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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1989

DESCRIPTION:

Babbitt, Edward

DATE:

12/04/85



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Witness:  
*Off Hoffman*

After many efforts to  
find the complainant  
which were unavailing,  
& after a complete ex-  
amination of the evidence,  
I recommend that the  
bill be dropped on his  
own acknowledgment  
Apr 27/12, G.V.D.  
A.D.A.

Counsel,

Filed *4* day of *Dec* 188*8*  
Pleads *Not Guilty (7)*

THE PEOPLE  
vs. *D*  
*Edward R. D. D.*  
Grand Larceny, *1st* Degree.  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 529, 530 — Penal Code.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

*In Apr 27/12* District Attorney.  
*Bill dropped*

A True Bill.

*J. Catter Jr.*

Foreman.

*April 27/12*  
*G. V. D.*

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

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John Danmarch*

of No. *14 First* Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *29* day of *November* 1885  
at the \_\_\_\_\_ City of New York,

in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession  
of deponent *and from his person in the night time*  
the following property, viz:

*One pocket-book containing a  
promissory note representing a silver  
note and different society papers  
and a large sum of money in  
all of the value of *2000* dollars  
(*2000*)*

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 *Edward Tabbitt (nowhere)*

*from the fact, that the deponent  
admitted in open court to the  
deponent in presence of Officer  
Hoffman of the 1<sup>st</sup> Precinct police  
that he, the deponent did take  
steal and carry away the above  
described property, and for the  
further reason that the pocket book  
was found in the deponent's possession  
when arrested. Mrs Danmarch*

Sworn before me this *29* day of *November* 1885  
Police Justice,

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

34 District Police Court.

*Edward Babbitt* 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.

*Edward Babbitt*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*18 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*389 Fifth Street New York*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Lithographer*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of the charge  
I did take said pocket book  
from the complainant's pocket*

*Edward Babbitt*

Taken before me this

29

day of May 1885

Police Justice.



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

*five* *Edward B. Babbitt*  
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 *Nov. 29* 188 *Solo B. B.* 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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Police Court

3d 1326 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Max Huppert*  
*14 1st St*  
*Edward E. Bitt*

Office of the  
Recorder  
of Deeds  
1326

BAILED,

No. 1, by

*Adam Gayder*

Residence

*139 East 8th*

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Dated

*Mar 29*

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Magistrate

Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street,

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to answer

*500*  
*Com*

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Edward B. Smith

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

Edward B. Smith, —  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the first degree, committed as follows:

The said Edward B. Smith,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
twenty-ninth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-nine, in the month of time of the said day, at the Ward, City and  
County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one pocket watch of the value of  
fifty cents, — one written instru-  
ment and evidence of contract, of  
the kind commonly called pawn  
tickets, of the value of five dollars,  
and fifty pieces of paper of the  
value of one cent each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Max Bannach, —  
on the person of the said Max Bannach, —  
then and there being found, from the person of the said Max Bannach, —  
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.

Randolph B. Martin,  
District Attorney.

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Baker, Patrick

DATE:

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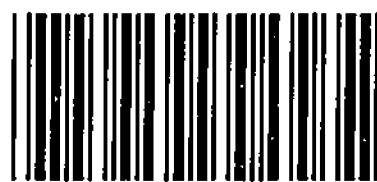
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Powers, John

DATE:

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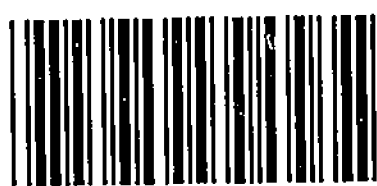
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Colbert, William

DATE:

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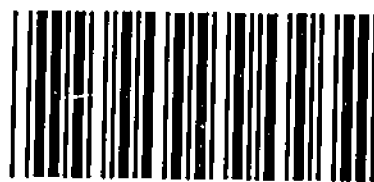
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Brandfield, James

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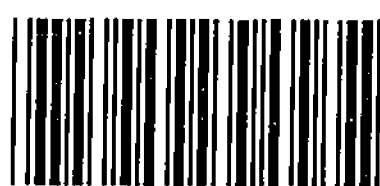
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Bransfield, Redmond

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Lawler, James

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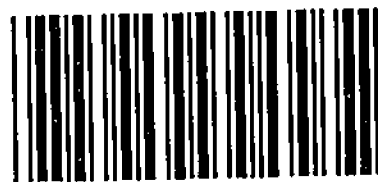
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Carroll, John

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Dr Jan 11. 1886.  
No 1 + 2 tried & acquitted

Witnesses:

Mary Hoffman  
Sarah Goodman  
Julia McChurny  
Sept John Hunter  
Officer Clinton  
Ch. 4.  
O'Leary 3 day  
Low 1 year & fine 100.

143 May be bailed  
in the sum of \$500  
Each. H.H.G.

Ch. 6-54. 25. 1  
\$250 fine  
Ch. 5-34. 6. 25. 25.  
Ch. 4-1. 4. 1. 25. 25.  
\$100 fine  
H.H.G.

143. Type & Station  
217. 217. 217.  
Counsel, 217. 217. 217.  
Filed 11 day of Dec 1885  
Pleads 143. 143. 143.  
Ch. 5. 6. 4. 1. 25. 25.

THE PEOPLE

- 1. Patrick Baker
- 2. John Powers
- 3. William Collier
- 4. James Bransfield
- 5. Edmund Bransfield
- 6. James Sawler
- 7. John P. Carroll

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Ch. 4. 5. 6. 1. 25. 25.  
District Attorney  
A True Bill.  
Ch. 5. 6. 4. 1. 25. 25.  
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Ch. 7. 1. 25. 25.  
Foreman  
Ch. 7. 1. 25. 25.  
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Ch. 7. 1. 25. 25.

Sections 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

New York Court of  
General Sessions of the  
Peace  
The People  
vs  
James Lawlor

To John K. Bellor Esq  
District Attorney

1. Please to take notice that  
from the petition of the above named  
defendant James Lawlor dated the 6th day  
of September 1889 a return will be  
made before the above named Court  
of General Sessions of the Peace at  
the City Hall in the City of  
New York on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 1889  
at 10 1/2 o'clock in the forenoon to return  
the fine described in said petition  
against the above named defendant  
in the above entitled action and  
for such further or other orders the  
Court shall seem just.  
2. Dated Sept 6th 1889.

