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Baker, James

DATE:

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TRIAL FOR

COUNSEL,

Filed 15 day of March 1880

Pleads

Indictment for Disorderly House

THE PEOPLE

vs.

James Cooker

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

L. M. [Signature]
Foreman.

James H. Marshall
Long Salem City
George H. [Signature]
Long Salem City
Stephen T. [Signature]
Mr. Clark [Signature]
Wm. A. [Signature]
102 Broadway

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That *James Baker*

late of the *Eight* - Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, on the *Thirteenth* - day of *March* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eight~~ *and on divers other days*
and times, between that day and the day of the taking of this Inquisition, at the City
and Ward, and in the County aforesaid, did keep and maintain, and yet continue to
keep and maintain, a certain common, ill-governed and disorderly house, and in *his*
said house, for *his* - own lucre and gain, certain persons, as
well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent
and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and
wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in *his*
said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said
other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting,
disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully,
did permit, and yet continues to permit, to the great damage and common nuisance of
the People of the said Ward, there inhabiting and residing, and of all the people there
passing, to the evil example of all others in the like case offending, and against the
peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Barus, Richard

DATE:

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Filed 15 day of March 1880

Pleas Not Guilty (19)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Assault and Battery.

Richard B. Baxo
(2 Cases)

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

D. M. Spence
Foreman.

Spence Court of
Spence Justice for
Herald at court of
the District Attorney
D. M. Spence

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

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

That *Richard Barus*

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

on the *seventh* day of *March* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms

One watch of the value of ten dollars -
One chain of the value of eight dollars

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Counsel,
Filed day of 187
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Richard B. [Signature]
E. [Signature]

INDICTMENT.
 Larceny from the Person.

BENJ. KAPHELPS,
[Signature]
 District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.
[Signature]
 Foreman.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss. :
OF NEW YORK.

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

That

Richard Barus

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the *seventh* day of *March* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Balthazar Meyer*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms unlawfully
did make an assault and *kill* the said *Balthazar Meyer*
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the
said *Balthazar Meyer* and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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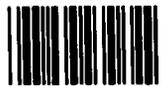
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Becker, Isabella

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Becker, William

DATE:

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Counsel, *W. Keeler*
Filed *10* day of *March* 188*0*
Keeler
Pleads *not guilty*.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Wm Becken
1
1 *Isabella Becken*

Indictment - Larceny.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.
Wm Keeler
Foreman.

Filed *10* March 11, 1880
Keeler
No 1 Pleads *not guilty*
S. P. Keeler
Note for assize entered a. to No 2.
Keeler

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FORM 89 1/2

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

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Margaret Miller
of No. *3 West 35th* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *27th* day of *February* 18*98*
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit: *the sum of said deponent's*
personal effects consisting of a diamond
brooch, a diamond ring, a diamond
ear ring, a diamond necklace and
some other articles of jewelry
value thereof all

of the value of *sixty* 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 *William Baker*
and William Baker (with assistance)
for the reason following to wit:
that on said day at the hour of
9:30 P.M. said deponent came
to the room of deponent in
said house no. 3 West 35th Street
where said deponent resides
together with *Bridge O'Keefe*
to call upon said *Bridge* that
deponent went out of the room
and *upstairs* and said *Bridge*
left the room also and went to
the kitchen of the same floor

Subscribed to before me, this

of

Police Justice

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(basement) and when Depone's
returned about five minutes after-
ward, said defendants were gone
and in respect above named was
missing from a room in a room
stand when standing in said room
and where in common in respect
said, proceeded and used a ladder
in said room said defendant
went into said room and removed
therefrom charges and said in
property was then stolen and
carried away by said William
Baker and Gabriel Baker acting
in concert. Defendant says he was
Maggie Baker

Sworn to before me
This 5th day of March 1881
10:00 am
C. W. Deury
Justice of the Peace

City & County of New York, B. Bridget Keefe
being duly sworn says that she has read
and is foregoing affidavit and that
part therein contained reference to her
is true. Bridget Keefe
Sworn to before me
This 5th day of March 1881
C. W. Deury
Justice of the Peace

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Isabella Baker being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Isabella Baker*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*Twenty-two years of age*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*New York City*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*52 Oliver Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Laundress*

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

Answer.—*I am not guilty
P. Balla Becker.*

Maxim C. Beckman
Taken before me, this
City of N.Y.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. }

William Baker being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*William Baker*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*Twenty two years, 11 age*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*New York City*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*52 Oliver Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Longshoreman*

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

Answer.—*I am not guilty*
William Baker

Maureen O'Sullivan
Taken before me, this
17th
day of *March*

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POLICE COURT - SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, & C.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Affidavit - Larceny

Maggie Walker
No. 37 30th St.

