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Mahns, Harry A.

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April 23/88

Witnesses:

Antony Schuler  
Officer Moloney  
W. J. Berry

Counsel

Filed 24 day of April 1888  
Pleads, Antiquity Club

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Gustav Bach

Harry A. Mahan

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. J. Berry

Foreman.

April 23/88

A careful examination having been made of the witnesses to the offense charged in the within indictment by W. J. Berry one of the Deputy Assistants, and he having reported to me the evidence in this action which he has returned to writing and made part of his report herein, it appears from said examination that no crime has been committed by these defendants as charged in the within indictment and I am of opinion that said indictment be dismissed and said defendants be discharged.

April 27<sup>th</sup> 1888  
On the above endorsement of the full report of Assistant Dist. Atty. W. J. Berry, I have recommended to the Department of the District the dismissal of the indictment and the discharge of the defendant.  
A. J. Van Hook, District Attorney

Section 498, 506, 528, 532, 533  
Burglary in the Third degree.



The People

against

Gustav Bach and Henry A. Mahus.

These defendants are indicted for burglary in the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree with counts for petit larceny and receiving stolen goods. I have carefully examined the witnesses whose affidavits are hereto annexed and from these examinations it appears that the crimes charged in the indictment have not been committed. The complainant ~~was~~ is a shoe maker and the defendant Mahus, also a shoe maker, was in his employ. Mahus, ~~was~~ was in the habit, with complainant's consent, of sleeping in a room in the rear of the complainant's shop, and had his tools and clothes in this room. Mahus had decided to leave the employ of the complainant and on April 14<sup>th</sup>, 1888, he was in complainant's shop and asked permission, though he was going to leave, to return that night with his friend, the defendant Bach, and sleep in the back room, as he had been doing, ~~and~~ in which his clothes and tools still were. This the complainant consented that he should do, but before leaving there was some further conversation which resulted in a misunderstanding between the complainant and the defendant Mahus.

as to whether or not the defendants were going to return and sleep there that night, so that when the complainant left his store that night he locked both his store and the back room. Later in the evening about 11 o'clock the defendants came to the house and let themselves into the hallway & with a night key that Mahan with the consent of the complainant had, and going along the hall to the door of the back room they found it locked. As they had permission to sleep there they forced open the door and slept there all night. In the morning they left and as the door had been broken open were unable to lock it after them. About an hour and a half after their departure the complainant came to his store and found that some one had entered the rear room and stolen two pairs of shoes and two dollars. The upper part of the house where this store is situated is used as a lodging house and the lodgers in coming in ~~on~~ and going out through the lower hallway had free access to the complainant's back room after the defendants had left the room unlocked in the morning. When the defendants were arrested none of complainant's property was found in their possession and they

denied that they had taken any of the com-  
 plainant's property though they admitted  
 breaking into the room. The defendants  
 have only been in this country a short  
 time but from the annexed affidavits  
 they seem to have ~~an~~ excellent characters  
 and to be honest and hard working men.  
 The complainant, whose affidavit is hereto  
 annexed, desires to withdraw his complaint  
 and states that he does not believe that these  
 defendants stole any of his property and that  
 he believes Mahan is an honest man and  
 has frequently trusted him with the custody  
 of his goods and shops. He also expressly states  
 that he intended that these defendants should  
 sleep in the back room that night and  
 that he would not have locked the door  
 had he understood that the defendants  
 were going to return and sleep there that  
 night. From the examination I have ~~been~~  
 made herein, I think that no crime has  
 been ~~made~~ committed by these defen-  
 -dants and I respectfully recommend  
 that the indictment against them be  
 dismissed and they be discharged from  
 custody.

April 30<sup>th</sup>, 1888.

Wm. Travers Jerome,  
 Deputy Assistant.



**District Attorney's Office;**  
City and County of New York.

City and County  
of New York, } ss.

{ The People of the State of New York  
against  
Gustav Bach and Harry A. Mahus.

Anton Schelbert

of No. 411 West 25<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 38 years,  
occupation shoemaker being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the day of 1888, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

I am the complainant in the above entitled action. I have been informed that this affidavit is to be used on a motion therein. The defendant Mahus was in my employ at the time the offence herein was charged to have been committed and slept in a room in the rear of the store charged to have been entered in the premises known as 221 Ninth Avenue. On the night of April 14<sup>th</sup>, 1888, the two defendants herein and deponent were in said store and Mahus, who had notified deponent that he was going to leave asked deponent's permission to remain there over night, his ~~box~~, defendants' trunk, tools, and other personal property being in said place. Deponent gave his consent that said defendants might remain there overnight and the defendants then went away saying they would return in a short time. Deponent waited at the store until about eleven o'clock ~~am~~ P.M. and the defendants not having returned locked up the store. The defendant Mahus had a key to the outside or hall door which deponent had given him. The upper part of the premises is used as a lodging house and the lodgers had free access to the lower hall from which the door opened into the back room which was broken open. After deponent had left the house and gone home the defendants came in and finding that the door opening from the back room, where deponent had given them permission to sleep, was locked, they forced this door open and entered the room. They slept there all night and as deponent is informed and believes, left about six o'clock the next morning leaving the door entering into the back room unlocked. Deponent came to his store about 8 o'clock that morning, April 15<sup>th</sup>, 1888, and found the door of the back room open and two pairs of shoes gone and two dollars in money. There were several other pairs of shoes there that had been left



Then defendant made a complaint against the defendants before the police magistrate. Defendant in said complaint stated that defendants had "admitted and confessed" that "acting in concert with each other they had burglariously and forcibly entered" said store. and I now state that I am imperfectly acquainted with the English language, being a ~~German~~ from Bavaria, and that when I swore to said complaint I did not understand the significance of the language above quoted. Said defendants had only stated to me that in accordance with my permission they had returned to sleep in the back room and finding it locked had broken in to sleep there. The satchel I referred to in said complaint was the property of the defendant Mahus. I had frequently trusted the defendant Mahus with the custody of my shop and goods and money and never found him anything but honest. I do not believe now that either of these defendants stole any of the things taken from my shop. I had intended that they should sleep there that night ~~as~~ but when they went out there was some misunderstanding about their return or I should not have locked the door. I am well acquainted with the reputation of these defendants and it is that of honest, upright and hard working men. After these defendants had left my place and before I came there any of the lodgers up stairs who were going out could have entered my room.

Sworn to before me  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1888.

Wm. Travers Jerome,  
Notary Public,  
New York County.

Norton Selcher

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,

City and County of New York.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Offence

Dated

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Witnesses,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

No.

Street,

**District Attorney's Office,**  
City and County of New York.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

{ The People of the State of New York  
against  
Gustav Bach and Henry A. Mahus.

Gustavus F. Sommer

of No. 47 Hill Street, Newark, N.J. ~~Street~~, aged 38 years,  
occupation insurance broker being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1888, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York,

I have known the defendants well since they have been in this country. They came to this country <sup>about</sup> one year ago from Hamburg, Germany. They are industrious, sober, hard working and honest men. Mahus is a shoe-maker and Bach is a machinist. They have never been arrested before nor in any trouble. They are both unmarried. I have been informed that this affidavit is to be used on a motion herein -

Sworn to before me  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April,  
1888.

Gustavus F. Sommer,

Wm Travers Jerome,  
Notary Public,  
New York County.

**District Attorney's Office;**  
City and County of New York.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

The People of the State of New York  
against

Gustav Bach and  
Harry Mahus.

Peter Egenolf

of No. Elizabeth, New Jersey Street, aged 49 years,  
occupation Superintendent of Suburban Life Insurance Company, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the day of 188, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York.

I have been informed that this affidavit is to be used on a motion in the above entitled action. I have known the defendant Mahus for a year and the defendant Bach for six months. I have known Mahus quite well and have seen something of the other defendant Bach. I know the family of Mahus well. They both come from good families and I know their reputation for honesty and uprightness both in this country and in Germany. Their reputation is that of honest, sober, industrious and upright men. I would trust them implicitly where the matter of honesty or uprightness is involved.

