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DESCRIPTION:

Brennan, James

DATE:

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W. A. P. S.  
23<sup>rd</sup>  
Counsel,  
Filed 16 day of Feb. 1883  
Pleads Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
R  
James S. Newman  
Complainant  
Not found  
Grand Larceny, Receiving Stolen Goods, and Degree, and

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney  
22 Mar 19. 1883.  
True & acquitted  
A True Bill.

William S. Phelps  
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

James Brennan

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

James Brennan

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

The said James Brennan

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~ninth~~ <sup>ninth</sup> day of ~~May~~ <sup>May</sup> in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms eight gold coins of the United States of the kind known as half eagles of the value of five dollars each, two silver coins of the United States of the kind known as trade dollars of the value of one dollar each, and two silver coins of the United States of the kind known as dimes of the value of ten cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Thomas Morrison, on the person of the said Thomas Morrison, 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 McKean  
District Attorney

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**PART I.**

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

*not found*

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

*not found*

The People of the State of New York,

To *James M. Marriess*

of No. *417* *9th* Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *20* day of *Feb* instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *Feb* in the year of our Lord 188 *9*.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.



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Com.  
Not found

Notary Public,  
N. Y. Co.

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

\_\_\_\_\_ 188 by \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

Subpoena, of which the within is a copy, upon \_\_\_\_\_

being duly sworn, deposes and says he \_\_\_\_\_

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

If you know of more testimony then was produced

before the Magistrate, or if a fact which you think

material was not there brought out, please state the

same to the District Attorney or one of his assistants.

If ill when served, please send timely word to the

District Attorney's office.

If inconvenient to remain, and you prefer another

day, state this early to the District Attorney, in the

Court.

Should the case not be called on for trial, and no

reason assigned in Court, please inquire in the District

Attorney's Office about it, and you may save time.

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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-4 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Morrissey*  
*Shutman on Hudson St. N.Y.*  
*4117 1/2 St.*

*James Morrissey*

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

Offence *Larceny from person*

Dated *July 9* 188*3*

*Hodgman* Magistrate

*Wm. Bennett* Officer

*19* Clerk

Witnesses, *Alexander Kennedy*  
*at my home*

No. *496, 18 Avenue* Street,

*James Kennedy* *my wife & child*

No. *244 East 46* Street,

*Thomas Kennedy*

No. *19 West 46* Street,

No. *502* to deliver *1883* Office

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 name? *defendant*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum *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 *July* 188*3* *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Brennan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

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Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

432 West 39th St. Manhattan

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

A Machinist

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

Answer.

I did not take the money from the complainant

Taken before me, this

9th

day of

February 1888

James Brennan

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Alexander Kennedy  
aged 29 years, occupation Brake man of No.  
496 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Thomas Morrison  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

1883

9<sup>th</sup> } Alex Kennedy  
February }  
[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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4 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 1117 9 Avenue

Street,

Thomas Morrissey aged 20 years  
Brake man on Hudson River R.R.

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

9 day of February 1883

at the

City of New York,

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

Good and lawful money of the United  
States consisting of Eight pieces of Gold  
Coin each of the value of five dollars -  
two silver trade dollars -  
and two silver dimes  
All of the value of  
Forty two and 2/100 dollars -

Signed before me this

the property of

deponent

day of

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

James Brennan (now present)  
with the intent to deprive deponent of said  
property. From the fact that previous  
to said larceny deponent had said  
money in deponent's pantaloons hip pocket  
then and then worn on the person of deponent  
and this deponent was in the saloon  
735 3rd Avenue and deponent being under  
the influence of liquor went outside of said  
saloon, and this deponent was informed

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by Alexander Kennedy (now present) that he  
 Kennedy found deponent lying in the  
 hallway of the premises adjoining said  
 saloon. And that said Brennan  
 was then raising deponent up  
 and said ~~Brennan~~ <sup>Kennedy</sup> also informed  
 deponent that he ~~Brennan~~ <sup>Kennedy</sup> found  
 said money in the possession of  
 said Brennan.

Sworn before me this }  
 9 day of February 1883 } Thomas H. H. H.  
 [Signature]  
 Officer Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION



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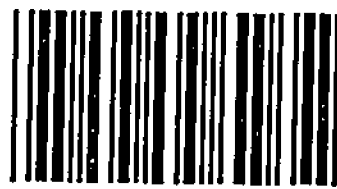
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Brooks, Karmell

**DATE:**

02/09/83



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W. J. 229 Am  
Friday, Aug 7/83

Day of Trial.

Counsel,

Filed,

day of

1883

Pleas

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Chambers & Son

Adulterated Milk.

RECEIVED  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
J. W. D. DEAN  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. Dwyer

Foreman.

on appn. sept. adj. to

Nov. 28/83

Seal of the Court

Dr.

Recd Feb 19/87

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

Samuel Brooks

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Samuel Brooks of the crime of Exposing for sale, impure, adulterated and unwholesome milk committed as follows:

The said Samuel Brooks  
late of the Seventh Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the twenty first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully and knowingly did expose for sale ~~at the~~ known as number Street, ~~then and there situate,~~ ten quarts of impure, adulterated and unwholesome milk, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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

Samuel Brooks

of the CRIME OF Exposing for sale impure, adulterated and unwholesome milk, committed as follows:

The said Samuel Brooks

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, ~~at the store and place of business of the said~~ known as number Street, ~~in said Ward, City and County, and the said premises being then and there a place where milk was kept for sale,~~ unlawfully did then and there keep, have, and offer for sale ten quarts of impure and unwholesome milk, which had been, and was then and there watered, adulterated, reduced and changed by the addition of water or other substance, and that such impure, unwholesome, watered, adulterated, reduced and changed milk was then and there by the said Samuel Brooks unlawfully held, kept and offered for sale against and in violation of the provisions of the Sanitary Code, and of such Sanitary Code then and there, and at all times thereafter in force and operation, and against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

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

Samuel Brooks

of the CRIME OF stealing and keeping impure  
unwholesome and adulterated milk  
committed as follows:

The said Samuel Brooks,  
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, did bring into the said  
Ward, City and County, ~~and then and there have and offer for sale, at the store and~~  
~~place of business of him, the said~~  
~~known as number~~ Street, the said  
~~premises being then and there a place where milk was kept for sale,~~ unlawfully did  
then and there keep, have, ~~and offer for sale~~, ten quarts of impure and unwholesome  
milk, which had been and was then and there, watered, adulterated, reduced and  
changed by the addition of water or other substance, and that such impure, unwhole-  
some, watered, adulterated or reduced and changed milk was then and there, by the  
said Samuel Brooks unlawfully  
held, ~~kept and offered for sale~~ against and in violation of the provisions the Sanitary  
Code, and of such Sanitary Code then and there, and at all times thereafter in force  
and operation, and especially against and in violation of the provisions of a section  
and ordinance of such Sanitary Code, which was duly passed and adopted by the Board  
of Health of the Health Department of the said City of New York, and by said  
Health Department at a meeting thereof, duly held in said City, on the twenty-third  
day of February, 1876, in the manner and language following, to wit:

"Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department,  
"the following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and  
"health be, and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the  
"Sanitary Code.

"No milk which has been watered, adulterated, reduced, or changed in any  
"respect by the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream,  
"shall be brought into, held, kept or offered for sale at any place in the City of New  
"York, nor shall any one keep, have, or offer for sale in the said city any such milk."