James Lawlor  
Defts atty  
King Lang New York



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3 At a Court of General Sessions of  
the Peace holden in and for the City  
and County of New York on the 14th day  
of the said Month in Tuesday the fifth  
day of January in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty  
six.

Present.

The Honorable Frederick Smyth,  
Recorder of the City of New York  
The People of the State of  
New York

4 James Lawlor

On conviction  
by confession of assault in the second  
degree committed upon Thomas Gregg  
whereupon it is ordered and  
adjudged by the Court that the said  
James Lawlor - for the felony aforesaid  
whereof he is convicted be im-  
prisoned in the State Prison of hard  
labor for the term of five years and  
pay a fine of two hundred and  
fifty dollars.

5 And it is further ordered that  
he stand committed until the

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same be paid not exceeding one  
day - for each dollar of the fine imposed  
until the same be paid, not exceeding  
one day - for each dollar of the fine im-  
posed from and after the termination  
of the five years imprisonment  
A true extract from the Minutes  
John Sparks Clerk.

John Sparks - black -

New York Bond  
General Ledger  
of the Year

The People

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James Lawler

Copy Sentences &  
Judgments

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New York General Sessions  
of the Peace  
The People of the State  
of New York  
against  
James Lawlor

To The New York General Sessions of the  
Peace.

The Petition of the above named  
defendant James Lawlor respectfully  
shows to this Honorable Court that on  
the 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 1886 he was  
convicted on his own confession in  
this Court of assault in the second degree  
and sentenced by said Court to five  
years imprisonment at hard labor  
in the State Prison and pay a fine  
of two hundred and fifty dollars and  
that he stand committed until the  
fine be paid not exceeding one  
day for each dollar of the fine paid  
and after the termination of the five  
years imprisonment. A copy of the  
sentence or judgment is hereto an-  
nexed and forms part of this petition  
Your petitioner further shows that

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by his good conduct and observance  
of the rules and regulations of the State  
Prison he earned for himself the com-  
mutation allowed by the laws of the  
State and the same has been allowed  
to him by the Governor of the State and  
has served out his term of imprison-  
ment for the five years aforesaid  
and is now imprisoned in the Sing  
Sing Prison only for the nonpayment of  
of the said fine. The said five years  
sentence of imprisonment ended  
on the 5th day of August 1889

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From petition further shows that  
he has a wife and one child of the  
age of five years; that from petitioners  
is poor and has no money or property  
of any kind whatever and during  
the whole time of his imprisonment  
his wife has had to support herself  
and the said child by constant hard  
work

10  
From petitioners therefore prays that this  
Honorable Court will remit the said  
fine so that he can be released  
from further imprisonment  
and from petitioners will ever

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may be  
Dated September 6<sup>th</sup> 1867  
James Lawlor

State of New York  
County of Westchester: James Lawlor the  
above named petitioner being duly  
sworn says that the above petition signed  
by him is true of his own knowledge  
except as to the matters therein stated  
to be alleged on information and belief  
and as to those matters he believes  
it to be true. James Lawlor

Sworn to before me this  
6<sup>th</sup> day of September  
1867

Francis Carlin Jr.  
Notary Public.



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New York Court  
General Sessions  
of the Peace

The People

vs

James Leavelle

~~James Leavelle~~

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James Leavelle

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James Leavelle

As Dist. Atty

My Sept 10/89

Filed Sept 10/89



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## Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. \_\_\_\_\_

New York, \_\_\_\_\_ 188

- Jan 2/80 James Lawler 205 E 63<sup>rd</sup> St. Assault Jno Walsh  
Off Coyne \$500. to ans Jus Wandell
- June 12/80 James Lawler 204 E 63<sup>rd</sup> St. Assault Gottlieb Decker  
1069.3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. Off White 10 days Jus Flammer
- Nov 24/80 James Lawler 204 E 63<sup>rd</sup> St P. Larceny. Jas Murray  
108 E 78<sup>th</sup> St. Off Gath. Disch<sup>d</sup> Jus Bixby
- Oct 30/81 James Lawler 204 E 63<sup>rd</sup> St. Dis bon Off Quigley  
10 days Jus Wandell
- May 30/82 James Lawler 204 E 63<sup>rd</sup> St. Drk<sup>d</sup> and Dis Off  
Stephenson fined \$10<sup>00</sup> and \$300. bail to keep peace  
Jus Otterbourg
- Jan 1/83 James Lawler 204 E 63<sup>rd</sup> St Drk<sup>d</sup> and Dis Off M<sup>rs</sup> Gill  
3 days Otterbourg
- Aug 11/83 James Lawler 210 E 59<sup>th</sup> St Drk<sup>d</sup> and Dis. Off Morrell  
10 days Jus Herman
- March 9/84 James Lawler 212 E 59<sup>th</sup> St Drk<sup>d</sup> and Dis Off O'Rourke  
10 days. - Murray
- Aug 7/84 James Lawler Drk<sup>d</sup> and Dis. Off Sullivan \$300. Bail  
to keep peace Jus Duffy

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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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

.....  
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 ..... 188 ..... 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 *John Purvis* .....  
..... guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order h to be discharged.

Dated *Nov 6* ..... 188 *5* *John Purvis* ..... Police Justice.

0482

Presbyterian Hospital

Dec. 17/885-

Thomas Gregg is practically out of danger. He will leave the Hospital in a day or two; and should be able to appear in court within a week.

William H. Sherman

House Surgeon

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,

New York.

Nov

28<sup>th</sup>

1890

Conrad Smyth Esq  
Police Clerk

4<sup>th</sup> Dist. P. Ch.

Sir:-

Enclosed find papers in  
People on Complaint Martin vs Patrick  
Baker et al - felonious assault  
on Thomas Gregg - received by  
me on return to Unit of Hal.  
Corp. The hearing came  
up several days ago before  
Davis J. at Dept & Terminus  
& resulted in the holding to  
bail of two of defts to wit  
Baker & Colbert in \$1000<sup>00</sup> each  
remanding them meantime to custody

Yours &c  
J. J. Howland  
Dist. Atty

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W. Reid Gould, Law Blank Publisher and Stationer, 163 Nassau St., N. Y.