Sworn to before me  
this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1888.

Peter Egenolf

**District Attorney's Office,**  
City and County of New York.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 67 Monroe  
occupation policeman being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1888, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, I arrested the defendant

{ The People of the State of New York  
against  
Gustav Bach and Henry Schelbert

George Logan,  
Street, aged 38 years,

Gustav Bach on the complaint of Anton Schelbert.  
The defendant Bach told me that he did shove the door of  
the complainant's back room in and entered and slept  
there until half past six in the morning but he denied  
that either of these defendants had taken anything from  
the complainant's premises that did not belong to them  
and especially and specifically denied taking any  
shoes or money. I searched the defendant Bach and  
found none of the complainant's property in his possession.  
~~I was present when~~

Sworn to before me this  
30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1888.

Wm. J. Travers Jerome,  
Notary Public,  
New York County.

George Logan



**District Attorney's Office,**  
City and County of New York.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

The People of the State of New York  
against  
Gustav Bach and Henry Illahus.

of No. 449 - 7<sup>th</sup> Ave John Carey  
Street, aged 37 years,  
occupation police man being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the April day of April 1888, at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, I arrested Henry Illahus re-

of the defendants above named. I found none of  
the complainant's property ~~in~~ in his possession.  
He admitted that he and Bach broke into the  
rear room ~~of~~ the complainant's <sup>shop</sup> but he denied  
that either of them took any of the complainant's  
property. The complainant does not correctly  
state the facts when in his affidavit in the  
Police Court he swore that in my presence  
these defendants confessed that they had  
burglariously broken into and entered the  
complainant's shop or rear room. All they  
admitted was that they had broken in there  
and slept. They denied that they had any  
intention of committing a crime and  
that they had taken any of the complainant's  
property.

Sworn to before me  
this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1888.

John Carey

W<sup>m</sup> Travers Jerome,  
Notary Public,  
New York County.



The People

against

Gustav Bach

and

Henry Mahue,

Burgess & Co. Reg. de

## REPORT.

For the District Attorney.

Dated April 30<sup>th</sup>, 1886

Wm. J. J. J. J.

Deputy Assistant



The People  
against  
Gustav Bach  
and  
Henry Mahue,  
Burglary & Robbery

REPORT.

For the District Attorney.

Dated April 30<sup>th</sup>, 1888  
Wm. J. J. J. J. J.  
Deputy Assistant



## New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT,  
 VERSUS  
*Gustav Bach &  
 Henry A. Mahus*

*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.*

*The defendant Henry A. Mahus had been in my employ, for a period of about three months and was always honest and trustworthy and resided with me at the place mentioned in the complaint, that the defendant Bach was a companion of said Mahus, and to the best of my knowledge was always honest and trustworthy. On the night of the occurrence, Mahus who up to the time had occupied the rear of the store, told me he intended going away, but asked permission of me to occupy with Bach the bed in said store, I having some business to transact left the store about eleven o'clock, forgetting that Mahus & Bach were to return, Mahus locked the door usually used by Mahus to get into the store, said Mahus had his trunk and working tools there, when the defendants returned and found the door locked, they forced it open. but I do not believe with any felonious intent, but merely to get into said store and occupy Mahus bed, though I lost two pair of shoes*



and two dollars in money, I do not believe the defendants took same, as if Mahus had a desire to steal he might on a great many occasions have done so. Everything in the way of valuables having on many occasions been in his keeping, belonging to one - The premises are known as a tenement house - and one portion thereof is used as a lodging house, in which a large number of male lodgers are quartered, and it would be possible for most any body from up stairs to enter my premises.

Sworn to before me  
April 26<sup>th</sup> 1888

Wm. T. Schellert

Wm. T. Schellert  
Notary Public (46)  
N. Y. Co

General Sessions

The People vs

- vs -

Gustav Borch

Henry A. Mahus

Withdrawal

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Police Court—2<sup>d</sup> District.City and County }  
of New York, } ss.:

Anton Schelber  
of No. 221 Ninth Avenue Street, aged 38 years,  
occupation Shoe-maker being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that the premises No 221 Ninth Avenue Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story and  
basement brick building  
and which was occupied by deponent as a Shoe Store  
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking in  
the rear door leading from said  
store into the back yard

on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of April 1888 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Two pairs of Shoes of the value of Ten Dollars  
and good and lawful money of the United  
States of the amount of Two Dollars all  
of the value of Twelve Dollars - (\$12.00)

the property of deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
**BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by  
Gustav Bach and Henry A. Mahon  
(both now here) and while acting in concert with each other  
for the reasons following, to wit: that at about the hour of  
11 o'clock on the aforesaid night deponent  
securely fastened and locked the said  
store and the aforesaid rear door and  
when deponent arrived at the said  
premises on the following morning, deponent  
found the aforesaid rear door open and  
immediately missed the said property  
deponent further says that both said

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defendants admitted and confessed to deponent in the presence of ~~said John~~ Officer John Carey of the 16<sup>th</sup> Police Precinct that they said defendants while acting in concert with each other had Burglariously and forcibly entered said premises.

Deponent further says that he is informed by said Officer John Carey that he Carey found and discovered a satchel, which was in said premises at the time of said Burglary, in the possession of Henry A. Mahns.

Deponent therefore charges said Gustav Bach and said Henry A. Mahns while acting in concert with each other with having Burglariously and forcibly ~~and~~ entered said premises and with having taken stolen and carried away the aforesaid property and asks that they may be dealt with as the law may direct.

Sworn to before me this }  
17 day of April 1888 }

Andrew Schellert

Samuel C. Kelly  
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

Burglary

vs.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation John Leary  
Police Officer of No. 16  
Police Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Anton Schelker  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

April 19 1888

John Leary

Sam'l C. Smith  
Police Justice.



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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Gustav Bach* 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 he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against *h* ☒ that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that *h* ☒ waiver cannot be used against *h* ☒ on the trial.

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Gustav Bach*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*24 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Hamburg*

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

Answer.

*No 236 East 74 Street & about 5 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Machinist*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty**Gustav Bach.*

Taken before me this

day of

*April*

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*Samuel J. McCall*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Henry A. Mahms*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Hamburg*

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

Answer. *N<sup>o</sup> 409 East 6<sup>th</sup> Street & about 2 days*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Shoe - maker*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty**Harry August Mahms*

Taken before me this

day of

*March*

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*Samuel C. Buckley*  
Police Justice.

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Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

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 \$100.00 and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated April 17 1888

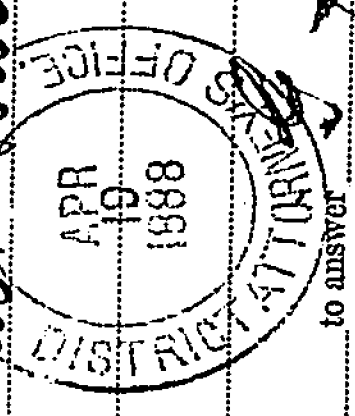
Police Justice.

Police Court 2 District. 603

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Anton Schellher  
227 9th Ave  
Garston Bach  
Henry A. Mahan

Dated April 17 1888  
Magistrate.  
Carney and Lagan Officer.

Witnesses  
John Larn  
16 West Police  
George Lagan  
16 West Police



COMMITTED.

