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O'Brien, James

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Witnesses

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Pleads *Not guilty (vs.)*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
17. Let vs.
q. or -
James
O'Connor
Assault in the First Degree.
(Firearms.)
55 217 ans 218

PETER B. OLNEY
JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

P. J. Mc Coy
Placed Answer Id.
A TRUE BILL.
See Sirgus.
AMM

Foreman.

Case 30
9. 17 = on 10/16/84
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9. 21 not on 10/21/84
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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,
VERSUS

James O'Brien

As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself. That I have not received any reward or compensation from the defendant directly or indirectly or from any of his friends or counsel or from any one nor do I expect to receive any. That my reasons for withdrawing the Complaint is that I am satisfied that the Defendant did not intend to harm me, and was entirely under the influence of Legum. That I never seen him before and never had any trouble with him, nor him with me. That I willingly sign this Application in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day of January 1884

Witness
Wm Gibbons

John J. Collins

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Police Court— 5th District.

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

John Collins

of No. 240 East

78th

Street, aged 23

years and is a printer by occupation being duly sworn, deposes and says, that

on Wednesday the

2d

day of

December January

in the year 1884 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and ~~BEATEN~~ by James O.'Brien

(nowhere) who wilfully and maliciously
pointed aimed and discharged
a pistol loaded with powder
and ball at deponent on
First Avenue between 81stth &
82d Streets in said City

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 2d day
of January 1884

Samuel C. Kelly POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

574 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. James O'Brien

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 1406 Second Ave 4 mo

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Picker

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 don't know anything about it
I was intoxicated at the time

James O'Brien,

Taken before me this

day of May 1888

Samuel J. McNeill

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated Jan 2 1887 Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court 511 District. 1009

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Collins
240 E. 1st St.

James O. Bruen

Dated January 2 1884

D. A. Kelly Magistrate.

Patrick McGloin Officer.

23 Precinct.

Witnesses Louis A. Hawk

No. 794 Second Ave Street.

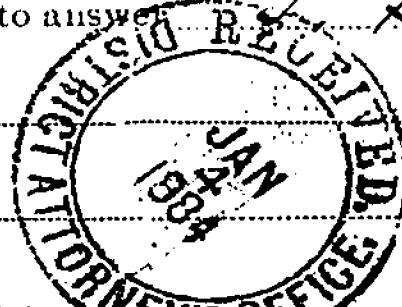
Patrick McGloin

No. 23a Precinct Street,

William Leahy

No. 789 Second Ave Street.

\$ 1000 to answer



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
AGAINST

James O'Brien

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

James O'Brien

of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *James O'Brien*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Second* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four* with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *John Collins* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and to, at and against *him* the said *John Collins* a certain *revolver* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *James O'Brien* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge, with intent — *him* — the said *John Collins* thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully, to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

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

James O'Brien

of the Crime of assault in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *James O'Brien* late of the City and County aforesaid

afterwards, to wit, on the *day* and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John Collins* then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, make an assault, and to, at and against *him* the said *John Collins* a certain *revolver* then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *he* the said

James O'Brien in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully then and there shoot off and discharge

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

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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O'Donnell, Edward

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 23 day of Jan'y 1884.

Pleads,

Admitted

THE PEOPLE

vs.
Edwards

Edwards

O'Donnell

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON,

Dr Jan 14/84 District Attorney.

Alc. & Dr. & Ind. by
A TRUE BILL.

W. W. Little

Frederick J. Suspending Foreman.

W. W. Little

Witnesses

John H. Fagan

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Police Court—2 District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:John E. Fagan
of No. 387 Tenth Avenue Street, aged 38 years,
occupation Liquor Dealer being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 387 Tenth Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Brick building inthe 20th Ward in said City
and which was occupied by deponent as a Liquor Storeand in which there was at the time a human being, by name William
Warrellwe **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly Breaking or
forcing the opening of a door leading from the hall
into the back room and forced open the door
leading from the back room to the store with a
butchers cleaver
on the 20th day of January 1888 in the Night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:One New Rifle and four dice together
of the value of two dollarsthe property of Deponent
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away byEdward O'Donnellfor the reasons following, to wit: That deponent locked the
the doors of the said premises at the hour
of Twelve o'clock A.M. and deponent
was informed by William Warrell that
at the hour of three o'clock and fifteen
minutes that he saw the said O'Donnell
break and force the door leading from the
back room of said premises into the store
with a butchers cleaver and deponent