The People of the State of New York, TO  
The Coroner of the City & County of New York  
and Clerk of 14<sup>th</sup> District Police Court in said  
City

CERTIORARI  
TO CERTIFY CAUSE OF  
DETENTION.

GREETING:  
We Command you, that you certify fully and at large to the Supreme  
Court of the State of New York at a Special Term  
to be held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1885 at  
10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day  
at the New York County Court House  
on  
the day and cause of the imprisonment of Patrick Baker and  
Colbert.

by you detained; as is said, by whatsoever name the said Baker and Colbert

shall be called or charged; and have you then this writ.

Witness, Hon. Geo. B. Andrews Judge of the Supreme Court of N.Y.  
the 20<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885  
Signed & Directed By the Court  
for Petitioner Attorney (Patrick H. Hume) Clerk.  
318 Broadway N.Y.

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The mission mil-is  
allowed  
my No 100<sup>th</sup> 1885.

George A. Adams /  
J. K. L.



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N.Y. Supreme Court.  
Oyer & Terminer.

People.

vs.  
Patrick Baker. and  
Mr. Colbert - and  
one Lawler.

To. Randolph B. Martine.

Dist. Atty of New York.

Please take notice that the Court  
of Oyer and Terminer granted a writ of  
Habeas Corpus for P. Baker - one Col-  
bert - above named returnable on  
Monday Nov. 23<sup>d</sup> 1885 at 10 1/2 am.  
Date Nov. 20. 1885.

Yours truly  
Tighe & Sweetser.  
318 Broadway  
N.Y.

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To Hon. R. B. Mantine  
Dist. Atty.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Nov. 30 - 1885 -

Statement in regard to Thomas Gregg and  
the present case.

His general condition is improv. now.  
His still wounded right foot has  
healed.

The fluid accumulation in his  
right pleural cavity is diminishing in  
quantity.

The bronchial and broncho-vascular  
breathing is still not clear but has  
about disappeared.

His appetite is fairly good.  
He is still kept in bed.

Franklin, N.H.

Thos. Ruggles

Presbyterian Hospital.

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Presbyterian Hospital  
Nov. 6, 1857,

Thos. Gregg has escaped  
the immediate dangers  
following his wound, & is  
at present doing as well  
as possible under the  
circumstances. It is as yet  
impossible to state as to his recovery.  
Henry Rolando  
House Surgeon

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Psychiatric Hospital  
Dec. 8, 1885

Thomas Gregg is improving  
slowly; but is yet confined to  
bed, and can not be considered  
as surely out of danger.

William H. Sherman  
House Surgeon.

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Presbyterian Hospital,

70th ST. AND MADISON AVE.

New York, Nov. 14, 1885

Thos. Sugg is in an uncertain  
& critical condition. It can-  
not be stated whether he will  
recover.

Henry Rolando  
House Surgeon



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Nov, 13. 85

Thos. Gregg's condition is  
at present uncertain  
& critical. It is impossible  
to state whether he will  
recover.

Henry Rolando  
House Surgeon

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

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

Sarah Worman age 16 years

of No. 300 East 60<sup>th</sup> Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent was an 2nd

arena near 59<sup>th</sup> Street when she saw Redmond  
Braunsfield (nowhere) throw a stone at Thomas  
Gragg. That at the same time James P Carrati  
(nowhere) struck said Gragg on the head  
with a Crutch he held in his hand,  
and James Braunsfield, (nowhere) struck said  
Gragg in the face with his fist  
that at the same ~~the~~ time there were a number  
of others assaulting and beating said  
Gragg. Deponent saw said Gragg  
walk towards 60<sup>th</sup> Street, and immediately

Sworn to before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.

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after deponent saw said Gray in  
a drug store on 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue near 60<sup>th</sup>  
Street, and from there deponent  
saw said Gray taken away  
in an ambulance.

Sworn to before me this } Wife Sarah Gorman  
6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885

John Gorman Police Justice

POLICE COURT—DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness.

Disposition

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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss:POLICE COURT, H DISTRICT.of John Hamilton  
28<sup>th</sup> Police Precinct Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,that on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November 1886at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Mary Heppner

(nowhere) is an important witness  
in the case of The People against  
James Saville, Edmund Kempfield and  
others who stand charged with the  
crime of Felony Assault upon  
Thomas Gregg. That deponent has  
reason to believe that said  
Mary would not be readily found  
at the time when her testimony will  
be required. Therefore deponent asks  
that said Mary be dealt with as the law  
in such cases may direct. John Hamilton

Sworn to before me, this

4<sup>th</sup> day of November 1886

day

Police

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POLICE COURT— 4th DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Hamilton

vs.

Wm. Jefferson

1130-2 Ave. de. 18th

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated November 4 1888

Gannon Magistrate.

Hamilton Officer.

Witness,

Disposition

0497

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

POLICE COURT, 4 DISTRICT.

Julia M<sup>c</sup> Givney aged 19

of No. 1129 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1885

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent was on 2nd

Avenue between 59 + 60<sup>th</sup> Street when she  
saw Redmond Braunsfield (nowhere) having  
a stone in his hand, and threw the same at  
a man, whose name deponent is informed to  
be Herman Gragg, that at the same time  
Patrick Baker and William Bolbert struck  
Sara Gragg in the face with their fists, that  
then there John P. Carroll (nowhere)  
struck Sara Gragg on the head with  
a walking crutch he held in his hand,  
that immediately after deponent saw

Sworn to before me this

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1885

Police Justice



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Said Gragg in the Wray Stone an 2<sup>nd</sup> witness,  
and from said Wray Stone, she saw said  
Gragg placed in a ambulance and  
taken away

Sworn to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 1905  
John Norman Police Justice

POLICE COURT—

DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Witness.