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

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Augustus Baden and  
Harry A. Madors*

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

*Augustus Baden and Harry A. Madors*

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

The said *Augustus Baden and Harry A.  
Madors, both* —

late of the *Sixteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fourteenth* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *store* of one

*Anton Scheller,* —

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

*Anton Scheller,* —

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



## SECOND COUNT—

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

*Augustus Grady and Harry A. Madrus*of the CRIME OF *Petit* LARCENY, —

committed as follows:

The said *Augustus Grady and Harry A. Madrus, both* —late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the ~~night~~ time of the said day, with force and arms,*one watch of the value of five dollars,*  
*two pairs of shoes of the value of**five dollars each pair, and the sum**of two dollars in money, lawful**money of the United States and of**the value of two dollars.*of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Anton Sheller,* —in the *Store* of the said *Anton Sheller,* —there situate, then and there being found, *in* the *Store* aforesaid, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

## THIRD COUNT—

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

*- Harry A. Madison -*

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *Harry A. Madison,*

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

*one parcel of the value of five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Anton Sheller, Dof*

*one ~~Anton~~ <sup>Anton</sup> Sheller, and —*

by a certain ~~person~~ <sup>person</sup> or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *Anton Sheller,*

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

*- Harry A. Madison. —*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Baker, James

**DATE:**

04/11/88



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No 131

Witnesses;

Counsel,

Filed 11 day of April 1888

Pleads, *Not guilty - 12*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*James Baker*

*Burglary in the Third degree.*  
*Grand Jurors - Foreman*  
[Section 498, 506, 528, 531 & 532]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. J. C. Berry*  
*April 18. 1888* Foreman.

*Ored and jury disagree*

*April 18. 1888*  
*Pleads Guilty - FI*  
*Penitentiary 6 months*

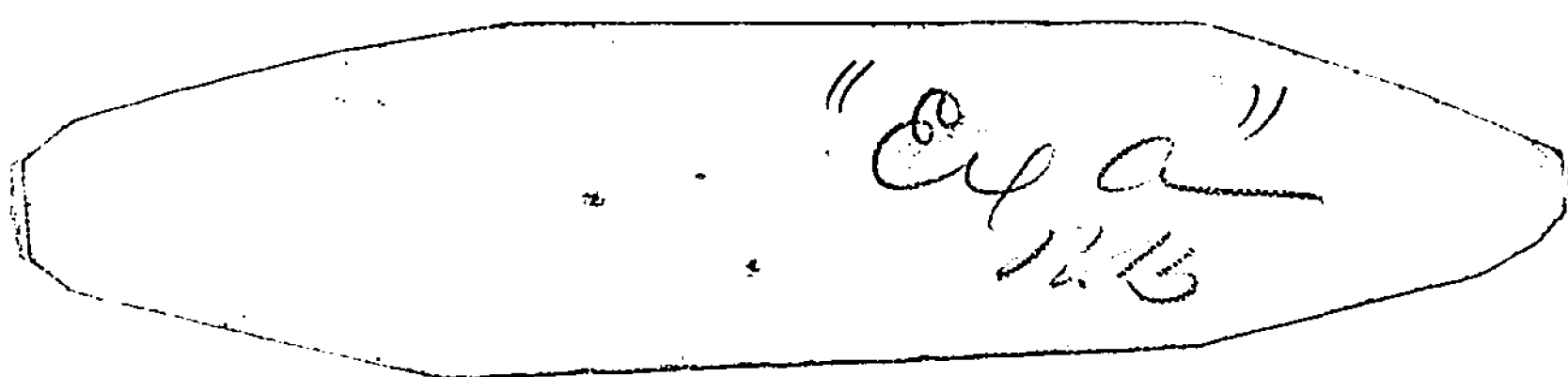


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Police Court

District.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 435 East 71<sup>st</sup> St Street, aged 40 years,occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 435 East 71<sup>st</sup> St Street, 19<sup>th</sup> Wardin the City and County aforesaid the said being a Saloon for theSale of Liquors Cigars &cand which was occupied by deponent as a Saloonand in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

breaking off  
the lock or fastening of a rear door  
leading from the yard into said Saloon  
with intent to commit a larceny thereinon the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 1888 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Three boxes containing Cigars. One  
box of chewing Tobacco, and one gold  
carving and one gold finger ring  
Collectively of the value of about  
fifty 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 by

James Baker (now present)and two other persons now arrested

for the reasons following, to wit:

That about half past elevenO'clock PM on the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant deponentlocked and fastened the door in questionAnd on the morning following said 3<sup>rd</sup> instantdeponent discovered that said door had beenforced open and the said property stolen andcarried away. That deponent is informed byOfficer John O'Neill of the 25<sup>th</sup> Precinct thatabout one o'clock AM on the morning of the 4<sup>th</sup> instant



He saw the defendants and said others in East 71<sup>st</sup> Street about forty feet from deponent's place of business and saw in their possession the cigar boxes here shown which deponent identifies as his property. That the officer further informs deponent that when the defendant and said others saw him (the officer) they threw away the cigar boxes and ran away. That the officer pursued them and found the defendant in a basement whither he had gone to escape arrest all of which deponent believes to be true.

Subscribed before me this }  
14<sup>th</sup> day of April 1888 }  
William J. ... }  
Police Justice }

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

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

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

Police Court,	District,
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
vs.	
1. _____	
2. _____	
3. _____	
4. _____	
Dated, 1888	
Magistrate.	
Officer.	
Clerk.	
Witness.	
No.	Street.
No.	Street.
No.	Street.
to answer General Sessions.	

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 29 years, occupation Police Officer of N.Y.

the 25th Precinct - Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Michael Gissibel

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

Sworn to before me, this 4<sup>th</sup>

day of April 1938

John O'Neill

Wm. [Signature]  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

District Police Court.

*James Baker* 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 may think will tend to your  
exculpation?

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the charge*  
*James Baker*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.



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Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

211 Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Michael Grubel  
J 435 East 71st  
James Parker  
Offence  
and Parker

Dated April 14 188  
Magistrate  
James O'Neill  
Officer  
Precinct  
Call the officer  
Witnesses  
No. Street

RECEIVED.  
APR 5 1888  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE  
No. Street  
to answer

(Com)

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

# 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 Baker*

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

*James Baker* —

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

The said *James Baker*.

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

*Michael Agassid* —

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

*Michael Agassid* —

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

## SECOND COUNT—

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

*James Baker*  
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *James Baker*.

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

*nine boxes of cigars of the  
value of four dollars each box,  
one box of chewing tobacco of  
the value of three dollars, one  
cane of the value of ten  
dollars, and one finger ring  
of the value of five dollars.*

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

in the *saloon* of the said *Michael Gussiel*. —

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



## THIRD COUNT—

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

*James Baker* —

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *James Baker*.

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

*chattels and personal property*

*in the second count of this indictment*

*particularly described,*

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

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

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

*James Baker* —

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

302

**FOLDER:**

2876

**DESCRIPTION:**

Bammann, John H.

**DATE:**

04/06/88



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*For example:*

discharged on his ~~last~~ <sup>last</sup> day one



Counsel,  
Filed day of April 1888  
Pleads, *Guilty*

Grand Larceny Second degree,  
[Sections 528, 531, 532 Penal Code].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

*John M. Bannan*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*M. J. O'Berry*  
Foreman.  
*May 17 1888*  
*Back D. Deering & Co.*

*April 6. 1888*

*1888*

Witnesses:

*This indictment*

*was found in*

*1888. The case -*

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*- about are in -*

*known - vide within*

*affidavit of John*

*Valiant - toll are*

*he does not know the*

*whereabouts of Com -*

*- Plaintiff & that he*

*Valiant knows nothing*

*of the case, except*

*that he arrested the*

*defendant - G. J. D.*

*March 1st 1888*

*Back that defendant be*

*discharged on his own*

<i>Entered April 1888</i>	
Counsel, <i>John B.</i>	Filed <i>April 1888</i>
Pleads, <i>John B.</i>	
THE PEOPLE	
vs.	
<i>John M. Baumann</i>	
Grand Larceny Second degree. [Sections 528, 581, 530 Penal Code.]	
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.	
<i>May 18 1888</i>	
<i>Nov 26 1888</i>	
A True Bill	
<i>W. C. Berry</i> Foreman.	
<i>Ray J. Berry</i>	
<i>David D. Berry</i>	
<i>April 6 1888</i>	
<i>Nov 27</i>	

*Chief of Court*

*1888 - The case -*  
*Plaintiff's name -*  
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*known and within*  
*officer's office*  
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*he over and know*  
*where about of Com*  
*Plaintiff's name that he*  
*Volunt know with*  
*of the case except*  
*that he wanted the*  
*defendant -*  
*March 1888*  
*April 1888*  
*April 1888*

DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of large brown stone Building in Chambers Street, near Centre Street, adjoining the New Court House in the Park.