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is also informed by said Warrall that
he went after a Policeman and caused the arrest
of said O'Donnell and officer Thomas M. Cormier
arrested said O'Donnell and found in his
O'Donnell possession a knife and four dice
which depment identified as the property taken
stolen and carried away from said premises

Sworn to before me
this 20th day of January 1884
J. M. Patterson

Thos. A. Hagan
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary Degree

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Signed.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

William Warrall
aged 17 years, occupation working in a Paper Factory of No.
389 10th Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John B. Fagan
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 20 day of January 1888 } William Warrall
his mark

A. M. Patterson
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 38 years, occupation Thomas M. McCormick
Police Officer of No. 20th Beckett Place Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 20
day of January 1888 } Thomas M. McCormick

J. M. Patterson
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Edward O'Donnell

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 28 Years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York City

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

Answer. 557 West 51st Street about three years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Blacksmith

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

Answer. I am not guilty I knocked at the back door and there was a boy in there and he let me in and I sat down at the stove and fell asleep and the officer came in and arrested me I did not force or break in any door

Edward O'Donnell

Taken before me this

20

day of January 1888

H. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated January 20 1888 J. M. Patterson 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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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 1043

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
John B. Fagan
387 10th St.
Edward O'Donnell
1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
Office Quincy and
Laurel

Dated January 20 188 4

Patterson Magistrate.

Thos W. McCormick Officer.

20 Precinct.

Witnesses William Warrall

No. 387 10th Avenue Street.

Officer W. McCormick

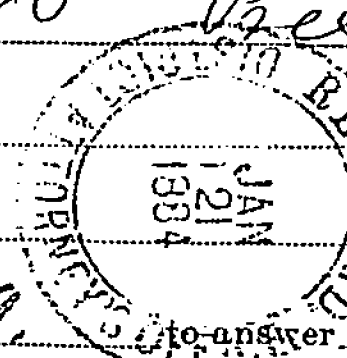
No. 20 th Precinct Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ 1000. to answer G. B.

Comd



Court of General Sessions. Part 2.
January Term 1884

The People
vs.
Edward O' Donnell } Before Hon.
H. A. Geldersleeve J.

Indictment - Burglary 3^d Degree.

Judge Geldersleeve, in suspending sentence, said:- Your conduct, in breaking into the saloon of the complainant, was certainly very bad. You committed an offence in forcing open the door to his place. He informs me that he is willing to forgive you for the damage you did on that occasion. I understand, moreover, that you did not steal anything and from all the circumstances I am inclined to believe your act was more that of a drunken man than of a burglar. Since your release from prison on a former conviction, you have worked industriously and have contributed to the support of your mother. You have work now and I will allow you to return to it. But bear in mind that this indictment still hangs over your head and a repetition

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of an offence of this kind will land you
in State Prison and you may be a
criminal all your life. Perhaps this is
the only chance you will ever have to
redeem yourself and you are very
lucky to get such a chance - far
luckier than you expected to be. Keep
Robert and try not to come here
again.



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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

Edward O'Donnell

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

Edward O'Donnell

of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE,

committed as follows:

The said Edward O'Donnell

late of the 20th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the 20th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty four with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the store of

John M. Fagan

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

John M. Fagan

then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and one

knife of the value of
one dollar, and four
dix of the value of
twenty five cents each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

John M. Fagan

so kept as aforesaid in the said store then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Peter B. O'Shea
District Attorney

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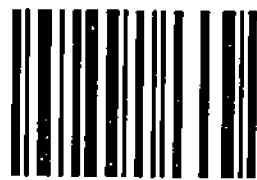
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O'Hara, John

DATE:

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Ward, John

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witnesses-

Dem. O'Leary 33e

Patrick M. Ginter
off H. O'ne

#1579c-

Counsel,

Filed 16 day of

1884

Pleads

Not guilty (17)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
John O'neary
and
John Ward
Sanford Ward

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN MCKEON,

Attorneys at Law,
New York City.

24/24/84 District Attorney

John O'neary & John Ward

A True Bill

John O'neary & John Ward

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

Police Court--First District.