Disposition

Held for Ex. cont.

until 6<sup>th</sup> of Nov 3 o'clock

PM

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STATE OF NEW YORK.  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss: 1POLICE COURT, 14 DISTRICT.John M. Hinton  
of the 28<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,that on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1885at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Thomas Gragg

was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by James Lawler, ~~James~~ Brausfield and John P. Carroll all (nowhere) deponent is informed by said Gragg in the presence of said defendants, that said Lawler cut and stabbed him in the left breast with a knife he held in his hand and that at that time said Brausfield struck him on the side of his head with his said Brausfield fist and that said Carroll struck him over

Sworn to before me, this

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day of

Police Justice

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Chas. W. Lawrence  
4 days of imprisonment 1885

the head with a walking crutch he held  
in his hand.

That said Gray is now  
confined to the Protestant Hospital from  
the injuries inflicted by said defendants  
and unable to appear in Court.

Whereupon pray that said defendants  
may be committed to await the  
result of said injuries.

POLICE COURT—

DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Lawler.  
James Mansfield  
John B. Carroll

Dated Nov 4 1885

Gorsman Magistrate.

Whitson 28 Officer.

Witness.

Disposition.

John H. Newson

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STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.POLICE COURT, 1 DISTRICT.Mary Hefferman aged 18of the House of detention Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,that on the 3 day of November 1885at the City of New York, in the County of New York, deponent saw James

Lawler fight with one Thomas Craig  
 that after the fight deponent saw said  
 Lawler walk away ~~from~~ towards  
 the corner of 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue & 60<sup>th</sup> Street  
 that immediately after that deponent  
 saw said Craig lying in a drug  
 store and as deponent was  
 informed in a very condition

Mary Hefferman  
Mary

Sworn to before me, this

of

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1885

day

Police Justice.

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

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

of No. 1128 Receiv Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 8 day of September 1880

at New York, in the County of New York, Dependent Armesia

Patrick Baker. John Pours. William  
Robert. James Bransfield and  
Redmond Bransfield All  
(now here) on information that  
he received that the said Defendant  
did assault and beat one  
Gregg, 1131 2d Avenue and who  
is now confined in Presbyterian  
Hospital suffering from said  
injuries and unable to appear  
in Court

High Martin,

Sworn to before me this

of Nov

1880

day

James J. McLaughlin  
Police Justice



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POLICE COURT— DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFFIDAVIT.

Patrick vs. Baker  
John Powers  
William Colbert  
James Mansfield  
Ramona Mansfield  
Dated Nov 4 1883

Henry Magistrate.

Warrant + Murkin Officer.

Witness, Mary Jefferson  
House of Detention

Disposition

Held for Ex to await  
the result of Inquest



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The Magistrate  
proceeding in the Court  
will please hear and  
determine the matter  
Case by name of  
John H. H. H.

BAILED,

No. 1, by Lawrence E. Blake  
Residence 300 East 60th Street.

No. 2, by  
Residence Street.

No. 3, by Dennis Thornell  
Residence 82 New Chambers Street.

No. 4, by  
Residence Street.

Bill of Fare 372  
Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Hugh Martin  
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- 1 Patrick Baker
- 2 John Baker
- 3 William Colburn
- 4 James Brownfield
- 5 Edmund Brownfield
- 6 James Lawler
- 7 James P. Carroll

Offence 28 and 28

Dated Nov 4 188

Gorman Magistrate.  
Off Hamilton 28 Officer.  
" Hinton 28 Precinct.  
Wm. H. H. H.

Witnesses Presbyterian Hospital  
No. Sarah Gorman Street.

300 E. 60  
No. Julia M. Givney Street,  
1129-1st Ave

No. Mary H. H. H. Street.

\$ to answer Sessions.

Thomas Gregg

John Coffee 1134-2 Ave  
1134-12 Ave

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At a Court of General Sessions  
of the Peace holden in and  
for the City and County of New  
York at the City Hall of the said  
City on the 30th day of September  
in the year one thousand eight  
hundred and eighty nine

Present

The Honorable Frederick S. Smyth  
Recorder of the City of New York

The People of the State of  
New York

vs  
James Lawler

On reading and  
filing the petition of the above named  
defendant and order of motion and  
after hearing Warren Barker Coun-  
sell for the defendant and James Fitz-  
gerald Esq. Assistant District Attorney  
in behalf of the People Ordered that  
that part of the judgment and sentence  
of the defendant in the above entitled  
action dated the fifth day of January  
1886 that he pay a fine of Two hundred  
and fifty dollars be reduced and

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the same is hereby reduced to  
one hundred dollars -

Report of General  
Sessions of the Peace  
of the City & County of New  
York

                      
The People

vs

James Lawler  
                    

Order reducing  
fine  
by  
James Lawler  
Depts Atty Geny  
New York.

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At a Court of General Ses-  
sions of the Peace holden at  
in and for the City and County  
of New York at the City Hall  
of the said City on the day  
of September 1889.

Present Honorable Frederick Smyth  
Recorder of the City of New York

The People of the State of  
New York

vs  
James Lawlor

On reading and  
filing the petition of the above named  
defendant James Lawlor dated the  
the 6th day of September 1889 praying  
that the fine of two hundred and  
fifty dollars imposed upon him in  
addition to the sentence of five years  
imprisonment in the State Prison at hard  
labor on the above entitled act on  
the 5th day of January 1886<sup>be remitted</sup> and after  
hearing Francis Loachan attorney and  
counsel for the defendant and John  
R. Bellows district attorney it is  
ordered that the said fine of two

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-hundred and fifty dollars<sup>be</sup> and  
the same is hereby permitted  
and it is further ordered that  
a copy of this order be served upon  
the Agent and Warden of the Sing  
Sing Prison.

New York, Court of  
General Sessions of  
the Peace

The People

vs  
James Lawler

Order remitting  
fine.