Which said ordinance was thereafter duly published once a week, for two  
successive weeks, in the *City Record*, a daily official newspaper and journal published  
in said city, to wit: in the issues of such newspaper of the 24th day of February, 1876,  
and also of the 2d day of March, 1876, and which said ordinance was then and there,  
and at all times thereafter, in full force and operation against the forms of the Statute  
in such case made and provided.

Samuel Brooks  
~~Samuel Brooks~~

District Attorney.

General Sessions Part I  
The People vs.  
Kamell Brooks

City and County of New York, ss:

Kamell Brooks  
 being duly sworn deposes and says  
 he is the defendant herein, that  
 his child now is and for some time  
 past has been very critically ill and  
 the said child requires the most  
 careful attention and nursing in the  
 part of defendant.

That on Friday last, the physician  
 attending said child & despaired of its  
 life and told defendant that he considered  
 that the child was liable to die at  
 any moment.

That defendant gives and has given per-  
 sonal care and attention to the said child  
 and he very believes that if he is kept  
 away from the child, the life of the  
 child will be the more imperilled.

That defendant has no desire to delay the  
 case, but that on the contrary is very  
 anxious to have it disposed of and that  
 he ~~has~~ was surprised that the case was  
 so long kept back, that the first time  
 it appeared in the calendar of the court  
 was one day last week.

Subscribed and sworn to before  
 me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1935

W. B. Cooperoff

(63) Notary Public  
 N.Y.C.

Kamell Brooks



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BAILED.  
No. 1, by Henry Ross  
Residence 500 West 116<sup>th</sup> Street  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward M. Martin

147 West 33<sup>rd</sup>

1 Karmel Brooks

Offence Violation of Sanitary Code

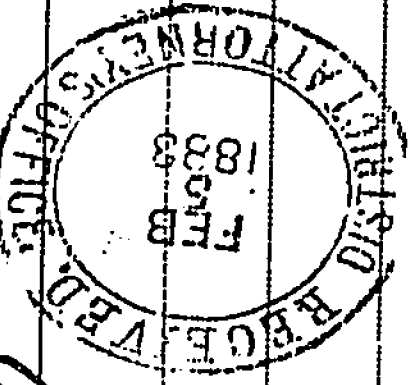
Dated February 3<sup>rd</sup> 1883

Grandfather Magistrate.  
Richard Edmundo Officer.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Street Precinct.

Witnesses

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

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



No. 500 Street, West 116<sup>th</sup>  
to answer 98  
Mailed

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 Karmel Brooks

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

Dated February 3<sup>rd</sup> 1883 Alfred J. Furman Police Justice.

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

Dated February 3<sup>rd</sup> 1883 Alfred J. Furman Police Justice.

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

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



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.2<sup>d</sup> District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Karnel Brooks

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 37 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Boston, Mass.

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

Answer. No 576 Eighth Avenue; 5 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Dealer in Butter, Cheese and Eggs

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

Answer. I have nothing to say at present. I demand a jury trial

Karnel Brooks

Taken before me this

day of

February

1883

Joseph J. Conner  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 Edward H. Martin Ass. Supt. Insp. of Wick of No. 47 West 55<sup>th</sup> Street, that on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

At premises number 576 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue said premises being a place where wick was kept and offered for sale. One Keamell Brooks did there and there unlawfully keep hair and offer for sale impure unwholesome wick and adulterated wick and wick from which the crown had been removed in violation of Section 186 of the Sanitary Code of said City.

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring forthwith before me, at the 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 1883

Hugh J. Gorman POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT. 2<sup>nd</sup> DISTRICT.THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OFEdward H. Martin  
Ass. Supt. Insp. of Wickvs.  
Brooksat 576 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Warrant-General.

Dated February 1<sup>st</sup> 1883Martin MagistrateLauchlin Officer.

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

Matthew Campbell Officer.Dated February 13 1883

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, February 13-1883Native of W. I.Age, 37

Sex

Complexion,

Color WhiteProfession, MilkMarried No

Single,

Read, NoWrite, No576 8<sup>th</sup> Ave

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*M*  
Police Court, 2<sup>nd</sup> District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward H. Martin  
of No. 47<sup>th</sup> St. East - 65<sup>th</sup> St.

K. Brooks

of No. 676 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue

*Affidavit* *Southern* *City*

Dated

*July 1*

1883

Justice.

*Madden*

Officer.

*Campbell*

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City and County of New York, ss.

*Edward N. Martin* aged 26 years of *Rank 47* *55" short*  
 Assistant Sanitary Inspector of said city, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the  
 26 day of *January* in the year 1883,

at premises number *876 8th Avenue* in the City of New York, the said premises being a place then and there where Milk was kept for sale, one *Keamell Brooks* unlawfully did then and there keep, have and offer for sale three quarts of impure and unwholesome Milk, which had been and was then and there watered, adulterated, reduced and changed by the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream therefrom, and that such impure, unwholesome, watered, adulterated or reduced and changed Milk was then and there, by the said *Keamell Brooks*, unlawfully held, kept and offered for sale against and in violation of the provisions of the Sanitary Code, and of such Sanitary Code then and there, and at all times thereafter in force and operation, and especially against and in violation of the provisions of a section and ordinance of such Sanitary Code which was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Health of the Health Department of the said City of New York, and by said Health Department at a meeting thereof, duly held in said city, on the twenty-third day of February, 1876, in the manner and language following, to wit:

"Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health be, and the same is hereby, adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code.

"No Milk which has been watered, adulterated, reduced or changed in any respect by the addition of water or other substance, or by the removal of cream, shall be brought into, held, kept or offered for sale at any place in the City of New York, nor shall any one keep, have or offer for sale in the said city any such Milk."

That said ordinance was thereafter duly published once a week, for two successive weeks, in the *City Record*, a daily official newspaper and journal published in said city, to wit, in the issues of such newspaper of the 24th day of February, 1876, and also of the 2d day of March, 1876, and that said ordinance was, at all times alleged herein, in full force and operation in said city and county.

*Edward N. Martin*

Sworn to before me the *1st* day  
 of *February* 1883.

*Hugh Gardner* Police Justice.

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Sec. 568.

2 District Police Court.UNDERTAKING TO ANSWER.— General SESSIONS.CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.An order having been made on the 30 day of February 1883 byHugh Gardner a Police Justice of the City of New York, That  
Karmel Brooks be held to answer upon a charge ofViolation of Sanitary Codeupon which he has been duly admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.We, Karmel Brooks Defendant of No. 576 8thStreet; Occupation Merchant, andHenry Krooss of No. 516 East 118 Street;Occupation Milk dealer. Surety, hereby undertake jointly &severally that the above named Karmel Brooks shall appear and answer the charge above-mentioned, in whatever Court it may be prosecuted: and shall at all times render himself amenable to the orders and process of the Court; and if convicted, shall appear for judgment, and render himself in execution thereof, or if he fail to perform either of these conditions that we will pay to the People of the State of New York, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this

30 day of February 1883Karmel Brooks  
H. KroossHugh Gardner POLICE JUSTICE.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Sworn to before me, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 1883  
Hugh Spencer  
Police Justice.

*Henry Cross*  
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and *real estate* holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Twenty* 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; and lot at 506 East 118 and a stable at 508 E. 118. Said property being valued at fourteen thousand dollars free of all encumbrances*  
*H. Cross.*

New York General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to Answer.

vs.

*Samuel Brooks*

Taken the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1883

*Gardner*  
Justice.

