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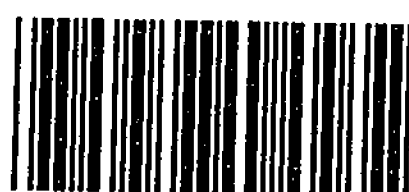
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DESCRIPTION:

Bahruth, Charles

DATE:

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Stedman Bros

Counsel,
Filed, 17 day of January 1888
Pleads, *Chapman*

WISDEMEANOR.
(SERVING OLIVEOIL AS FOOD, &c.)
[Chap. 183, Laws of 1885, (as amended by Chap. 583, Laws of 1887, § 1), § 27.]

THE PEOPLE,
vs.
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Charles Bahmuth

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
RANDELOPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

Robert Chap
A True Bill.

J. J. H. H. H.
Foreman.

Robert Chap
Pleads Guilty

Witnesses:
E. A. Wilson
Sworn
By

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Sec. 192

District Police Court.

Undertaking to appear during the Examination.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

An information having been laid before Samuel O. Reilly a Police Justice
of the City of New York, charging Charles Bahuth Defendant with
the offence of Selling Oleomargarine for Butter

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

We, Charles Bahuth Defendant of No. Six
Second Avenue Street, by occupation a Restaurant Keeper
and Charles Meyer of No. 315 East 12th
Street, by occupation a Minister Surety, hereby jointly and severally undertake that
the above named Charles Bahuth Defendant
shall personally appear before the said Justice, at the 1st District Police Court in the City of New York,
during the said examination, or that we will pay to the People of the State of New York the sum of Three
Hundred Dollars.

Taken and acknowledged before me, this 26th

day of December 1887

Samuel O. Reilly POLICE JUSTICE.

Charles Bahuth
Charles Meyer

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

Sworn to before me, this
day of December 188
Sancti Hill Police Justice.

Charles Meyer
the within named Bail and Surety being duly sworn, says, that he is a resident and
holder within the said County and State, and is worth *Five* Hundred Dollars,
exclusive of property exempt from execution, and over and above the amount of all his debts and
liabilities, and that his property consists of *The house and lot of land*
situated at 10 4th 12 Second Avenue
and is worth Twelve thousand dollars
clear of all debts and encumbrances.

Charles Meyer

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

ss.

Undertaking to appear
during the Examination.

Taken the day of

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Justice.

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E. G. LOVE, Ph. D.,
Analytical and Consulting Chemist,
122 BOWERY.

Series No.

Certificate of Analysis.

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

I, E. G. Love, a chemist,
practising in the City of New York, County and State of New York, do hereby certify that I
have analyzed the sample duly sealed and marked 2339, Chas. Bahruth 10 Second Ave, NY, Nov. 23rd 87
received from E. S. Wilson
on Nov. 23rd, 1887.

THE SAMPLE CONTAINS:

WATER.	0.30 %
ANIMAL AND BUTTER FAT,	87.89 %
CURD,	0.85 %
SALT,	1.96 %

ANALYSIS OF THE FAT:

INSOLUBLE FATTY ACIDS,	95.50 %
SOLUBLE " "	0.33 %
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF THE FAT AT 100 deg. F.,	

This sample is composed mainly of animal fat, and was not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same. It was not produced from milk or cream alone. It contains coloring matter, whereby it is made to resemble butter, the product of the dairy, and is in imitation and semblance of butter, produced from pure unadulterated milk or cream from the same.

I further certify that the foregoing is a true statement of the analysis of such sample so made by me as stated.

Respectfully yours,

E. G. Love

Chemist.

Dated New York, Nov 30th, 1887.

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

On the 1st day of December, in the year
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, before me, the subscriber
personally came E. G. Love, to me well known to be the same
person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and duly
acknowledged that he executed the same.

Wm. W. Carpenter
Notary Public
Westchester Co.
Cert. filed N.Y. Co.

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No 233

New York, Nov 30 1887

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Certificate of Analysis.

E. J. Lane

STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY OF New York } S.S.:

COUNTY OF New York

Edmund S. Nelson, 288 Manhattan Street, in the City of

Manhattan, County of New York and State of New York,

is 31 years of age, and an expert appointed by HON. JOSIAH K. BROWN, the New

York State Dairy Commissioner; that, at the times hereinafter mentioned, one Charles

Bahruth was the keeper and proprietor, of a restaurant

a place of public entertainment, and had his said restaurant in a room in number

15 Second Avenue Street, in the City of New York, County of

New York, within this State, and occupied and controlled such room and was

in charge of such restaurant;

that on the 23rd day of November, 1887, deponent went to such

Charles Bahruth's said restaurant and ordered a

luncheon

and the said Charles Bahruth, in response thereto in his said

restaurant

then and there served to deponent as food for deponent and as a part of the said luncheon

so ordered by deponent, who was then a guest and customer of said Charles

Bahruth in his said restaurant, a substance

in imitation and semblance of natural butter, produced from pure unadulterated milk or cream

of the same, which had been made out of some animal fat or animal or vegetable oils not

produced from unadulterated milk or cream from the same and by mixing, compounding

with and adding to milk, cream or butter such animal fats or animal or vegetable oils not

produced from milk or cream, so as to produce an article, substance and human food in imi-

tation and semblance of natural butter and which had been made in violation of the provisions of Sec-

tion 7 of Chapter 183 of the Laws of 1885, as amended by Chapter 577 of the Laws of 1886; that a

more particular description of such manufactured substance, the ingredients thereof and the amount

of the same are unknown to deponent and cannot be stated herein for that reason; that the same

was so served by said Charles Bahruth in the ordinary course of his said

business; and said Charles Bahruth

asked, and deponent then and there paid him 10 cents for such luncheon;

that deponent then and there took from the substance so served to him by said Charles

Bahruth a sample thereof for analysis in the manner

required by law; and thereafter, on November 23rd, 1887, deponent

delivered such sample so taken by him as stated, to one Edmund S. Nelson who was

and is known to deponent to have then been, and who since has been and is now, a chemist,

practicing as such at number 122 Broadway Street, in the City of New York

County of New York, within this State, and deponent caused the said substance

to be analyzed by such chemist; that the certificate of such analysis thereof, made by said chemist,

is hereto annexed.

Deponent charges that the said Charles Bahruth against the peace

and dignity of the People of the State of New York, and the statutes in such case made and pro-

vided, wrongfully and unlawfully so served such manufactured substance and caused, procured and

suffered the same to be so served to deponent, and was thereby guilty of a misdemeanor; and

deponent, therefore, asks for a warrant against the said Charles Bahruth

for violation by him of Section 27 of Chapter 183 of the Laws of 1885, as added thereto by Chap-

ter 583 of the Laws of 1887, and that he may be dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me

this 23 day of December, 1887.

Edmund S. Nelson

Justice JUSTICE.

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18th Dist. Police Court
Court of
County of New York

THE PEOPLE, &c.

Edward J. Wilson

vs.

Charles Bohrer

Affidavit:

Donald A. Wilson

288 GREENWICH ST.,
NEW YORK CITY.

Witnesses:

Thomas H. Gray

Residence 288 GREENWICH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

Residence Edward J. Wilson

Residence 1221 Broadway

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer

Charles Baberuth

Question. How old are you?

Answer

30 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

6 Second Avenue. 6 Months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Restaurant / 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 am not guilty and
demand an examination.
Charles Baberuth*

Taken before me this

day of *November* 188*7*

James J. Sullivan Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 1st District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss. In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County
OF NEW YORK, } of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by Edmund S. Wilson

of No. 288 Madison Street, that on the 23 day of November
1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, on the premises of

10 Second Avenue one Charles Baruth
being the keeper of a restaurant did serve
as food to Edmund S. Wilson then his guest
and customer a quantity of oleomargarine
made in violation and disclaimer of law
and as such is liable to be taken in violation
of Chapter 183 Laws of 1885 and Chapter
183 Laws of 1887

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant, and bring
forthwith before me, at the 1st District Police Court, in the said City, or in case of my absence
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 23 day of November 1887.

J. H. Smith POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edmund S. Wilson

vs

Charles Baruth

Warrant-General.

Dated

Dec 23 - 1887

Hilbert Magistrate.

W. H. Smith Officer.

The Defendant

taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

Officer.

Dated

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This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest,

Native of

Age,

Sex,

Complexion,

Color,

Profession,

Married,

Single,

Read,

Write,

10 30 m. Dec

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Bailed,
No. 1, by Geo Meyer
Residence 315-312 St Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court District

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Charles J. Wilson
288 Greenwich
Charles Robinson

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Offence Stealing
Personal property

Dated Dec 26 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

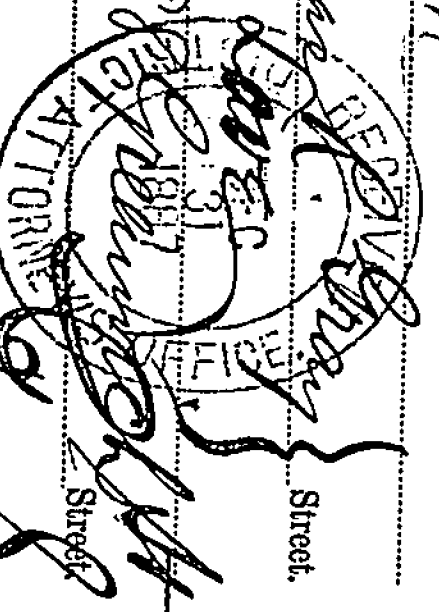
\$300 & Sec 27 Street.

10 a.m

No. Thomas H. Wilson Street.

No. E. G. Wilson Street.

No. 300 to answer _____ Street.



Bailed

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 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 27 188 Sam J. C. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated Dec 27 188 Sam J. C. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions.

The People vs }
-vs- }
Charles Bahuth

City & County of New York ss. Charles
Bahuth of said city being duly
sworn, says that he is the defendant
abovenamed.

That he has never been arrested
on any charge whatever prior to this
one, that he has never ^{been} charged
with selling cocaine, nor has
any complaint been ever made against
him but this one.