James Lawler

Depts. Att'y

Sing Sing New York

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## Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. \_\_\_\_\_

New York, \_\_\_\_\_ 188

- Nov 25. 1883 Richmond Bransfield Index - Off Berghoff 1 day Justice Powers
- June 10 - Richmond Bransfield. D & D Officer Sullivan 10 days - Murray
- July 2. 1884 Richmond Bransfield. D & D Officer Richard Cunley 1128.9. 10 days  
Officer Proctor 10 days Justice Ford
- Aug 24. 1885 Richmond Bransfield. Index - Officer Ramsey 5 days Justice Duffy
- Oct 17. 1885 Richmond Bransfield. D & D Officer Smith 8 months Justice Duffy
- 
- July 20. 1882 James Bransfield. Assault - John Collins 9.14 & 45.5 -  
Officer Murphy \$300 to fine - Berdy -
- March 20. 1882 James Bransfield. Vagr Person - Common Law 113620 -  
Discharged Justice Herman
- Jan 17. 1883 James Bransfield Assault on Officer Joseph H. Boy -  
\$1000 to fine - Justice Murray
- Oct 4. 1885 James Bransfield. D & D Officer Shaw 6 months -  
Justice Murray -



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1 New York Court of  
General Sessions of  
the Peace  
The People  
vs  
James Lawlor

To John R. Hellmes Esq  
District Attorney

In Please to take into  
upon the petition of the above named de-  
fendant James Lawlor dated the 6th day  
of September 1889 a return will be made  
before the above named Court of General  
Sessions of the Peace at the City Hall

2 in the City of New York  
on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 1889 at 10 o'clock  
in the forenoon to return the fine de-  
scribed in said petition against the  
above named defendant in the above  
entitled action and for such further  
in other order as to the Court shall  
seem just. Dated Sept 6th 1889.

James Lawlor  
Deft's atty  
New York

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3 At a Court of General Sessions of the  
Peace holden in and for the City and  
County of New York at the City Hall of the  
said City on Tuesday the fifth day of Jan-  
uary in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty six  
Present

The Honorable Frederick Smyth,  
Recorder of the City of New York  
The People of the State of  
New York

4 James Lawlor <sup>vs</sup>  
On conviction by  
confession of assault in the second degree  
committed upon Thomas Gregg -  
Whereupon it is ordered and ad-  
judged by the Court, that the said James  
Lawlor - for the felony aforesaid whereof  
he is convicted be imprisoned in the  
State Prison at hard labor for the term  
of five years and pay a fine of Two  
hundred and fifty dollars

5 And it is further ordered that  
he stand committed until the fine  
same be paid not exceeding one  
day for each dollar of the fine im-

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3 At a Court of General Sessions of the Peace holden in and for the City and County of New York at the City Hall of the said City on Tuesday the fifth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six  
Present

The Honorable Frederick Smyth  
Recorder of the City of New York  
The People of the State of  
New York

4 James Sawlow

On conviction by confession of assault in the second degree committed upon Thomas Gregg - whereupon it is ordered and adjudged by the Court, that the said James Sawlow - for the felony aforesaid whereof he is convicted - be imprisoned in the State Prison at hard labor for the term of five years and pay a fine of Two hundred and fifty dollars

5 And it is further ordered that he stand committed until the fine same be paid not exceeding one day for each dollar of the fine in -

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posed, until the same be paid  
not exceeding one day for each dollar  
of the fine imposed from and after the  
termination of the five years im-  
prisonment.

A. true & back from the Minutes  
John Sparks Clerk

New York Grant of  
General Sessions  
of the Peace

The People

vs

James Lawlor

by: Sentenced & judy-  
ment.

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New York General Sessions  
of the Peace  
The People of the State  
of New York

against  
James Lawlor

6 To The New York General Sessions of the  
Peace.

7. The Petition of the above named defendant  
James Lawlor respectfully shows to this  
Honorable Court that on the 5th day of January  
1886 he was convicted in his own con-  
fession in this Court of assault in the second  
degree and sentenced by said Court to  
five years imprisonment at hard labor in  
the State Prison and pay a fine of two hun-  
dred and fifty dollars and that he stand  
committed until the fine be paid not  
exceeding one day for each dollar of the  
fine paid and after the termination of the  
five years imprisonment. A copy of the  
sentence and judgment is hereto annexed  
and forms part of this petition.

8 Your petitioner further shows that by  
his good conduct and observance of the  
rules and regulations of the State Prison he  
earned himself the commutative.







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County of Westchester: James Lawlor  
The above named petitioner being duly  
sworn says that the above petition signed  
by him is true of his own knowledge & belief  
as to the matters therein stated to be alleged  
in information and belief and as to those  
matters he believes it to be true

Sworn to before me this  
6th day of September

James Lawlor

James Lawlor Jr  
Notary Public

New York Grant  
General Orders  
of the Receiver

The People

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James. Lawton

Wm. Peterson of the de-  
pendant & interest of  
Machines.

James Barker

Sept's at New York  
Living

To John R. Bellows Esq  
District attorney

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At a Court of General Ses-  
sions of the Peace holden in  
and for the City and County  
of New York at the City Hall of  
the said City on the day of  
September 1889.

Present: Honorable Frederick Smyth  
Recorder of the City of New York.

The People of the State of  
New York.

James Lawlor.

On reading and  
filing the petition of the above named  
defendant James Lawlor dated the  
6th day of September 1889 praying that  
the fine of two hundred and fifty dollars  
imposed upon him in addition to the  
sentence of five years imprisonment  
in the State Prison at hard labor in the  
above entitled action on the 5th day of  
January 1886<sup>re committed</sup> and after hearing  
Francis Barker attorney and counsel  
for the defendant and John R. Kel-  
lors District Attorney, it is ordered  
that the said fine of two hundred

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and fifty dollars be and the same  
is hereby remitted

And it is further ordered that a  
copy of this order be served upon  
the Agent and warden of the Sing  
Sing Prison.

To the Court of the  
and Sessions of the  
County of New York

The People

vs  
James Lawler  
Order remitting  
fine  
James Lawler  
Depts atty  
Sing Sing New York

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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

Patricia Boland, John Powers, William Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Bransfield, James Sander and John P. Carroll

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

Patricia Boland, John Powers, William Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Bransfield, James Sander and John P. Carroll — of the CRIME OF Assault in the first degree, —

committed as follows:

The said Patricia Boland, John Powers, William Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Bransfield, James Sander and John P. Carroll, each late of the ~~Ward of the~~ City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~third~~ day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the ~~Ward~~ City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one Thomas Lipeag, in the face of the said People then and there being, feloniously and unlawfully did make an assault, and beat the said Thomas Lipeag, as well with the hands and feet of them the said Patricia Boland, John Powers, William Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Bransfield, James Sander and John P. Carroll, as with a certain knife, a certain stone and also a certain switch, which said knife, stone and switch being the said Patricia Boland, John Powers, William Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Bransfield, James Sander

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and John P. Russell in their right  
hands then and their head and  
held, in and upon the head, neck,  
breast, belly, back, sides and other  
parts of the body of him the said  
Thomas Feggs. then and there  
willfully and feloniously did strike,  
beat, strike, stab, cut, bruise and  
wound; the same being such means  
and force as were likely to produce  
the death of him the said Thomas  
Feggs. with intent him the said  
Thomas Feggs thereby then and  
there willfully and feloniously  
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.