Filed day of 188



Court of Special Sessions

The People vs

Karnel Brooks

City and County of New York f.

Karnel Brooks  
the above named defendant being  
duly sworn deposes and says that he  
cannot safely proceed to trial  
on account of the absence of material  
witnesses, who are necessary for the  
trial of said case on behalf  
of defendant

That the name of one witness is  
aforesaid is Mary L. Woolsey who  
was present when the test was made  
as to the condition of the milk, which it is  
alleged was adulterated and who  
was present when the test was made  
as to the condition of said milk.

That said Mary L. Woolsey  
is unable to attend at the trial of  
the case on account of sickness in the  
family of defendant, into which said Mary  
L. Woolsey resides.

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That in addition to said outcross, it  
is also necessary & material to have  
the testimony of the ~~farmer~~ <sup>farmer</sup> from whom  
the said milk was bought and the  
~~my~~ said farmer lives out of the County  
of New York and could not possibly be  
present for this day. That defendant  
cannot legally proceed to trial without  
said witnesses or either of them

sworn to before me  
the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1885

Hugh D. Dundy  
Notary Public  
N.Y.C.

Cornell Brooks

People

v

Brooks

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ESTABLISHED 1793.

HARRISON BROTHERS & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

WHITE LEAD,

COLORS AND CHEMICALS,

117 FULTON STREET, NEW YORK.

*Presented by*

*C. F. Wisewell*

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Mr Bradley - When Brown's Case  
is called, ask him why  
he left his former employ-  
er, Mr Dillon of 6 Ave -  
Mr D. says he discharged  
Brown because he  
found him dishonest

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BOX:

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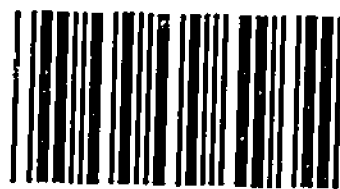
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DESCRIPTION:

Brown, Albert

DATE:

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M. Bowling  
Compt. Mch.  
that he ~~was~~ kept  
near in his employ  
as a clerk.  
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Geo. J. Mahoney  
Prop. Mahoney  
Sept Sept 1st  
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No 46

Counsel,  
Filed 8 day of Feb 1883  
Pleads Not Guilty.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Oscar Conner  
(two parents)  
1883

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

William H. Murphy  
Feb 16/83  
Foreman.  
P. J. Murphy  
H. H. Murphy  
Feb 20/83

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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

Albert Brown

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

Albert Brown

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

The said Albert Brown

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the 26th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms one certain instrument and writing, to wit: an order for the payment of money of the kind commonly called bank check drawn by one Samuel Lynch for the sum of thirty dollars, to one Martin Dowling, bearing date the twenty sixth day of January, 1883, the same being then and there unsatisfied and of the value of thirty dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

John McLean  
District Attorney

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Counsel,  
Filed 8 day of Feb 1883  
Pleads Not guilty.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
R  
Albert Conner  
(True name)

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

William H. Phelps

One witness indicted with  
Foreman.  
Convicted of larceny  
24th Feb. 1883

0157

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Albert Brown

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

Albert Brown

of the CRIME OF Attempt at Petit Larceny, committed as follows:

The said Albert Brown

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
27th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty- three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms  
six Walrusbone knives of the  
value of three dollars each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one John  
Champion then and there being found, then and there  
feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case  
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and  
their dignity. John McLean  
District Attorney

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Judge Hudson will  
please hear and  
determine this case  
on my absence  
Jan. 28/83  
J. M. O. J.

BAILED,

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

Warrant  
Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
vs. Albert Brown  
Offence Attempt at  
Robbery & Larceny

Dated January 29 1883

W. M. O. J. Magistrate.

W. M. O. J. Officer.

W. M. O. J. Clerk.

Witnesses, Martin M. O. J.

No. 4116 - 6 Avenue Street,

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

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

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

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

W. M. O. J. 29/83 at  
J. M. O. J.

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

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 January 29 1883 W. M. O. J. Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 151.

2 District Police Court.

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 any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York:

Whereas, Complaint on oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices in and for the said City, by Charles F. Wisniewski

of No. 117 Fulton Street, that on the 27 day of January 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, the following article to wit:

one half dozen Nalsonine Brushes,  
in all

of the value of sixteen \$0/100 Dollars,  
the property of John Harrison and others, Partners,  
w as attempted to be taken, stolen, and carried away, and as the said complainant has cause to suspect, and does suspect and believe, by Albert Brown

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and every of you, to apprehend the bod 7 of the said Defendant and forthwith bring him before me, at the 2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 27 day of January 1883

Charles F. Wisniewski  
POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Albert Brown

Warrant-Larceny.

Attempt at

Dated January 27 1883

John Harrison Magistrate

Marion Officer

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

John Harrison Officer.

Dated January 28 1883

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

John Harrison Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, January 28, 1883

Native of Pa

Age, 26

Sex

Complexion,

Color white

Profession, clerk

Married Yes

Single

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.2<sup>d</sup> DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Albert Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty Six Years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York.

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

Answer.

435 West 50<sup>th</sup> Street 6 Years.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Clerk.

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

Answer.

I have nothing to say

Taken before me, this

day of

29<sup>th</sup>  
January 1885

Albert Brown

George Guernsey Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 33 years, occupation Martin Dowling  
Painter of No.

416 - 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Charles J. McNeill  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 27<sup>th</sup>  
day of January 1888 } Martin Dowling

Sam Patterson  
Police Justice.

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2 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ssCharles F. Wisewell, aged 35  
years of No. 117 Sutton Street, Salesmanbeing duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of January 1883  
at the Attempted to be City of New York,  
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent,

the following property, viz:

One half dozen Paper extra Kalsamine  
Brushes, in all of the value of  
fifteen dollars and eighty centsthe property of John Harrison, George Harrison  
and Thomas Harrison, Co-partners, doing business  
at 117 Sutton Street under the firm name  
Harrison, Parkes & Co.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 Albert Brown, now therefrom the fact that said defendant  
then stated and represented to deponent,  
who is Salesman for said firm and  
had charge of said property, that one  
Martin Downing of 416-6<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
had sent him, said defendant, for  
said property. That deponent refused to  
give him said property, and charges  
that said statement and representations

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was false and untrue and was designedly made with the intent on the part of said defendant to defraud the true owners of said property.

That defendant is now here informed by the said Martin Howling that the, said Howling, did not send said defendant for said property nor in any manner authorize him to procure the same from defendant or said firm, which defendant believes to be true. Defendant says said defendant may be arrested and dealt with as the law may direct.

Sworn to before me this { Charles F. Wheeler  
27<sup>th</sup> day of January 1883

J. W. Patterson J. Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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In Case of Alberto

Brown #

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

*New York,* ..... 188

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People  
vs  
Albert Brown

Rec. New York, March 9, 1883 of  
the two checks used as exhibits in  
this case: one check being for thirty  
dollars and drawn by Samuel Lynch  
and the other for twenty one  $\frac{20}{100}$  dollars  
drawn by D. L. Schilling

Martin Dowling



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

Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Martin Manning  
et al.  
Albert Brown

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3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence, Grand Larceny

Dated January 31 1888

Magistrate.