When you arrive at the witness room, hand this Subpoena to the officer or Clerk at the desk.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS]

SUBPOENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GRAND JURY OF THE COURT OF  
GENERAL SESSIONS.

Ask to see Mr. Bedford.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York At 11 1/2 o'clock A.M.

To

of No.

H. Q. Halpappel  
St. Greenwich Ave

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear before the Grand Jury of County of New York, at the Grand Jury Room, in the third story of the Sessions Building, adjoining the New Court House in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of March 1893 at the hour of 10 1/2 in the forenoon of the same day, as a witness in a criminal action prosecuted by the People of the State of New York, against

Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of  
in the year of our Lord 1893

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.



The Grand Jury calls witnesses in whatever order its Foreman pleases. The Foreman knows best for the public good. If you wait patiently on the day of attendance until your turn comes, it may save you waiting hereafter.

If it is very inconvenient for you to attend on the day designated, let the District Attorney's Officer or Clerk in the witness room know this at an early moment.

If you do not obey this Subpoena, or do not explain your absence, the Court will enforce your attendance by attachment, and fine you.

If you are ill when served, send timely notice of that fact to the District Attorney.

If other witnesses in this case are called, and another case taken up, you may know—unless otherwise advised—that the Grand Jury do not care to examine you; and you may then retire, mentioning your withdrawal to the officer or clerk.

If the Grand Jury adjourn, and you have not been called without explanation, inquire of the Chief Clerk in the District Attorney's office, if you are wanted again and when.

*Arriving to  
Not there in two  
years*

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# Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Geo. H. Baumann*

City and County of New York, ss:

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No.

Street, in the City of New York. I am a Subpoena server in the office of the District Attorney of the

City and County of New York. On the

I called at

the alleged

the complainant herein, to serve him with the annexed subpoena, and was informed by

*the tenants in the house that Mrs Holzappel has not been in the house for the last two years, & did not know his whereabouts*

Sworn to before me, this

of

*March*

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day

*Th. W. Illwitzer*

*Com. of deeds  
N. Y. Co.*

*Geo. H. Baumann*

Subpoena Server.

Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

vs.

*Geo. H. Bauman*

Offense:

~~JOHN D. FELLOWS,~~

*Esq.* District Attorney.

Affidavit of

*Geo. H. Bauman*

Subpoena Server.

Failure to find Witness.

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Date Mar 6 1888 Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_

Horse Manager.

This is to Certify, That on this day and date, I have received of the LOVELL MANFG. Co., Limited, one "LA BELLE" CLOCK numbered 11914 and as their agent I agree to sell the same in accordance with the conditions expressed in the contract given me with said Clock, and that I will return a properly executed contract, and the cash paid me for said Clock, to the above office as soon as I have sold it, and if not sold, that I will return the Clock in good order within a reasonable time, or whenever called upon to do so. And I hereby agree that I have received said Clock in trust as bailee for said LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO., Limited, and that I have no ownership therein other than as such bailee.

Signed: J. H. Benjamin  
Residence: 247 Bleeker St

"LA BELLE" CLOCK "LA BELLE" CLOCK

Date March 8 1888 Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_

Horse Manager.

This is to Certify, That on this day and date, I have received of the LOVELL MANFG. Co., Limited, one "LA BELLE" CLOCK numbered 12119 and as their agent I agree to sell the same in accordance with the conditions expressed in the contract given me with said Clock, and that I will return a properly executed contract, and the cash paid me for said Clock, to the above office as soon as I have sold it, and if not sold, that I will return the Clock in good order within a reasonable time, or whenever called upon to do so. And I hereby agree that I have received said Clock in trust as bailee for said LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO., Limited, and that I have no ownership therein other than as such bailee.

Signed: J. H. Benjamin  
Residence: 247 Bleeker St

"LA BELLE" CLOCK "LA BELLE" CLOCK

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Date, Mar 6 1888 Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_

J. Horne Manager.

"LA BELLE" CLOCK.

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This is to Certify, That on this day and date, I have received of the LOVELL MANFG. Co., Limited, one "LA BELLE" CLOCK numbered 11914 and as their agent I agree to sell the same in accordance with the conditions expressed in the contract given me with said Clock, and that I will return a properly executed contract, and the cash paid me for said Clock, to the above office as soon as I have sold it, and if not sold, that I will return the Clock in good order within a reasonable time, or when ever called upon to do so. And I hereby agree that I have received said Clock in trust as bailee for said LOVELL MANUFACTURING Co., Limited, and that I have no ownership therein other than as such bailee.

Signed, John H. Barnum  
Residence, 247 Bleeker St

Date, March 6 1888 Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_

J. Horne Manager.

"LA BELLE" CLOCK.

"LA BELLE" CLOCK.

This is to Certify, That on this day and date, I have received of the LOVELL MANFG. Co., Limited, one "LA BELLE" CLOCK numbered 12119 and as their agent I agree to sell the same in accordance with the conditions expressed in the contract given me with said Clock, and that I will return a properly executed contract, and the cash paid me for said Clock, to the above office as soon as I have sold it, and if not sold, that I will return the Clock in good order within a reasonable time, or when ever called upon to do so. And I hereby agree that I have received said Clock in trust as bailee for said LOVELL MANUFACTURING Co., Limited, and that I have no ownership therein other than as such bailee.

Signed, John H. Barnum  
Residence, 247 Bleeker St

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Date, Mar 6 1888 Contract No. ....J. H. Corse Manager.

This is to Certify, That on this day and date, I have received of the LOVELL MANFG. Co., Limited, one "LA BELLE" CLOCK numbered 11914 and as their agent I agree to sell the same in accordance with the conditions expressed in the contract given me with said Clock, and that I will return a properly executed contract, and the cash paid me for said Clock, to the above office as soon as I have sold it, and if not sold, that I will return the Clock in good order within a reasonable time, or whenever called upon to do so. And I hereby agree that I have received said Clock in trust as bailee for said LOVELL MANUFACTURING Co., Limited, and that I have no ownership therein other than as such bailee.

Signed, John H. Barryman  
Residence, 247 Bleeker St.

"LA BELLE" CLOCK.

"LA BELLE" CLOCK.

Date, March 6 1888 Contract No. ....J. H. Corse Manager.

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Signed, John H. Barryman  
Residence, 247 Bleeker St.

"LA BELLE" CLOCK.

"LA BELLE" CLOCK.



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1381-4<sup>th</sup> Ave

has no check  
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138A-4<sup>th</sup> Ave

has no check  
OK



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# **Rent Not Less than 50 Cents Per Week on This Lease.**

LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. Limited.  
Factories and Principal Office, ERIE, PA.  
Stores in all Leading Cities.

Date, Nov 24/27

STORE ADDRESS HERE.

AMOUNT, \$12.00

84 GREENWICH AVENUE,

**AN AGREEMENT** Made and entered into this day between the party whose name is signed hereto, party of the first part, and LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. LIMITED, party of the second part.

LAUREL CROOK Y Moore

Consecutive or Pattern

Number 12119

Witnesseth: That whereas the said second party has this day rented unto the party first named, goods as stated above. Now the said first party agrees to hold and to carefully use said goods, and not to remove the same from her (or his) place of residence without written permission from said second party, as the sole and exclusive property of said second party, until she (or he) shall have paid, in rent, the sum of \$ 12.00 per week, which amount, it is agreed, shall be paid to said second party, or their duly authorized agent, in weekly rents of 50 Cts. to be collected each week by the said second party. This lease may at any time be terminated by said LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. LTD., or agent, upon failure to pay said rent when due, or for violation of any of the covenants herein contained. Upon such termination of this Lease the said first party agrees to permit said LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. LTD., or their duly authorized agent, without process of law, to take possession of said goods, and for that purpose to enter the premises occupied by said first party, using such force as may be necessary in so doing, the said first party hereby waiving any trespass or any right of action for damages in consequence thereof. And the said second party agrees that upon the said first party having performed the terms and conditions of this Lease, the said goods shall be transferred to the party of the first part for the sum of one cent, and become her (or his) exclusive property. It is further agreed and understood that there is no sale until full amount as above, and one cent is paid according to this agreement, and that the party of the first part has right of possession only until failure to pay rental as aforesaid.

