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Chase, Mary

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THE PEOPLE
vs.
Mary Chase

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN MCKEON,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

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New York, Nov 28th. /14

Mr. Craig,

Dear Sir,

On the night of Wednesday Nov, 26th between the hours of 9 + 10, while standing on the corner of 4th Ave, & 12th St, I made the acquaintance of a Prostitute. With this said woman I went to the House N^o 208 E. 13th St. and for the sum of Two Dollars (\$2.00) I procured the use of a Room. I remained there for a short time. During the time I was in this House, I saw a Man and Woman enter and engage a Room. This House is kept by a Woman by the name of Mrs Chase

W. C.

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Arthur Sullivan
210 S. 11th St.

Indie Mason

of

Mary Chase

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New York, Nov 28th /64

M. Craig

Dear Sir,

I went to the House, N^o 208 E. 13th St. between 7.30 and 8 o'clock on Thursday Nov 27th for to engage a Room for a Lady friend of mine for the night or the next Afternoon. I could have the Room at either time, for the payment of Two Dollars (\$2.00) for a short time, or Three Dollars (\$3.00) for the whole Afternoon. While I was there a Man and Woman entered the House, and went to a back Room upstairs. This said House, 208 E. 13th St, is kept by a Mrs Chase.

P. L. W.

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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

Mary Chase

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

Mary Chase —

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

The said *Mary Chase*, 7

late of the *17th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on
the *21st* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-*four*, and on divers other days and times as well before as afterwards,
to the day of the taking this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain common
house of ill fame, unlawfully and wickedly did keep and maintain; and in the said house divers
evil-disposed persons, as well men as women, and common prostitutes, on the days and times afore-
said, as well in the night as in the day, there unlawfully and wickedly did receive and entertain;
and in which said house the said evil-disposed persons and common prostitutes, by the consent and
procurement of the said *Mary Chase*,

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

SECOND COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse
the said *Mary Chase*, —

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

The said *Mary Chase*, 7

late of the *17th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,
afterwards, to wit: on the *21st* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* and on divers other days and times between the said

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

THIRD COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said ~~many~~ *Charles* —

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

The said ~~many~~ *Charles*, 7

late of the ~~17th~~ *17th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the ~~21st~~ *21st* day of ~~November~~ *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty~~seven~~ *seven*, and on divers other days and times between the said day and the day of the taking of this inquisition, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, unlawfully did keep a certain ill-governed and disorderly house, the same being a place of public resort, and in ~~the~~ *the* said house and place of public resort, for ~~her~~ *her* own lucre and gain, certain persons, as well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in ~~the~~ *the* said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting, disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully, did permit, and yet continues to permit, by which the peace, comfort and decency of the neighborhood around and about the said house were, and yet are, habitually disturbed, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN DICKSON,~~

District Attorney.

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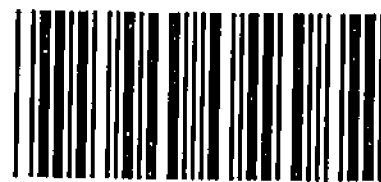
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Cherry, John

DATE:

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Witness:-
Jb Sullivan

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Day of Trial, *H. M. D.*
Counsel, *M. D.*
Filed *2* day of *Dec* 188*4*
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Violation of Excise Law.
Selling without License.
Case No. 1981, 5-12

THE PEOPLE
vs. *B*
John Cherry

PETER B. OLNEY,
~~JOHN MCKEON,~~
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

H. D. D.
Foreman.

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POLICE COURT 2nd DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

John Cherry

On Complaint of

John S. Sullivan

For

Violation of Excise

demanded

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~wave~~ ^{General} a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and ~~demand a trial~~ at the COURT OF ~~SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE PRACE~~ ^{General}, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated

November 26th 188 4

John Cherry

J. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

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Excise Violation—Selling Without License.

POLICE COURT—2nd DISTRICT.City and County } ss.
of New York, }

John J. Sullivan
of the 15th Precinct Police
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 26th Street
day of November 1884, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at
No. 55 Great Jones Street,
John Cherry (now here)

did then and THEREFORE, CAUSE ^{to wit: Lager} ~~strong~~ and spirituous liquors, ~~being~~ and beer, being intoxication liquors, in quantities less than
five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid WITHOUT HAVING A
PROPER LICENSE THEREFOR contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made
and provided.

The said Cherry sold deponent
one glass of Lager beer and received five
cents therefor, without having a license

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

Sworn to before me, this 27 day
of November 1884

John J. Sullivan
Police Justice.

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Sec. 108-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *John Cherry*

Question How old are you?

Answer *28 years*

Question Where were you born?

Answer *Saratoga Springs N.Y.*

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

Answer *46 Stuyvesant street N.Y. three years*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Waiter*

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

Answer *I am not guilty*

John Cherry

Taken before me this *27*

day of *November* 188*4*

Wm. J. Patterson

Police Justice.

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

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 November 27 188 ✓ J M Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 29 188 ✓ J M Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court

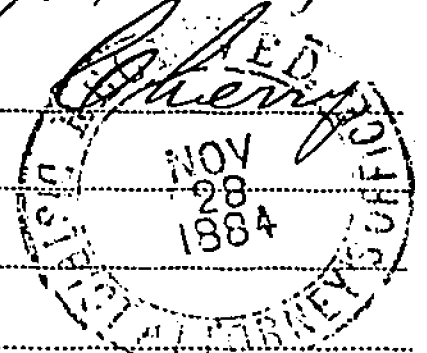
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. Sullivan
15th Precinct

1 *John J. Sullivan*
2
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Office Violation of
Excess

BAILED,

No. 1, by *Michael E. Scannell*

Residence *261 Mulberry* Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated *November 27* 188*4*

Patterson Magistrate.

John J. Sullivan Officer.

15 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ *100* to answer *Gen.* Sessions.

Bailed

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

John Cherry

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

John Cherry

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

The said

John Cherry

late of the *3rd* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *26th* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to *one John S. Sullivan*

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

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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Clark, John

DATE:

12/11/84



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Best Murray Central
A L Smith

Counsel, *Spencer* -
Filed *11* day of *Dec* 188*4*
Pleads *Indy weekly (15)*

THE PEOPLE

ss.

John Vander

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~WHEELER H. PECKHAM~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill. City from 1 day.

William Foreman.

1st Monday Jan / 1945

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Police Court

District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No.

occupation

deposes and says, that on the

4

day of

December

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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:

Good and lawful money of the united
States consisting Nickel coins and silver
coins of the amount of Forty Cents

the property of a company known as And doing business
under the name of the Dry Dock & East Broadway Battery
Rail Road Company and in the care and charge
of deponent as Superintendent 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 Clark (now here) from
the fact that deponent was informed by ~~Officer~~
Officer Thomas Murray that at the hour of date
seven o'clock & two minutes A.M. on the said
officer was a passenger in Car No 63 of said
Rail Road Company and that he Murray got
on the said Car at the corner of 19th Street & Broadway
& and remained in said Car as a passenger till
the said Car reached the cor of Park Row and
Ann Streets and during the time said Murray
was a passenger in said Car he saw the said
Driver Defendant collect the aforesaid money
or eight fares and appropriate the said
eight fares to his own use and the said
Officer Murray arrested the said defendant

and found in the defendant's possession one money bag marked by said Officer Murray and given to the said defendant for his Murray's use as a passenger on said car on said date

wherefore defendant charges the said defendant with taking stealing and carrying away the aforesaid money and appropriating the same to his own use

sworn to before me this 4th day of December 1884

Franklin Smith
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1884
I have admitted the above named to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.
Dated 1884
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named guilty of the offence mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1884
Police Justice.