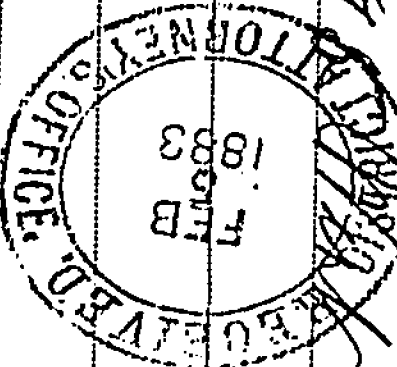
Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses James J. ...

No. 27 Street, 128

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



No. 500 Street, S.J.  
to answer James

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

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

Dated January 31 1888 J. J. ... Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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Sec. 198-200.

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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Albert Brown.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Twenty Six Years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York.*

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

Answer.

*435 West 50 Street 6 Years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Coler.*

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

Answer.

*I have nothing to say*

Taken before me, this

*31<sup>st</sup>*

day of

*January*

188*3*

*Albert Brown*

*Joseph G. Gorman* Police Justice.

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2 District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ssMartin Dowling, aged 33 years,  
of No. 416 - Sixth Avenue Street, Painterbeing duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 1883at 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:

The annexed check or order for  
money on "The Fifth Avenue Bank"  
of New York, for the sum of thirty  
dollars and being of the value of  
thirty dollars

Notary Public in and for the State of New York

day of

the property of deponent

\_\_\_\_\_ and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen, and carried away by Albert Brown, now

here, from the fact that said  
deponent was then in the employment  
of deponent as a clerk and salesman,  
and did on said day by virtue of  
such employment collect and receive  
said check for and on account of  
deponent from James Lynch, then  
present, and did not thereafter return  
said check to deponent or account  
for it but did take the same and

Police Justice.

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Appropriate it to his own use  
with the intent to depend the  
true owner thereof. Martin Dowling  
Sworn to before me this  
31<sup>st</sup> day of January 1888

Shirley J. Gardner  
Police Justice

City and County of New York, C.D.  
Samuel Lynch, of 275 West 128<sup>th</sup> Street,  
aged 59 years, occupation, Painter, being  
duly sworn dep. that the annexed  
check named in the foregoing Complaint  
was paid by dependent to the defendant  
Albert Brown, here present, for and  
on account of monies then due and owing  
by dependent to the employer of said Albert,  
Martin Dowling of 416 - 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue.  
Sworn to before me this  
31<sup>st</sup> day of January 1888

Shirley J. Gardner  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFRIDAVID-Larceny.

Dated

188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Brown, Charles

DATE:

02/21/83



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*W 232*

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed *21* day of *Feb* 188*3*

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*73*  
*Charles Brown*

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling without License.

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*William H. Kelly*

Foreman.

*F. March 1<sup>st</sup> 1883.*



0173

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Charles Brown*

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

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

The said *Charles Brown*

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

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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He waived by  
Mabel H. Jones  
99 South Street.

BAILLED,  
No. 1 by Charles H. Jones  
Residence 214 E. 88 Street,  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court - 1st District.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Charles Jones  
27 08. 1882  
Charles Brown  
Offence, Rob of House  
Dated June 14 1882  
Franklin Magistrate.  
Franklin Officer.  
Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
\$ 100 to answer  
Charles Brown  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, 1882

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

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 June 14 1882 Franklin Police Justice.

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

Dated 14 June 1882 Franklin 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer.

Charles Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

34 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

France

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

Answer.

234 Greenwich Street & about one year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I have applied for a  
license & was expecting  
it  
Ch Brown

Taken before me this

day of

June 14 188

August C. Chambers  
Police Justice.

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Police Court

First District.

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

ss

of No. the 27 Charles Parke Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 14 day  
of June 1882 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at  
premises No. 294 Greenwich Street,

Charles Brown [now here]  
did then and there sell, and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and  
spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be  
drunk in the house or premises aforesaid, without a license contrary to and in violation of law.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said

may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Subscribed before me, this 14 day  
of June 1882

Charles Parke  
High Commissioner POLICE JUSTICE.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1881  
Police Justice.

the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and \_\_\_\_\_  
holder within the said County and State, and is worth \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

New York General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Undertaking to Answer.  
" Certified Copy  
" ss.  
Charles Brown

Taken the 14 day of Dec 1881

W. J. Anderson Justice.

Filed 15 day of Jan 1882



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An order having been made on the 14 day of June 1882 by  
Hugh Gardner Esquire a Police Justice of the City of New York, That  
Charles Brown be held to answer upon a charge of  
Violation of Excise Law

upon which he has been duly admitted to bail, in the sum of one Hundred Dollars.

We, Charles Brown Defendant of No. 234  
Greenwich Street; Occupation Saloon Keeper, and  
Adolph E. Hupfel of No. 229 E. 38th Street;  
Occupation Brewer Surety, hereby undertake  
that the above named Charles Brown shall appear and answer the charge above-  
mentioned, in whatever Court it may be prosecuted: and shall at all times render he self amenable to the orders  
and process of the Court; and if convicted, shall appear for judgment, and render he self in execution thereof,  
or if he fail to perform either of these conditions that we will pay to the People of the State of New York, the sum  
of one Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this

14 day of June 1882

Hugh Gardner POLICE JUSTICE.

Charles Brown  
Adolph E. Hupfel

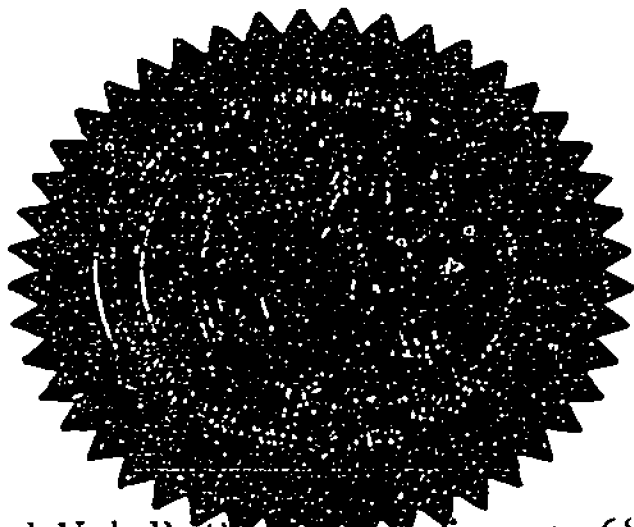


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I, JOHN SPARKS, Clerk of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, and of the Court of Oyer and Terminer held in and for the City and County of New York, each being a Court of Record and having a Common Seal, do hereby certify that the annexed is a copy of

*An undertaking to answer*

now on file in the Clerk's Office, and that the same has been compared by me with the original, and is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original



3d Vol. R. S., 3d Ed., § 74, p. 687.

GIVEN UNDER my hand and attested by the seal  
of the said Court this *twenty second* day  
of *January* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and *eighty three*

*[Signature]*

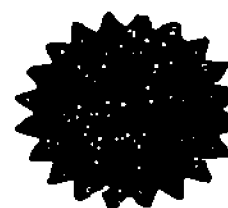
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State of New York,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

I, Adolph G. Kugel the surety mentioned  
in the annexed undertaking to answer, do hereby authorize and empower any  
Policeman of the City of New York, or  
or either of them, in my name, place, and stead, to take, seize, and  
surrender the said Charles Brower (in the said  
undertaking held as defendant,) to the Court wherein he is bound to  
appear for trial, or deliver him to the custody of the authorities of said city  
and county, in my exoneration as surety therein.

Dated January 22 1883.

Adolph G. Kugel Surety.



