A. Yes sir, and then
she went to the station
house.

Q. Did he leave for
Louisville Kentucky?

A. I do not know. I
knew he was not here all
the time

Sworn to before me
this 23rd day of May 1889

Police Justice

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Solomon Brotnofsky, being
duly sworn deposes and
says, I am the Defendant
Q You are charged
with taking this property
What have you to say?
A I never saw any gold
with her

Q Did you steal
this jewelry?

A No Sir
Q The little girl Mary,
the daughter of the
Complainant, testified
that she saw you com-
-ing out through the
window on the 28th of
August '88?

A No Sir,
Q Did you carry out
a bundle?

A No Sir.
Q Did you open the

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Q Warrobe?
A No Sir,
Q When did you leave for
Louisville, Kentucky?
A About a year
ago.

I sworn to before me }
this 13th day of May 1889 }

Police Justice

Court The Defendant is
held in fifteen hundred
Dollars to answer

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24th

BAILED,
No. 1, by Solomon Beler
Residence 14 Sullivan Street
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
No. 5, by _____
Residence _____
No. 6, by _____
Residence _____
No. 7, by _____
Residence _____
No. 8, by _____
Residence _____
No. 9, by _____
Residence _____
No. 10, by _____
Residence _____

Police Court--- 3rd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. New York
Solomon Beler
Beler

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
Offence Burglary

Dated May 23d 1889

Greely Magistrate.

Shaw Officer.

11th Precinct.

Witnesses Wm. New York

No. 35 Allen Street.

No. 35 Allen Street.

No. 35 Allen Street.

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No. 35 Allen Street.

No. 35 Allen Street.

No. 35 Allen Street.



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

Solomon Beler

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 May 1889 Wm. New York 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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District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Solomon Protufsky.
— Brief —

*the witnesses below
make very positive
statements.*

*Sell Wiskofsky
owner of jewelry &
value thereof.
saw jewelry 10 minutes
before she left house on
day of burglary. Windows
were closed. Had jewelry
& money in wardrobe
which she locked.*

*Louis Wiskofsky
husband of first witness
testifies that 14 days
after burglary he was
left. Left admitted
having taken jewelry
& having attempted to
pass it in stolen goods.*

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Ramon broker said
it was stolen & gave
him a black eye.

Witness says the black eye.
Witness was working for
sell them & subsequently
married her & is at
present her husband.

Mary Wiskofsky

Daughter of Sele.
Says she knows what
an oath is.

Saw her mother examine
jewelry 10 minutes before
leaving house on day
in question.

She was in street &
came into room & saw
left. at wardrobe turning
the key. Had a small
white bundle in his hand.
Left. asked where mother
is. I told him "at the
hospital" and asked
him what he was doing.
That I would call Graydon
father who was in the
stone in front of the room.
Left ran through window
which was into yard &
disappeared.

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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

Solomon Brotufsky

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

Solomon Brotufsky
late of the *Tenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *twenty eighth* day of *August*, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, about the
hour of *day* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Sele Newkofsky*

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

one Mary Newkofsky
within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods
chattels and personal property of the said *Sele Newkofsky*

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

Solomon Brotufsky
of the CRIME OF *Grand LARCENY in the second degree* committed as follows:

The said

Solomon Brotufsky

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 chain of the value of seventy dollars, one pair of earrings of the value of eighteen dollars, one other earring of the value of twenty dollars, two bracelets of the value of eighteen dollars each, one locket of the value of eighteen dollars, five rings of the value of two dollars each, and one watch of the value of fifteen dollars, and the sum of fifty dollars in money, lawful money of the United States, and of the value of fifty dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Sele Newkofsky

in the dwelling house of the said

Sele Newkofsky—

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

John R. Fellows
District Attorney

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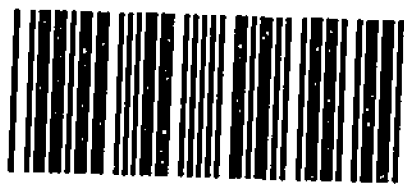
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WITNESSES:

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Counsel,
Filed *Do* day of June 1889
Pleads *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE,
vs.
B
Patrick N. Brown
Violation of Excise Law
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)
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Complaint sent to the Court
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John R. Fellows
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JOHN R. FELLOWS,
District Attorney.
Off June Term 89 - U.M.D.
A True Bill.
W. M. McNeil
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

Patrick H. Brown

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

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

The said

Patrick H. Brown

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

Eugene H. Collins

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 farther accuse the said

Patrick H. Brown

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

Patrick H. Brown

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.