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

vs.

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Offence—LARCENY.

Dated 1884

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ to answer Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 25 years, occupation Police Officer of No.

Central Office Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Abram Lent Smith

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

Sworn to before me, this 4
day of Dec 188

Thomas Murray

P. G. Luff
Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

District Police Court.

John Clark 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.

Taken before me this 4 day of Sept 1884
John Clark
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated Dec 4 188 J. P. Guffy Police Justice.

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

Dated 4 Dec 188 J. P. Guffy Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Fred Bohlinann

136-10 ave Street.

195 Police Court

1807 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Abram Lent Smith
605 Grand St
Sup. J. & B. B. R. Co.
John Clark

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Dated

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Murray T. Martin Magistrate.
Central Office Officer.
Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

\$

to answer

Sessions.

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Hull

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 Clark

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

John Clark

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *John Clark*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* - day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *eight nickel coins of the United States of the kind known as five-cent pieces, of the value of five cents each, of the moneys, goods and personal property of the Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Rail Road Company, then and there being found, then and there unlawfully 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 Clark* of the Crime of Petit Larceny, committed as follows:

The said *John Clark*, 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, *eight nickel coins of the United States, of the kind known as five-cent pieces, of the value of five cents each, of the goods, chattels and personal property of certain persons, whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid known, then and there being found, then and there unlawfully did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.*

Peter B. Olney,

District Attorney

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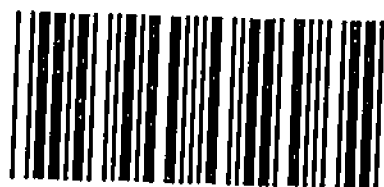
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Clark, Thomas

DATE:

12/24/84



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Witness:

W. Kenton 32

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 24 day of Dec 1884

Pleads

Not guilty

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Thomas Clark

Violation of Excise Law,
Selling without License.

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

J. W. Cooper
Foreman.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

Thomas Clark 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

Thomas Clark.

Question How old are you?

Answer

43 years.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N.Y.C.

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

Answer.

8th Ave + 146th Street, 1 Year.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Hotel Keeper.

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

Answer.

I have made application for a license and demand a trial by jury at the Court of General Sessions

Thomas Clark

Taken before me this

day of *November* 188*7**Wm. J. Smith*
Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael Kirby
32nd Precinct
vs.
Thomas Blair

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ 100 to answer

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

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Police Justice.

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

Dated

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Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

Dated

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Police Justice.

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Excise Violation—Selling Without License.

POLICE COURT—25 DISTRICT.City and County } ss.
of New York, }I, Michael Kirley
of the 32^d Precinct Police Street,of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 22^d day
of December 1888, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, atEast 81st Street, between 146 + 147 Street,Thomas Clark (now here)did then and THERESELL, CAUSE, suffer and permit to be sold, under his direction and authority,
strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxication liquors, in quantities less than
five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid WITHOUT HAVING A
PROPER LICENSE THEREFOR contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made
and provided.The said Clark, did then and
there sell one glass of Whiskey to deponent,
and received ten cents in payment
for the same from deponent.WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.Sworn to before me, this 22^d day
of December 1888M. J. Burke Police Justice.Michael Kirley

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Thomas Clark

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

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

The said *Thomas Clark*,

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *22nd* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four* —, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to *Michael Dwyer*

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

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~JOHN McKEON~~, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Coakley, John

DATE:

12/11/84



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Witnesses:

J W Boyle

131 Spencer
Counsel,
Filed 11 day of Dec 1884
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THE PEOPLE
vs. P
John Cookley
Pettit Linceny, and Hececting Stolen
(Sections 528, 532.)

PETER B. OLNEY,
WHEELER H. PEGHAM

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. H. Maguire
Foreman.

Dec 12, 1884

Pleas do Gully

Leitz Brains two weeks.

Dec 12/84

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.of Age, Oyster Dealer
of No. 252 West 34th

James W. Boyle, 37 years

Street, in said City of New York

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 25th day of September 1884.

at the 63 Beaver Street City of New York,

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

the following property, viz :

Two Baskets containing Oysters, one
basket of Oysters being worth
the sum of One Dollar and fifty
cents, aggregating in all of the
value of three Dollars

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent

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

here) from the fact that Deponent is
informed by John Ellingworth, that
he, said Ellingworth, saw said John
Coakley take the said Baskets of
Oysters from off Deponent's truck
in Beaver Street in said City, and
carry the same into the Oyster
Saloon of Henry Grannell at 63 Beaver
Street, and that said Coakley sold

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

Notary Public,

1884

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said property to said Grauell for two dollars. Said Coakley also confessed to Depment that he stole said oysters, and ^{that} had been in the habit of stealing from Depment for the past six months.

Sum to be paid me this

27th day of November 1884

(J. J. Boyle)

J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

City of New York. John Allingworth of 1884 Broadway born S. being duly sworn deposes and says that on the 26th day of November 1884 he saw said John Coakley give the contents of one basket of oysters which he dumped into a bag and gave to an unknown man. That subsequently said Coakley took said bag from the saloon of a man named Payne and said he was going to deliver the contents where they belonged. Said Coakley told Depment he was going to take said oysters to Grauell in Beaver Street. who knew they were "crooked" & Depment then said him deliver from James W. Boyle, which two baskets containing oysters, to said Henry Grauell at N^o 63 Beaver Street, and saw said Grauell give said Coakley two dollars for the same. Depment thereupon took said Coakley into custody. Coakley admitted that he had stolen from Mr. Boyle & had made a practice of stealing oysters & selling them to oyster saloon keepers.

Sworn before me this 27th day of November 1884 J. J. Boyle

John Allingworth

Second District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James W. Boyle

vs. 252 W. 34

John Coakley

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated November 27th 1884

Saltzman Magistrate.

Flanagan Officer.

WITNESSES:

John Allingworth

1884 Broadway born S.

John Flanagan

DISPOSITION

300 to Curo

Dec. Nov. 28/84 at

J. P. M.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *John Coakley*

Question How old are you?

Answer *19*

Question Where were you born?

Answer *New York*

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

Answer *36 Jackson Street - nine years*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Truck Driver*

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

Answer *I don't want to say anything at present. By adding Counsel I demand a trial by jury at General Sessions*
John Coakley

Taken before me this

*27*day of *September* 188*8**Police Justice*

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

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

Dated November 28 188 J. M. Patterson Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James H. Bayle
252 West 34th St.
John Coakley

2 _____

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Lancaster
Office

Dated *November 27* 188*4*

Mallinson Magistrate.

Blomgren Officer.

9 Precinct.

Witnesses _____

No. *Transferred to* Street.

General Sessions

No. _____ Street,

No. *9* Street.