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Brown, Frank

DATE:

02/14/83



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1883

Counsel,  
Filed 4 day of Feb 1883

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John Doe*

Grand Larceny, second degree, and  
Receiving-Stolen Goods

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney

A True Bill.

*William H. Hays*  
Foreman.  
Part 2. Feb 14, 1883  
Pleads Guilty -  
S. P. Hays.

0183

**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Frank Brown*

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

*Frank Brown*

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

The said *Frank Brown*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
29<sup>th</sup> on the day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty- two , at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms  
two coats of the value of fifteen  
dollars each, two vests of the  
value of six dollars each, four  
collars of the value of twenty  
five cents each and one shirt  
of the value of two dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Arthur*  
*St. Bonafant* then and there being found, then and there  
feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case  
made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and  
their dignity.

*John McLean*  
District Attorney



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

Police Court 2<sup>d</sup> District 103

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Arthur H. Baughman  
64 Washington Place

Frank Brown

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence Grand Larceny

Dated February 8<sup>th</sup> 1883

Shadrach Magistrate.

Crawley Officer.

15<sup>th</sup> Precinct

Witnesses Michael Crawley

No. 15th Precinct Street,

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

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

100 to answer \_\_\_\_\_

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 100 Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated February 8<sup>th</sup> 1883: Augustus 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 Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Frank Brown

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New Jersey

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

Answer. 710. Home.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Sailor

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

Answer. I am guilty of the charge  
Frank. Brown;

Taken before me this

day 27 February 1883

George W. Brown  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Michael Crowley  
aged 34 years, occupation Police Officer of No.  
15th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Arthur H. Baughman  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 8th }  
day of February 1883 } Michael Crowley

Alfred J. Gorman  
Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 641 Washington Place Street 24 years waiter  
being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 1882  
at the above premises in 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:

Two Cloth Coats of the  
value of Thirty dollars,  
Two Hats Four Collars  
and one shirt together  
of the value of Fifteen dollars,  
all being of the value of Forty  
Five dollars

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken  
stolen, and carried away by Frank Brown (now here)  
for the following reasons, that  
the said Brown, was employed  
in the above mentioned premises  
as a waiter and had access to the  
rooms of deponent in said premises  
And the said Brown admitted and  
confessed in deponent's presence  
that he had taken stolen and carried  
away said property And deponent

Subscribed before me this 1st day of January 1883

Police Justice

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is informed by Officer Crawley that  
he arrested said Brown and found  
in said Brown's possession a  
coat and vest which deponent  
identifies as a portion of the  
property which has been later  
stolen & carried away from  
deponent's possession.

Sworn to before me } Arthur Houghton  
this 8th day of February 1883 }  
Hugh Gunner  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION



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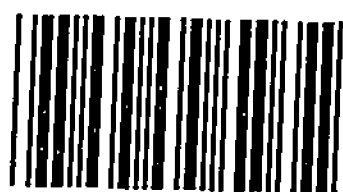
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Bulland, Lawrence

DATE:

02/08/83



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Day of Trial,  
Counsel, *Lawrence*  
Filed *Feb 1883*  
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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*Lawrence Boardman*

*vs.*

*Lawrence Boardman*

JOHN McKEON,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill

*Feb 1883*  
*Wm. A. McKeon*  
*Foreman*  
*Charles Dudley*

*S. P. one year*

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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

*Lawrence Ballard* <sup>against</sup>  
*otherwise called*  
*Sarcus Butler*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse  
*Lawrence Ballard, otherwise*  
*called Sarcus Butler*  
of the CRIME OF *Attempting Suicide,*  
committed as follows:

The said *Lawrence Ballard, other-*  
*wise called Sarcus Butler*

late of the City and County of New York, on the *first* day of *February*  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty- *three*, at  
the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms *with intent to take*

*his own life, did then and there feloniously com-*  
*mit upon himself an act dangerous to human*  
*life, to wit: the said Lawrence Ballard other-*  
*wise called Sarcus Butler, then and there,*  
*a certain handkerchief, about the neck of him*  
*the said Lawrence Ballard, otherwise called*  
*Sarcus Butler, feloniously did then and there*  
*forcibly bind and tie, and his neck, then and*  
*there forcibly and violently did strangle, against*  
*the form of the Statute in such case made and*  
*provided, and against the peace of the People of*  
*the State of New York, and their dignity.*

*John McKeon*

*District Attorney.*

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

Police Court- 3 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Matthew Dickey  
vs. the City of New York  
Lawrence Bullard

Offence, *attempts at suicide*

Dated February 4 1883

*Bulfinch* Magistrate.

Officer \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

to \_\_\_\_\_  
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RECEIVED  
CLERK'S OFFICE

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 *Lawrence Bullard*

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

Dated *February 4* 1883 *[Signature]* Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

3rd District Police Court.

*Lawrence Bullard*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Lawrence Bullard*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *466 Cherry Street - last October*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Boatman*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty, I was intoxicated*

*Lawrence Bullard*

Taken before me this

day of

*[Signature]*

Police Justice.



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

POLICE COURT, 3<sup>rd</sup> DISTRICT.

58 years of age a keeper of City Prison  
of No. 69 E. 1<sup>st</sup> Street, being duly sworn, deposes and  
says that on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 1883  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Lawrence Bullard (now here)  
was committed to custody of deponent  
as a keeper of the City Prison charged  
with Intoxication, and committed to pay  
a fine of five dollars, and in default  
of payment of said fine, to stand  
committed for a term of five days,  
Deponent placed said Lawrence in to  
a Cell in said City Prison, and  
after being confined in said Cell for  
about 30 Minutes deponent found  
said Bullard with a Handkerchief  
tied around his neck and he hanging  
on the door of said Cell  
Deponent charges that said Lawrence  
did commit upon himself such  
dangerous act with the felonious intent  
to take his life, and in violation  
of section 174 of the Penal Code

Sworn to before me this  
4<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883

*[Signature]* Matthew Daley  
Police Justice  
Matthew Daley

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DESCRIPTION:

Burke, Teresa

DATE:

02/26/83



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cassens, Diedrick

DATE:

02/26/83



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IN SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE  
IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SENATE  
MAY 18 1883

OF THE LANDS BELONGING TO THE UNITED STATES

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Filed 26 day of Feb 1883  
Pleads with will.

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Benjamin D. Davis  
Diedrich Carsons  
H. B.

ROBBERY—First Degree.

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Milman H. H. H.

March 8 1883 Foreman

(Post)

Speed & Ch. I. Graviton of  
Batch January No. 2 Acquit  
Ch. I. Perry 1 year

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

Terena Burke and Didrich Carrens

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

Terena Burke and Didrich Carrens

\_\_\_\_\_ of the crime of Robbery in the first degree,

committed as follows:

The said Terena Burke and Didrich

Carrens

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,  
on the nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty five at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,  
with force and arms, in and upon one John Hansen  
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and

(each of them being then and there  
aided by an accomplice actually  
present) and, one watch of the  
value of ten dollars, one chain of  
the value of two dollars, one coat  
of the value of eight dollars, one  
hat of the value of three dollars  
and one pencil of the value of  
one dollar

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

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.



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Testimony in the  
Case of  
Serena Burke &  
Diedrich Carstens.  
filed Feb.

1883.

The People  
 v.  
 Teresa Burke  
 and  
 Diedrich Casseus

testified

Court of General Sessions. Part I.  
 Before Judge Gildersleeve. March  
 Indictment for robbery in 1<sup>st</sup> degree.