Party of the first part hereby agrees to notify party of the second part forthwith if the Collector fails to call regularly. It is also agreed that if the said LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. LTD., retakes possession of the goods let in this Lease, on account of any breach of the same, the party of the first part shall have the right to buy similar goods, or goods of equal value, at any time within 90 days from the time of such retaking, at the above mentioned amount less the sum paid as rent for the use of said goods.

Sole Agent.

No Canvasser is allowed to receive any but the First Amount of Rent or to make any debts on account of the within named second party, or to lease out goods on any other condition than those expressed in this Lease. LOVELL MFG. CO., Limited.

A Relative's Name and Address

AGENTS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO AGREE TO ANYTHING NOT EMBODIED IN THE ABOVE CONTRACT.

Never pay the Collector, or give up goods, without first seeing the Lease you have signed.

No rent refunded when goods are taken back. See that you get a receipt for each amount of rent paid.

# **Rent Not Less than 50 Cents Per Week on This Lease.**

LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. Limited.  
Factories and Principal Office, ERIE, PA.  
Stores in all Leading Cities.

Date, Nov 6/27

STORE ADDRESS HERE.

AMOUNT, \$13.00

84 GREENWICH AVENUE,

**AN AGREEMENT** Made and entered into this day between the party whose name is signed hereto, party of the first part, and LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. LIMITED, party of the second part.

LAUREL CROOK Y Moore

Consecutive or Pattern

Number 11914

Witnesseth: That whereas the said second party has this day rented unto the party first named, goods as stated above. Now the said first party agrees to hold and to carefully use said goods, and not to remove the same from her (or his) place of residence without written permission from said second party, as the sole and exclusive property of said second party, until she (or he) shall have paid, in rent, the sum of \$ 13.00 per week, which amount, it is agreed, shall be paid to said second party, or their duly authorized agent, in weekly rents of 50 Cts. to be collected each week by the said second party. This lease may at any time be terminated by said LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. LTD., or agent, upon failure to pay said rent when due, or for violation of any of the covenants herein contained. Upon such termination of this Lease the said first party agrees to permit said LOVELL MANUFACTURING CO. LTD., or their duly authorized agent, without process of law, to take possession of said goods, and for that purpose to enter the premises occupied by said first party, using such force as may be necessary in so doing, the said first party hereby waiving any trespass or any right of action for damages in consequence thereof. And the said second party agrees that upon the said first party having performed the terms and conditions of this Lease, the said goods shall be transferred to the party of the first part for the sum of one cent, and become her (or his) exclusive property. It is further agreed and understood that there is no sale until full amount as above, and one cent is paid according to this agreement, and that the party of the first part has right of possession only until failure to pay rental as aforesaid.

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**ALT. RENT MUST BE PAID PROMPTLY.**

**ALL RENT MUST BE PAID PROMPTLY**

Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }of No. 24 Murrich Avenue — Street, aged 35 years,occupation Manager Lord Mung Company Limited being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 6th day of March 1888 at the City of NewYork, 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 New imitation Marble Clocks  
with bronze ornaments of the value  
of thirteen dollars each. Together of  
the value of twenty six dollars.

\$26.00

the property of The Lord Manufacturing Company  
(limited) and in deponent's care and custody  
as Manager for said Company,

and that this deponent

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

(now here) from the fact that the  
said defendant was employed by said  
Company as an agent, and on the above  
mentioned date deponent gave the above  
described property to him, the defendant  
to sell on Commission, when he the defendant  
signed the annexed contract wherein he  
agreed to return a fully executed lease or  
contract for each of said clocks as soon as  
he sold them or return the clocks on demand.  
Deponent further says that in the afternoon  
of the same day the defendant returned to  
deponent's office and informed deponent that  
he had sold said clocks, one to S. Rockefeller

Sworn to before me, this  
day of  
1888

Police Justice.







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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 23 years, occupation Henry Harris  
Collector of No.

24 Greenwich Avenue Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Henry A. Hobbappel

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of March 1888

3rd Henry Harris

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

2 District Police Court.

John H. Bannan 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 H. Bannan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

20 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

247 Rector St & Mor

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Conductor

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

Answer.

I am not guilty  
John H. Bannan

Taken before me this

day of

March 1888

Police Justice.

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Police Court District.

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THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry H. Hargrave

1844 Greenwich St.

Wm. H. Samuam

BAILED,

No. 1, by William Hargrave  
Residence 31 Charleston Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Offence

Dated March 20 1888

Patuam Magistrate.

John Valiant Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

Henry Hargrave

No. 24 Greenwich Street.

S. Robert

No. 1575 Street.

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Police Court District.

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THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry W. Hargrave  
844 Greenwood Ave  
Manhattan

BAILED,

No. 1, by William Hargrave  
Residence 31 Charleston Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated March 28 188

Patman Magistrate.

John Valiant Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Henry Harris  
24 Greenwich Street.

S. Robert

No. 1575

Street.

No.

32306 80th Street.

\$ 1000 to answer

Conrad

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

the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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John Paltier  
Dec 16/92

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SUBPENA FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE GRAND JURY OF THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Ask to see Mr. Bedford

In the Name of the People of the State of New York. 11 1/2 o'clock A.M.

To Off. John Paltier - 92  
of No. 46 Horatio Street

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John A. Barman  
Dated at the City of New York, the first Monday of  
in the year of our Lord 1893

DE LANCEY NICOLL, District Attorney.

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John Talcott Dec 16 92

## DIRECTIONS.

The Grand Jury Rooms are in the third story of large brown stone Building in Chambers Street, near Centre Street, adjoining the New Court House in the Park.

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

The People &c  
on the Complaint of  
Henry A. Holzappel  
against  
John H. Baumann.

Grand Larceny  
Second Degree.

City and County of New York } ss.

Henry A. Holzappel, being sworn, says;

I am the complainant in the above  
entitled matter. I desire to withdraw my com-  
plaint. My reasons for wishing to do so are  
as follows - 1<sup>st</sup>. I have made careful inquiry  
in reference to the defendant's antecedents and  
find that he has never before been convicted  
of any crime and has heretofore born a good  
reputation for honesty and sobriety in the  
community - 2<sup>nd</sup>. I find he has a widowed  
mother dependent in part for support upon  
this defendant and that he has for some  
time contributed to <sup>her</sup> ~~that~~ support. 3<sup>rd</sup>. I think  
from the inquiries I have made and from  
the information I have received that the  
defendant, if given another chance, would  
in future reform and not again offend  
against the laws. In making this affidavit  
I am influenced by no other considerations  
than that justice should be done in this

matter.

Sworn to before me  
this 23<sup>d</sup> day of November, 1888.

Wm. Travers Jerome,  
Notary Public,  
N.Y. Co.

} H. A. Holzappel.

Court of General  
Sessions.

The People vs.

against

John H. Bannerman

Affidavit

of

Complainant

Court of General Sessions

The People &

vs

John Baumann

Sir

Please take notice that I will  
move the Court of General Sessions  
in Part I thereof, on Thursday April 5<sup>th</sup>  
1888, to fix bail in the above  
case.

Dated New York April 4<sup>th</sup> 1888.

James W. Brady  
Counsel for Defendant  
280 Broadway  
N. Y. City

To.

Hon. John R. Fellows  
District Attorney  
N. Y. Co.