Laborer 254th
Giovanni Chiorazzo
of No *20 Rosevelt* Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the *9th* day of *January* 18 *84*

at the *Fourth* Ward of the City of New York, in the

County of New York, was feloniously ^{*at the night time*} 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 plated watch and one
silver chain and both of
the 10*

of the value of *Six* 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

John O'Hara and Joseph Ward
(both now here) and acting in
concert for the following reasons
to wit. While deponent was passing
along Cherry Street at about 10-00
P M, said O'Hara snatched deponent's
watch from his vest pocket (said vest
being upon deponent's body and person)
and while deponent was struggling
with said O'Hara to prevent him taking
said watch, said Ward 1. C. knocked
deponent down and, said Ward
held deponent while said O'Hara
broke the chain from deponent's vest and

Subscribed before me this
18th
1884
Notary Public

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and ran away with said
watch and chain. Deponent
is informed by Officer Patrick
McGinley that he arrested
said O'Hara and Ward and
that he found the within described
chain in the possession
of said O'Hara, and which
deponent identifies as
his property. Giovanni ^{Mr.} Chiorazzo
met.

Sworn to before
me this 11 of January 1884 }
Solomon Smith

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 36 years, occupation Patrick McGinley
Police officer of No.

4th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Giuseppe Chiorazzo

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

Sworn to before me, this 11th
day of Jan 1888 Patrick McGinley

Solomon B. Smith
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

John Ward

Taken before me this
day of
October 11
1888
at
New York
Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John O'Hara

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John O'Hara*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *14 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *US*

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

Answer. *21 Cherry St 3 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *I work with a tire truck*

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
found the chair.*

*John O'Hara
mark*

Taken before me this *11*
day of *August* 19*38*
John O'Hara
District Police Justice.

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

John O'Hara
Joseph Wane

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

Dated

Jan 11

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John B. Smith
Police Justice.

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

Dated

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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

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Police Justice.

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Police Court *First* District. *1022*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Giovanni Chiorazzo
20 Rose St. Sr.
John O'Hara
Joseph Ward

Officer Cobbeny

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street, _____

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street, _____

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street, _____

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street, _____

Dated *Jan 11-* 188*4*

Smith Magistrate.

Patrick McGinley Officer.

4 Precinct.

Witnesses *off McGinley*

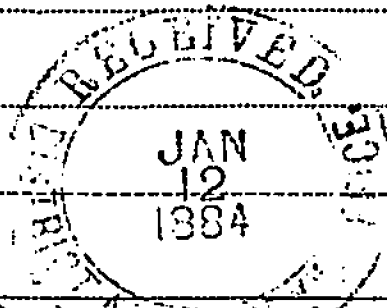
No. *4* Street.

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

\$ *500* to answer *GS*

_____ *COM*



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John O'Drara
John Ward

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

John O'Drara and John Ward
of the CRIME OF ROBBERY IN THE First DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said John O'Drara and John Ward

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-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force
and arms, in and upon one Giovanni Chiorazzo

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault [each of
them the said John O'Drara and
John Ward being then and there
aided by an accomplice actually
present] and one watch of the
value of five dollars, and one
chain of the value of one
dollar

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

from the person of said

Giovanni Chiorazzo and against
the will and by violence to the person of the said Giovanni Chiorazzo
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,

Peter B. O'Keefe

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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O'Keefe, John

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Witnesses

Fanny Green

Officer O'Neil

Counsel, *Shepley*
Filed 8 day of Jan 1884
Pleads *April 9*

THE PEOPLE

vs. Geo. W. O'Neil

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John

O'Neil

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE

PETER B. OLNEY,

WHEELER & PECKHAM,

Attorneys at Law.

Filed at New York

Wm. M. Smith

Foreman.

Per: One year.

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Police Court—5th District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:of No. 1700 Edington Avenue Street, aged 43 years,occupation House Keeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 1700 Edington Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a tenement houseand which was occupied by deponent ~~as~~ ^{now} 1st Floor as a dwelling
and in which there was at the time ^{two} human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly ~~unfastening~~
~~a window in Hall back window~~
~~leading into said premises through~~
~~a Hall Closet~~ unfastening an iron catch or bolt that is
attached to a bed room window of the first floor leading into said premises
on the 29 day of December 1888 in the day time, and the

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

With the felonious intent to take
steal and carry away therefrom
a quantity of cigars of the value
of about Eighty dollars

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

Tom Reese now present
for the reasons following, to wit: that previous to said
Burglary the said window was
securely fastened leading into
said premises and this deponent
saw the said defendant in the
bed room. Deponent further says
that there was in said bed room
a quantity of cigars. Samj Green

Sworn before me this 29th day of December 1888

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

✓ District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Keefe*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *In 85 East 14th Street one month*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Link Business*

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

Answer. *I was in the Water Closet and I saw a person on the Window and I was trying to get when the Complainant saw me. I was not in the Bedroom as the Complainant says*
John Keefe

Taken before me this

29

day of *September* 188*3*

Samuel A. Kelly Police Justice.