Sworn to before me }
this 20th of January 1888 } Charles Bahuth
A. S. Wolley
Comptroller of Deeds
NY County

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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

Charles Bahruth

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

Charles Bahruth

of a Misdemeanor committed as follows :

The said

Charles Bahruth

late of the 17th Ward 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, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

being the proprietor of a certain restaurant, there situate,

did therein unlawfully keep, use and serve to one Edmund S. Wilson
then being a guest, patron, and customer of the said
Charles Bahruth at said restaurant a quantity of a
certain article, substance and compound in imitation and semblance of natural butter produced
from pure, unadulterated milk, or cream of the same, the said article, substance and compound
so sold as aforesaid, being rendered, manufactured and produced out of divers animal fats and
oils not produced from unadulterated milk, or cream from the same, the said article substance
and compound not having been manufactured prior to, and not being in process of manufacture,
on the sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty
seven, (a more particular description of which said article, substance and compound, is to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, and cannot now be given), against the form of the statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the said people.

John R. Bellows,
~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Baker, Henry

DATE:

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Arthur D. Wood
Paris W. Hanna

day of Larry 1888

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Henry Baker

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

IRVING ADOLPH B. MARINE

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Edmund Dorr.

Foreman

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Leaves of Ivy to the
S. A. Wood

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Police Court—6th District.

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

of No. 2683-3^d Avenue

Anthony Kourtz

Street, aged 34 years,

occupation cigar manufacturer

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 2683-3^d Avenue

Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building situated in
the 23rd Ward

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling, factory and store

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

Kourtz

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly prying open

the cellar door and breaking off the knob of the
lock,

on the fourth day of January 1888 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz: A quantity

of tobacco in leaf of the value of two hundred
dollars

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

Henry Baker, now here,

for the reasons following, to wit: Said Henry Baker was found

by deponent concealed in said cellar where

said property was stored and said door was

found broken open as aforesaid, which deponent

saw closed and locked one hour previously viz

at three P.M. on said day.

Sworn to before me this

3^d day of January 1888

John J. Corcoran
Police Justice

Anthony Kourtz

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Sec. 198-200.

6th

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Henry Baker*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *28 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York City*

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

Answer. *Lodging house at 14 street and 3rd Avenue; 4 months*

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 may think will tend to your
exculpation?

Answer. *I am not guilty*

Henry Baker

Taken before me this

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day of

January

1887

John H. B. Jackson
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-- 6th District. 31

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Henry
26 St. 3rd

1 Henry Baker

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Offence Burglary

Dated January 5th 1887

German Magistrate.

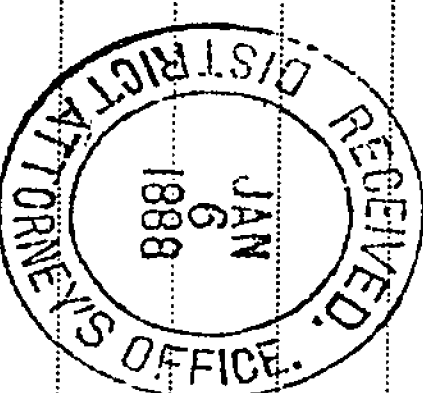
Officer.

33 Precinct.

Witnesses said officer

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____



No. _____ Street _____

\$ 2500 to answer 21st

Committed

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

Baker

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

Dated January 5th 1887 John H. German Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Henry Cohen

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

— Henry Cohen —

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

The said *Henry Cohen*,

late of the *Twenty Third* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *— Fourth —* day of *January*, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, about the
hour of *Two* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *Anthony Kootky*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some
human being, to wit: *one Theresa Kootky.*

within the said dwelling house, with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels
and personal property of the said *Anthony Kootky.*

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,

John A. Sallows,
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Ballin, Selig

DATE:

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Officer
Mr. Gilder,

for with to secure conviction
Date, 1/2/1886. Edw. J. Keene
Dep't. Dist. Atty.

I am of opinion that the evidence herein is insufficient to sustain the indictment, & I accordingly recommend it to be dismissed.

Feb 10/88.

Adl Barker,
Dep't. of Sh. o

Pleads Not Guilty et.

vs.

(Selling on Sunday, lko.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and

RANDOLPH B. MATTINE

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

James D. Fox

On mo. 12 dist. atty.
indict. dis. & bail
dischgd. P.S.M.
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WITNESSES:

Officer
Mr. Guler

Evidence in this case insufficient

for bill to secure conviction

Date, 2/2/88
Dep. Sec. Dist. Atty.

I am of opinion that the witness
herein is insufficient to sus-
tain the indictment, and accord-
ingly recommend its dismissal.
Deputy Atty.

W. D. Barker,
Dep. U. S. Atty.

Counsel,

Filed 27 day of Jan 1888

Pleads

Mich. v. S.

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Selig Ballin

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

Attorney at Law

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Comm. D. P.

On mo. 2 dist. Atty.
indict. dis. & Ball
dischgd. R. M.
Feb 10/88

Violation of Excise Law.
(Selling on Sunday, etc.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

Court of General Sessions.

The People
against
Pelig Ballin

Booze

Depositions

Patrick Mc Ginley,

Patrolman 11th Precinct.

On the 15th of January, 1888, by direction of the Captain, I went to the saloon at No. 14 Barton Street. It was about half past eight o'clock in the evening. There were about fifty people in the room, drinking and listening to the singing of several ladies on the stage. I was in citizens clothes and sat down at one of the tables and ordered a glass of beer. The waiter brought me a glass of weiss beer. At the table where I was sitting, two ladies were drinking ^{red} wine, and at an adjoining table three men were drinking rhine wine. I judged it was rhine and red wine from the color of the liquid and the shape of the glasses. At

several other tables men were drinking lager beer. I know this, because I tasted the contents of one of the glasses. I know the difference between lager and weiss beer. The former is stronger than the latter. I did not see the defendant at the saloon on the night of the 15th of January, but I asked the bar keeper and at the examination of the charge against him I saw from the license produced there that the defendant is the licensee of the place. I do not know whether the license produced was an excise or theatrical license.

Delia Polling

98 Essex Street.

I am the licensee of the saloon at No. 14 Stanton Street. I have a theatrical license from the Mayor granted under the act of 1887, giving me permission to hold concerts on Sunday. I had given strict order to my employees not to sell any intoxicating liquors on Sunday and since the 15th of January I had the place closed after

gether on Sundays.

Ignatz Weiss,

273 East 3^d Street.

General agent. On Sunday, the 15th of January, 1888, I visited the defendants place in No. 14 Stanton Street. I had my wife and my sister in law with me. I had a glass of weiss beer, and the ladies had each a glass of raspberry water. Two gentlemen came into the place and sat down at the table adjoining ours. I heard them order two glasses of ^{lager} beer, and the waiter said, that they had only weiss beer. They got two glasses of weiss beer. A little while after one of the men came to my table and drank from my glass. Then he went over and arrested the bar keeper. When the man drank my beer, I thought he was drunk and to avoid trouble, I did not say anything. I offered myself at once as a witness, as

I considered the arrest an un-
justified one

Henry M. Beck

172 Attorney Street.

Decorator. I was in No. 14 Stanton
Street, when the facts happened as
testified to by Mr. Weiss. I heard
and saw everything he has re-
lated and can corroborate the
same in every respect.

Edward Gentler

19 Stanton Street.

Bar tender for the defendant.
On Sunday, the 15th of January,
1888, I was working at No. 14 Stan-
ton Street, but I did not sell any
intoxicating liquors. I had no
lager beer behind the bar at all.
We sold only temperance drinks,
soda, seltzer, sarsaparilla, ginger
ale, cider and the like. I did not
sell any red or white wine.
The weiss beer was sold in ordinary
beer glasses, and the drinks

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for the ladies were served in
small wine glasses.

Edward Grosse
Dep. Atty.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs.

Edw. Ballin

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

Dated February 7, 1888.

Edward Morse

Deputy Assistant.

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~~WITNESSES~~

POLICE COURT

DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 11 Princeton Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the
of January 1888 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at
No. 14 Manhattan Street,

known as the German Casino Selig Ballin. (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 intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than
five gallons at a time, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid.

~~WITNESSES~~ and provided ~~contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made~~

and provided Deponent further says: that said
defendant gave a concert in said place
at said time and place. And that there
was female vocalists on a stage singing
ballads. All of which is in violation of Section

2007 of the Laws of 1882
WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Selig Ballin
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 20 day } Patrick M. G. G. G.
of January 1888 }
Samuel J. G. G. Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 3 District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

In the name of the People of the State of New York; To the Sheriff of the County of New York, or to any Marshal or Policeman of the City of New York, GREETING:

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Patrick M. Ginter

of No. 11 Beekman Street, that on the 15 day of January

1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Leig Ballin of 14 Stanton Street
in this city did violate Section
2007 of the Laws of 1882

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

These are Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring me forthwith before me, at the 3 DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 20 day of January 1888

James J. Sullivan POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-General.

Dated 188

Magistrate

Officer.

The Defendant.....
taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer
the within charge, pursuant to the command con-
tained in this Warrant.

Officer.

Dated 188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Sam'l C. [Signature] Police Justice.

having been brought before me under this Warrant, is committed for examination to the
WARDEN and KEEPER of the City Prison of the City of New York.

Dated 188

The within named

Police Justice

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, }

Selig Ballin 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. *Selig Ballin*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *39 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *307 East 82 St 2 Months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *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 not Guilty and
Demand a trial by jury
Selig Ballin*

Taken before me this *2d*

day of *June*

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Samuel M. Kelly
Police Justice.

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Jatish N. Ghoshal
vs.
Brij Lal
vs.
Singh Nathani

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Police Court 3 District 131

Offence. Violation of
Section 206 of the
laws of 1882

Dated Jan 20 1888
H. H. Bailey Magistrate.
J. E. Wiley Officer.
11 / Precinct.
Witnesses Geo H Munn
No 11 Bureau Street.

No. _____ Street,
No. _____
to answer _____
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JAN 23 1888
DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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 MM 30 188 8 Samuel C. Peck Police Justice.

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

Dated June 20 1888 Samuel C. Hewitt 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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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Salig Ballin

Defendant

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

the above named defendant

of a MISDEMEANOR, committed as follows :

The said *defendant*, —

late of the *14th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York afore-

said, on the *15th* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord

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

and in the auditorium of a certain building and place of exhibition and performance there

situate, wherein a certain entertainment of the stage

was then being exhibited to the public, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines

and beer, 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 and furnish to *Salig Ballin*

and to —

certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then

being in the auditorium aforesaid, 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.