\$ *100* to answer *Gen. Sessions.*

Conrad

1070

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 Coakley

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

— John Coakley —

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said John Coakley,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the 25th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

two baskets of oysters of the value of one dollar and fifty cents each basket, two baskets of oysters of the value of one dollar and fifty cents each basket, and one thousand oysters of the value of one cent each,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one James W. Boyle, — then and there being found, then and there unlawfully did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

Peter B. Olney,
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1625

DESCRIPTION:

Colamer, Frank

DATE:

12/09/84



1625

Witness

Bella Car
off Garshenmer 16th

And for officer

Counsel,

Filed 9 day of Dec 1884

Pleids for guilty (no)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Frank Colman

21. 11. 16...

24. 11. 16...

for

PETER B. OLNEY,

~~WHEELER H. PECKHAM,~~

District Attorney.

It is day 4/17

A True Bill.

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Wheeler

Foreman.

Jan 8. 1884.

Pleids Guilty

Pen 2 on oath

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Police Court— District.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.:Bella Carr
of No. 464 West 25th Street, aged 21 years,occupation Married woman being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No 464 West 25th Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling Houseand which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house
~~and in which there was at the time a person being, by name~~attempted to be
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly attempting
to break open the back room door
leading from the hallway into said
room wason the 5th day of December 1884 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:with felonious intent to take steal &
carry away the following property
viz one stock of the value of Five
dollars and other property all of
the value of Two hundred dollarsthe property of deponent and husband John Carr
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe that the aforesaid
BURGLARY attempted to be attempted to be
was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by
Frank Colaneri (now "hus")for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent caught said
defendant in the act of attempting
to break said door where said
property was containedSworn to before me
this 6th day of Dec 1884

Bella Carr

Samuel O'Reilly Police Justice

1074

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Frank Colamer

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 Colamer

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Twenty two

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

71st 228 West 18th Street - One month

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Work in a boiler shop

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

Answer.

I am not guilty and I desire to say nothing further until I see Counsel Frank Colamer

Taken before me this

19th

day of December 1884

Samuel C. Kelly
Police Justice.

1075

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 10
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 December 6th 1884 Samuel D. Riff Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Police Court

2^d 1809 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Bella Carr
464 West 25th St.

1 Frank Colamer
2 DEC 8 1884
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Offence Burglary

Dated December 13 1884

O. Ruffy Magistrate.
Gursheimer Officer.

16th Precinct.

Witnesses John M. Gursheimer
16th Precinct House

No. Joseph Schindler

No. 464 West 25th Street,

No. _____ Street.

\$ 10.00 to answer General Sessions.

Com

1077

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 Colamer

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

— Frank Colamer —
of the crime of attempting to commit
the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Frank Colamer, 7

late of the 16th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the 21st day of December, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, with force and arms, about the hour
of twelve o'clock in the night time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one John Carr

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

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

Peter B. Olney,
District Attorney.

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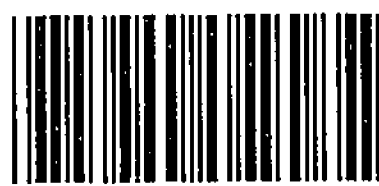
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DESCRIPTION:

Colamer, Philip

DATE:

12/09/84



1625

Witnesses:

Corbin

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Counsel,

Filed 9 day of Dec 1884

Pleads Ashbury 10.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

Philip Colamer

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Barrister, Grand Juror, Degree, and receiving from Goode, (Sections 107, 500, 528, 530, 531, 532)

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McGRON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

A. Doan
Dec 11/84 Foreman
Chas. J. Connors
J. J. J.
Gen. of Refuge.

1079

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

Eulalie Osborne
of No. 347 West 21st Street, aged 41 years,
occupation keep furnished rooms being duly sworn
deposes and says, that the premises No 347 West 21 Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a Dwelling House

and which was occupied by deponent as a Dwelling House
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Agnes Osborne
deponent and several others
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly turning the
knob that is attached to the front basement
door leading into said premises

on the 5th day of December 1884 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

one cloth cloak trimmed with fur
of the value of twenty dollars. one
cloth dress, one silk skirt, one
alpaca skirt all of the value of
twenty dollars

the property of deponent who is a widow
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
Philip Colaneri (narrow)

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent found said
defendant concealed in a corner in
the hallway of said basement and
said defendant's property was tied up
in a bundle and was lying along
side of said defendant. Deponent
says that said property was hanging
up in a closet in the hallway of
said basement Eulalie Osborne

Sworn to before me this
6th day of December 1884
James O. Kelly Police Justice

1081

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

Philip Colamer 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

Philip Colamer

Question How old are you?

Answer

Seventeen

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

No 228 West 87th Street - about 2 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Cleaner in liquor Saloon

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

Answer.

I am guilty

Philip Colamer

Taken before me this

day of *December* 188*4*

Samuel C. Smith

Police Justice.

1082

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 10
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 December 1884 Samuel C. Bell Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court--

2nd 1870 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

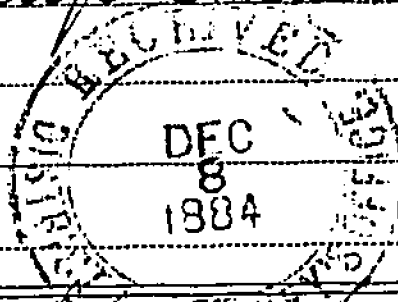
Carlie Osborne
347 West 21st St

1 *Philip Colman*

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Angela
Office

Dated *December 6th* 188 *4*

O'Reilly Magistrate.

Nixon Officer.

16 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street,

No. Street.

\$ *1000* to answer *General* Sessions.

Com.

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

1084

The People Court of General Sessions, Part I.
Philip Colamer. Before Judge Gildersleeve.
December, 16, 1881.

Indictment for grand larceny in the first degree.

Eulaie Osborn sworn and examined. Where do you live,
Mrs. Osborn? 347 West 21st Street. Did you ever see the
defendant before the night of the 5th of December last?
No sir. Never had seen him? No sir. You live at 347
West 21st Street and occupy the whole of the building?
Yes. Will you tell us what it was you saw the defendant
doing there that night? I saw him in in the corner of
the hall and a bundle lying beside him at the back part of
the hall. The back part of the hall near the rear door?
There is no rear door, it is a store room in the corner,
it looks like a back door, a continuation of the hall,
but there is no hallway there. In what position was he
when you saw him? Crouched on his knee and hidden, his
head turned, there was no way to hide as the hall was
narrow, it is a dark corner, the gas light was in the
front of the hall and that was a good way off, the house
is very deep and extends very far and he could not be
seen. What hour was this? It might have been seven, per-
haps a few minutes after, I could not say positively.
What was there in this bundle? A cloak, dresses and
skirts, I do not suppose the child knew what the bundle
was, he took the things in a dark closet. Where had those
things been previous to that? In the closet off the hall,
off the basement hall. That is the hall underneath where
he was found? He passed the hall closet door after he
took the things and went to the end of the hall. Was
this property all done up in a bundle when you left it?

1085

Yes sir, it was all rolled up in a cloak. What was the value of the property in all, about? It was reckoned at about seventy dollars. What was your judgment about its value, was it worth fifty dollars? I think fifty dollars would be a better value than seventy, though at the Court they valued each article at my own price. This child is young, perhaps this is his first offence.