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

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

Dated Dec 29 1883 Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Harry Green

1700 Lexington St.

John Keefe

Dated *December 29* 188*3*

Daniel Phelan Magistrate.

Francis McElie Officer.

28 Precinct.

Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *G.S.*

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John O'Keefe

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

John O'Keefe

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

The said John O'Keefe

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

Abraham Green

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to
commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal
property of the said Abraham Green
in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and
there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of
the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the
State of New York, and their dignity.

Peter B. O'Keefe

District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Olwell, Dennis

DATE:

01/31/84



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Dr. McMea
16 Pm

357

Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1884

Pleads

Voluntarily, Ref. it.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Dennis

Oswell

PETER E. CLNEY,

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Ad. M. Little

Foreman.

U.S. v. Dennis & Oswald
(Sunday)
Violation of Excise Law.
12783221
1889 85

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Police Court 2 District.

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

} ss.

39- yrs Police officer

Joseph W Mead
of The 16th Precinct Police St.

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on Sunday the 16th day
of December 3, 1883, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at premises 276-10th Avenue
a place where intoxicating liquors and wines were kept for sale, and sold as a beverage,

Dennis O'Connell [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, to be drunk in
the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law; and did not keep said place closed on said

Sunday the 16th day of Dec 3, 1883 as required by law.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Dennis O'Connell
may be ~~arrested and~~ dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of December 3, 1883 } Joseph W Mead

Solomon B. Smith
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

Dennis Olivell being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is no right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to
enable him 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 no waiver cannot be used
against him on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Dennis Olivell

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 276-10 - Ave 18 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Bar tender

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

Answer. The place was open but
I was not selling any thing

Dennis Olivell

Taken before me this 17
1900
1887
Edmond Smith
Police Justice.

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

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 Nov 17 1887

1887

Solomon Smith
Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named Dennis O'Connell
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated December 7 1887

1887

Solomon Smith
Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

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Police Justice.

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Dec 17 3 PM

Police Court-- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph W Mead
16th

Demius Olwell

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Dated

188

Smith

Magistrate.

Mead

Officer.

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Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

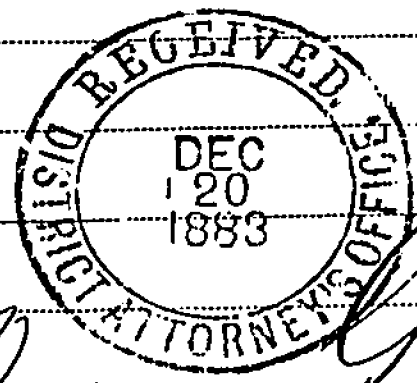
No.

Street,

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to answer

Dated



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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

Dennis O'Sullivan

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

OF THE CRIME OF Exposing for Sale and Selling Strong and Spirituous Liquors, Wines, Ale and Beer, on Sunday, committed as follows :

The said *Dennis O'Sullivan*

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

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

SECOND COUNT:

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

Dennis O'Sullivan

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY AND DISPOSING OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said *Dennis O'Sullivan*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: On the said *Sixteenth* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, at the Ward, City and County

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aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away and dispose of as a beverage to

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

THIRD COUNT:

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

Dennis O'Sullivan

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

The said Dennis O'Sullivan

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said 16th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of certain premises at number 276

South Avenue

in the City and County aforesaid, which said place was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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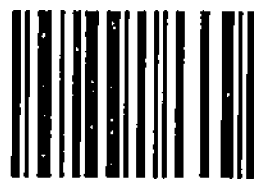
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O'Neal, Kate

DATE:

01/18/84



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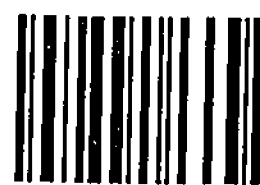
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DESCRIPTION:

Edwards, Mary

DATE:

01/18/84



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Witnesses

Annice Haffman

Bernard O. Haffman

off 1st Div

1905 Tuesday

Day of Trial

Counsel

Filed, 18 day of Jan 1884

Pleads Not guilty (to)

THE PEOPLE

vs. J. P.