~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,~~

~~DISTRICT ATTORNEY.~~

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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,~~
Plaintiffs

~~against~~

Second Count.

Defendant.

And The Grand Jury ~~of the City and County of New York~~, by this indictment, accuse the above named defendant of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said defendant, late of ~~the City of New York~~, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *15th* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, at the City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit : One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to one *Charles MacFarlane*

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
SECOND COUNT :

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said defendant of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows :

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

~~RANDOLPH D. BARTLETT,~~

District Attorney.

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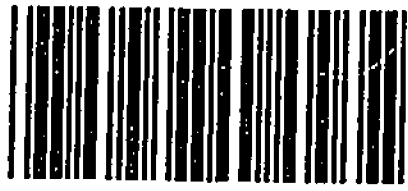
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Beck, Christian

DATE:

01/27/88



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DESCRIPTION:
Beck, Christian

DATE:
01/27/88



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Witnesses:

affirm - Bullock

Evidence in this case insufficient

for bill, to secure conviction

Date, 7/2... 1888. *Wm. J. Bullock*
Dep. State Atty.

I recommend the discharge
of this indictment, as, in
my opinion, after exami-
nation, the testimony is in-
sufficient to support the bill.
Feb 9/88. *Wm. J. Bullock*
Dep. State Atty.

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Counsel,

Filed, *by* day of *Jan* 1888

Pleads, *Magally (30)*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

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Christian Beck
Feb 2, 1888

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW
(Keeping Open on Sunday)
(Ill. Rev. Stat., 7th Edition, page 1889, Sec. 6)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RANDOLPH R. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. J. Bullock

Wm. J. Bullock Foreman,
Dis. & Bill discharged. P.B.M.
Feb 9/88
J.S.S.

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Excise Violation—Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT—

DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of The 23rd Summer Baldwin
Reverend Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 9th day
of January 1888, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Christian Beck (now here)
being then and there in lawful charge of the premises No. 1030-2nd Street,
a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be
drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of
the statute in such case made and provided.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Christian Beck
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 9th day

of January 1888.

Summer Baldwin

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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

4 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty, and
demand a trial by jury*

Ch. Beck.

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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BAILED
No. 1, by Henry Hoffman
Residence 209 West 55th St.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

E. Beck

Violation of the Game Law

Dated Jan 9 1888

Magistrate.

Magistrate.

Magistrate.

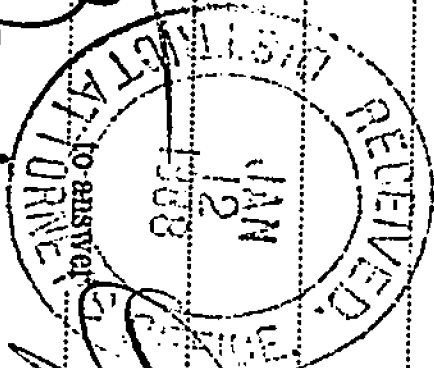
Magistrate.

Magistrate.

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Magistrate.

Magistrate.



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 Jan 9 1888 Henry Hoffman Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 9 1888 Henry Hoffman 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.

Court of General Sessions

The People
against
Christian Beck

Exhib.

Depositions:

Samuel Baldwin,

Detective 29^d Precinct

In the 8th January, 1888, ^{the said day being Sunday} I arrested the defendant at No. 1030 Second Avenue, where he keeps a saloon and boarding house. It was about ten o'clock P.M. I went into defendant's place through the vestibule door, when the same was opened to allow another man to get out. I stood in front of the bar and saw the defendant draw beer from the keg. There were nine persons in the saloon, of which some had rhine wine; there were also some beer glasses on the bar. I did not taste the wine, nor did I ask for any drink. I believed that what I saw was proof enough against the defendant.

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Christians Beck.

1030 Second Avenue.

I have been a saloon and boarding house keeper for the last four years. I serve meals at every hour of the day to any one who comes into my place and pays for it. I have eight ~~of~~ boarders and six table boarders. My dining room is not partitioned off from the space where the bar stands. On the 8th of January, 1888, I kept my place closed and did not admit anybody except my boarders. My boarders take their meals at irregular hours, and on the said 8th of January several of them came pretty late. At about ten P.M. I opened the vestibule door of my place to let one of my boarders go out, but before he could leave the room, officer Baldwin pushed himself into the saloon, (without my permission and my consent) and ordered me to put on my coat and hat and follow him to the station house. I did not and could not give any liquor.

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away, while the police officer was in my place, because he arrested me ~~at~~ soon as he had pushed himself into the room. There were three or four of my boarders in the saloon, who had remained after having finished their meals. They had no liquor on the table, where they were sitting. I have never before been arrested.

Henry Henryman.

310 East 55th Street

In January the 8th, 1888, I was in the defendant's saloon from about half past eight o'clock until about eleven o'clock. I took my supper there. There were a number of other boarders of the defendant there. We all had only coffee or tea with our supper. I did not drink any beer or wine, or whisky, or said night, nor did I see ~~the~~ defendant give away any to either of the other parties present. A girl went out with from the kitchen with a kettle. I suppose she had some soup in it, as the defendant sold a great many

meals over the street. I saw the police officer push himself into the saloon when the defendant opened the vestibule door to let a man out. The officer said to the defendant, "You have done enough business for to day, come along now!" The defendant called for his wife, put his hat and coat on and went with the officer. The latter was only for about five minutes in the saloon. I am positive that the defendant did not draw any beer from the keg, while the officer was there. There were no wine glasses on the tables.

Reinhard Park,

1030 Second Avenue.

I am a brewer and board with the defendant. On Sunday, the 8th of January, 1888, I took my supper at about nine o'clock in the evening, but had neither beer, nor wine, nor any other intoxicating liquors. There were

a number of other boarders in the saloon. We all had only tea or coffee. I was present when the officer came into defendant's place. He at once spoke to the defendant in English, which I did not understand. The defendant called for his wife, put his hat and coat on and then went out with the officer.

Wilhelm Kleinkecht,

1030 Second Avenue,

I am a railroad laborer and work at present on the Hudson River R. R. Co. On the 8th of January, 1888, I came home from work and had my supper in defendant's place at about nine o'clock in the evening. I am a regular boarder of the defendant. There were several more boarders in the saloon at the time, but none of whom had any beer or other intoxicating liquors, while I was there. I saw the

officer enter the saloon. He spoke at once to the defendant in English, which I did not understand. The defendant called for his wife, put his hat and coat on and went off with the officer. This took in all not more than five minutes. While the officer was in the saloon, nor at any other time in my presence did the defendant draw beer from the keg, nor give any other liquor away.

Edward Gross
Deputy St. J.

I am satisfied that the evidence is insufficient to sustain the indictment, unless giving meals to regular boarders must be construed as keeping the place open. The decision of the court in the hotel keeper's case and the views expressed by Judges Corning and Bedford during the January Term of this court constrains me to recommend a dismissal of the indictment.

Edward Gross
Dep. St. J.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs.

Christian Beck

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

Dated. *February 6* 1888.

Edward G. Goss

Deputy Assistant.

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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,
Plaintiff's
against

Christian Beck
Defendant.

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York. by this indictment accuse the above named defendant of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

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

John R. Fellows,
~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE~~, District Attorney.

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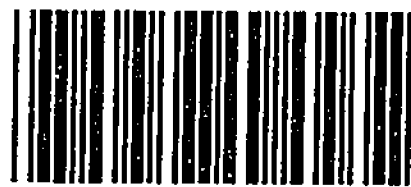
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Bell, Louis

DATE:

01/16/88



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed, 16 day of Jan'y 188

Pleads, *Chattel Mortgage*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Louis Bell

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RANDOLPH B. FINE,

att'ys at law

see school for

A True Bill.

James C. ...

Foreman.

Part III January 30/88

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Grand Jurors, second degree
Section 522, 531 and 688, Penal Code.
Made in this case, with the
particulars of the same, in the

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

The People of the State
of New York
against
Louis Bell

The Grand Jury of the City and
County of New York by this indictment
accuse Louis Bell of the crime of
Grand Larceny in the second degree
as a second offence, committed as
follows:

Heretofore, to wit: at a court of
General Sessions of the Peace, held
in and for the City and County of
New York at the City Hall in the
said City on the ninth day of March,
1885, before the Honorable Frederick
Smeth, Recorder of the said City of
New York, and justice of the said Court,
the said Louis Bell was, in due form
of law, convicted in and by the
name and description of George Fox
of a Felony, to wit: Grand Larceny
in the second degree, upon a certain
indictment then and there in the said
court depending against him, the said
Louis Bell by the name and description

of George Fox, aforesaid for that, he
then late of the First Ward of the City
of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid,
on the second day of March in the year of
our Lord, one thousand, eight hundred and
eighty five, at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms, nineteen
spoons of the value of five dollars each,
twenty one forks of the value of two dollars
each, eleven knives of the value of five dollars
each, and one overcoat of the value of
thirty dollars of the goods, chattels and
personal property of one Max Mack
then and there being found, then and there
feloniously did steal, take and carry
away.

And also for that he, then late of the
First Ward of the City of New York, in the
County of New York aforesaid, on the second
day of March, in the year of our Lord, one
thousand, eight hundred and eighty five,
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms, nineteen spoons of
the value of five dollars each, twenty one
forks of the value of two dollars each,
eleven knives of the value of five dollars
each, and one overcoat of the value of
thirty dollars of the goods, chattels and
personal property of one Max Mack by a
certain person or persons to the Grand Jury
then and there before the

aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said Max Mack, unlawfully and unjustly did feloniously receive and have; the said George Fox then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels and personal property to have been feloniously stolen, taken and carried away.

And thereupon, upon the conviction aforesaid, it was considered by the said Court of General Sessions of the Peace and ordered and adjudged that the said Louis Bell (by the name and description of George Fox aforesaid) for the felony aforesaid whereof he was so convicted as aforesaid by imprisonment in the New York State Reformatory at Elmira, there to be dealt with according to law, as by the record thereof doth more fully and at large appear.