Sofus Hansen sworn and examined, tes-  
 tified. On the 14<sup>th</sup> of last month I saw the prisoners  
 between 12 and one o'clock I met Casseus  
 and had a glass of beer with him. I had a  
 silver watch worth \$15 and a plated chain  
 a pencil, a coat and a hat all valued at \$15.  
 I am a sailor. Afterwards went with Casseus  
 to the basement 35 Mulberry st. That is where  
 I first saw Teresa Burke. Casseus sent out  
 for beer and I took a small glass and I  
 do not remember anything that occurred  
 after that until I woke up in prison about  
 12 o'clock at night and I missed my hat  
 coat and watch. I did not get my watch  
 but I saw my coat down in the station  
 house. Cross Examined. George Curtis and  
 Casseus went with me to Mulberry st. I  
 remember playing an accordeon there but  
 do not remember singing a Danish song  
 Annie Fletcher, who lives at 36 Mulberry  
 st. testified that on the 14<sup>th</sup> of last month  
 she was at her window and saw Casseus  
 pull the complainant by the coat into the  
 cellar of 35 Mulberry st. where they sell  
 stale beer, but she did not see anything more.

Mary Rose, wife of the keeper of 35 Mulberry St. testified that the men came into the place and first got stale beer and then sent out for "store" beer and whiskey; the woman prisoner was sitting there; the complainant afterwards took off his coat and wanted to fight and Curtis and Cassens put him out in the hallway; he had his watch and coat and vest on when he was put; all this time the woman prisoner was in the room; she danced with the complainant. George Curtis, sworn and examined, gave a lengthy statement of how he met Cassens in Cherry Street and accompanied him to 35 Mulberry Street and how beer and whiskey was sent out for and drank; the woman ~~Burke~~ Burke also drank whiskey; Cassens and Hansen were fighting. I saw Hansen transfer his watch from his vest pocket to his left side pants pocket and afterwards I saw the woman Burke put her hand into Hansen's pocket and tear the watch out then she went across the street into Kennedy's pawnshop and I followed her; she asked the pawnbroker for four dollars on the watch, but he only offered her \$1.50; she would not take it, but the watch in her pocket and returned to 35 Mulberry Street.

Officer John McConnell testified that he went to the stale beer dive 35 Mulberry St about an hour after he arrested Hansen and saw the woman Burke sitting there. Patrick English sworn. I arrested the woman an hour and a half after I arrested the complainant and Curtis. I found about 70 cents and money but no watch; she admitted having the watch though. The complainant identified Cassero and the woman Burke as being in his company. Teresa Burke, sworn and examined in her own behalf testified that she lived at 35 Mulberry St. and on this day in question she saw the complainant, Cassero and Curtis come into the place; they sent out for beer and whiskey and soup and afterward the complainant pulled off his coat and wanted to fight; they made a row and the woman Rose pushed them all out in the hall. and they went in the street. Fifteen minutes after that she met Curtis and he asked her to go with him to the pawnshop; he asked me to pawn the watch, to ask four dollars on it, to put Thompson on the ticket and to say he lived in Mott St. The pawnbroker said he would not give more than



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Mary R. ... 14th March 1835 11 11  
 twelve shillings for it, that it was only a  
 brass watch! Curtis said he would not take  
 it, and he took the watch out of my hand.  
 When the officer arrested me he asked me  
 if I knew anything of the man's watch? I  
 told him I did not. I told the justice in the  
 Police Court what I have told you now. I  
 would not have gone to the police office only  
 I was under the influence of liquor. I  
 never saw the complainant put it in his  
 pants pocket and all I saw was the chain  
 and I did not touch that at all.

Friedrich Casson was examined at great  
 length and he gave an account of how  
 he met the complainant and went with  
 him to 35 Mulberry St. and how they  
 drank and the complainant sought to fight  
 there. He endeavored to prevent him;  
 he saw that he had a watch; he pulled  
 the watch out of his pocket and the chain  
 was hanging down. He (the witness) did  
 not see Teresa Burke take the watch.

Francis Kenney, a pawnbroker at 62  
 Mulberry St. was examined. He said  
 that on the 14th of Feb. a woman came  
 with a brass watch and a young man  
 was with her; she asked four dollars  
 for it and he offered her a dollar.



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and a half; she would not take it and left; she came a second time and I told her I did not want the watch at all. I could not identify the woman positively.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of petty larceny against Burke and acquitted Carson.

She was sent to the penitentiary for one year.

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*Not for record*

**PART I.**

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**  
FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE  
**Court of General Sessions of the Peace.**

The People of the State of New York,

To *Annis Fitch*  
of No *36 Mulberry* Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the *5* day of *March* instant at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of *March* in the year of our Lord 188

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Not found don't let there  
PART I.

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

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

SUBPOENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York,

To Edward Swift

of No. 183 Cherry Street,

GREETING :

WE COMMAND YOU, That, all business and excuses ceasing, you *appear* in your proper person, before the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York, at the Sessions Building, in the Park of the said City, on the 7 day of May instant, at the hour of eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

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

Witness, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, of our said City, at the City Hall, in our said City, the first Monday of May in the year of our Lord 1887.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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District Police Court,  
New York, Feb. 17 1883  
The People vs  
on the Conf' of  
Sofus Hansen } Robbery  
vs  
Jeraa Burke et al }

Mem. for the Dist. Atty  
The Evidence disclosed in  
the full Examination of  
this Case That George  
Lantis, who appeared as  
a witness for the People,  
was a principal in the  
Commission of the Crime  
Charged against these  
defendants - and he is  
~~held for~~ committed to  
the House of Detention  
in default of a Bond  
for One Thousand Dollars  
for his appearance at the Trial

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Michael Fabriggio's  
statement is unworthy  
of any credit. He is  
the occupant of two  
rooms in the rear of  
the basement of this  
house - which are  
approached through a  
hallway running through  
the center of the house. This is  
common for the people  
occupying the 4 sets  
of apartments of two  
rooms each on this  
floor - and in the  
rear house behind  
it. In these 2 rooms  
he lived with his wife <sup>15 years old</sup> ~~to~~  
to whom he has been married 2 years.  
His father & Mother-in-law -



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frequently as many as <sup>3</sup>  
six Codgers besides,  
and in it he sells stale  
beer. Many crimes have  
been committed <sup>about</sup> ~~to~~ these  
premises - and he is  
better known to me either  
a Witness or Defendant  
in this Court than some of  
the officers who attend it.  
I discredit the Witness Annie  
Fitcher's testimony for the  
reason that the Complaining  
Witness states very positively  
that he went into the Hallway  
leading to this place of his  
own free will, without  
either persuasion or Compulsion,  
with Curtis and Sassen.  
with whom he had been walking  
around a half hour previously.  
He discovered the purposes of these  
people he says after he had taken  
three rounds of drink which was  
brought into the place by Marie  
Rose, wife of Fabrizio - and  
then took his watch from his  
vest - put it into his

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District Police Court,

New York, \_\_\_\_\_

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breeches pocket, and  
inocanned to leave the  
premises. For these  
reasons, & because he is  
positive the boy <sup>James</sup> Fogarty  
has nothing to do with  
the robbery that was  
committed on him,  
I have discharged ~~him~~ <sup>Fogarty</sup>  
from this Complaint.

He is now in the Tombs  
awaiting his trial by  
a Complaint for Robbery  
against him.