Kate O'neal

and P.

Edward Edwards

PETER B. CLINEY,

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

APY Jan 14/1905

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.

Jan 27 1905

Foreman

of Edward Edwards

Chas. S. Edwards

Assault in the First Degree

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 The People } Court of General Sessions. Part I.
 Kate O'Neil } Before Recorder Smyth. Feb. 5. 1884.
 and
 Mary Edwards } Indictment for assault in the 1st degree.

Annie Heffernan, sworn and examined.
 I live 138 West Fourth St. I know the defendants.
 On the 14th of the month I had some words with
 Mary Edwards which resulted in blows, and
 on the night of the 15th between twelve and one
 o'clock I came out and Kate O'Neil said to
 me, "What did you want to strike this Mary
 Edwards for?" I told her it did not concern
 her, and one word borrowed another. She
 struck me and I struck her back. The
 witness, Maggie Gill, said, "Annie, look out,
 she has got a knife." Before I was aware
 of it I was cut in the nose and the forehead.
 I was taken to the station house and had
 stitches put in my nose. They made an
 attempt to stab me in the breast, there
 is my coat to show for it (producing the
 same) The cuts are all healed up now.
 I did not notice a knife in the hands of
 either of the defendants. The cutting was
 done so quick I could hardly feel it.
 I thought my nose was bleeding. I went up
 to the corner of Houston St. and the Bowery;
 they told me, "You are all cut." The officer
 took me to the station house, and had

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stitches put in my nose. by a doctor who was there. This cutting occurred in the street. Maggie Gill was standing looking on. Cross examined. I quarreled with Mary Edwards; she told me to go down to McElroy's where I belonged and do "high kicking." I told her I did not go down to such places; this came to blows. I got out of the house at night for my business. On the night of the 15th Katie O'Neil stopped me and said, what did I want to say so and so to Mary Edwards? I told her it did not concern her; she called me some names not fit to mention, and we had a quarrel the same as I did with Mary Edwards; she took her part and she used the knife on me; she struck me and I struck her back. I thought it was Mary Edwards passed the knife, she (Edwards) had nothing to do with the assault on me the second time except she got hold of me once during the quarrel and held me; the whole thing did not last over five minutes. I did not feel the cuts they were done so quickly I don't know whether Mary Edwards tried to separate Katie O'Neil and me or not. I was weak from the loss of blood. I know Larry McGrath's place in Mercer St. I did not get the cuts I speak of there two weeks before this quarrel

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Maggie Gill sworn. I live now at 85 Houston
 St.; on the 15th of January I lived at 22
 Stanton St. I saw the affray between Ann
 Heffernan and the defendants about the 15th
 of January. Ann Heffernan and Katie O'Neil
 were quarreling and they had fought once
 and they let go, and then I saw Katie O'Neil
 opening a knife and I told Annie to look
 out; she made a remark if Ann Heffer-
 nan were ^{near} ~~only~~ here again she would
 kill her. I went to separate them and they
 were all blood. The night before Mary Edwards
 and Annie Heffernan had a fight, bet-
 ween Sunday night and Monday morning.
 Then when Annie came out again Mary
 Edwards commenced to pick a fight with
 her. They were hitting each other with their
 fists and pulling each other's hair. I
 tried to separate them; they got away from
 each other then; then I turned around to look
 and I saw Katie O'Neil with a knife open.
 I told Ann Heffernan to look out; they got
 fighting again and when I went to separate
 them they were all blood. Cross examined.
 I am a street walker. I know where Larry
 McGrath's place is in Mercer St. I don't
 know anything about an affray that oc-
 curred there about two weeks ago. I saw her

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opening the knife; it was not a latch key. Bernard O'Reilly sworn. I arrested the prisoners. I saw the cuts on the complainant's face; they were sewed up by the doctor; stitches were put in her nose. I think there was one or two cuts in her cheek and it was covered with blood. Kate O'Neal sworn and examined in her own behalf testified. I live 30 Second ave. and know the complainant three years. Had a difficulty with her on the night of the 14th. Mary Edwards was with us; we were intoxicated. Annie Heffernan struck me in the head with a latch key. I was bleeding. I went to strike her back and she bit my finger. I struck her three or four times with my latch key in the face; she got hold of me and Mary Edwards and Maggie Gill took her hands out of my hair. It was a brass latch key that she had used it was with a thin steel latch key that I struck her. I was bleeding from the wound in my head.