Wm. H. (1000)



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Second COUNT.

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

*Patricia Baker, John Powers, William  
Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Brans-  
field, James Sander and John P. Carroll*

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

The said *Patricia Baker, John Powers, William*

*Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Brans-  
field, James Sander and John P. Carroll, each*

late of the City and County of New York, on the *third* day of  
*November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty *five*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

*Thomas George*

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make an assault; and the said *Patricia Baker, John*

*Powers, William Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond*  
*Bransfield, James Sander and John P. Carroll, as well*  
with a certain stone, as in the certain crutch, which *they* the said

*Patricia Baker, John Powers, William*  
*Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Brans-*  
*field, James Sander and John P. Carroll*  
in their right hands then and there had and held, the same being then and there

*instruments and things* likely to produce grievous bodily harm, *then*,  
the said *Thomas George*, then and there feloniously  
did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *strike*, and, bruise 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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and John P. Carroll in their right  
I - 20 then and there had and

~~SECOND~~ COUNT:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
Patrick Balaet, John Powers, William  
Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Evans,  
Field, James Sander and John P. Carroll -  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said Patrick Balaet, John Powers, William  
Robert, James Bransfield, Redmond Evans,  
Field, James Sander and John P. Carroll, each  
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 one Thomas Fieppig -

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make an assault: and the said

with a certain stone and a certain knife, which the said Thomas Fieppig was  
wielding in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the  
head, neck, breast, belly, back, sides and other  
parts of the body of the said Thomas Fieppig

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, strike, 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 Thomas  
Fieppig, to the great damage of the said Thomas Fieppig  
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.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Baker, William

DATE:

12/17/85



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1989

DESCRIPTION:

Delaney, John

DATE:

12/17/85



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No 147 B

Witnesses:

James O'Morgan  
Officer Gus Holloway  
John J. McPherson

The witness  
here does not  
reside here  
The case cannot  
be tried within  
the

As witnesses except the officer  
can be found in this case,  
I recommend the dismissal  
of this indictment,  
June 8/92

V. M. Davis,  
Clerk

Counsel,

Filed 17 day of Dec 1888

Pleas: *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

*vs*  
William Baker

*vs*

John Delaney

RANDOLPH B. MARSHALL

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*27th at 11:30  
wired together  
by J. P. M. O'Dell*

Part 3. June 8/92  
Indictment dismissed  
Foreman

*27th  
J. P. M. O'Dell*

Grand Larceny 2nd degree  
[Sections 528, 531, 550, Penal Code.]



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Police Court—First District

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,James O Morgan  
of No. 32 West Broadway Street, aged 47 years,  
occupation Expressman being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of July 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

One thousand and fifty Jersey city ferry tickets for loaded and unloaded trucks of the value of Forty One Dollars & twenty five Cents

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 Baker and John Delaney (both now here) from the fact that deponent is informed by John McKenna of No 154 Chestnut Street Newark <sup>New</sup> Jersey that on the above described date while on the ferry boat New Brunswick with the above described tickets in his possession ~~coming~~ from Jersey City where he McKenna purchased said tickets and while sitting in the Cabin of said ferry boat he McKenna fell asleep with the said tickets in three separate packages on his McKenna's lap and when said McKenna awoke he missed the aforesaid tickets and deponent Baker came to deponent's place of business on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1885 and stated

Sworn to before me, this

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Police Justice





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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John W. Keena  
aged 28 years, occupation Express Driver of No.  
154 Chestnut St Newark New Jersey Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of James O. McGowan  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 13  
day of Dec 1887

John J. McKenna  
P. J. Duffey  
Police Justice

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

*John Delaney* 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*  
*John Delaney*

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Baker*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *333 West 17th Street. 1 mo*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Painter*

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*  
*William Baker*

Taken before me this

day of

*Sept 18 1898*

Police Justice.

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

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

Dated *December 18* 188 *P. J. [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



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Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Jamus Morgan*  
32 West Broadway

*William Baker*

*John Delaney*

*Offence*

*as charged*

Dated *December 13* 188

*Rafferty* Magistrate

*McLoughlin* Officer.

*3-3* Precinct.

Witnesses *John Mc Dermott*

No. *104 Chestnut* Street.

*Newark New Jersey*

No. Street,

No. Street,

\$ *For* to answer *G. Sum*

*Chen*

*Bailed by John Pinckney*  
*94 Perry Street*

No. *2* by *Henry Delaney*

Residence *557 West 29th* Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.



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**PART I.**

THE COURT ROOM IS IN THE SECOND STORY, AND FRONTING THE PARK.

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

Bring this Subpoena with you, and give it to the Officer at the Court Room door, that your attendance may be known.

[SEE OTHER SIDE FOR OTHER DIRECTIONS.]

**SUBPOENA**

FOR A WITNESS TO ATTEND THE

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

The People of the State of New York.

To

of No.

32

West Broadway

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 17 day of instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon of the same day, to testify the truth and give evidence in our behalf, against

*Wm. Baker Hall*

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 in the year of our Lord 1887

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, *District Attorney.*

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**MORGAN'S EXPRESS.**

32 W. Broadway, N. Y. OFFICES: Lombardy St., Newark.

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Received from \_\_\_\_\_ in good  
order, by \_\_\_\_\_ the following:

176 Rosville Ave

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Grand Jury Room.

*Part One*

PEOPLE

vs.