Clarence J. Owen

De Justice

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**LIST OF WITNESSES,**

FROM

HOUSE FOR DETENTION OF  
WITNESSES,

FOR  
*Paul J. J.*  
Court of General Sessions

*mch 8/83*  
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Officer.

*Cassidy*

To the Warden of the House for Detention of Witnesses.

SIR:

**SIR :**

Please to send to the COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, this morning, at Eleven o'clock, the following Witnesses.

Yours, &c.,

Hugh Donnell  
Chief Clerk  
for District Attorney.

Dated the

day of

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*District Attorney.*

NAME OF WITNESS.	IN CASE OF	DISCHARGED.	REMANDED.
Safar Stansen J. Bunker Geo. Custer			

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Patrick English

aged 41 years, occupation Police officer of No

6th Beecut-Place Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Sofus Haansen

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

Sworn to before me, this

15th

day of

February

1883

Patrick English

W. J. Owen

Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George Curtis  
aged 21 years, occupation Painter of No. 25 Governor Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 15  
day of February 1883

George Curtis

W. J. A. A. A.

Police Justice.

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

Police Court--First District.

*Joseph Hansen* aged 23 years, sailor  
of No. *House of Detention* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the *14th* day of *February* 18*B*  
at the *City* Ward of the City of New York, in the

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

*One Silver Watch with plated chain*  
*One Coat*  
*One Hat &*  
*One Lead Pencil all being*

of the value of *twenty four and  $\frac{10}{100}$*  Dollars,  
the property of *deponent*

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

*Petera Burke, Diedrich Sasseus, and*  
*James Fogarty (all now here)* from the fact that  
about the hour of 12 o'clock (noon) on said day  
deponent in company with *George Curtis* and  
*Diedrich Sasseus* went into premises *N<sup>o</sup> 35 Mulberry*  
*Street* in said city which is a *state Beer saloon*  
that they met in said place, <sup>said</sup> *Petera Burke* and  
*James Fogarty*, that after having some drinks  
deponent became stupefied and could not  
recollect anything that took place after in said  
*number 35 Mulberry street*, that deponent was  
informed by *George Curtis* of *N<sup>o</sup> 25 Goreck street*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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day

Police Justice

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that said defendants began an assault upon him by striking and beating deponent each one of them trying to get said Watch and Chain, that he saw said Teresa Burke forcibly take said Watch and Chain from deponents person and ran out of said premises that he said Curtis followed her to a Pawn office where she attempted to pawn it, that not being able to get money enough on said property she did not pawn it. She then returned to No 35 Mulberry street where said Robbery had been committed, that about 10 minutes afterward ~~after~~ said Curtis saw said Diomedes Bassens in premises No 183 <sup>the Court</sup> Leatham street having in his possession described in the within affdavit. Deponent is further informed by Patrick English of the 6th Precinct Police that he was informed by Michael Fabrizio of 35 Mulberry street that he saw said James Fogarty run away with said defendants Hat.

Deponent therefore charges the said defendants with feloniously robbing deponent and taking from his person by force and violence and against his will ~~and~~ said property and asks that they may be held to answer and dealt with according to law.

John Hammer

State of New York  
City of New York

Michael Fabrizio of No 35 Mulberry street in said city being duly sworn deposes that he was present during the fight in said premises and saw said James Fogarty one of the within defendants running away with complainant Hat and was informed by Patrick English of the 6th Precinct Police

Michael Fabrizio  
Mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of February 1888.

W. J. Davis

Photo Plates



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Ex 4 Friday 16 Feb 1883

243 1st District

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
John W. Sullivan  
vs.  
1. Teresa Burke  
2. Michael Sassen  
3. James Fogarty  
Offence Robbery

Dated February 15th 1883  
Magistrate  
Nicholas Sassen

Prosecutor  
Nicholas Sassen

Witnesses  
George Lewis 14 St.  
Nicholas Sassen 35 Mulberry St.

No. 25 Street  
Nicholas Sassen 35 Mulberry St.

John W. Sullivan  
Nicholas Sassen 35 Mulberry St.

James Fogarty  
Nicholas Sassen 35 Mulberry St.  
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It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Teresa Burke and Michael Sassen

guilty thereof, I order that they 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. be legally discharge

Dated 16 Feb 1883 Nicholas Sassen 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 James Fogarty guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated 16 Feb 1883 Nicholas Sassen Police Justice.

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The People  
on the Complaint of Jofus Hansen

Jas. A. Burke, et al.

City & County of New York S.S.

Annie Fitcher, housewife, residing  
at 36 Mulberry Street, sworn  
says. I live opposite the  
premises 35 Mulberry Street -  
On Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> inst -  
about 2 o'clock I was  
sitting in my window, looking  
out, and I saw. Diedrich  
Sapens (now here) dragging  
Jofus Hansen down into the  
~~cellar~~ Basement - a state  
beer saloon - in 35 Mulberry  
Street opposite - I saw  
subsequently James Fogarty  
<sup>come to this basement appo</sup>  
<sup>now here</sup> run away with  
a wide felt <sup>black</sup> hat - He went  
up the street. I saw  
<sup>after a few minutes</sup> ~~after~~ After Sapens dragged  
Hansen into the basement  
James Fogarty and George  
Curtis (now here) went into  
the basement together - George  
Curtis came first out of the  
basement - James Fogarty  
came out next - ~~he followed immediately~~  
after him. with the broad felt  
in his hand, and a small



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Soft felt hat on his head -  
Hausey came out in about  
5 minutes after he was pulled  
in to the basement. His  
face was scratched and  
he had no coat on him.

He had a coat on when  
he was pulled into the

Basement I also saw  
a chain on his wrist.

He had it <sup>on him</sup> when he

came out. He ran down  
the street, fell down, was  
picked up - when he took  
hold of a Lamp Post -

I next saw him in the  
custody of an officer.

Sworn to before me  
this 16<sup>th</sup> day of February  
1883. Amey Fitcher  
Mark

W. J. Owen

Justice

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Again; Then he got out of the apartment into the hall, and again took off his Coat to fight. I was holding him with one hand, and his Coat with the other hand, when several parties, <sup>to the unknown</sup> in pulling the Coat from me, tore it - a crowd collected - he put his watch in his breeches pocket before he went into the hall, to fight. I didn't see any one take his watch. I went to the dozing House, The Albany House, where I stop, with his Coat. I went over the fence in the rear of the yard - into the back yard & through that house into Park Street. ~~Because~~ I was told the Police were coming. I took the Coat with me. I didn't see James Fogarty - nor here, there at any time. While I was in the dozing House, sewing the coat, Curtis and the Man ~~Mr~~ Sam who came into the Fabrizzi apartment & spoke to him there & wanted me to take the watch there, ~~and~~ said that Sam had seen Hanson's

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Hat for 25 cents. Curtis  
told me the woman <sup>Wierand</sup> had  
the watch - that only  
<sup>50</sup> a ~~the~~ pawn shop <sup>was offered for it</sup>  
I wanted to recover it and  
give it back to Hanson, and  
Curtis and myself went  
back to 25 Mulberry Street  
when the woman, Burke, said  
"Look out, Hanson is arrested  
and the Police are after you".  
Curtis and I then went ~~through~~  
~~the yard~~ up Mulberry Street  
& through Bayard to Baxter  
Street where I ~~spoke to the~~  
~~was arrested by~~ Officer McConnell, ~~also~~ Curtis  
was with me and we were  
both then arrested - D. Cusfer