And the said Louis Bell, late of the City of New York aforesaid, having been, so as aforesaid convicted of the felony and larceny aforesaid afterwards, to wit: on the fifth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty eight, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, six promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes) of the denomination and value of five dollars

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

of one dollar each; six United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of one dollar each; one promissory note for the payment of money issued under the authority of the government of the Dominion of Canada, of the kind called Bank Notes, of the denomination of one dollar and of the value of one dollar, one purse of the value of one dollar, and one gold coin of the United States of America of the kind called dollars of the value of one dollar, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Gertrude P. Ledyard 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 Louis Bell of the same Crime of Grand Larceny in the second degree, ^{as a second offense,} committed as follows:

The said Louis Bell late of the City of New York in the County of New York aforesaid, having been so as aforesaid convicted of the felony and larceny aforesaid, afterwards,

said
to wit; on the fifth day of January in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and eighty eight, at the city and
county aforesaid, with force and arms,
six promissory notes for the payment of money,
being then and there due and unsatisfied (and
of the kind known as United States Treasury
notes) of the denomination and value of five
dollars each: six promissory notes for the
payment of money, being then and there due
and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as
Bank notes) of the denomination and value
of five dollars each: six United States Silver
Certificates of the denomination and value of
five dollars each: six United States Gold
Certificates of the denomination and value
of five 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 denom-
ination and value of two dollars each: three
promissory notes for the payment of money,
being then and there due and unsatisfied (and
of the kind known as Bank notes) of the denom-
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them and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury notes) of the denomination and value of one dollar each; six promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as Bank Notes,) of the denomination and value of one dollar each; six United States Silver certificates of the denomination and value of one dollar each; six United States Gold Certificates of the denomination and value of one dollar each; one promissory note for the payment of money issued under the authority of the Government of the Dominion of Canada, of the kind called Bank Notes, of the denomination of one dollar and of the value of one dollar, one purse of the value of one dollar, and one gold coin of the United States of America of the kind called dollars of the value of one dollar, of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Lewis Cass Sedgwick then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

John R. Fellows,
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Benne, August

DATE:

01/18/88



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WITNESSES:

Officer Martin

Counsel,

Filed *18* day of *January*

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Pleads *Guilty (9)*

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

B

August Benne

Violation of Excise Law.

(Bellington Sunday, &c.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1983, Sec. 21, and
page 1989, Sec. 5.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RANDOLPH B. MARINE,

District Attorney.

Part III July 1888

Both forfeited.

A True Bill.

J. J. Moore

Foreman.

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forfeited March 1888

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POOR QUALITY
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Excise Violation-Selling on Sunday.

POLICE COURT- 4 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. the 25th Street High Martin Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the _____ day

of January 1888, in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at
premises No. 118 Third Avenue Street,

August Benne (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 August Benne
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this _____ day
of January 1888.

Sam W. W. W. W. Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0049

Sec. 198-200.

H District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY)
OF NEW YORK) ss.

August Berner 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 to 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.

August Berner

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

32 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Germany

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

Answer.

No 207 East 69th St. Dumont

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Bar tender

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

Answer.

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

Aug. Berner

Taken before me this

August 1889

Police Justice.

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BAILED
No. 1, by John Eadie
Residence 1254 - 3 - Avenue

~~Police Court~~ District

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0051

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
Plaintiffs

against

August Benne
Defendant.

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse the above named defendant of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows:

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

— *Hugh Martin* —

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

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

John R. Fellows,
~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.

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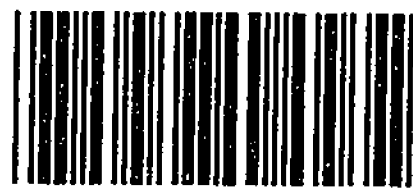
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DESCRIPTION:

Blanck, Caroline

DATE:

01/10/88



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0053

\$98 Trial brief for ASP

Henry Clemen

Counsel,

Filed, 10 day of January 1888

Pleads, Chas. G. G. G.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Caroline Blanch
Fair 2 June 1888

Grand Larceny second degree
[Sections 528, 531 and 535, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Pr Aug 16/88 District Attorney.

and Accepted.

A True Bill.

Samuel L. G. G.

Foreman.

Witnesses:

John Wolfe

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0054

Police Court—

3rd District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 10 Allen Street, aged 26 years,
occupation Drug Clerk being duly sworn
deposes and says, that on the 25th day of December 1887 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 night time, the following property viz:

One gold watch and chain,
in all of the value of Seventy
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 Caroline Blanch, now

here, from the fact that said
Caroline was then in the
rooms of deponent attending the
sick wife of deponent. That said
watch and chain was then
stolen from a table in the room
where said Caroline was. That
thereafter, and on the 4th day of
January instant, the daughter of
said Caroline, Caroline Blanch,
here present gave deponent a
pass ticket and informed de-
ponent that her mother, the
defendant, had taken said

Subscribed before me, this

1887

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Property and I am sure it that
Department went to the pawn shop
and saw that the watch and
chain represented by the ticket
to given to department was the
stolen property of person.

Saw & heard on this
H. Day & Young 1888

John Dutton 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
Twenty Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
I have admitted the above named
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.
Dated 1888 Police Justice.

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

vs.

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Dated

1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

No.

Street.

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to answer

Sessions.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 15 years, occupation Plum out of No.

111 Allen Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of January 188

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John Waeger & Pauline Blanche

John Waeger

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0057

Sec. 198-200.

3 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name.

Answer. *Caroline Blanch*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *40 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *No. 11 Allen St. 2 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Laundress*

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*

Caroline Blanch

Taken before me this

14

day of

January

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John M. Sullivan
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0050

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

Police Court-- 3 District 26
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
John Miller
100 10th St
Caroline Blauvelt
28 2nd Ave
Dated Jan. 4 1888
Matthewson Magistrate.
P. Matthews Officer.
Witnesses Charles Blauvelt
11 Precinct.
No. 10 Street.
No. _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.
No. _____ Street.
to answer Cond
Offence Larceny
felony

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 _____

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

Dated Jan. 4 1888 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 he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

The People
agst

Caroline Blanch

John Wolfel the
Complainant herein will state that
on the night of Dec 25th his wife
was taken suddenly sick and he
called a doctor to the sick room
to wait on his wife & that the
Tuesday following he missed a
watch & chain that was in the
next room to the bed room when
he immediately reported the case at
the Police Station. I also sent for
defendant's ^{daughter} who stated to witness that
her mother had taken the said
watch & chain ~~from her~~ & had
pawned it & she delivered to witness
the pawn ticket. Witness then reported
the above facts to detective Sullivan
& he went with witness to see
defendant who denied everything.
Witness knows the watch was in his
bed room when he sent for defendant
Witness cannot say whether the
watch when it was taken was in
the Bureau drawer or on a table
in the room, but it could not have

been on the table in the room
after Sunday night (25th) without
witness seeing it & he did not extract
The watch was not running It
was in good order but we did
not wind it up regularly Defendant's
daughter was with defendant when
she first came 25th night & nobody
else was in the room until
Monday afternoon when Philip
Wolfel was there for about an
hour in company with Henry
Manheimer. & later on Eugene
Matte & Caroline Blanche
were also in the room for 2 hours
but during all that time this
witness or his wife was present
and the watch could not have
been taken from the drawer
without being seen either by
witness or his wife. & no other
person was in the room between
Sunday evening & Tuesday morning
Witness identifies the watch
for which the pawn ticket given
to him by defendant's daughter
was delivered by the pawn-broker

Witness knows that defendant's husband from what the daughter stated to him is in State Prison. That Caroline Blanch is an habitual inebriate. Knows nothing more.

Richard Sullivan the above named detective states that he has heard the foregoing statement read & will corroborate all of its references to himself.

Pauline Blanch states she is defendant's daughter & found the pawn ticket she gave to Mr. Wolfel above referred to in her mother's trunk. She also states that her mother purchased for her some clothes on the 28th of Dec & when she asked her where she got the money she said a young gentleman had given it to her. Witness states that she went with her mother to answer to Mr. Wolfel's request on 25th inst & that her mother went twice during the morning into the room where Mr. Wolfel states the match was left.

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People
or
Caroline Blank

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0063

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Randine Blanda

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

Randine Blanda

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

The said Randine Blanda.

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
Twenty-fifth day of December, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, at the City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

one watch of the value
of fifty dollars, and one chain
of the value of twenty dollars.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one John W. Wolf.

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.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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SECOND COUNT—

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

- Rardine Blanda -

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

The said *Rardine Blanda*

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

*one watch of the value of
fifty dollars and one chain
of the value of twenty
dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *John Wolff.*

by ~~a certain person~~ persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *John Wolff.*

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

Rardine Blanda.

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS.
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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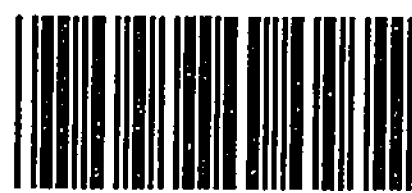
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Bligh, William

DATE:

01/18/88



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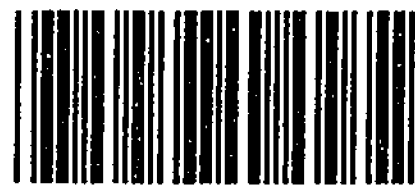
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DESCRIPTION:

Finnegan, Bernard

DATE:

01/18/88



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

Geo. Hoff

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Counsel,

Filed

day of *May* 188*8*

Pleads,

Ch. Guilty (log)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

William Bligh

and 31st -

Bernard Sinnegan

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RANDOLPH B. MARLINE,

District Attorney.

Pr May 20/88
not present guilty & L 1/2
Pr May 1. 1888
No 2. 1/2
A True Bill.

Feb 1888 J. L. O'Connor
No 1 S. P. 8 yrs
No 2 Elmore Ref
Foreman.

May 31st 1888
Geo. Hoff

Bernard Sinnegan
offers a plea of
guilt of grand
larceny 2nd degree
which is accepted
G. L. B. May 31st 1888
K. O. O. May 31st 1888

Court of General Sessions
City and County of New York.

Res.

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Inmigan.

City and County of New York ss.