*Baron & Delaney*

*June 20*

*Issued June 15*

*By Bar.*

*On June 15 - mail  
in office of District At-  
torney for the  
20th, put it on the that  
date.*

*June 15 1900*

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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 Sadler  
and  
John Sadler

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

William Sadler and John Sadler

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

The said

William Sadler and John Sadler, each —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid on the nineteenth day of July, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms,

one hundred and fifty tickets  
and mintage each entitled to the  
lottery therefor to a raffle upon  
a vessel from the said City to  
Jersey City in the State of New  
Jersey, to the value of ~~one~~ thirty  
cents each, and one hundred and  
fifty pieces of paper to the  
value of one cent each, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one James O. Morgan.

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*William Bodan and John Delaney*  
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *William Bodan and John Delaney*, each

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 hundred and fifty tickets*  
*and moneys, each entitling the*  
*holder thereof to a passage*  
*upon a vessel from the said*  
*Pitkin to Jersey Pitkin in the State*  
*of New Jersey, of the value of*  
*thirty cents each, and one hundred*  
*and fifty pieces of paper of the*  
*value of one cent each.* —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *James O. Morozin*,

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

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said *William*  
*Bodan and John Delaney.* —

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.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1989

DESCRIPTION:

Banks, Edward

DATE:

12/07/85



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Witnesses:

Counsel,

Filed

27 day of Dec 1885

Pleads

Indisputably (S)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Edward R. Borden

Robbery, [Sections 224 and 229, Penal Code]. degree.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE;

Per Dec 14/85 District Attorney.

True & Legitimate.

A True Bill.

H. J. Duval  
Foreman.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT—FOURTH DISTRICT.

*William Thomas*  
 of No. *223 West 142* Street,  
 being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that on the *27* day of *November*  
*1885*, at the *22* Ward of the City of New York, in the  
 County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent,  
 by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the following property, viz:

*Good and lawful money  
 of the United States of the  
 amount and value of  
 seven dollars and 50 cts*

of the value *Seven 30* Dollars,  
 the property of *deponent*

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

*Edward Banks (Nowhere)*  
 from the fact. that while  
 deponent was on the *8th*  
 and *40th* Street about the hour of  
 one o'clock on the afternoon of  
 the above date he met the said  
 Banks who ask deponent for the  
 loan of fifty Cents. deponent said  
 he could not spare him fifty  
 Cents but would let him have  
 twenty five Cents and while deponent  
 was in the act of counting his  
 money for the purpose of

Sworn to before me this  
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Police Court

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leaving the said defendant the  
 sum of Twenty-five Cents. The said  
 Banks struck defendant a violent  
 blow on the face with his  
 clenched fist knocking defendant  
 down and at the same time  
 did take by force and violence from  
 the possession of defendant the within  
 mentioned money William <sup>his</sup> Holmes  
 sworn before me this  
 35<sup>th</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> day of November 1886  
 Wm. J. Burdett Police Justice

Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Robbery.

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Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

Dated

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

District Police Court.

Lawrence Banks 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. Lawrence Banks

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Virginia

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

Answer. 1411 W 2 of E

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Waiter

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

Answer. I am Not Guilty  
Lawrence Banks

Taken before me this 28th

day of May 1885

John J. Lawrence  
Police Justice.

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of 1000  
Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he  
give such bail.

Dated Nov 30th 1885

James J. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.



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BAILED,

No. 1, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 2, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 3, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

No. 4, by .....

Residence ..... Street.

The presiding Justice  
will please hear and  
determine the within case  
in my absence.

*P. G. Keuff*  
Police Justice

No 1

Police Court

District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*William Palmer*  
*223 West 42nd*

1 *Edward Banks*

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Dated *November 28* 189*5*

*P. G. Keuff* Magistrate.

*Jas. H. Riley* Officer.

*22* Precinct.

Witnesses

*John William Jackson*  
*147 W. 32nd*  
No. *22* Precinct Street.

*Jas. H. Riley*

No. *22* Precinct Street,

No. ..... Street.

\$*3.00* to answer General Sessions

*Ex Monday* *30th* *30th* *20*

(*OTM*)



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Edward Bander

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

of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said Edward Bander,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty-seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, in the day time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one William Adner, in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and one United States Treasury note of the denomination and value of five dollars, one Bank note of the denomination and value of five dollars, three United States Treasury notes of the denomination and value of two dollars each, seven United States Treasury notes of the denomination and value of one dollar each, and divers coins of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of seven dollars and fifty cents, of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said William Adner, from the person of the said William Adner, against the will, and by violence to the person of the said William Adner, then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away,

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

Samuel B. Martine,  
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1989

DESCRIPTION:

Barnillo, Herbert

DATE:

12/11/85



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Witnesses:

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No 88

24 Dec 15  
to hold

Counsel,

Filed //

day of Dec

1888

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

NA

Herbert Barnitt

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm J. Dwyer

of day 26/16 - Foreman

Pleaded to day 2 day

S.P. 6 400.

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Sections 498, 506, 528 - 5539

Swearing in the

Degree

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE  
Of the City and County of New York

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The People vs.

Asst.

Herbert Barnillo  
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City and County of New York SS:

John Killilea being duly sworn deposes and says; as follows:- I am a Detective, attached to the Central Office of the Police Force of the City of New York. On or about December 4th, 1885, I was specially detailed to investigate a burglary committed at No. 1143 Park Avenue, New York City, the residence of John J. Burchell, which burglary had been committed on the 2nd, day of December 1885, *between the hours of four and five P.M.*

In a conversation with Mr. Burchell, he told me that on the 2nd, day of December, some one had obtained an entrance to his house, and had taken therefrom the following articles of property belonging to him :

- ✓ Six Gold pins.
- ✓ Pair Opera Glasses
- ✓ Three Scarf pins
- ✓ Gold chain with locket
- ✓ One small enamel locket
- ✓ One diamond pin
- ✓ One ring containing seven diamonds
- ✓ Two solitaire diamond rings
- ✓ One silver watch
- ✓ Pair of Gold Eye glasses
- ✓ Four gold bangles.
- ✓ Silver dog collar
- ✓ Two old gold wedding rings.
- ✓ Two Gold broaches
- ✓ One Ambro-type of a gentleman
- ✓ One jeweled Buckle
- ✓ One Blood stone seal ring
- ✓ Six fancy gold rings
- ✓ One club badge
- ✓ An alligator pocket book
- ✓ A bunch of keys
- ✓ A brown overcoat
- ✓ Six linen handkerchiefs

All of the value of One thousand dollars.