Court of General Sessions

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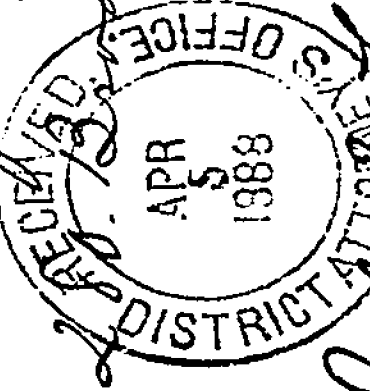
Court of General Sessions

The People v.

vs  
John Baumann

Police

James W. Brady  
Counsel for Defendant



To Hon. John J. Callahan  
District Attorney  
N.Y.C.

I think said in  
the sum of Five  
hundred dollars  
(\$500.) would be  
a proper amount  
in this case  
just forward  
per case

ad 5/88

I concur in the  
above recommendation.

Apr 5/88  
W. M. Davis  
Assistant DA

S. ordered  
RBS  
J

Court of General Sessions

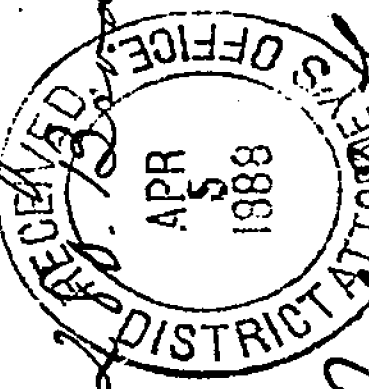
The People vs

John Sammons

Police

James W. Brady

Counsel for Defendant



W.D. Broadway

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District Attorney

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Deputy

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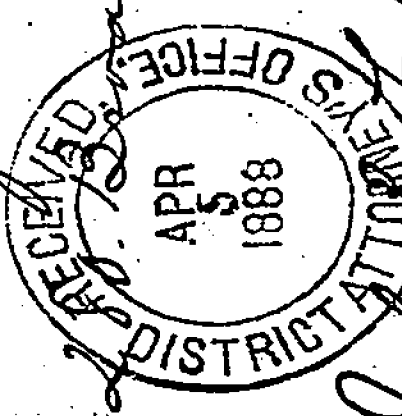
Court of General Sessions

The People vs.

John Bannerman

Police

James W. Brady  
Counsel for Defendant



Hon. John F. Tallant  
District Attorney  
N.Y.C.

A check paid in  
the sum of Five  
hundred dollars  
(\$500.) made me  
a proper amount  
in this case  
just finding  
Deputy

ad 5/88

I concur in the  
above recommendation.

Apr 5/88  
W. M. Davis  
Assistant

Sworn  
1888

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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 H. Bammann*

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

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

The said

*John H. Bammann*

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

*two clocks of the value of thirteen dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of ~~one~~ *a certain corporation* called *The Lord Manufacturing Company (limited)*

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.

## SECOND COUNT—

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

John H. Bammann  
 of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY committed as follows:

The said

John H. Bammann  
 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,

*two clocks of the value of  
 thirteen dollars each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of ~~one~~ a certain corporation called

*The Lord Manufacturing Company (limited)*

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

*The Lord Manufacturing Company (limited)*

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

John H. Bammann

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
 District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2876

**DESCRIPTION:**

Bell, Frank

**DATE:**

04/30/88



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Witness:  
*Chas. Oden*

Counsel,  
Filed 30 day of April 1888  
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*100th*  
*R*  
*Frank Bell*

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

*Atty. Gen.*  
JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

*Off. of the District Attorney*  
*5 P. 2 1/2 yrs.*  
**A True Bill**

*W. J. O'Brien*  
Foreman.

*April 30/88*

0594

Police Court— 5 District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York, }

Richard Oden  
 of 178 Street & 10 Ave Street, aged 21 years,  
 occupation Laborer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April 1888 at the City of New  
 York, in the County of New York, at 179 St. 10 Ave Harlem River  
 he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Frank Bell  
 (now here) who struck deponent  
 a violent blow on the head with  
 a monkey wrench which he held  
 in his hand at said time  
 That deponent was  
 violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten

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 24<sup>th</sup> day }  
 of April 1888. } Richard Oden  
J. G. Deffen Police Justice.

Police Court, 5 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of  
Richard Oden  
vs.  
Frank Bell

Offence—Felonious Assault & Battery

Dated April 21 1888  
Duffy Magistrate.  
Heron Officer.

Witnesses,  
No. street.  
No. Street,  
No. Street,

to answer General Sessions.

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

*Frank Bell* 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. *Frank Bell*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *27 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Washington D.C.*

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

Answer. *Shop 25- 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am guilty of the charge**Frank Bell*

Taken before me this

24

day of

1888

Police Justice.



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Dated 1888 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 1888 Police Justice.

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

Dated April 27 1888 Police Justice.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named *Frank But* guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Police Court 5 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Richard Oden*  
*178 47 Ave*  
*Frank J. Bell*

*Assault & Battery*  
*Offence*

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated April 27 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

3rd Precinct.

Witnesses *Richard K. Kammare*

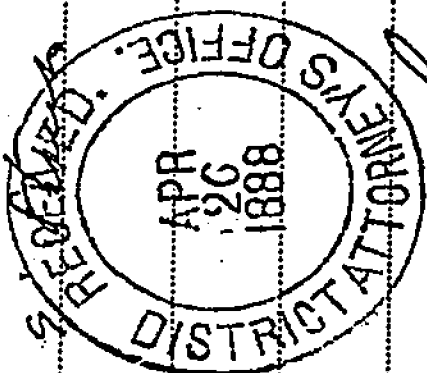
No. *Shops 25* 10 Ave Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *at 10*

*Ans*



0598

# 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 Bell*

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

*Frank Bell* —

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

The said *Frank Bell*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*second* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord  
 one thousand eight hundred and eighty*eight*, with force and arms, at the City and  
 County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Richard Oden*, —  
 in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,  
 and *with* the said *Richard Oden*, —  
 with a certain *wrench* —

which the said *Frank Bell* —  
 in *his* right hand then and there had and held, ~~the same being a deadly and~~  
~~dangerous weapon~~ then and there wilfully and feloniously did strike, beat, ~~cut, stab~~ and  
 wound, *the same being such means and force*  
*as were likely to produce the death of*  
*the said Richard Oden* —  
 with intent *to kill* the said *Richard Oden*, —  
 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

*Frank Bell* —

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

The said *Frank Bell*,

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 *Richard Oden*, —  
 in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
 wrongfully make another assault, and *with* the said  
*Richard Oden* —  
 with a certain *wrench* —

which the said *Frank Bell* —

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

*John R. Bellows,*  
*Attorney*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2876

**DESCRIPTION:**

Berger, Jacob

**DATE:**

04/11/88



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0601

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed, 11 day of April 1888

Pleads, *Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Selling to Minor.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Ed.) p. 1982, § 15].

vs.

*Jacob Berger*

*Part & April 20<sup>th</sup> Incl.*

" 3 " 23 *Parent*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

~~RANDOLPH B. MARINE,~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill. *found.*

*M. J. C. Berry*  
*Part & April 23. 1888*

*Pleady & guilty*

*Part & April 21/88*  
*Time 11:25 P.M.*



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed 11 day of April 1888

Pleads, Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

225 1/2  
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Jacob Berger

Part 2 April 20th Inc.

" 3 " 23 - Parson

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RANDOLPH B. MARINE,

District Attorney.

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Selling to Minor).  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Ed.) p. 1982, § 15].

A True Bill. Foramt.

M. J. Leberer

Part 2 April 23. 1888

Pleads, Guilty

Foreman.

J. J. Gillett

June 1st 1888, P.B.M.

Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed 11 day of April 1888

Pleads, Guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Jacob Berger

Port & Ave 203 Mea.  
" 3 " 23 - Permit

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RANDOLPH J. MARINE,

District Attorney.

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Selling to Minor).  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Ed.) p. 1982, § 15].

A True Bill. Forw.