William S. Barnett, being duly sworn,
says I reside at No. 142 East 38th Street, in the
City of New York, and am one of the firm of
Jere Skidmore & Co. coaldealers in said City.
I have known the mother and father of the
defendant for a great many years. When
I was a child defendant's mother was employed
as a servant in our family. After her
marriage her husband was employed by
our firm as a driver for many years.
Later on the defendant was likewise employed
by us at different times. While in our employ
he collected many bills for coal, and he
was always found to be thoroughly honest
and industrious.

His parents were certainly honest
and trustworthy.

Sworn to before me this }
1st day of February 1888

William S. Barnett

James A. O'Gorman
Notary Public, N.Y.C.

Court of General Sessions.

Peo.

Bernard Dinningan.

City and County of New York ss:

M Biglin, being duly sworn,
says I am a storekeeper and horse truckman and my
place of business is 513 East 80th street, in the city
of New York. I have known the defendant intimately
during the past twenty years - ever since he
was a mere child. Since he left school ten
or twelve years ago, he has worked for me
a great part of the time. He was in my employ
just previous to the occurrence which led to
his arrest, and I would be very glad to have
him return to work now.

I have always found him thoroughly
honest and trustworthy. I have often sent
him with large sums of money to deposit
in my bank; and have given him other oppor-
tunities to steal from me, if he were so in-
clined.

I have always found him truthful, and
from the explanation of the occurrence in question
which he has made to me, and which I believe,
I do not think he had any intention of assisting

his companion in his effort to take complainants watch.

I have known the parents of the defendant, and they, as well as their children have borne an excellent reputation for honesty; and so far as my observation has gone, they have all led truly Christian lives.

I have never known or heard up to this time of the defendant doing anything wrong, or being arrested.

Sworn to before me this }
1st day of February, 1888 } Matthew ^{Le} Beg ^{Sen}
James A. Roman _{man}
Notary Public

City and County of New York ss:

Delia Dalton, being duly sworn, says I am one of the firm of Dalton & Klepper, furniture dealers, doing business at No. 333 First Avenue, in the City of New York.

I have known the defendant for about 2.5 years, during a part of which time he was in our employ. We always found him to be sober, honest and trustworthy. He lived near by and I have had opportunities of judging of his habits when not at work. I have never known of him doing anything wrong, and his reputation has always been that of an honest, hardworking

man. From my knowledge of the defendant
and his antecedents, I should hesitate very
long before believing that he had an intention
of assisting another in the commission
of any wrong. Both he and his young
wife enjoy an excellent reputation in our
neighborhood. I have known his father & mother & they bore a good reputation.
Sworn to before me this

31st day of January 1888. } ^{he} Delia Dalton
James A. Gorman _{man}
Notary Public N.Y.C.

City and County of New York ss:

Hugh Campbell, being duly sworn
says I am the owner of No. 344 East 40th Street, in
the City of New York, at which place I reside, and
am the manager of a paper stock establishment at
No. 535 East 13th Street, in said City.

I have known the defendant since his birth.
At different times during the past five years, he has
worked for ^{at different times} me, and I have always found
him honest and reliable. He has worked pretty
steadily since he left school, and has always
borne an excellent reputation. From my knowledge
of the defendant, I don't believe he would intentionally
commit a dishonest act.

Sworn to before me this 31st day of Jan'y 1888.

James A. Gorman
Notary Public N.Y.C. Hugh Campbell

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

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Per
Bernard Imugan

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Court of General Sessions Court.

Recd.

Edward J. Jurgens

*Affidavit as to
Character*

JAMES A. O'CORMAN,

Attorney for *Sept.*

206 Broadway,

EVENING POST BUILDING.

NEW YORK

Due and timely service of a copy of the within

is hereby admitted.

Police Court

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County
of New York, } ss.

of No. 27 E Avenue A Street, aged 22 years,

occupation Clerk being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 1st day of January 1888 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession

Person of deponent, in the Night time, the following property viz :

A Gold Watch, a chain with
lockers attached thereto, all of
the value of about seventy &
five dollars \$75.00

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 William Blech (now

absent That about two O'clock A.M. on said night deponent and a friend were passing along Avenue A when the defendant came from the opposite direction. And when he came up to deponent he suddenly snatched the watch chain, pulled the watch from deponent's vest pocket, broke the chain from its fastening, and taking said property ran away. That deponent is now informed by Officer John J. Kennedy, 18th Det. that he pursued the defendant and saw him throw away the property in his flight.

George Hooper.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of January 1888
John J. Kennedy
Police Justice.

City And County of New York ss George Hoffo
the Within Complainant further says that
Bernard Finnegan (now here) was in company
of the defendant Bligh at the time
he snatched deponent's watch chain as
heretofore stated. And that when deponent
took hold of said Bligh to prevent him
from running away, the said Finnegan
stood in a threatening attitude and said
to deponent if he did not release Bligh
he Finnegan would cut deponent. That
deponent therefore charged the said Finnegan
with being an accessory both before and
after the commission of the felony.

Done to before me this } George Hoffo.
3rd day of January 1888 }
J. M. Brown Notary Public

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John S. Kennedy
aged 25 years, occupation Police Officer of No. 18

the 18th Precinct Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of George Hopp

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

Sworn to before me, this 1st

day of January 1888

John S. Kennedy
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 193, 200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*I was drunk, and do not
Remember anything of the occurrence*

William Bligh

Taken before me this

day of March 1884

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0078

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Bernard Finnegan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *24 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *This City*

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

Answer. *315 Wm A*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Teamster*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty of the*
charge

Bernard Finnegan

Taken before me this

day of *January*

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Police Justice.

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George H. Smith
No. 277
William H. Smith
No. 57
No. 38
Offence. *Prison from person*

Dated January 1st 1888

Magistrate.

John H. Kennedy
Officer.

Witnesses *Call the officer*
Precinct.

No. 3
Charles H. Kennedy
Street.

No. 273
Street.

No. 273
Street.

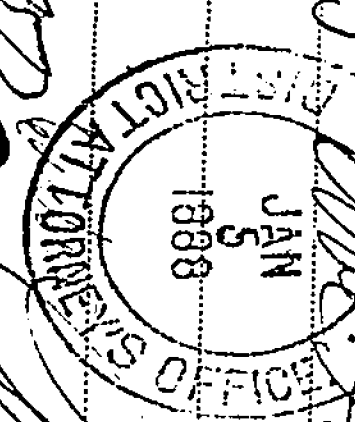
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(Om)

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

William Bligh & Bernard Simpson
guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty* Hundred Dollars, *each* and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated *January 1st* 1888 *George H. Smith* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

Feb 1, 1888

This is to Certify that
Bernard Tinegan was
in our employ for two
years as driver of about
Cart during which,
and we found him
a steady faithful man
& also that his father
Matthew Tinegan work
ed for us uninterruptedly
for twenty five years
and that we always
considered him a
first class man

J. S. Oates
with J. S. Kinnear
Geo. L. L.
my

New York Jan. 31st/88

To whom it may Concern ~

This is to Certify that I
have known ^{Wm} Bligh for many
years, and always found him an
honest, sober man ~

His parents were very
honest, respectable people, respected
by all who knew them ~

Wm. Costigan

Horse-shoe & Blacking

542 E. 13th St.
N. Y.

POOR QUALITY
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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 Bligh and
Bernard Finnegan

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

William Bligh and Bernard Finnegan
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the First degree, committed as follows:

The said William Bligh and Bernard Finnegan

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

One watch of the value of fifty dollars,
one chain of the value of twenty dollars
and one locket of the value of five
dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one George Stopp —
on the person of the said George Stopp —
then and there being found, from the person of the said George Stopp —
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

William Bligh and Bernard Finnegan
of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows:

The said *William Bligh and Bernard Finnegan*,

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

*one watch of the value of fifty dollars,
one chain of the value of twenty dollars,
and one locket of the value of five
dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

George Stopp

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

George Stopp

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

*William
Bligh and Bernard Finnegan*

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Bradley, George

DATE:

01/27/88



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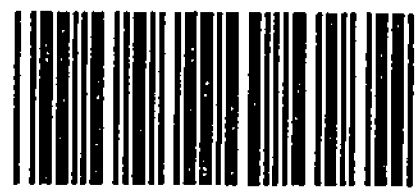
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DESCRIPTION:

Wilson, James

DATE:

01/27/88



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Witnesses:

J. Mc Elroy
Suffern Gateway
20th Precinct

Counsel,
Filed 27 day of Jan'y 1888
Pleads, H. Maguire (31)

THE PEOPLE

Burglary in the Third degree.

[Section 498, 506, 528, 532.]

George Bradley
James Wilson

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

No 1 Part III January 6/88
Pleads Evidently
1yr 8 mos. D.D.
R.B.M.

A TRUE BILL.

Emphatic

Jan 20th Foreman.

Pleasant Day
S. J. Swogers & Co

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Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 356, 8th Avenue Street, aged 29 years,
occupation Saloon Keeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 356 - 8th Avenue Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brick

building and which was occupied by deponent as a liquor saloon
and in which there was at the time no human being, ~~by means~~

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking a
pane of glass in the show window
on the West 2nd street side of said
saloon. and entering said saloon
through said broken window
on the 21st day of January 1888 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Good and lawful money of
the United States to the amount
and of the value of about two dollars

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

George Bradley and James Wilson
both now here

for the reasons following, to wit:

That at the hour of midnight
Saturday January 21st said saloon was
locked and securely fastened. as deponent
is informed by his partner Daniel Michael
deponent is further informed by Officer Michael
J Gallagher of the 20th Precinct Police that
at the hour of 2.15 O'clock Am January
23rd the Officer discovered said pane
of glass broke as aforesaid and caught

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the defendant Brister in the act of entering said saloon and partly through said broken window, and when he the officer entered said saloon he found the defendant Wilson in said saloon trying to force his way out through another window. Depnment further says that when he examined said saloon he discovered that the change which had been in the money drawer to the amount of about two dollars had been taken stolen and carried away. Wherefore depnment charges the said defendants with being together and acting in concert with each other and burglariously entering said premises as aforesaid and feloniously taking stealing and carrying away said sum of money and pray they may be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me } Frank McElroy
this 23^d day of Jan'y 1882

James C. [Signature]
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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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Daniel Meehan
aged 22 years, occupation Bar tender of No. 356 E 14th Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 23 day of July 1888 } Daniel Meehan

Sam'l C. Smith
Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Michael Gallagher
aged _____ years, occupation Police Officer of No. 20th Street Street, being duly sworn, deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 23 day of July 1888 } Michael Gallagher

Sam'l C. Smith
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

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

George Bradley

Taken before me this

23

day of

February

1887

at

Police Justice.