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Having ascertained from correspondence had between Inspector Byrnes of this city, and the Chief of Police of Washington D.C.

that a person, answering the description of a man whom I suspected to have been implicated in this burglary, was imprisoned in said city of Washington, on the charge of Grand Larceny - I went there for the purpose of identifying him. On my arrival at the jail in Washington, where the above named defendant was confined, I saw him and had a conversation with him, in which he admitted to me that he had committed the burglary at Mr. Birchall's house, and had taken away and disposed of the property mentioned above.

I further asked said defendant where his place of residence was in Washington, and he told me at 478 Pennsylvania Avenue; I went to this place, and was allowed to go into his room by the lady who kept the boarding house. In that room I found a bunch of keys, which I brought away with me to New York. This bunch of Keys has been identified by Mr. Birchall as his property; and he states that they were in the house at the time the burglary was committed.

Sworn to this 11th. day of  
December, 1885, Before me

J. M. M. Davis,

Notary Public, N.Y.C.

John Killilea

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Baris

Cardinal  
Garcia



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COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

In the Name of the People of the State of New York, To any Sheriff, Constable,  
Marshal or Policeman in this State, GREETING:

An indictment having been found on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of Decr  
1885, in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, of the County of  
New York, charging Herbert Samilla

with the crime of Larceny second degree

**You are therefore Comanded** forthwith to arrest the above named Herbert  
Samilla and bring him before that Court to answer the indictment; or

if the Court have adjourned for the term, that you deliver him into the custody of the Keeper of the  
City Prison of the City of New York,

New York City, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1885.

By order of the Court,

[Signature]  
Clerk of Court.

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N. Y. General Sessions of the Peace

THE PEOPLE  
OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,


against

*Herbert Parnilla*

Bench Warrant for Felony.

Issued

*Dec 15* 188*5*

 The officer executing this process will make his  
return to the Court forthwith.

*(Duplicate)*

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DETECTIVE BUREAU  
Police Department of the City of New York  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,

NEW YORK.

Dec 25 1885

J. Burchell Esq.  
Dear Sir

There is nothing  
new in your card. I went to  
Washington last Friday with  
Bunch warrant for Wilson. (after  
having him indicted here) and saw  
the Dick Attorney there about him  
and he promised he would look  
into the matter and let us have  
him if possible. We are making  
every effort we can to have him  
brought on, and as the charge is  
in Washington against him is one  
that don't amount to much I

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Know if Dist. Atty. Martine would  
write to Mr. Worthington, the  
Dist. Atty. of Washington D.C.,  
asking him to let us have him  
he would do so

Until the prisoner is brought  
on I can do nothing further  
in the matter.

Yours Truly,

John Killian

Friend, Randolph  
Please answer  
me and do what you can  
for me after communicating  
with the Police Department  
John S. Pynchall

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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

*Herbert Barinella*

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

*- Herbert Barinella -*

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

The said *Herbert Barinella*.

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *second* day of *December*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, about the  
hour of *four* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *John J. Barinella*,

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, there being then and there some  
human being, ~~to wit~~.

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

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal,  
take and carry away,

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





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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1989

DESCRIPTION:

Barron, George

DATE:

12/09/85



1989

Officer Mulvey

Mr J Le Roche

C. Schmaltz

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No 40  
J. L. Brady

Counsel,

Filed

day of

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Pleaded *Not guilty* (18)

# THE PEOPLE

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George Barron

Burglary in the Third Degree.  
 Degree and Degree, First  
 [Sections 498, 506, 528, 530, 550.]

КАНПОЛПИ В. МАРТИНА

~~See 22/80~~ District Attorney.

Speedy Requested

# A True Bill.

Eng. & Purdie

## Foreman

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Police Court—1st District.City and County }  
of New York, } ss.:of No. 32 Vesey Street, aged 32 years,occupation Dealer in Hardware being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 32 & 34 Vesey Street,in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a five story iron buildingwith basement and sub-basementand which was occupied by deponent as a Hardware Establishmentand in which there was at the time <sup>no</sup> human being, by namewere **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly opening an  
iron shutter in the basement ofsaid premiseson the 5th day of September 1885 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Gold and  
lawful money of the United States  
consisting of Bank Bills of various  
denominations, silver coins & copper pieces  
amounting to Four Hundred and Fifty  
Dollars & Five Fifty-seven Silver and  
nickel watches the whole being valued  
at Seven Hundred and thirty five Dollars \$735.00  
the property of Deponentand deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
**BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away byGeorge Barron (alias Nick Fay) now here  
and another who is now in prison who was convicted  
as an accomplice in said Burglary  
for the reasons following, to wit: That at the hour of 10.30PM on said date Deponent securely  
locked and fastened the doors, windows  
and shutters of said premises. Deponent  
was informed by Constable Schultz  
that he had found a portion  
of said property in his room below  
said premises. Deponent is further

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informed by said Schultz that he  
Schultz saw said Defendant and the  
other man who is now in prison in said  
Liquor Saloon and upon asking said  
Defendant what he and the other  
was doing in said saloon; the one who  
is now in prison ran out of said saloon  
followed by Defendant. Dependent is  
further informed by Louis B. Roggenman  
of 704 Barclay that he Roggenman saw  
said Defendant and the one in prison followed  
by a crowd of boys running through Barclay  
who were yelling stop thief.

Dependent having  
identified the property found in  
Schultz saloon as a portion of the  
aforesaid property charges said  
Defendant with burglariously taking  
stealing, and carrying away said  
property.

Present to before me  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of November  
1885

*W. J. La Roche*

*John Norman* 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. Sited.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 26 years, occupation Barber of No. Louis B. Roggemann

4 Barclay Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William La Roche

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

Sworn to before me, this 29

day of Nov

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Louis B. Roggemann

John H. [Signature]  
Police Justice.



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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 37 years, occupation Ernest H. Schmullts  
Lignar Dealer of No. 182 Church Street, being duly sworn deposes and

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

Sworn to before me, this 29  
day of Nov 1888 Ernest H. Schmullts

John J. [Signature]  
Police Justice.