Mary Edwards sworn and examined corroborated the last witness. She was present at the trouble between ^{Miss O'Neil} and Miss Heffernan on the 14th and the 15th. I only saw a small steel latch key in Kate O'Neal's hand; Annie Heffernan had a long brass key; she struck the first blow. The jury rendered a verdict of assault in the third degree against O'Neal and acquitted the defendant Edwards.

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Testimony in the case
of
Kate O'Neil and
Mary Edwards

filed Jan.

1884.

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Police Court First District.CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss.of No. 138 West 14th Street,21 Years No occupation being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Tuesday the 15th day of Januaryin the year 1884 at the City of New York, in the County of New York.

She was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Kate O'Neal & Mary Edwards (both unknown). Said Mary Edwards held deponent while said Kate O'Neal cut and stabbed deponent in the face with a knife then held in the hand of said Kate O'Neal. Said Kate made several other thrusts at deponent with said knife cutting her clothing in different places but not reaching deponent's body with said knife.

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 15 day
of Jan 1884

Salon B. Smith
POLICE JUSTICE.

Annie Lefferman

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Mary Edwards*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *US*

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

Answer. *425 Orchard. 5 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shirt maker.*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Mary Edwards

Taken before me this *15*
day of *Jan* 188*8*
John J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

Kate O'Neal

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Kate O'Neal*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *US*

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

Answer. *30. 6th Ave 2 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Cap maker*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty*

her
Kate + O'Neal
mark

Taken before me this *15*
day of *June* 188*8*
John J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

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

*Kate O'Neal and
Mary Edwards*

guilty thereof, I order that ~~they~~ ^{each} be held to answer the same and ~~they~~ ^{each} be admitted to bail in the sum of *200*
Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until ~~they~~ ^{they}
give such bail.

Dated *Jan 15* 188*4* *Salou B. Smith* 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.

0600

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Police Court 7th District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Annie Jeffeman
178 Weeks 4 W
Kate O'Neal
Mary Edwards
Offense Assault

BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated Jan 15 1888

Sumner Magistrate.

Bernard O'Reilly Officer.

14 Precinct.

Witnesses Maggie Gill

No. 22 Stanton Street.

No. _____ Street,

No. _____ Street,

\$ _____ to answer

CAID

0601

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

John O'Neal and
Mary Edwards

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *John O'Neal and Mary Edwards* of the CRIME OF *Assault in the first degree*, committed as follows:

The said *John O'Neal and Mary Edwards* late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fifteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four* with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Annie Stebbins* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *her* the said *Annie Stebbins* with a certain *knife* which the said *John O'Neal and Mary Edwards*

in their right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound with intent *her* the said *Annie Stebbins* then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said *John O'Neal and Mary Edwards* of the CRIME OF Assault in the Second Degree, committed as follows:

The said *John O'Neal and Mary Edwards*, late of the City and County aforesaid afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Annie Stebbins* then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault and *her* the said *Annie Stebbins* with a certain *knife* which the said *John O'Neal and Mary Edwards* in *their* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

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

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Rourke, Dennis

DATE:

01/31/84



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Witnesses:

Geo. O. Dwyer

Sheridan

McCenno Carr

4th Stuck

Mr. Sealey

174 Greenwich St

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Counsel,

Filed 31 day of May 1884

Pleads

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs. P

Dennis

O'Brien

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. W. Little

Foreman.

Feb 7/84

Joseph G. Gentry

J. P. 24th mo

Feb 24th mo

Feb 24th mo

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First

District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

ss.

George O. Field 45 years Merchant
of No. Flushing Long Island Street,
or about

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 25 day of September 1883

in the daytime at the City of New York,

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

of deponent and from deponent's person

the following property, viz :

One Gold Watch of the value of one
hundred and fifty 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 Dennis O'Rourke (now here)

from the fact that deponent saw said
defendant take and carry the aforesaid
property from the pocket of the vest then and
there worn by deponent while deponent was
in a liquor store corner of James Slip and Water
Street in said city

Geo O Field

Sworn before me this

Police Justice,
1884

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Sec. 198-200

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

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Dennis O'Rourke

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 29 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 343 Water St. about 9 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Driver

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Dennis O'Rourke

Taken before me this

day of

1881

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated 24 Jan'y 1884 [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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BAILED.