Taken before me this }  
16 day of February 1883 }  
W. J. Crow

Police Justice

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Clary Rose; lives at 25  
Mulberry Street, in the  
apartment in the rear of the  
basement in the front house  
of these premises - I am  
fifteen years old, and am  
the wife of Michael Fabrizio  
another witness in this case  
to whom I have been married  
for 2 years last past -  
Curtis, Sassen, and the  
sailor, Sifus Hansen the  
complaining witness came into  
our apartment where I and  
my husband sell stale beer,  
~~about~~ ~~early~~ in the afternoon  
of Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> of  
February - There were then  
present besides these persons,  
Theresa Burke; two Italian  
Men, who were playing Cards,  
Curtis, Sassen and Hansen  
sat down, and sent <sup>me</sup> out twice  
for Whiskey - which they three  
then drank - also for a pint  
of beer which they drank -  
The sailor was drunk, and  
was ugly - taking his coat off  
and wanting to fight. Sassen

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one of the defendant

✓ put the Coat on him twice,  
 then I put him out in the  
 Hallway, and a crowd of  
 loafers came from all  
 directions. I locked the  
 door and I don't know  
 who took the Coat or the  
 watch belonging to Hansen.  
 I put him out twice - It  
 was the 2<sup>d</sup> time his Coat  
 was taken. He was ugly  
 and wanted to fight every  
 one. I saw James  
 Fogarty in the Hallway  
 he came out of the apart-  
 ments opposite my room  
 the 2<sup>d</sup> time of ~~the fight~~.  
 Hansen was pushed into  
 the Hallway out of my  
 apartment - I did not  
 see Fogarty lay his hands  
 on Hansen.

Sworn to before  
 me this 16<sup>th</sup> day  
 of February 1883,

her  
 Mary Rose  
 Mark

W. J. D. M.

Police Justice



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK }

District Police Court.

Diedrich Sarsens

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. Diedrich Sarsens

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Germany

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

Answer. Lodge in the Albany House  
185 Chatham St. Lived with my brotherQuestion. What is your business or profession? 202 Washington St  
Jersey CityAnswer. Seafaring Man, working along shore  
for the year last past.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 made Curtis acquaintance  
in the Albany House about 2  
weeks ago. On Wednesday  
Morning I went with him, I  
had two dollars, to Mrs. Nortons  
(abt) 92 Cherry Street - when we came  
out we met the Sailor - Hansen -  
two fellows were growling with  
him. I interfered. He asked  
me if I was a slave. I told  
him I was a German; We  
went into Afes' Seaman's Boarding  
House 94 Cherry Street - We  
drank there - We three -  
Hansen, Curtis & myself - went  
up Oliver Street through Chatham  
Street to Mulberry Street. We  
apartments over the front house  
25 to the basement 15 Mulberry

Taken before me this

day of

February

1883

Police Justice.

that - Hansen played the accordion  
 and we were dancing for about  
 an hour - The Italian girl Mary  
 Rose, now here (whom the Consul  
 recognizes as the wife of Michael  
 Fabrizio the proprietor of the  
 State Beer Saloon) (she is 15 years  
 of age and has been married  
 2 years) went out and brought  
 2 Whiskey - I paid for some of  
 it and the Sailor paid for  
 some of it - He stood up then  
 and sang a Danish song - and  
 I saw that his vest was open  
 and his watch hanging down  
 by the chain. He took me  
 that (Curtis) (here) and a woman  
 along side of him, <sup>person (Duke & Purkin)</sup> wanted to  
 take his watch. I told  
 Curtis not to take his watch.  
 Another Man, <sup>named Sam</sup> came in that spoke  
 to Curtis; and then turned to me  
 and said "Dutchy" take the watch.  
 I said "No". Then the Sailor (Hansen)  
~~was singing in the Hallway~~ "went out  
 to do a job" and returning he was  
 singing in the Hallway - The Italian  
 woman - living opposite the apartment  
 of the Fabrizio's in the rear of this  
 basement (there are four families  
 in this basement which is divided by  
 this hallway running through the center  
 of it) came out of her room and  
 struck the sailor with a broomstick.  
 He then pulled off his coat to fight - I  
 put it on him again - He then went  
 into the Fabrizio's room - (State Beer  
 Shop) and took off his coat - where  
 Fabrizio <sup>here</sup> and myself put it on him

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

14 District Police Court.

Teresa Burke being duly examined before the undersigned, 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.

Teresa Burke

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

34 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

Roosevelt Street - (Dwelling)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

I wash & iron for few people

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

Answer.

I am not guilty. I ~~went~~ did not take the watch - I went with George Curtis to Kenny's Pawn Shop to get four dollars on it. Curtis gave it to me in the hallway of 35 Mulberry St. and we went together to Kenny's Pawn Shop - I offered the watch; the pawnbroker said he would give me \$1.50 on it, and Curtis told me not to take it. <sup>not to take less than \$1.50</sup> After he came out, Curtis took it from me, and that's the last I seen of it. I went back to 35 Mulberry Street - About 15 minutes afterwards Curtis & Sasseau came in; they were told the police were after them and they left - Curtis went over the fence in the yard - into the West Yard - I did not see this boy James Fogarty

Taken before me this 14th  
day of February 1888

Police Justice.

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in there at any time. He did  
not come in with Fasson and  
Curtis — nor did he ~~enter~~ enter  
the room where they had  
Hansen. I never saw him  
there before; but I have frequently  
seen Curtis & Fasson there  
in their Basement. Very  
Sincerely,  
J. M. Burke  
This 16 February 1883  
at St. Louis.  
J. M. Burke

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Burns, Charles

DATE:

02/20/83



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May 77

Day of Trial,

Counsel

Filed 20 day of July 1883

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

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B  
Charles S. Connor

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling without License.

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

P 1/2 July 21, 1883  
Indigent dismissed  
A TRUE BILL.

William H. Phelps

Foreman.

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Charles F. Burns*

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

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

The said *Charles F. Burns*

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

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles H. Burns

Charles H. Burns

No. 1

No. 2

No. 3

No. 4

Dated

February 10 1883

Magistrate.

Offence

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

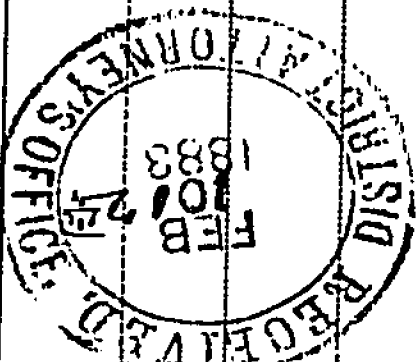
Street.

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to answer

No.

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

Charles H. Burns

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

One

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

Dated

February 10 1883

Hugh Spencer Police Justice.

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

Dated 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated 188

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Charles F. Burns*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*29 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*153 Perry Street and about five years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Bar tender*

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

Answer.

*I have nothing to say*  
*Chas F Burns*

Taken before me, this

day of

*10*  
*February* 188*3*

*Hugh Gorman* Police Justice.

*Chas F Burns*

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POLICE COURT

2 DISTRICT.

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

the 9 Police Precinct of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 9 day of February 1883 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, At Premises No 231 Charles Street a place where intoxicating liquors and wines are kept for sale, and sold as a beverage, Charles F. Burns (now here) did then and there expose for sale, and did sell, caused suffered, and permitted to be sold and given away, under his direction or authority, strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law:

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

Sworn to before me this 10 day of February 1883

Thomas Burleigh  
Hugh Gorman Police Justice.