M. J. C. Berry  
P. & A. Ave 23. 1888

Pleady Guilty Foreman.

Guilty 11/18  
Fine \$25. P.S.M.



0604

3<sup>d</sup> District Police Court.

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

of Number 100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1888, at the  
City of New York, in the County of New York.

Jacob Berger  
unlawfully and wilfully did at premises 11-143 Broome Street  
southwest corner of Ridge Street in said City

sell a certain strong and spirituous liquor for twenty five cents  
commonly known as Rum -  
to one Rena Schopp  
who then and there was a minor, under the age of fourteen years, to wit of the age of  
eleven - years, then and there knowing and having reason to believe such  
minor to be under such age of fourteen years:

Wherefore, the complainant prays that the said

Jacob Berger

may be apprehended, arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

March

1888

John Platten

M. H. Young

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK }

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty, & demand  
an examination*

*Jacob Berger*

*I demand a trial by jury*  
*Jacob Berger*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*Alfred M. Williams*

Police Justice.



0606

Sec. 192.

3 District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

An information having been laid before Jacob M. Patterson Police Justice  
of the City of New York, charging Jacob Berger Defendant with  
the offence of Drunk & Disorderly

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

We Jacob Berger Defendant of No. 530  
E 14 Street; by occupation a Banker  
and Morris Steinhardt of No. 48  
Street, by occupation a liquor Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that  
the above named Jacob Berger Defendant  
shall personally appear before the said Justice. at the 3 District Police Court in the City of New York,  
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of 000  
Hundred Dollars,

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 11  
day of March 1888.

Jacob Berger  
Morris Steinhardt  
M. Patterson Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.

Sworn before me, this 11 day of March 1888

James H. Smith, 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 Two 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 A house and

Lot of land situated 332  
East 106 Street in this city

James H. Smith

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

Taken the day of 1888

Justice.



# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
against

*Joel Singer*

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

*Joel Singer* —

of a MISDEMEANOR, committed, as follows:

The said *Joel Singer*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the

*Tenth* day of *March*, in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid,

certain strong and spirituous liquor and certain wine, ale and beer, 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 sell to one *Rena S. Snapp*, who was then and there a minor

under the age of fourteen years, to wit: of the age of *seven* years, as *he* the said

*Joel Singer*, then and there well knew and had

reason to believe; against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Bihr, John

**DATE:**

04/27/88



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WITNESSES:

Counsel,

Filed 27 day of April 1888  
Pleads Adversely-(30)

**VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW**  
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), Page 1888, Sec. 21 and  
Page 1889, Sec. 8.]

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

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John D. Bir

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JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. J. O'Brien  
Foreman.

L. Dec. 20/88  
April 27, 1888

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

5 District Police Court.

John Bihl 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 may think will tend to your  
exculpation?

Answer.

I am not guilty. If  
held, I demand a trial by  
jury. John Bihl

Taken before me this

16

day of

1887

Police Justice.

06 14

Excise Violation-Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT- 5 DISTRICT,

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of the 27th Precinct Police David E. Cagney Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 15 day  
of April 1888; in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at premises No. 1929 Third Avenue Street,  
John Bihr (now here)

did then and there SELL, CAUSE, SUFFER and permit 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 as a beverage contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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

Sworn to before me, this 16 day } David E. Cagney  
of April 1888 }  
Wm. D. Duffy Police Justice.



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Police Court 5 District.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

David E. Lagoney

vs.

John Behar

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Perence Kennedy

Residence

2000 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated April 16 1888

Magistrate.

Driffy

Officer.

Lagoney

27<sup>th</sup>

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

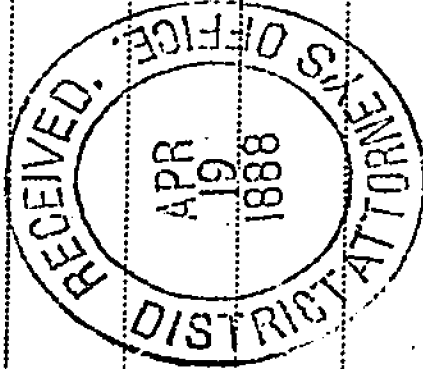
No.

Street.

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to answer

Bailed



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

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

I have admitted the above named defendant

Dated April 16 1888

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

Dated 1888

Police Justice.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

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

*John Bihr*  
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

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

*David E. Cagney*  
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

*John Bihr*  
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

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

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2876

**DESCRIPTION:**

Bischoff, John

**DATE:**

04/26/88



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Counsel,  
Filed 26 day of April 1888  
Pleads

WITNESSES:  
Officer Michael McQuinn  
CO

THE PEOPLE,  
vs.  
John Bischoff  
F  
16429th av,  
B  
VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21 and  
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.  
F  
L. May 2. 1888  
A True Bill.  
W. J. Berry  
Foreman.

April 20/88



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.

2 District Police Court.

John Bischoff 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 Bischoff

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

25 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

1642, 9th Ave., 11th Mo.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Barber

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

Answer.

I am not guilty and  
I demand a trial by jury.

John Bischoff

Taken before me this

day of

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Amos

Police Justice.

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Dated 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 19 1887 Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 19 1887 Police Justice.

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Police Court-- District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Michael W. W. W.  
John D. D.  
Office

Dated Dec 19 1887  
Magistrate  
Witnesses  
Officer Collins  
C.D.  
No. Street.

RECEIVED  
DEC 22 1887  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE  
No. Street.  
to answer  
No. Street.

BAILED  
No. 1, by Mary C. McDermott  
Residence W. W. W. W. Street.  
No. 2, by  
Residence Street.  
No. 3, by  
Residence Street.  
No. 4, by  
Residence Street.

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Excise Violation-Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT- 2 DISTRICT,

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

Michael Mc Dermott  
of No. 308 Mulberry Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 18th day  
of December 1888, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at premises No. 1642 9th Avenue Street,

John Bischoff (now here)  
did then and there SELL, CAUSE, SUFFER and permit 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 as a beverage contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made and provided.

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

Sworn to before me, this 19 day } Michael Mc Dermott  
of Dec 1888

John Patterson Police Justice.

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

*John Bischoff*  
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said *John Bischoff*

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

*Michael Mc Dermott*  
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

*John Bischoff*  
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 *John Bischoff*

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

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

District Attorney.



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2876

**DESCRIPTION:**

Bishop, Joseph

**DATE:**

04/11/88



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

11 day of April 1888

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Grand Larceny second degree.  
[Sections 628, 631, Penal Code.]

Joseph Bishop

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Attorney at Law, District Attorney.

A True Bill.

M. J. C. Berry

Foreman.

April 11/88  
April 16/88

S. P. 2 1/2 yrs.

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,of No. 168 East 111<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 44 years,  
occupation married being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of April 1888 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One pocket book of the value of one dollar, and  
said pocket book contained good and lawful  
money of the United States, consisting of  
three bills or notes of the denomination two  
value of two dollars each and one bill of  
the denomination one value of one dollar  
two opera glasses in a plush bag of the  
value of fifteen dollars and one toilet case  
of the value of five dollars; altogether of  
the value of twenty eight dollars (\$28<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>)  
the property of deponent and Natalie Wolffsohn  
and in care and charge of deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Joseph Bishop (now here)

for the following reasons, to wit: On  
the above-mentioned date about the hour  
of 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon as  
deponent is informed by Natalie Wolffsohn  
of No 168 East 111<sup>th</sup> Street that she the  
said Natalie saw said defendant take  
steal and carry away the afore-described  
pocket containing said money, from the  
top drawer of a bureau on the second  
floor of said premises. That when the  
said Natalie saw said defendant at  
said Bureau drawer the said defendant  
told deponent to give up. That the said  
Natalie then got frightened and ran away

And reported to defendant that there was a thief in said room. That in a short time thereafter defendant found the remaining portion of the above described property in the yard of said premises through which said defendant passed while making his escape.

Given to before me  
this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1888 }  
Ernestine Losenberg  
John Justice



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Natalie Wolffohn*  
aged *39* years, occupation *married* of No.