No. 1, by _____

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No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court [✓] First District. 1053

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George O. Field
Flushing Long Island
Dennis O'Rourke

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Dated

24 January 1884
P. J. Duffy

Magistrate.

Patrick M. Linsley

Officer.

4 Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

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Street,

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Street,

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to answer

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New York, Feb 8th. 1884

This is to certify
that the bearer
Dennis O. Ronke has
been in my employ
during the latter part
of 1884 and worked
for me a few days the
present year and I
have always found
him honest industrious
and a peacivall man
amongst men.

A. H. Lowe,
Submarine Engineer
2 Coenties Slip
New York

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Combs Feb'y 7th 1884

Dear Sir:

Having been informed of a few oft innumerable kindnesses shown by you to poor but deserving prisoners I write to ask if I may presume on your generosity to investigate my case and if found worthy to exercise your influence in my behalf.

On 23rd day of January last I was arrested and today was convicted (or pleaded guilty rather) of Grand Larceny in 2nd degree before Judge Smythe.

I resided at 343 Water St. where my mother (who was a widow) has died since my imprisonment and

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my wife is very ill. My mother's death places the younger children in a position dependant upon me and this being my first offence and in consideration of what I have suffered and what others dear to me have ~~been~~ and will be suffering for my crime of which I am bitterly repentant I would like you to intercede for judicial clemency which will ever be appreciated by

Yours Respectfully
Dennis O'Rourke
cell 116 - 4th tier

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E R Lowe
2 Counties Rip

~~Mr Lecky~~

Mr Lecky
Metropolitan Telephone Co
174 Greenwich St
Cor Dey St

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TORN PAGE

NE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY,

AND LIBERTY STREETS.

NEW YORK,

Sept. 28th 1883.

may concern

The bearer Dennis O'Farke, has been in the employ of this company for some time, and has been found to be a Sober, Willing, and Industrious, and Honest man, and I can recommend him to anybody needing his services.

Respectfully.

J. A. Seely
Genl Mgr.

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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

Dennis O'Rourke

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

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

The said Dennis O'Rourke

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the 25th day of September 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 watch of the
value of one hundred
and fifty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one George O'Field
on the person of the said George O'Field
then and there being found, from the person of the said George
O. Field

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

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN MCKEON~~, District Attorney.

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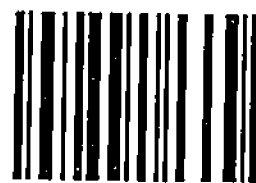
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DESCRIPTION:

O'Toole, James

DATE:

01/16/84



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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

1884

Filed 16 day of June

Pleads July 21.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

James

O'Saunders

Violation of Excise Law.

(Statute)

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEN,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

[Signature]

Foreman.

Witnesses:

Patrick J. Henry

off 27 Dec

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182 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James O Toole being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is h *to* right to
make a statement in relation to the charge against h *him*; that the statement is designed to
enable h *him* if h *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 *his* waiver cannot be used
against h *him* on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I was cleaning up an
officer knocked at the door
and told me to clean off the side
walk and I neglected to lock
the door ~~with~~ complainant found
the door ^{unlocked} ~~open~~ All came in and
arrested me*

James O Toole

Taken before me this *13*
day of *November* 19*38*
John J. Smith
Justice of the Peace

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

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 13 Jan'y 188 4 Solow R Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan'y 13 188 4 Solow R Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court-- First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patrick J. Jenev
27 vs. Pract.

1 James O'Loole
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Dated

13 January
B. B. Smith

Magistrate.

Officer.

27 Precinct.

Witnesses

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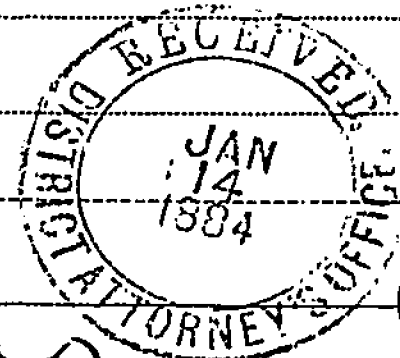
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to answer

Y. J.

Bailed



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Police Court

District.