Cross Examined. How long had you the cloak trimmed with fur? About a year. Do you remember what you paid for it? No, it was a present, some of the things were new. I am talking about this cloak, you valued that at \$30? About \$20. Had you worn that within the last two years? Oh yes, very much, I am a judge of cloaks and I tell the jury that it is worth at least \$30, I consider it worth that to me, to the best of my opinion, I cannot tell what it would sell for. What do you value the cloth dress at? \$15. Was that a new dress? A new dress, it was only a few weeks old; the material cost about fifteen dollars and then the making, the material was worth about \$1.50 a yard and it took about ten yards to make the dress I valued the alpaca skirt at about \$2. You found this boy in the hallway, didn't you? Yes; my little girl saw him first and called my attention to him. Did this boy make any statement to you at the time in the hallway? No more than some one sent him in to take the things. He told you that somebody had sent him in for a bundle? Yes, this was about six or seven o'clock in the evening, I say these articles in my opinion were worth about \$37, I don't know what they would sell for.

Mr Vincent. I will retract the claim to petty larceny.

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Robert Nixon sworn. I am a police officer connected with the 16th precinct and arrested the defendant on the night of the 5th of December and took him to the Station House. I had a conversation with him as to why he was in the premises, I was called in there on the 5th of December to make this arrest, I found this boy in the hall, I asked him how he got in there, he said he met a man on 1st Street and 9th Avenue and he asked him to go in there. I says, what did you go in there for, to rob this house? He says, yes. That is about all the conversation.

Philip Colamer sworn and examined in his own behalf. How old are you? Fifteen years old. With whom do you live? With my mother at 228 18th Street. Is that your mother sitting there? Yes sir. Have you ever been arrested before? No sir. Who have you worked for? I worked for Mr Prescott, his place is 108 18th Street corner of 6th Avenue. I also worked for Mr Law, a plumber, his place of business is 409, I help to take care of my mother. On the night of the 5th of December, you were found in the hallway, just tell the jury how you came to go in there? I met a man on 8th Avenue, he asked me would I go in and get some things, he had a furnished room there, he did not like to go in himself, he said he would pay me for it, he told me as I go in to turn to my left hand and I would see a closet with some things hanging up there. As I was in the hall the girl came out with the light and she got frightened and told her mother, I got frightened and stayed there and they called for a policeman and I got brought to the Station House. I told the complainant that the man sent me, I never told the policeman that I went in to rob the house.

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Jane Colamer sworn. I am the mother of the defendant, he has worked for a plumber and gas-fitter, he has never been arrested before to my knowledge, he has always lived with me and has been my chief support.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of petty larceny with a recommendation to mercy.

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Testimony in the case
of
Phillip Colamer

filed Dec.
1884.

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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

Philip Colamer

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

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

The said *Philip Colamer*,

late of the *16th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fifth* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, with force and arms, about the hour of *twelve* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of *one Endalie*

Orborne,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter,

whilst there was then and there some human being, to wit, ~~one~~ *the said*
Endalie Orborne, within the said dwelling house, the said
Philip Colamer

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods chattels and personal property of *the said Endalie Orborne*

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

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SECOND COUNT.

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

Philip Colamer

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

The said Philip Colamer

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said _____
fifth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty-four, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the
night time of said day, with force and arms,

one cloak of the value of
twenty dollars,

one dress of the value of
thirty dollars,

one skirt of the value of
fifteen dollars, -

and one other skirt of the
value of five dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Eulalie Osborne
in the dwelling house of _____

the said Eulalie Osborne, there situate, then and there being found
in 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.

Peter B. Olney,
District Attorney

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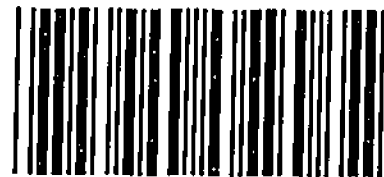
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DESCRIPTION:

Cole, John

DATE:

12/02/84



1625

Witnesses:

Mary Cole

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Counsel, *P. J. Cole*
Filed *2* day of *Dec* 188*8*
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

John W. Cole

32
336 & 38

Assault in the First Degree, etc.
[Sections 217 and 218 Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,

Dr. Dec 19/88 District Attorney.

Fried & Concha Cole & Co.
A True Bill.

W. Hooper

Foreman.

24 Jan 89

F. J.

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Police Court— District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

of No.

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on the 23 day of November

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

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by John Cole

Now present— That said
John did wilfully and maliciously
cut and stab a person
whose face had been cut by
means of a certain knife and
sharp dangerous weapon which
he John then and there held
in his hands

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do ^{her} ~~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~~ ^{bound} and bound to answer
for the above assault, etc., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 24 day
of Nov 1884

POLICE JUSTICE.

1094

Sec. 198-200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

John Cole

Question. How old are you?

Answer

32 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

326 East 36 St. About 4 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Stage Driver

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

Answer.

I am not guilty. I did not have a knife.

John H Cole

Taken before me this

24

day of November 1888

William Brown Police Justice.

1095

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

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

Dated November 11 188

James M. Brown Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

1096

Police Court

1768 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Cole
376 East 36th St.

1 John Cole

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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 November 24 1884

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No. Street.

No. Street.

No. Street.

\$ 3.00 to answer

(Com)

1097

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John A. Code

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

John A. Code —

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

The said *John A. Code*, 7

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty third* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *seven*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Mary Code*, — in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *beat* the said *Mary Code*, — with a certain *knife* —

which the said *John A. Code*, — in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

with intent *kill* the said *Mary Code*, — thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

John A. Code —

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

The said *John A. Code*, 7

late of the City and County of New York, on the *twenty third* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty- *seven*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one *Mary Code*, — in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *beat* the said *Mary Code*, 7

with a certain *knife* —

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

Peter B. O'Neary
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Collins, Michael

DATE:

12/11/84



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2 Caranaga
W. Grey 16th
argt. Plain 16th

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Collins

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Robt. J. ...
[Section 2242.12, Penal Code].

PETER B. OLNEY,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Staples
Foreman.

1100

Police Court-- 2 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Terence Caranagh City
 of No. 53 Van Winkle Street, Aged 43 Years
 Occupation Butcher being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
 8th day of November 1884 at the 16th Ward of the City of New York,
 in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away from the person of de-
 ponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

a pocket book containing good and lawful
 money namely four bills of the denomination
 and value of Ten dollars each and one bill
 of the denomination and value of Five
 dollars and silver and nickel coins
 of the value of Twenty five cents. one
 pocket knife and one bunch of keys all

of the value of Forty six $\frac{00}{100}$ DOLLARS,

the property of deponent

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

Michael Collins (now here) and two others
 whose names are unknown that about the
 hour of 10.30 P M def on said night
 deponent was walking standing in the
 corner of 23^d Street and 11th Avenue
 when said unknown persons and said
 Collins came up to deponent and said
 unknown persons caught hold of deponent
 around the neck and arms and threw him
 down and held him down and while
 down said Collins took stole and
 carried away said property from the pocket
 of the pantaloons then and there worn by

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

10th day of

1884

Police Justice

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deponent and said unknown persons ran
array in company with said Collins
Deponent further says that previous
to said Collins taking said property
he threatened to beat deponent if
he made a noise or called out

by
Terence & Caranagh
mark

Sworn to before me
this 7th day of Dec 1884
Sam'l O'Reilly Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1884 Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereunto annexed.
Dated 1884 Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offense within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1884 Police Justice.

Police Court, District.	Offence—ROBBERY.
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
Dated 1884	Magistrate.
	Officer.
	Clerk.
Witnesses,	
No. Street,	
No. Street,	
No. Street,	
\$ to answer General Sessions.	