Police Justice.

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Ser. 198—200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

District Police Court.

James Wilson 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 Wilson

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

22 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

Ireland

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

Answer.

4 Haverstraw St. New York 2 yrs

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Driver

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

Answer.

I am not guilty

James Wilson

Taken before me this

day of

1884

Police Justice.

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Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank McElroy

356-8th Ave

George Brady

James Wilson

Offence

Burglary

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Dated January 23 1888

Michael Gallagher

Magistrate

Residence

Street

Witnesses

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 2, by

Residence

Street



\$15000 to answer

Commitment

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

and James Wilson George Brady

guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they 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 they give such bail.

Dated Jan 23 1888 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1888 Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*George Bradley and
James Wilson*

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

George Bradley and James Wilson

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

The said *George Bradley and James*

Wilson, both —

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

Franklin McEliff —

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

Franklin McEliff. —

in the said *residence*, 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

Figanz Bradley and James Wilson

of the CRIME OF ~~Rob~~ LARCENY,—

committed as follows:

The said *Figanz Bradley and James Wilson, both* —

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

*did come to a number, kind and
denomination of the Grand Jury
aforesaid unknown, of the value of
Two dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Xandra McElroy*.—

in the ~~saloon~~ of the said *Xandra McElroy*.—

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

John A. Xellows,
Prosecutor

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DESCRIPTION:

Bradley, John

DATE:

01/12/88



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Counsel,

Filed

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Bradley

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

RAEDELIN B. MARINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Edmond L. Brown

Foreman

Post III January 18/88.

Died & convicted

Burglary 3^d degree

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Witnesses:

Morgan King
Officer Gilmartin
was opposite car
H. Mat. 1907

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STENOGRAPHER'S MINUTES.

2 District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c., IN COMPLAINT OF

Luong Sing
John Bradley

BEFORE HON.

Daniel O'Reilly

POLICE JUSTICE,

Jan 4 1888

APPEARANCES:

{ For the People,

{ For the Defence, Mr Stiner

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I N D E X .

WITNESSES.

Direct Ex.

Cross Ex.

Re-Direct.

Re-Cross.

Luong Sing
Iwan Sin
John Bradley

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Valerius L. Ormsby

Official Stenographer.

POOR QUALITY
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DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,
ON COMPLAINT OF

Quong Sing

John Bradley
^{agst.}

Examination had

Jan 4

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Before

Daniel O. Reilly

Police Justice.

I,

Walter L. Conroy

Stenographer of the

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District Police

Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of

the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of

Quong Sing

Dwan Sin and John Bradley

as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated

Jan 5

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Walter L. Conroy
Stenographer.

Daniel O. Reilly
Police Justice.

Police Court
Second District

The People vs
Duong Sing
John Bradley

Examination Before Justice O'Reilly
Jan 4 1880

Duong Sing the Complainant witness
being cross examined on his
affidavit by Mr. Stine, counsel
for Defendant, before, and
says:

Q When did you leave your
house at the time of this
alleged burglary?

A I did not leave my house.
I went down stairs to wash
in the basement.

Q Where was this room where
this alleged burglary occurred?

A In the rear part of the
building - first floor.

Q How long after you left this

room did you return to it?

A I think it was about an hour.

Q When you got to the room was the door open?

A When I came up stairs I met this colored man just coming out of my room.

Q When you met the colored man did you stop him?

A I tried to stop him but he struck me.

Q Did he run away?

A I followed him to the street and when I got there I caught hold of him and he commenced to fight me. The white men helped me.

Q Was this hall way from the room light or dark?

A It was not very dark; it was not very light.

Q Could you distinguish one colored man from another in that hall?

A Yes

Q Positive of that

A Yes.

Q Did you see two colored men on the stairway or in the hall?

A No. I followed this one (the defendant) from my door, and when I got to the street while I was fighting with this man, another colored man came up on the street.

Q When you got to the street where was this colored man who you say was acting in concert with the defendant?

A I do not know! While I was fighting with defendant another colored man came up and struck at me.

Q Did this other colored man come out of the hall way?

A No! The defendant came out of the hall way.

Q Where was you when the
Defendant was arrested?
A While we were still fighting
some American men caught
him. That is the time the
officer came up and arrested
him.

Q How far was he from the
store?

A Several doors away.

Q What kind of money
was it that you lost?

A Some was bills - there was
a few dollars in silver

Q A large package?

A Some \$100 bills, a \$50 bill
a \$20 and small bills

Q When did you see this
money lost?

A Last night. There was a
syndicate that raised money
to pay off the debt I
owed on this laundry and
this was the money.

Q Where was this money lost

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mft?

A It was in my trunk

Q You had not seen it
since last night? You

A Did not look for it from
the time you put it away
until it was missed?

A I went to look for it directly
after he went away and
it was gone

Q After who went away?

A The prisoner.

Q Was it after he was arrested
or before he was arrested
that you looked for your
money?

A After he got arrested I
looked for the money.

Q After he was arrested?

A Yes.

Q You do not know what
time this was arrested
money was stolen if it
was stolen?

A - I did not look since

last night when I put
the money there

2. What charge did you make
to the officer when you had
him arrested?

A. I told the officer I believed
he had been in my place
and stolen my money. When
I first saw him in the
place I believed he went
there to break in the store.

When being duly sworn
and examined as a witness for
the people Comissar Stines
raised the question whether
the witness could swear by the
"Ever living God" Wong Foo,
the interpreter replied "He
believes in God. The same
God that you do" The
witness testified as follows:

2 State what you know about
this alleged burglary?

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A. We both of us went down stairs and were washing clothes when my partner went up stairs and suddenly hollered out that there was somebody in his room. I rushed up at the same time in time to see this colored man running out my partner was behind. He was hollering out for help. All I know was he got arrested afterwards. I do not know how it was done. The money business I do not know anything about.

Quong Sing. The complainant being recalled and questioned by the Court before and says:
2 You state that you met a colored man at the door of your room and stopped

- him. Is this the colored man you met at the door of your room. The defendant?
- A. Yes, that is the one.
- Q. You did not lose sight of him from the time you saw him at the door until the time he was arrested?
- A. I never lost sight of him. I followed him.

Person examined by Mr. Stines

- Q. Did he get out to the street?
- A. Yes.
- Q. How far behind was you at the time?
- A. Immediately behind - near to him all the time.

John Bradley, the Defendant being duly sworn and examined as a witness in his own behalf deposes and says:-

2 - State to the court how you came to pass in the neighborhood of this man's place.

A Early this morning I left my house and went to take a bottle of claret to a gentleman a friend of mine who lives in Minetta street. I was there a short time. I walked down and walked up. When I got to Thuleath street right by the corner I was considering whether I would take a car and ride up to 27th street or walk on up. I happened to stop with my face towards the street when all at once two Chinamen ran out and grabbed me - each one grabbed my overcoat.

2 Is this the Chinamen who grabbed you?

A The plaintiff is one - I do not know the other.

2 Was you in the premises

of this Chinaman?

A No Sir

Q Had you been inside of his place?

A No Sir.

Q In the rear room?

A No Sir I said "What's the matter?" This man said "You stole my money"

He knelt me on the head and both commenced to pound me in the face.

A white man ran up and said "What's the matter?" I

said "I do not know. This man has grabbed me and accused me of robbing

me here. I said "let go"

They kept on striking me on the head again both

of them. Then a boy came up and struck this man.

This Chinaman in the mouth and made him

let go. Then one ran up

and grabbed me again. There was a big crowd. I said "Gentlemen give me a show here please". Then a man said "Kick him and make him let go." so I kicked the man on the shin to make him let go.

Q. There was quite a crowd?

A. Yes.

Q. You are positive that you were not inside the hall way or anywhere near the man's house?

A. No Sir I was not.

Q. Do you know the man who came up and struck him?

A. No Sir, it was a stranger.

Q. A Colored man?

A. No Sir, a white man with a grey moustache and side whiskers. He said "Let go, he won't do you any harm." Just then he let go and the officer came up. Just as we

started away to the opposite
corner. This colored man
came up there and said halloo,
I said 'Halloo'

Q - That was the first colored
man that was there - after
you were arrested;

A - That was the first colored
man I was absolutely
by myself all the time
until I got there arrested

Q - How far away was you under
arrest when this colored
man met you?

A - I do not know. It was
on the corner - it was about
the middle of the block -

Q - In a different direction?

A - Yes. He came up and said
"What is the matter?" I said
this man accuses me of
robbery. Go and tell my wife."

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District Police Court.

Luong Long

John Bradley

STENOGRAPHER'S TRANSCRIPT.

Jan 4 1888

BEFORE HON.

Daniel O'Reilly

Police Justice.

Valerius J. O'Connell

Official Stenographer.

Police Court—2 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 180 Sixth Avenue Street, aged 26 years,

occupation Lamary being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 180 Sixth Avenue Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brick
dwelling

and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling on the rear room 1st floor
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking open
the door of said rear room on the first floor
of said premises

on the 4 day of January 1888 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Four hundred
and sixty dollars in good and lawful
money of the United States
(\$460)

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 Bradley, nowhere and another
colored man not arrested

for the reasons following, to wit:

Deponent securely closed
and locked the said premises about
11 o'clock a.m. on said date, and
went down stairs to work. While
deponent was at work he heard
a noise in said room and went
up stairs, about 11.45 a.m. on said
date and discovered the defendant
in the act of leaving the said room

The defendant was actually inside the said room with his hand on the door. The defendant rushed at deponent and endeavored to escape, but deponent seized him. The defendant fought his way to the street closely followed by deponent who, with the aid of some bystanders, held the defendant until deponent was arrested by Policeman Gilmartin of the 15th precinct. When deponent got to the street, still struggling with defendant, another colored man whose name is unknown to deponent, came up and spoke with deponent in a friendly way in words which deponent did not understand and assisted deponent to ^{attempt to} escape. After deponent was arrested deponent went back to his room on the first floor, and then found that the said four hundred and sixty dollars had been taken feloniously from deponent's trunk, the said trunk having been broken open. Deponent therefore charges the defendant and the said unknown colored man who assisted deponent to attempt to escape, with acting in concert in the commission of the said burglary.