*168 E 111<sup>th</sup>* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Christine Lowenberg*

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

Sworn to before me, this *19* day of *April* 188*8* } *Nathalie Wolffohn*

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

5- District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Joseph Bishop* 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 Bishop*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *216 East 111<sup>th</sup> Street and about 6 years.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Labourer.*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty.*  
*Joseph Bishop*

Taken before me this

day of

*10*  
*1888*  
 Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 582 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Christine Goewenberg*  
vs.  
*Joseph Bishop*  
Offence *Drunken*

Dated *April 10 1888*

Magistrate.  
*Wright*  
Officer.  
*Wright and Preci*

Witnesses  
*Natalie Wolff*  
*168 East 111th*

Street.  
*168 East 111th*  
No. *168*  
Street.  
*168 East 111th*

Street.  
*168 East 111th*  
No. *168*  
Street.  
*168 East 111th*

FILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

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

*Christine Goewenberg*  
I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Hundred Dollars,  
the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *April 10 1888*  
Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated *April 10 1888*  
Police Justice.

# 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 B. Borden*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Joseph B. Borden* —

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

The said *Joseph B. Borden*.

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

*one pocket book of the value of one dollar,*  
*three* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes), of the denomination and value of *two* dollars each; *three* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes), of the denomination and value of *two* dollars each; *three* United States Silver Certificate of the denomination and value of *two* dollars each; *three* United States Gold Certificate of the denomination and value of *two* dollars each;

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

*two opera glasses of the value of fifteen dollars, one pocket bag of the value of three dollars, one box case of the value of five dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Emeline Schoenberger*

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 H. Bellows,*  
*District Attorney*



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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

2876

**DESCRIPTION:**

Blum, Edward

**DATE:**

04/26/88



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WITNESSES:

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Counsel,

Filed *26* day of *April* 188*8*

Pleads

*Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

*B*

*Edward Blum*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1083, Sec. 21 and  
page 1089, Sec. 5.]

*88 Columbia St.*

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Lawson*

*W. J. Berry*  
Foreman.

*P. 2 May 3/88*

*Transferred to City Jail for  
trial by court  
April 25/88*

# 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 Blum*

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

*Edward Blum*  
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

*Edward Blum*

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

*John Wohlfarth*

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

*Edward Blum*

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

*Edward Blum*

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

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

**2876**

**DESCRIPTION:**

**Bradley, Samuel J.**

**DATE:**

**04/17/88**



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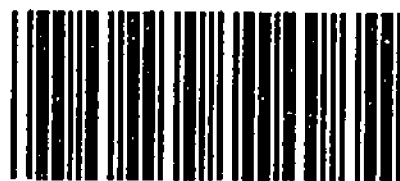
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**DESCRIPTION:**

Hallahan, Stephen

**DATE:**

04/17/88



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**Witnesses;**

**Counsel,**

Filed

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## Plead:

# THE PEOPLE

vs.

Burial in the first degree.  
and 1st degree  
[Section 486, 506, 528 and 532].

JOHN ~~R.~~ FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

# A True Bill.

*Foreman.*

April 6, 1888

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Police Court— 2 District.City and County }  
of New York, } ss.:Hubert Foxof No. 306 10th Avenue Street, aged 25 years,occupation Restaurant Keeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 306 10th Avenue Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brick houseand which was occupied by deponent as a store on the first floor  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name \_\_\_\_\_were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open  
a rear door of said premiseson the 8 day of April 1888 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:one tub of  
butter of the value of twelve dollars  
ten dozen eggs of the value of  
two dollars, a beef a ham, of the  
value of ninety cents, and the  
provisions in all of the value of  
sixteen dollars (\$18)the property of Deponentand 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 bySamuel S. Bradley and Stephen Hallahan  
knowers,for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent securely closed  
and locked the said premises at 12.45  
a.m. on said date. The premises were  
found open at about 3 A.M. on said  
date by Edward Maher, knowers, and  
the said Defendants, were seen by him  
between 2.30 and 3 A.M. in the act of  
stealing and carrying away a portion  
of said property consisting of the

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said ham, and a quantity of pork chops, which they dropped in the hall, and the said Bradley was arrested in the said hall by the said Edward Maher, and both defendants are now recognized in court by the said Maher

SWORN TO BEFORE ME

THIS 9 DAY OF

April 1888

Robert Fox

Samuel C. Bradley  
POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Burglary

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Edward Maher*  
aged *30* years, occupation *Moulding master* of No.  
*306 10th Avenue* Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this *9*  
day of *April* 188*8* *Edward Maher*

*Samuel C. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Samuel T. Bradley* 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. *Samuel T Bradley*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *US.*

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

Answer. *453 West 24th St 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer.

*I have nothing to say**Samuel T Bradley*

Taken before me this

day of

*April*

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*Samuel T. Bradley*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

*Stephen Hallahan* 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.

*Stephen Hallahan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*W. Ireland*

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

Answer.

*430 West 29th St. 3 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Charcoal dealer*

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

Answer.

*I have nothing to say*

*Stephen Hallahan*  
*W. Ireland*

Taken before me this

day of

*June 1888*

*Police Justice.*

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Police Court-- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Herbert Fox  
306-10 ave  
Sam'l. J. Bradley  
Alfred Hallahan

Offence *Drugging*  
3  
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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.

Dated *April 9* 189*8*

*O'Reilly* Magistrate.

*Sein* Officer.

*20* Precinct.

Witnesses *Edward Maher*

No. *306-10 ave* Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

\$ *1000* to answer

*Committed*

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 *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 *April 9* 189*8* *Sam'l. J. Bradley* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 188

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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# 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 S. Bradley*  
and *Stephen Hallahan*

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

*Samuel S. Bradley and Stephen Hallahan*

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

The said *Samuel S. Bradley and Stephen Hallahan, both* —

late of the *Seventh* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eight* — day of *April* —, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, about the hour of *Two* o'clock in the *evening* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Michael Fox*, —

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some human being, to wit: *The said Michael Fox*, —

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

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away; *(The said Samuel S. Bradley and Stephen Hallahan, and each of them, being then and there assisted by a confederate actually present, to wit: each by the other)* —

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

*Daniel F. Bradley and Stephen Mallahan*  
 of the CRIME OF *PETIT* LARCENY, — committed as follows:

The said *Daniel F. Bradley and Stephen Mallahan, both* —

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

*one tub of butter of the value of*  
*twelve dollars, one hundred and twenty*  
*eggs of the value of two cents each, and*  
*one half ham of the value of*  
*twenty cents.*

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

in the dwelling house of the said *Michael Fox*, —

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

*John R. Xellous,*  
*District Attorney*

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**FOLDER:**

2876

**DESCRIPTION:**

Brady, Andrew

**DATE:**

04/26/88



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WITNESSES:

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Counsel, *J. F. Owen*  
Filed *26* day of *April* 188*8*  
Pleads *Inguilty*

THE PEOPLE,  
vs.  
*B*  
*Andrew Brady*  
*330 E. 11th St.*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW  
(Selling on Sunday, Etc.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1988, Sec. 21 and  
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill, *found*  
*W. J. Gentry*  
*off for the term* Foreman.

*April 26, 1888*  
*up at 11:30*  
*complaint sent to Special Session*



# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Andrew Brady*

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

*Andrew Brady*  
of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

The said

*Andrew Brady*

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

*Timothy J. Golden*  
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

*Andrew Brady*  
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

*Andrew Brady*

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

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Brady, James

**DATE:**

04/30/88



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Witnesses:

*Officer Edward J. Kennedy*  
*D. P. R.*

Counsel,  
Filed, 30 day of April 1888  
Pleads *Not guilty* *et al*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW

(Keeping Open on Sunday.)  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), Page 1889, Sec. 5.]

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*James Brady*

*May 7/88*

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JOHN R. FELLOWS.

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*M. J. O. Berry*

Foreman.

*April 20/88*

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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 Brady*

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*