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *Michael Collins*

Question How old are you?

Answer *23 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer *England*

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

Answer. *451 W 27th St 7 years*

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 think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer. *I am not guilty*
Michael Collins

Taken before me this

day of

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Samuel (P. H. M.) Police Justice.

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

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

Dated Dec 7 1888

Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 7 1888

Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888

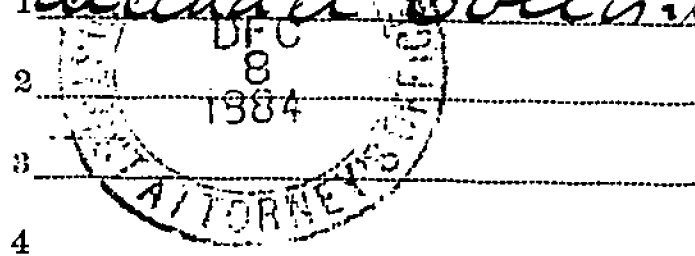
Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 2 ¹⁸⁰⁴ District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Trance Cavanagh
53 Van Winkle St.
New York City N.Y.
1 Michael Collins



Offence Robbery

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated Dec 7 1884

S. A. Kelly, Magistrate.

Maguire, Officer.

Off King 20 P.O. Precinct.
Steamboat & Quay
Off Ray

Witnesses

No. 16th Reediel St. Street.

Mrs. Stevens

No. 53 Van Winkle St. New York City

John M. Mahon

Want witnesses to
No. _____ Street.

\$ 5000 to answer Annual Sessions.

Off Mr. Demott & King 20 P.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Michael Collins

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

Michael Collins
of the CRIME OF ROBBERY IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:
The said *Michael Collins*,

late of the First Ward, of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid,
on the *eight* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty - *four*, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Terence Cavanaugh*
in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and
one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and (of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the
denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars ~~and~~ *four*
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 of ten
dollars, and of the value of ten 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 of five dollars, and of the value of
five dollars ~~and~~ *one* promissory note for the payment of money, being then and
there due and unsatisfied, (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes)
of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars ~~and~~ *one*
promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied, (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the
denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar ~~and~~ *ten* coins,
(of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: *five* coins,
(of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each: *and three* coins,
(of the kind known as five cent pieces), of the value of five cents each: *one*

knife of the value of fifty
cents, and ten keys of the
value of three cents each

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Terence*
Cavanaugh,

from the person of said *Terence Cavanaugh*, and against
the will, and by violence to the person of the said *Terence Cavanaugh*
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take,

and carry away; the said Michael Collins being then and there aided by two or more accomplices actually present, whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown: 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

Michael Collins
of the CRIME OF Robbery in the first degree,
committed as follows:

The said Michael Collins,

late of the First Ward, of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the eight day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty four, at the Ward, (City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Terence Cavanagh in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied, and (of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars and four 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 of ten dollars, and of the value of ten 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 of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars and one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied, (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes) of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars and one promissory note for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied, (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar and ten coins, (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five coins, (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each: three coins, (of the kind known as five cent pieces), of the value of five cents each:

one knife of the value of fifty
cents, and ten keys of the
value of three cents each

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said Terence Cavanagh

from the person of the said Terence
 Canavanagh, against his will, and by
 means of putting him the said
 Terence Canavanagh in fear of some
 immediate injury to his person,
 then and there violently and felon-
 icously did rob, steal, take and
 carry away: [the said Michael
 Corbin being then and there
 aided by two accomplices actually
 present, 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.

Peter Bolney

District Attorney

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Conroy, James

DATE:

12/18/84



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Witnesses =
Mottley 21st

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Day of Trial,
Counsel,
Filed day of 1884

Pleads Mr. Gully vs

THE PEOPLE

vs. B

James Conroy

Violation of Excise Law.
(Sunday)
1884

PETER E. OLNEY,
~~JOHN MCKEON~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Dr. Wafer
Foreman.

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Sec. 198-200

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *James Conway*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *15 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *241 East 85 Street 10 months*

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 think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer. *I am not guilty*

James Conway

Taken before me this

day of

15 June 1884

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 James Kearney

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 Dec 14 188 4 Henry Murray Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 14 188 4 Henry Murray Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . . . _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nathan Hardy
721st West
James Murray

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15
1884

Office Trial of Cases

Dated

December 14 188 *4*

Murray

Magistrate.

Hardy

Officer.

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Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

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to answer

12 Sessions

Bailed

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POLICE COURT 4 DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

On Complaint of

For

James Murray

William Harty
Viol. Civil Laws

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~wine~~ ^{demand} a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and my right to make a statement in relation to it and demand a trial at the COURT OF ~~SPECIAL~~ ^{General} SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, to be holden in and for the City and County of New York.

Dated December 14 1884.

James Murray

Wm. H. Murray Police Justice.

1114

Excise Violation—Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT—4 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.
of New York, }

of Nathan Hertz
the 11th Avenue Police Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 14 day
of December 1884, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at
premises No. 105 East 83^d Street,

James Leary (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 James Leary
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 14 day }
of December 1884 } Nathan Hertz

Wm. H. Hertz Police Justice.

1115

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 Conway

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *James Conway*.

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

The said *James Conway*.

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

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

SECOND COUNT:

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

James Conway

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

The said *James Conway*.

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

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

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

THIRD COUNT:

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

James Rowley

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

The said

James Rowley

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

hundred and nine East
Thirty Second Street

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

PETER B. OLNEY,
JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Cornell, James

DATE:

12/09/84



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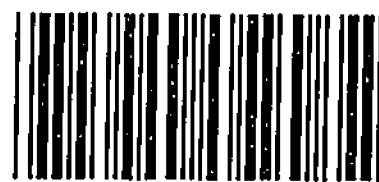
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Chapin, John

DATE:

12/09/84



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DESCRIPTION:

Gerald, Frank

DATE:

12/09/84



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Witnesses:

G. K. Hornblum
Off. Witness C. 10

Counsel, *G.O.*
Filed *9* day of *Dec* 188 *4*
Pleads *Not guilty (10)*

Robbery, first degree
[Sections 224 and 225, Penal Code].
THE PEOPLE
vs.
James Cornell
John Quinn
Frank Gualdo

PETER B. OLNEY,
Dec 17/84 District Attorney.

Ch. 1. Tried & convicted
A TRUE BILL.
State of Maryland
Dec 17/84
J. J. [Signature]
Foreman.

Dec 17/84
Ch. 2.

Tried & acquitted
Dec 18/84

Ch. 3.
Tried & acquitted.

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Police Court 18 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

George Klein

of No 539 East 11th Street, Aged 61 Years

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

6 day of December 1884, at the 6 Ward of the City of New York,

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

one pocket book containing good and lawful money to the amount and of the value seventy six cents in all

of the value of one dollar and one cent ~~NOT IN~~,
the property of deponent

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

James Cornell, John Chapin and Frank ~~Gerald~~ (all now here) from the fact that said Chapin and said ~~Gerald~~ held deponents arms while said Cornell thrust his hand into the right hand side pocket of the pantaloons then and there worn by deponent taking therefrom said property. Wherefore deponent charges said defendants with acting in concert with each other in taking, stealing and carrying away said property as aforesaid

George Klein

Sworn to before me, this 4 day of December 1884
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Cornell

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

15 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

118 Mulberry St. 5 weeks

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Clerk

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

James Cornell

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty
John X Chapin
Mark

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

1 District Police Court.

Frank Gerald 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 Gerald

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

28 Mulberry St. 21 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Mattress maker

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Frank Gerald

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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

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

Dated 6 December 1884 J. J. Duffy Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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Police Court

1st 1886 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George E. Klinck
539 East 11th St.