Known to before me this 4th day of January 1888.

David C. [Signature] Young Sing

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Degree.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clark.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$

Bailed by

No.

Street.

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Bradley 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.

John Bradley

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

26 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

U.S.

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

Answer.

144 W. 2nd St. Several months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Writer

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty. I know
nothing of the occurrence. I never
was in the Complaint place.
I was merely passing at the
time. He is mistaken as to
my identity*

John Bradley

Taken before me this

day of

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St. Paul
Police Justice.

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

Police Court-- 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James King

Red & Co. v. King

John Bradley

Offence

Burglar

Dated Jan 4 1888

O'Reilly

Magistrate.

Schwartz

Officer.

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Precinct.

Witnesses

Green, this

No. 1st 6th Avenue

Street.

No.

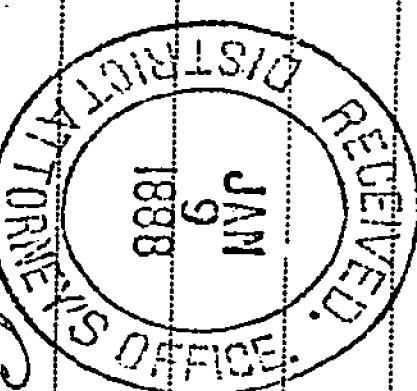
Street.

No.

Street.

\$15000 to answer

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

John Bradley

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 Jan 4 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

The People

agst

John Bradley

Quong Sing being examined
answers as follows

Q

What is your name, residence, age
& occupation

A

Quong Sing, 180 Sixth Av New York
City, 26 years, Laundryman

Q

Have you lost any property or money
recently

A

Yes. 460\$ in money

Q

When, where & how

A

About 2 weeks ago, 180 Sixth Av, &
by a larceny committed on said
premises

Q

Do you know who was the thief

A

Yes. it was the defendant

Q

How do you know it was defendant

A

My laundry is in the basement
at 180 Sixth Av this city, in which
I was at work, ironing collars in the
forenoon between 11 & 12 o'clock M
I kept my fire for heating my
smoothing irons in a rear room
in the basement & upon returning
to this room to change my irons
I happened to look up to the room

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on the first floor above which
I occupy as a bed room & in which
I had a trunk containing \$460.00
in bills & silver. ~~he~~ and I saw
the defendant running out of
the door of said room, when I sus-
pected he was a thief & had stolen
something as thefts had been
committed there before & I gave the
alarm which Gran Sim heard
& promptly answering, we pursued
overtook & arrested defendant,
who resisted us violently but we
held on to him until an officer
arrived & took him into custody
I then returned & found that the
door to my bed room which I had
left locked had been broken open
& that my trunk containing my
money (\$460.00) had been broken
open & that the money was gone.
Before witness arrested defendant he
ran into a liquor saloon cor of 12th
st & 6th Av where he remained about 2 minutes
before he was arrested, & when I
attempted to follow him into the
liquor saloon the bar keeper
pushed me out.

When he was searched at the station house but about 40 or 50 \$ was found upon him I saw the trunk only a few moments before I saw defendant run out of the room & it had not then been broken open I saw the money in the trunk two days before this occurred.

Quong Sim states that he has heard the above statement made & knows of his own knowledge that it is very nearly true that the \$460.00 was the joint property of himself & Quong Sing as they are in partnership in business & earned it in their business.

Mr. Hulmarsten states he was the arresting officer in this case & the facts above stated about defendant's arrest is true. Having taken to station house all defendant said to me was that I ought not to "ref" against him & if I did not & he got out of this scrape he would see me again, as he was a man.

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

vs.

John Brady

BRIEF OF FACTS.

For the District Attorney.

Dated *January 17th* 1888.

Andrew H. Dawson

Deputy Assistant.

VI

STATE OF NEW YORK.
Executive Chamber,
ALBANY.

April 19th, 1888.

Sir :

Application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf of John Bradley----- who was convicted of burglary, third degree, in the county of New York----- and sentenced January 20, 1888, to imprisonment in the Sin Sing Prison----- for the term of four years nine months-----, I am directed by the Governor respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, as amended in 1884, you will forward to him a concise statement of the facts and circumstances developed upon the trial, or upon the preliminary examination, or before the coroner's jury if no trial was had, together with your opinion of the merits of the application. Will you also inform the Governor of any other matters having a bearing upon this case which have come to your knowledge since conviction?

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

I am,

Hon. F. Smyth,

Recorder, &c.,

New York City.

very respectfully yours,

William G. Rice
Private Secretary.

Ps,

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I am,

very respectfully yours,

Hon. John R. Fellows,

District Attorney, &c.,

New York City.

Private Secretary.

(Enclosure)

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May 19th 1888
J. R. S.

Part III.

Indictment filed Jany. 12th 1888.
Indicted for Burglary in the 2nd Degree.

New York, January 18th. 1888.

APPEARANCES:-For the People Assistant District
torney James Fitzgerald .

For the defendant ,James M. Brady, Esq.

QUONG STING, the complainant testified:-

I live at No. 180 Sixth Avenue, in this city. I own the laundry in the basement of that building. At eleven o'clock on the morning of January 4th. I locked the door of the ~~laundry~~ with a padlock. I had \$400. in a trunk in my room. I could see into the room from the laundry where I was at work. I saw the defendant upstairs in my room; I ran upstairs and gave the alarm to my partner; the defendant ran and I pursued him; he ran into a liquor saloon; and the bartender prevented my getting hold of him; he ran out of the saloon by the side door and I ran after him; I caught him; he struggled and fought with me but I held on to him until an officer came. After the

defendant was arrested I went back to the store, and put on a coat; I looked in the trunk and it was broken open and the money gone; the door also was broken open; the padlock was on the floor; the \$400. was gone; I am sure this defendant at the bar is the man whom I saw in my room that day and whom I ran after .

Cross Examination:-

The man remained four or five minutes in the saloon into which he ran while I was following him.

Q. Was there some other colored man around there?

A. I could not recollect any other colored man there .

CONG SAM, a witness , testified :-,

I live at No. 180 Sixth Avenue and was living there on the 4th of January; I know the complainant; I remember Quong Sing calling for help on the morning of the 4th of January; as soon as I heard my partner call I ran out the basement door and I just caught hold of this mans coat; as I caught him he kicked me and struggled with me and got away; I followed him, he ran into a saloon and as he came out of the side door I caught him again and as he was about to get away the officer came and arrested him; I am sure this is the man .

CROSS EXAMINATION:-

I know the money was in the trunk; it was my partners.

WILLIAM GILMARTIN:- a witness for the People, testified:-
I am a Police Officer attached to the 15th Precinct; I was on duty on the 4th of January last and I arrested the defendant that day at 11.45 in the morning on the corner of 12th Street and 6th Avenue; I saw a crowd and I saw John Bradley and Quong Sing and the other chinamen struggling; I separated them; and I arrested Bradley and told the chinamen to come to the station house; when we got to the station house we procured an interpreter and the chinamen said that their place had been broken into and \$460. stolen; the defendant said he did not take it; on the way to Court the defendant said to me not to be too hard on him that when he got out he would be a man; he was searched in the station house and about forty dollars found on him.

CROSS EXAMINATION:-

There were no bills of a higher denomination than five dollars found on him; the money was returned to him as the chinamen would not swear that was their money.

DEFENCE

JOHN BRADLEY, the defendant testified:-

I did not take this chinamen's money; I was not in his rooms; I have never before been accused of crime; On the 4th of January I got up at eight o'clock in the morning and after having breakfast I went down town to Carmine Street and Minetta Lane; I brought a bottle of claret

from my wife to a lady who lived at that place ; I came up town then, I dont think it was yet twelve o'clock; I walked up Sixth Avenue and as I got to Twelfth St. I bought a paper, the Star ; I was walking along reading this paper and the first thing I knew somebody grabbed my coat and I turned around and there was a chinaman; pretty soon another chinaman came along; one of them struck me on the chin and said "You take my money"; I grabbed his hand; I had a roll of bills, \$35. in my pocket and I took it out to put them in my back pocket and in the excitement I put them between the pants and my drawers ; finally they let go of me and I started to walk off and then the officer came up and arrested me and took me to the station house ; The night before I had collected a bill of three dollars for cleaning silver; I clean silver and things like that for the Woodruff Palace Car Co. I have been in that business ever since I was a boy ; I was not on the house No. 180 Sixth Avenue; I did not break open any door or trunk and I never stole anything in my life .

CROSS EXAMINATION:-

I dont know that there is a laundry at 180 6th Avenue; I did not see a colored man or anybody else coming out of the chianamen's house ; I did not see the chinamen until they caught hold of me. Some of that fifty three dollars I had I made at cleaning silver; some by public waiting and some of it my wife made. I was arrested once before for fighting and locked up over night. The conversation I had with the officer on the way from the

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was not as he related it . I told the officer "I am a good man and an honest man , you wont try to make it any worse for me because these men swear against me".

JOHN HUMPHREY, a witness for defense, testified:-

I have known Bradley about five years; as far as I know him he is strictly honest; his reputation for honesty is good .

The jury found the prisoner guilty of Burglary in the third degree .

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Part III.

The People of the State of
New York .

against

J o h n B r a d l e y

Abstract of testimony taken
on trial Jany. 18th 1888.

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L. KAUFMANN & CO.,
WHOLESALE

SEGAR AND TOBACCO HOUSE,

447 SIXTH AVENUE, CORNER 27TH STREET,

New York, Jan. 19 1888

To whom it may concern we the undersigned do cheerfully recommend the bearer — John Bradley to be an honest and sober industrious young man and very much astonished on hearing of his arrest & conviction. and we hope that your honour will use his leniency towards him this being his first offence to our knowledge. as we have always found him a quiet and hard working young man.