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

ss

The 27 Precinct Police

Patrick T. Feeney aged 34 years. Policeman

Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on Sunday the 13 day
of January 1884 in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at premises 15 West Street

a place where intoxicating liquors and wines were kept for sale, and sold as a beverage,

James O'Shale [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, to be drunk in
the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law; and did not keep said place closed on said
Sunday the 13 day of January 1884 as required by law.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said James O'Shale
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 13 day
of January 1884

Patrick T. Feeney

Solomon Smith
POLICE JUSTICE.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James O'Soole

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

James O'Soole

OF THE CRIME OF Exposing for Sale and Selling Strong and Spirituous Liquors, Wines, Ale and Beer, on Sunday, committed as follows :

The said

James O'Soole

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

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

SECOND COUNT :

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

James O'Soole

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY AND DISPOSING OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said

James O'Soole

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : On the said *nineteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, at the Ward, City and County

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aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away and dispose of as a beverage to

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

THIRD COUNT:

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

James O'Sole

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

The said

James O'Sole

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, after-
wards, to wit: on the said ~~thirteenth~~ day of January in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~four~~ the same being
the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in
charge of and having the control of certain premises at number Seventy

Nine West Street

in the City and County aforesaid, which said place was then duly licensed as a place for the
sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep
closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and
there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open,
against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Ouellett, Joseph

DATE:

01/14/84



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Witnesses

James L. Crawford

Counsel, A. J. Allen

Filed 14 day of June

1884

Pleads Not Guilty.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Grand Juror
People living
on

Grand Larceny, A degree, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

1884

PETER B. OLNEY,

Attorney at Law

Pr. Feb. 17/84 District Attorney

pleads guilty 23.

A TRUE BILL

Wm. M. H. H.
State Referee on Examin.

For June 17 = 1884

per 141. On no. of dep. ad. per

to per 16 - C. L. D.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

of No. 225 West 54th Street, Hershey

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the first day of January 188 4

at the night time in the City of New York,

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

of deponent with intent to deprive the true owner thereof,

the following property, viz :

One pair of diamond ear rings, and
a good sharp pin, in all of the
value of One hundred and fifty
dollars

Subscribed before me this

day of

the property of deponent

Remains for use,

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and that this deponent

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

stolen, and carried away by Joseph Queller, now

here, from the fact that he

then boarded in said premises. That

said property was contained in a

chest in deponent's room and was

seen last by deponent on the after-

noon of said day. That on the following

morning deponent discovered the loss

of said property. That the trunk or

bag of said deponent was there

searched and stolen property belonging

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To boards in said premises found therein. That he then admitted stealing said property and passing the same and thereafter selling the same ticket representing said property.

Sworn to before me this 9th day of January 1888
J. W. Patterson
Justice of the Peace

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT-Larceny.

ss.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.*Joseph Queller*

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.

Joseph Queller

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

18 years of age

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Canada

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

Answer.

223 West 84th. one month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Assistant Book Keeper

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

Answer.

I admit taking the diamonds. I pawned them at Sterns pawn shop in 30th Street near 6th Avenue. I got twenty dollars on them. I afterwards sold the ticket to a man at 144 Bowery and got four dollars for the ticket.

J. Queller

Taken before me this

9th

day of November

1884

John J. Putnam
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *June 28* _____ 188 *AM P. Attorn.* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--

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District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Jennie L. Crawford

228 W. 3rd St

Joseph Ouellet

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Offence *Mandamus*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated

January 9th 1884

Patterson

Magistrate.

John Fleming

Officer.

20th Precinct.

Witnesses

David H. Stoddish

No.

228 W. 3rd St Street.

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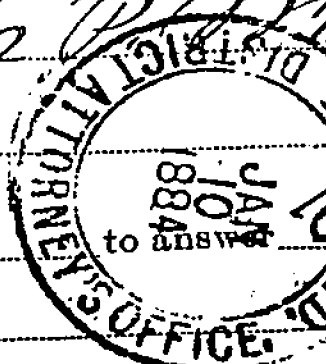
E. J. Campbell Street.

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2 1/2 W. 3rd St Street.

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S. S. Connel

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Joseph Onallick

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

Joseph Onallick

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

The said

Joseph Onallick

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

two sawings of the value

of seventy dollars each

and one sawing of the value of ten dollars

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

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

Peter B. Olney

District Attorney