1 James Connell
2 John Chapin
3 Frank Gerald
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Offence

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Dated 6 December 1886

P. E. Duffy, Magistrate.

John P. Thayer, Clerk.

6 Precinct.

Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street.

Off Frank Lane 6
No. " John Cottrell Street,

No. _____ Street.
\$ 1000 to answer _____ Sessions.

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The People
James Cornell.

Court of General Sessions, Part I.
Before Judge Gildersleeve.

Friday, December 19, 1884.

Jointly indicted for robbery in the first degree with
John Chapin and Frank Gerald.

George Kleinline sworn. What is your business? Carpenter. On the night of the 3rd of December last, you were going home from work I understand? Yes sir. You are a carpenter by trade and you had been working during the afternoon and evening? Yes. You were on your way home passing through Worth Street? Yes. What hour was it? About half past twelve. Tell us what it was that happened to you there that night? When I got up to Worth Street between Mulberry and Mott there is a saloon there and while I wanted to pass three or four young fellows stopped me, one of them held right out his fist and said, now there is a fellow coming we want to go at him and get all we can and then I went along side of them and wanted to go by and James Cornell stepped right out and caught me round the body and another fellow came right behind me and held my arms back and the next thing James Cornell ran his hand in my pocket and hauled out my pocket-book. He got the pocket-book, he runs away with it, I followed him, I halloed for the officer and he run right into the officer's hand. How far away did he get before the Officer found him? About half a block. He was not out of your sight at all from the time he left you until he reached the officer's arms, you saw him all the time? Yes sir, I would not let him get out of my eyes. He stepped up in front of you did he not? Yes sir, right on the side on the front; there was another young fellow held his fist you know, against me. What was in the pocket-book? There

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was seventy-six cents in it, three watch keys and a pad-lock key. Did you see the pocket-book afterwards, after he took it? No sir, I did not see it afterwards until the officer showed it to the Captain, I saw it then. What time was that? That was on the same night about half an hour after he took it.

Cross Examined. This was half past twelve o'clock at night, I had not been in any drinking saloon, I was sober. What corner was that you stood on? That was right in the middle of the block on the left hand side when you are going up from Center Street. Were you in company or in conversation with any one there? The four stood right there and they stopped me, I was in company with no woman, I was all alone going up Worth Street. How many young men attacked you? There were three. When you entered the Station House did you identify the three young men who attacked you and robbed you that night? I did not identify the other two but this one I identified. When you were asked at the Station House which of the three it was who put his hand in your pocket, did not you say you did not know? I said that James Cornell put his hand into my pocket. It was not a dark night it was a clear night. You swear here in your complaint that James Cornell, John Chapin and ^{Frank}~~John~~ Gerald, all now here - I will read your affidavit - and that this deponent has probable cause to suspect and does suspect that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away by force and violence as aforesaid by James Cornell, John Chapin and Frank Gerald, held deponent's arms while said Cornell thrust his hand into the right-hand side pocket of the pantaloons then and there worn by deponent taking therefrom said pocket-book or property. Did not you swear that

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John Chapin held one of your arms? I did not. When this man Chapin was being tried, did you identify him as the man whom you swore was there? I did not swear to them two at all, I only swore to James Cornell. There is your affidavit signed by you? Never mind. You failed to identify Frank Gerald too did you not? I was not sure, I could not swear that the other two were present but James Cornell I swore was there. Did you state in the Station House when you were asked if this was the man who took your pocket-book that he was a smaller man, a little boy? That was what I said, that little fellow what stood on the front of me, that held the fist up you know, that is what I said. (Not him, Cornell), I did not say that no sir. The policeman brought me into the saloon, we wanted to find that other boy who held up the fist you know against my face, we could not find that little fellow. Did you state in the Station House when you were asked to identify these men and particularly James Cornell, that it was so dark you could not see his face? No sir, it was a light night, it was very clear and I was sober.

John J. Wimmer sworn. I am a policeman connected with the 6th precinct, I was on patrol duty on the night of the 6th of December last, my tour of duty was on Mulberry Street from twelve to six o'clock, I arrested the defendant, I stood on the corner of Worth and Mulberry Streets and heard a man holler police, I ran half way up the block and as I was running up Cornell ran right into my arms with the complainant right behind him. He said to me, stop him Officer, he has got my pocket-book and he still had the pocket-book in his hand. Did you take the pocket-book from him? Yes sir, I took the pocket-book

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right out of his hand. Did the complainant identify it as his property? Yes sir.

Cross Examined. You were not present when the pocket-book was stolen? No sir, I was about half a block away from them. How distant was the complainant from the defendant when he ran into your arms? He was about two or three feet behind him. That was at half past twelve? Yes sir. A dark night was it not? It was not dark at the place where it happened, it is very light at the corner of Worth and Mulberry Streets in front of the lager beer saloon. What was the condition of the complainant when he went to the Station House? He was sober I think. You would not think he had been drinking? No sir. Did not he hesitate for some time before he identified this man? No sir, he did not. Did he state in the Police Court that Chapin and Gerald were in company with this man who robbed him? He said he was not positive of the other two men but that man he was positive of taking his pocket-book, he was the man that put his hand into the pocket. He was sure of that? Yes sir. How many young men did you see around there that night? There was three or four altogether. Did you see the four running away? Yes sir, I stood right in the corner. He ran right into your arms? Yes sir. Did you arrest the others? No sir, I sent in a rap and Officers Cottrella and Lake came to my assistance. I told them that two of the men ran into the saloon and they went into the saloon and found two men concealed in the water-closet, Chapin and Gerald. Did you find the fourth man? No sir. Did you see a woman around there? No sir, I did not. I noticed three men struggling with a man and two of them had hold of him while the other one was going to his pocket.

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John Gottrell sworn. You are a police officer connected with what precinct? The 6th precinct. You were present on the night in question, the 6th of December? Yes sir. Tell us what you saw when you came there in response to the alarm rap from Officer Winner? I was in citizen's clothes in company with Officer Lake patrolling the precinct and at the corner of Mott and Chatham Streets there was an alarm rap sent in by Officer Winner, I ran down and I saw two men running into the saloon, the complainant was after them and the officer wanted to grab the prisoner and the pocket-book was in his left hand. Who was that prisoner? Cornell. The defendant here? Yes sir.

Cross Examined. Did I understand you to say Officer, you saw the robbery? I saw the pocket-book in Cornell's left hand. Where was he then? Corner of Mulberry and Worth Streets. In company with whom? Officer Winner was on top of him, Officer Winner had him down by the neck when I got there. That is all you saw? That is all.

Mr Vincent. We rest.

The Case for the Defence.

