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NEW YORK COUNTY

SERIES:

**GRAND JURY
INDICTMENTS**

DATES:

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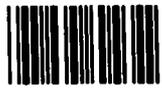
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DESCRIPTION:

Vail, Cornelius

DATE:

02/05/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

1888

Filed 5 day of July

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Myers

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Comelus Tail

Violation Excise Law.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. M. Conroy

Foreman.

Part in Pet. 1888.

pleads guilty.

Fined \$5.

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POLICE COURT

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DISTRICT.

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

of the 8th Precinct Charles A. McDonald Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 21 day

of January 1880 in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

At Premises 148 Spring Street

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

Cornelius Vail (now here) did then and there expose for sale, and did sell, caused suffered, and permitted to be sold and given away, under his direction or authority, strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law having no license therefor

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that the said Cornelius Vail may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this 21 day }
of January 1880

Charles A. McDonald,
Maverick Police Justice.

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27 vs. *120 Spring*

Police Court,

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Receipt
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Violation of Excise Law.

Comd Wall

Dated *21* day of *Jan'y* 18 *80*

Attest Magistrate.

McDonald Officer.

Witness,

Bailed \$ *100* to Ans. *Sam'l Senior*

By *Christian J. Francisco* Street.



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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

Cornelius Vacl

late of the *eightth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty first* day of *January* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty*, 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
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
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one

Charles A. McDonald

; 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.

~~SECOND COUNT.—And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present: THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, 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 jurors
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to 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.~~

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Vail, Isaac S.

DATE:

02/20/80



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Counsel,

Filed 20 day of Feb 1880

Reads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John S. Hall

Thursday
President

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

INDICTMENT.
Larceny of Money, &c., from the person
in the night time.

True Bill.

J. M. Comstock

Foreman.

Part no Pet 26. 1880
pleads G. L.

BSP 18 months

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

Evansville - *Sevi E. Thompson*
Sevi E. Thompson
Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *18th* day of *February* 1880
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent, *and from his person*

the following property, viz: *good & beautiful money*
to the amount of sixty dollars,
viz one bill (National Bank) of
the value and denomination
of ten dollars, and one national
bank bill of the value & deno-
mination of fifty

of the value of _____ 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 *Soames Vail*
who snatched the aforesaid
property from deponents
hand & run away. Deponent
is now staying at Paige
Hotel corner Spring & West
streets -

Sevi E. Thompson

Sworn to, before me this
18th day
of *February*
1880
Police Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Isaac S Vail being duly examined before the under-
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to h , states as follows,
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Isaac S Vail

Question. ~~How old are you?~~

Answer. 45.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Dulchep County

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 61 Clinton Place

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Rail road man

Question. Have you anything to say, and if so, what—relative to the charge
here preferred against you?

Answer.

I waive examination
I am not guilty.
Isaac S Vail

Taken before me, this

20

day of

July

1899

Police Justice.

[Signature]

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name

Address

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name

Address

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Lev E. Thompson
Swampscott
vs.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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Dated

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Capt. Gaston
Swampscott
Magistrate
57479
Officer
Clerk

Witnesses:

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2000 to answer

at Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present :*

That *Isaac Stail*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid

on the *Eighteenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *Eighty* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the night time of said day, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each: ~~three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each: twenty 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 one hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each: thirty 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 fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each: fifty 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 twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each: sixty 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: eighty 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 five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each: ninety 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 three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each: one hundred 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 two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each: one hundred and twenty 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 one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars: one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars: two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each: three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each: ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each: fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each: thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each: bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each: three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each: six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each: fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each: ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each: thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each: gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each: one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each: three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each: six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each: one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each: silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each: five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each: two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each: five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,~~

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of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Levi E Thompson* on
the person of the said *Levi E Thompson* then and there being
found, from the person of the said *Levi E Thompson* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Vatuto, Cono

DATE:

02/11/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 11 day of Feb 1880

Pleads

THE PEOPLE
 vs.
 Cono Tatuto

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Violation Excise Law.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. Conant

Foreman.

Part No Feb 11, 1880

Filed & do. g. v. l. y.
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1st District Police Court.

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

Daniel Dugan
of the 14th Precinct-Police Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 20
day of January 1880 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,
at No. 56 Muttony Street,
Lomo Votuto

did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, under his direction, or authority, strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house, or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Sections 13 and 14, of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intemperance, and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me this 21 }
day of Jan'y 1880 }

R. W. Brishy
Police Justice

Daniel Dugan

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Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Daniel Dugan

vs.

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MISDEMEANOR.

Selling Liquor, &c., without License.

Dated the 21 day of Jan 1880

B. D. Barry Magistrate.

Dugan - 14 Officers.

Witness

Bailed \$100 to Ans. G. B.

By Mike Rofrano
20 Roosevelt Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.:

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

Coro Vatuto

late of the *sixth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *January*, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty*, 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
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
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one

Daniel Dugan

; 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.

~~SECOND COUNT.—And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present. THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, 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 jurors
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to 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.~~

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Voigt, Otto

DATE:

02/09/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 9 day of Feb 1880

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THE PEOPLE
 vs.
 Otto Page
 (2 cases)

Violation Excise Law.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. Conant

Foreman.

Part Am. Feb. 12, 1880

pleads guilty

Fined \$50

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First District Police Court.

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

of *Frank Woodward*
the *1st Precinct Police* Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *12th*
day of *January* 18*98*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. *148 Broadway* Street,

Otto Boige *now here*
did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, under his direction or authority, strong or spirituous liquors
or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary to
and in violation of the Sections 13 and 14 of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An
Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *12th*
day of *January* 18*98*

J. Wilburt
POLICE JUSTICE.

Frank Woodward

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Germany
Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank Woodworth

Otto

MISDEMEANOR,
Selling Liquor, &c. without License.



Dated the 12 day of January 1880

Hilbreth
Magistrate.

Officers.

Witness

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans.

By Michael Fingelkuth
83 Rivington Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

Otto Taigt

late of the *second* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty third* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty*, 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 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 jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to one

William D. Terry

; 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.

~~SECOND COUNT.—And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day and in the year aforesaid, 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 jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one~~

~~contrary to 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.~~

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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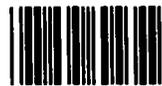
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DESCRIPTION:

Voigt, Otto

DATE:

02/11/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 11 day of Feb 1880

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Otto Knight
(2 cases)

Violation Excise Law.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. Conant

Foreman.

Bill found

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First District Police Court.

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

William D. Terry
of No. *the 1st Precinct Police* Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *23*
day of *January* 18*77*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,
at No. *148 Broadway* Street,
Otto Boigt

did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, under his direction or authority, strong or spirituous liquors
or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary to
and in violation of the Sections 13 and 14 of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An
Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *23*
day of *January* 18*77*
Bromby

William D. Terry
POLICE JUSTICE.

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23 No. 257 W 149th St
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Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William D Terry

Otto Berg

MISDEMEANOR,
Selling Liquor, &c. without License.

Dated the 23 day of July 1880

B W Berg Magistrate.

Officers.

Witness

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans.

By John A Roeder

896 Atlantic West Street.



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

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
*in and for the body of the City and County of New York, upon
their Oath, present:*

That

Otto Taigt

late of the *second* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *twelfth* day of *January* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty*, 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
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
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one

Frank Woodcock

; 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.

~~SECOND COUNT.—And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present: THAT the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, 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
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~~contrary to 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.~~

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.