Yours Respectfully

O. Kaufman

447.6 Ave
Joseph. H. Murphy
100 West 27 St
Pool & Billiard Parlor

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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 Bradley

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

John Bradley

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

The said

John Bradley

late of the *5th* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *January*, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*eight*, with force and arms, about the
hour of *seven* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *James Smith*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some
human being, to wit: *the said James Smith*

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

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,

SECOND COUNT—

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

John Bradley

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

The said

John Bradley

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

*The sum of four hundred and
sixty dollars in money, lawful
money of the United States, and
of the value of four hundred
and sixty dollars;*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

James Smith

in the dwelling house of the said

James Smith

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

*John R. Hallowes,
District Attorney*

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DESCRIPTION:

Britt, Edward

DATE:

01/27/88



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Witnesses:

Mary Carl
Officer Marktes

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Counsel, C. F. Givley
Filed day of January 1888
Pleads *Chattel Mortgage*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Bitt

Pr. Apr. 27/88
Wielded by the Com. on his own way
pure & clear
Rec'd 29/88

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

1st Dist. Attorney.

A True Bill.

Amended
Rec'd in the Court
Apr. 23/88
Apr. 24/88
Apr. 24/88

The People vs
vs.
Edward Britt

City & County of New York ss:-

Lawrence Kelly being
duly sworn says that he resides at 110 Berry Street in the
City of Brooklyn. That on the 20th day of March 1888 he
complaint before Judge Neaker in the 3rd district Police
Court in the City of Brooklyn about the said Edward
Britt that said Britt slapped him in the face & that he
fell through a door from a loft a distance of 15 feet
which loft is on premises 101 & 103 Berry Street Bklyn.
Deponent further says that he has known defendant
Britt for 8 years & during that time he has found him
quite & peaceable & that he has always been on friendly
terms with said defendant. Deponent further says that
said defendant did not strike or knock him deponent
out of said door but that deponent was on said loft with
defendant skylarking & that defendant slapped deponent
in the face & in deponents effort to avoid said slap
fell out of the loft on the side walk. Deponent further
says that he is satisfied that he did not intend to
injure him & that he deponent is at the present time
enjoying the best of health. Lawrence Kelly.

Sworn to before me }

this 24th day of April 1888 }

J. K. Costello, Notary Public (2372) City & County of New York

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The People vs

vs.

Edw. Britt

Affidavit

Police Court— 2 District.

City and County { ss.:
of New York,

of No. 54 Forsyth Street, aged 38 years,
occupation Red Engraver being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 3rd day of December 1888 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, in a cooper shop on Greenwich Street

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Edward Britt
(Now here) who struck deponent several
violent blows in the face and on the head
with his fist and one violent blow on the
left side of the head with a cooper's
adze which he the said deponent then
and there held in his hand knocking
deponent senseless from the effects of
which deponent was confined to his bed
for several weeks. Deponent further says
that such assault was committed

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 22 day
of January 1889 }

For 16 2/11

A. J. White Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Edward Brito

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

29 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer,

Ireland

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

Answer.

F 2. Kent Ave Brooklyn C.N.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer,

Cooper

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
E. Brito

Taken before me this

day of *March* 188*8*

Police Justice.

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BAILED,
No. 1, by *James H. DeLong*
Residence *71, 80th St. A. B. C. Co. Bldg. Etc.*
No. 2, by *James H. DeLong*
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

Police Court—*2* District—*1392*

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary A. DeLong
Edw. A. DeLong
Edw. A. DeLong

Offence *Assault*
felony

Dated *January 22* 188*8*

Magistrate *White*

Officer *Wm. L. Mackell*

Precinct _____

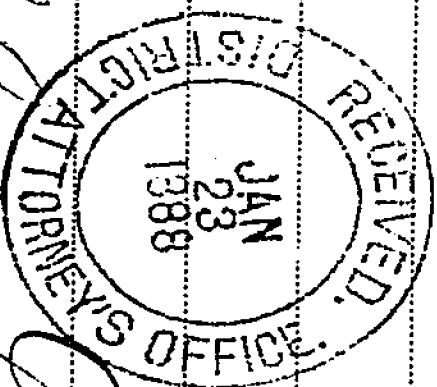
Witnesses _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ _____ 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 _____

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

Dated *Jan 22* 188*8* *A. J. White* 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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PART III.

The Court Room is in the First Story.

If this Subpoena is disobeyed, an attachment will immediately issue.

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SUBPENA

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To *Wm. J. Paul*
of No *54 Forsyth* Street,

GREETING :

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

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

WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of *April*, in the year of our Lord, 1888.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, *District Attorney.*

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orn to before me, this

Us.

City and County of New York, ss.:

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I am a Police Officer attached to the

in the City of New York. On the 29 day of

I called at

8th
April

Precinct,

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the alleged

Residence of Mary Gail

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

Landlord of the premises that the
above Mary Gail had left the House
No 54 Forsyth St about four
weeks ago and he (the Landlord) has
no knowledge as to ^{his} whereabouts as
he has not heard from or seen him
since he left his premises he the Landlord
was ~~but~~ ^{only} slightly acquainted with the said Mary
Gail as he had only lived at his house
but a few weeks I have used diligent
search & inquiry to find the said Mary Gail
but have failed to learn anything as to his
~~whereabouts~~ whereabouts

Sworn to before me, this

27 day
1888

of

Spine

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day

Wm. L. Marshall

Robert Genschler

Notary Public N.Y. Co.

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WITNESS, Hon. FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder of our said City, at the City Hall in our said City, the first Monday of ~~APRIL~~

, in the year of our Lord, 1888.
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney.

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Should the case be
assigned in Court, p

Office about it, and

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Attorney's office.

If you know of n

the Magistrate, or

there brought out,

Attorney or one of

State of New

City and County of

being duly sworn,

Subpoena, of which

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Sworn to before

of

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Edward Brill

City and County of New York, ss.:

Abraham Marks

being duly

sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No.

435 Grand St

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

City and County of New York. On the

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day of

April

1888.

I called at

54

Forsyth St

the alleged

residence of Mary Gail

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

Housekeeper

the Housekeeper

and tenants of said House that Mary Gail had moved away from those premises about four weeks ago and they have no knowledge as to his whereabouts having neither seen or heard of him since she left the premises No 54 Forsyth St. The last time that he was subpoenaed to attend Court over a month ago the said Mary Gail told me that he intended to go to Boston. I have used diligent search and inquiry but have failed to get any information in regard to the whereabouts of the said Mary Gail

Sworn to before me, this

27

day

of

April

1888

Abraham Marks

Subpoena Server.

Wm H. F. F. F. F.

Notary Public N.Y. Co

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Court of General Sessions.

THE PEOPLE, on the Complaint of

Wart Gard

vs.

Edward Brett

Offense :

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Affidavit of

Chas. Martine

Subpoena Server.

Failure to Find Witness.

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

THE PEOPLE OF STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Edward Smith

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

Edward Smith

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

The said *Edward,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
19th day of *December*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~seven~~, with force and arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Mary Smith,*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault,
and *thrust* the said *Mary,*
with a certain *adze*
which the said *Edward,*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and
dangerous weapon then and there wilfully and feloniously ~~cut, stab~~ and wound,
the same being such means and force as were likely to produce the death of
the said Mary,
with intent *thrust* the said *Mary,*
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

Edward Smith

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

The said *Edward,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the
year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and
upon the body of the said *Mary Smith,*
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make another assault, and *thrust* the said
Mary,
with a certain *adze*
which the said *Edward,*
in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being
an instrument and weapon likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there
feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully ~~cut, stab~~ and wound, against the form of the
statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State
of New York and their dignity.

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THIRD COUNT;

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

— Edward Smith —

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

The said *Edward*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit; on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid with force and arms, in and upon the said *Mary Earl*, — in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault, and the said *Edward*, — with a certain *adze*, —

which *the* the said *Edward*, —
in *his* right hand and there had and held, in and upon the *head* — of *him* the said *Mary*, —

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, ~~stab~~, cut, bruise and wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said *Mary*, —

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS.

~~RANDOLPH E. MARTINE,~~

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Broughton, John

DATE:

01/26/88



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Witnesses:

Officer Grant -

After examination, I consider
the testimony herein sufficient
to support the indictment, and
accordingly recommend its
dismissal.

Feb 9/88. A. D. Barker
Deft. Officer D. H.

Counsel,

Filed,

Pleas,

day of

1888

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

B

John Broughton

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW
(Keeping Open on Sunday.)
(Ill. Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1869, Sec. 6)

JOHN R. FETTOWS,

RENEDEPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Edmund A. Brown

On mo. Dist. Atty. Foreman.
dis. & bail dis. P. B. M.
Feb 9/88

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Excise Violation—Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT-

1st DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 5th Precinct Police St
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 10 day
of January 1888 in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

John Doughton (now here)
being then and there in lawful charge of the premises, No. 79 Thomas
Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be
drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of
the statute in such case made and provided.

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

Sworn to before me, this 9th day

of January

1888

John Doughton
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

152 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

I am not guilty I demand a trial by Jury at the Court of General Sessions John Broughton

Taken before me this

day of *August* 188*8*
Police Justice.

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BAILED
No. 1, by William T. Evans
Residence 1477 Lexington Ave.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____

Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 John W. Campbell
2 add. 2nd St. N.Y.
3 _____
4 _____
Offence is also

Dated Jan 9 - 1888

Magistrate.

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

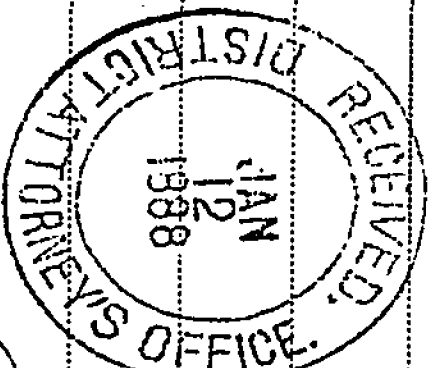
No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

No. _____ Street.

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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 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 Jan 9 1888 Solomon B. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 9 1888 Solomon B. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1888 _____ Police Justice.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
Plaintiffs

against

John Broughton
Defendant.

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York. by this indictment accuse the above named defendant of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

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

John R. Fellows,
~~RANDOLPH B. MARTINE~~, District Attorney.

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