James Cornell sworn and examined testified. What is your business? I work for a fish-man. Where were you the night in question, I think it was the 6th of December? To the theater. Where were you at half past twelve o'clock that night? I was going down Chatham Street. Did you meet any one there? Yes sir. Whom did you meet? A young fellow. What young fellow? His name is Charles Noble. Where did you go with Charles Noble? I walked down through Chatham Street, I wanted to go down Mulberry, I was going up Mulberry Street to go home. You saw the complainant on the stand there, didn't you? Yes. You saw him on that

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night too? No sir, not till I was arrested. That was the first time you saw him was it? Yes sir. Did you see this Charles Noble do anything? Yes sir. What did you see him do? I saw him after he took the pocket-book off the man, there was five or six of them together and they all ran when they saw the policeman coming: they halloed, Cheese it; they gave me the pocket-book and I ran with it.. Have you ever been arrested before? No sir, never in my life. And that is how you came in possession of the pocket-book, is it, he handed it to you? Yes sir.

Cross Examined. What were you running away with the pocket-book for? I saw the policeman coming and when I saw them all run away I didn't know nothing about it, I did not run into the policeman's arms, he was standing on the corner and he run up.

Monday, December 22, 1884.

Mary Froderick sworn. Are you a married lady? Yes sir. Do you know the prisoner at the bar? Yes sir, he is my brother. Was your brother ever arrested for any crime or misdemeanor? No sir. What is his character for honesty, quietness and peace? He has always worked, he worked every day, he was not out for over two weeks until the very night he went out, he said he was going to the theater that night when he went out, then we did not hear of him until the next Saturday when he was arrested. Does he keep good hours? Yes sir, never went out of the house for two weeks until that night and he started out to go to the theater. Where is your father? My father is sick in bed.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

The defendant was sent to the Reformatory.

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Testimony in the Case
of James Cornell
filed Dec. 1884.

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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 Cornell, John
Chapin & Frank
Gerald

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

James Cornell, John Chapin and Frank
Gerald, of the Crime of **Robbery in the
first degree**, committed as follows:

The said James Cornell, John Chapin and
Frank Gerald, each late of the City and
County of New York, on the sixth day of
December in the year of our Lord, one
thousand eight hundred and eighty
four, at the City and County aforesaid,
each of them being then and there
aided by an accomplice actually
present with force and arms, in and
upon one George Kleinlein, then and
there being, feloniously made an
assault, and one pocket book of the
value of twenty five cents, and divers
coins of the United States of a number,
kind and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value
of seventy six cents, of the goods and
personal property of the said George
Kleinlein, from the person of the said
George Kleinlein, against the will, and

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

Peter B. Orney,

District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cottrell, James

DATE:

12/16/84



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Witnesses:

G O Moore

Sent to San Francisco
This indictment was

found on 1884.
John Ireland the
officer in the case
is dead - Police
Boards at Headquarters
show this -
Complainant, Mrs.
George Moore says
that the material
witnesses are in Phila-
delphia - She, the
Complainant & the
Philadelphia & Reading
R.R. People have
no desire at this
late day to prosecute.
or I therefore ask that
the defendant be dis-
charged on his own
recognizance by \$10.
May 16 1893 J Oa

Notice to appear 4 days
before case is on the calendar

Counsel,

Filed 16 day of Dec 1884

Pleads Not Guilty (m)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James R. Moore

James R. Moore

Paul D. Quigley

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney

A True Bill.

19 March 1893
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Notman.

Notman.

Grand Larceny 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 59 1, 550 Penal Code]

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State
Cottrell

Men of influence
to be subpoenaed

✓ J. F. Dennison, Clerk at Pier
14 N. R.

George C. Moore Agent Pt. R. R. Cb.
Pier 14 N. R.

✓ William A. Brown of W. A. Brown & Co.
122 Pearl St

✓ Thomas S. Gardner 136 Pearl St.

✓ John Culbert detective. N. Y.

✓ John Langan detective. N. Y.

Truckman who was carrying indigo

✓ William J. Wisner 168 Pearl St

Book keeper for Mortimer
& Wisner 168 Pearl St

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

George O Moore

of No. Per 14 Hudson Streetbeing duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 27 day of June 188 4

at the _____ City of New York,

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

the following property, viz :

Three cases containing 594 pounds
of Indigo of the value of Seven
hundred and ninety four
dollars

Sworn before me this

day of

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POLICE JUSTICE,

the property of Philadelphia & Reading Railroad
Company incorporated under the laws of
the State of Pennsylvania in the care &
charge of deponent who is freight agent and that this deponent

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

stolen, and carried away by JAMES COTTRELL (now here)

That deponent is informed by Officer
Rutland that he found ^{part of} said property
in the possession of said defendant
on Water Street in said City &
that he said defendant was
offering the same for sale at the
time Deponent further says that said
property viz 500 pounds of Indigo in
the possession of said defendant answers
the description ^{of that property} that was so stolen as aforesaid

Geo O. Moore

City and County of New York

Charles Smith of no 73 Suffolk Street being duly sworn says that on the 4th day of December 1884 he met James Coltrill on South Ferry Steamboat going over to Brooklyn and ^{he} said to deponent if he would bring over three barrels from Brooklyn to Pearl Street New York City

That deponent drove his truck and horse to State Street and got the said barrels and said Coltrill and another man whose name is unknown put them on his truck & deponent took them to New York City and no 55 Water Street. Deponent further says that said Coltrill gave him fifty nine cents for taking said property to this City

Charles Schmidt

Sworn to before me

This 5th day of Dec 1884

Daniel O'Reilly Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Rutland
aged _____ years, occupation Detective Sergeant of No
Central office Street being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George O Moore
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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5 John Rutland
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Danny O'Reilly
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

James Cottrell

Question How old are you?

Answer

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Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

71 Muldoon St- Bklyn 2 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Speculation

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. The indictment
was selling on Commission for 60
cents a pound*

James Cottrell

Taken before me this

day of

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Samuel C. Kelly

Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 137
Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he
give such bail.

Dated Dec 5 188 4 Samuel O. Kelly Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by William McQuade
Residence 17 Shelton St, Brooklyn

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court-- District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George O. Moore
Pier 14 N. River
Jamie Cottrell

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Dated Dec 5 188 8

L. O. Reilly Magistrate.
John R. Langdon Officer.

George Schmitt Precinct.
Witnesses Chas Smith will come

No. 73 Bufford, River Street. 15

No. 100 St. Gardiner Street,
(Mts. Parsons Bldg) 36 Pearl

No. 1500 to answer _____ Sessions.
Wm H. Wisner
168 Pearl

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Offence Grand Larceny

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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 Corbett

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

James Corbett —

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

The said *James Corbett*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *27th* day of *June*, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

six hundred pounds of indigo

of the value of one dollar and

thirty five cents each pound,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company,*

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

James Cottrell —

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

The said

James Cottrell,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *27th* — day of *June*, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*four*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

six hundred and pounds
of indigo of the value of
one dollar and thirty
five cents each pound,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *the Philadelphia and Reading Rail Road Company,*

by *a certain person or persons* to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *the Philadelphia and Reading Rail Road Company,* unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said *James Cottrell* —

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.

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

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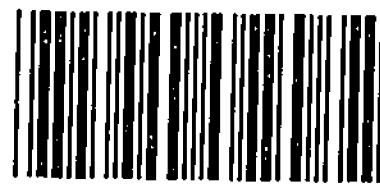
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DESCRIPTION:

Crawford, John

DATE:

12/22/84



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Witnesses:

Collins
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Counsel,

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

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John Cranford

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Grand Larceny 2nd degree
(From the person.)
[Sections 528, 538, 539. — Penal Code.]

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Dec 23/91

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.:of No. 14 1/2 St. South 14 St. South Brooklyn 13 years,occupation School girl being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 15 day of December 1884 at the City of NewYork, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
and from deponent's person
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One Pocket Book of the value of
fifty cents

the property of deponent's mother Margaret Collins
and in care and charge of deponentand 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 Crawford (now here)

from the fact that while deponent was
standing on Grand Street looking into a
show window deponent missed said property,
from a pocket of the satchel then and there
worn by deponent. Subsequently deponent
was informed by Officer George Kappes
that he saw said defendant take said
property from deponent's person.

Nellie Collins

Sworn to before me, this 16 day of December 1884
of Nellie Collins
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged

years, occupation

George E. Kappes
Police Officer

of No.

10th Precinct Police

Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

Nellie Collins

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

December 188*8*

George Kappes

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

John Crawford

Question How old are you?

Answer

21 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer

New York

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

Answer

10 Hamilton St. 4 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Printer

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

Answer

I am not guilty
John Crawford

Taken before me this *10* day of *April* 188*8*
[Signature]
Police Justice.

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

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

Dated 16 Dec 188 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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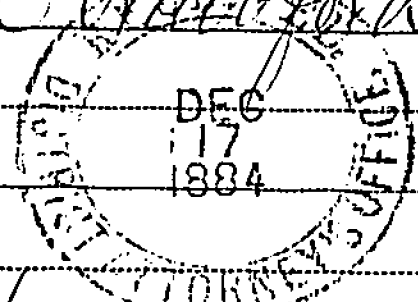
Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Nellie Collins
141 1/2 South 14th St.
South Brooklyn
New York

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Offence Person

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Dated 16 December 1884

P. G. Duffy Magistrate.

Geo. Kappes Officer.

10 Precinct.

Witnesses Officer

No. Street.

No. Street,

No. Street.

to answer Sessions.

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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 Crawford

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse
John Crawford
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *John Crawford*,

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

one pocket-book of the
value of fifty cents

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

Peter B. Olney
District Attorney

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Crist, John

DATE:

12/22/84



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Counsel,

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

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John Crist

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Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE,
Sections 409, 506, 528, 531

PETER B. OLNEY,

District Attorney.

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A True Bill.

Foreman.

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Police Court—4th District.

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

of No. 483 Third Avenue Augustus Stoffel Street, aged 30 years,

occupation Roofers and Tin Smith being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 518, 3^d Avenue Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling House the

Basement of

and which was occupied by deponent as a Work Shop

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

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking open
the door from the front Basement Hall into
deponent's said Work Shop

about 25th day of November 1884 in the night time, and the
on the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

A quantity of Tin Smiths Bench Tools
and Copper Ware of the value of
fifty dollars \$50⁰⁰

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

John Crist (now here),

for the reasons following, to wit: from the fact that on said day
at about 6 o'clock P M deponent securely locked
and fastened the door and windows of said
basement, that on the following morning about
7 o'clock A M deponent discovered that his said
premises had been feloniously and forcibly entered
and the above described taken stolen and
carried away, that said defendant has acknow-
ledged and confessed to deponent that he broke

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into said premises and took stole and carried away said property and sold the same

Deponent then for asks that said defendant be held to answer and dealt with as the law directs

Sworn to before me the
16th day of December 1884

Augustus Stapp

McGovern

Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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Sec. 198-200.

4th District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

John Crist

Question How old are you?

Answer

22 years

Question Where were you born?

Answer

New York

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

Answer

101 East 30th Street, six weeks

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Pauper

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 stole the property but I did not
break in the premises
John Crist.

Taken before me this

16th

day of December

1887

Seagravey
Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he ~~be admitted to bail in the sum of~~ he legally procured a discharge therefrom ~~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 December 16 1884 de J. Dwyer Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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Police Court-- 4th Precinct District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Augustus Stoffel
483 3rd Av.
John Crist

Burglary &
Larceny

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 2, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 3, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

No. 4, by _____

Residence _____ Street.

Dated December 16 1884

In Court Magistrate.

H. Argent Officer.

2nd Precinct.

Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

Committed to answer _____

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

John Crist

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

John Crist —

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

The said

John Crist

late of the *Twentyfirst* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *25th* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain *part of a* building there situate, to wit: the *basement* of one *Augustus Stoffel*,

Stoffel, —

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

Augustus Stoffel —

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

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SECOND COUNT.

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

John Crist

of the CRIME of *Grand LARCENY in the Second degree.*
committed as follows:

The said *John Crist*

late of the *Twenty-first* Ward of the City of New York in the
County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the said *25th* day of
November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and eighty *four* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *night*
time of said day, with force and arms,

took *his* tools of the kind
commonly used by
him smiths, of a number,
kind and description
to the Grand Jury aforesaid
unknown, of the value of
fifty dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Augustus*
Stoffel, in the *possession* of
the said *Augustus Stoffel*
there situate, then and there being found, in the *possession* 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.

Peter B. Olney
District Attorney

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FOLDER:

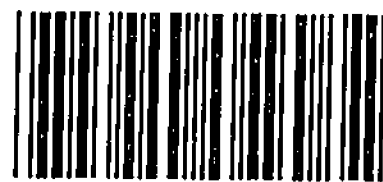
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DESCRIPTION:

Crowe, William

DATE:

12/04/84



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Witnesses:-

Wm. J. Fox
Wm. Cantor

Applicant deposes a
dem. of. imprisoned
in Pen. for. Appt
He is a nobody

FS

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Filed 4 day of Dec 1884

Pleads Obsequy

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

William Crowe

et
al
Pleas.

Assault in the First Degree.
(Firearms.)

Dec 27 & 2187

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

27 Dec 9/84.

Filed & Concluded Court today

A TRUE BILL.

FS

Foreman.

27 Dec 9/84.

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Police Court 1st District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. 400 of East 57th Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that
on Tuesday the 25 day of November

in the year 188 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

William Crowe (now
here) who came to the
above described premises
(a boat house) while deponent
was therein and after open-
ing the door of said prem-
ises pointed and discharged
a loaded pistol at depo-
ment.

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 26 day
of November 188

Wm. M. Quinn
POLICE JUSTICE.

William Crowe
New York

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss

William Crowe 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

William Crowe

Question How old are you?

Answer

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

860 First Avenue. Three years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Plasterer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

Wm Crowe

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated Nov. 16 188 . Henry J. ... Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 . _____ Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Pistol + Bullet in
drawer of Safe

Police Court

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District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Ford
Foot of East 52nd St.

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Dated

Nov. 26

188

Murray

Magistrate.

Costa

Officer.

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Precinct.

Witnesses

Patrick H. Murray

No.

877 - Firehouse

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

1000 -

to answer

Excessives

(Chm)

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

William Crowe

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

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

The said *William Crowe*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty fifth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *four*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *William Fox* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and to, at and against *him* — the said *William Fox* — a certain *pistol* — then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *William Crowe* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously, did then and there shoot off and discharge, with intent *him* — the said *William Fox* — 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

William Crowe

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

The said *William Crowe*

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 *William Fox* — then and there being, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully, make an assault, and to, at and against *him* — the said *William Fox* — a certain *pistol* — then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which *he* — the said *William Crowe* — in *his* right hand, then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, feloniously did, wilfully and wrongfully then and there shoot off and discharge

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

PETER B. OLNEY,

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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