William Baker

Isabella Baker

DATED *March 6* 18*90*

M. M. ... MAGISTRATE.

Beckett OFFICER.

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WITNES: *Bradley & ...*

No. 8 ...

Witness

Witness

TO ANS.

BAILED BY

NO. STREET.

in default of answer

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

That

William Becker and Isabella Becker
Each -

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the ~~Twenty Eighth~~ day of ~~February~~ in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ ~~Eighty~~ at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms

Two earrings of the value of six dollars each
Two other earrings of the value of Twenty dollars
each -
One pin of the value of five dollars -
One cloak of the value of nine dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Maggie Maher

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Belmont, Mary

DATE:

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Filed 10 day of March 1850

Pleas

John S. Kelly

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Assault and Battery.

Mary Belmont

(20th Cal)

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John D. ...

Foreman.

March 10 / 1850

John S. Kelly

Only Prison 10 days.

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Form 11.

Police Court—Second District.

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

of No.

15 Presner

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the

4th March

day of

in the year 18*80*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Mary Schman

*(now here) who did throw
several brick bats
at deponent & injure him*

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, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

John Killilea

Sworn to before me, this
11th of March
1880
Police Justice.

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Form 11.



Police Court, Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John Kelly
15th Street
vs.
Mary Behan

AFRIDAVID A. & B.

Dated *March 5* 18*80*

[Signature]
JUSTICE.
OFFICER.

WITNESS:

[Signature]

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss. :
OF NEW YORK.

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

That

Mary Belmont

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the *fourth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *John Killilea*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms unlawfully
did make an assault and *hii* the said *John Killilea*
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the
said *John Killilea* and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Biete, William

DATE:

03/04/80



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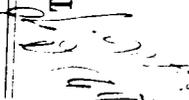
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Counsel,

Filed 4 day of March 1880

Pleads


 THE PEOPLE
 vs.
 William Rector
 Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True BILL.

John Sumner

John H. Foreman

March 1880

CP 2 1/2 year

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

William Beatty being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *William Beatty Beete*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty two years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *In Germany*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *240. E 75 Street.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *I work in Schaeffli's Brewery.*

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

Answer. *The watch and chain was lying alongside of the man on the ground and I picked it up.*

William Beete

Taken before me this

1 day of *March* 1887

William Beete
Police Justice.

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District Police Court—

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

of No. 238 East 44th Street,
being duly sworn, deposes and saith, that on the

Michael Fay.
29 day of July 1880

at the Ward of the City of New York,
in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, and from his person

the following property viz. :

One double case silver watch and
brass chain attached. Both of a value
of Ten 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 William Beatty, now present.

That said deponent had said watch and
chain in his vest pocket while in Central
Park, and was informed by the officers that
he arrested said Beatty with said watch
and chain in his possession.

Michael Fay
(mark)

City & County
of New York Jas. Hugh Martin of the 28th

Sworn before me this
1 day of March 1880—
Pastor Justice

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Peace Officer being duly sworn says that he arrested William Beatty now present and found the watch and chain in the inside pocket of his vest. That defendant denied having or taking said watch or chain.

Shown to before me }
this 1 March 1880.

Hugh Martin

~~Peace Officer~~
Police Justice

AFFIDAVIT - Larceny.

THE PEOPLE, vs.

THE COMPANY OF

Michael Day

234 & 44 St

vs.
William Beatty

Done 1 March 1880

H. MAGISTRATE.

Martin 28 OFFICE.

Hugh Martin
Peace Officer

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

That

William Bibe

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
twenty ninth day of *February* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *Eighty* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

*One watch of the value of Eight dollars,
One chain of the value of Two dollars
of the goods, chattels and personal property
of one Michael Jay on the person of
the said Michael Jay then and there
being found, from the person of the
said Michael Jay*

~~of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one~~

then and
there ~~being found~~, 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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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

William Piets

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

*One watch of the value of eight dollars -
One chain of the value of two dollars -*

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

Michael Jay

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

Michael Jay

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

William Piets

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously stolen,) 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.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Biglow, Thomas

DATE:

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Counsel,
Filed 5 day of March 1880
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

Indictment vs Larceny.

vs.

Thomas Diglow

BENJ. K. PHIPPS

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

Foreman.

Handwritten signatures and notes, including "James W. ...", "Phipps", and "Foreman".

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The People
vs.
ThomasCourt of General Sessions. Before Judge
Biglow Viewing. March 12, 1880.

Indictment for grand larceny -

Jacob Schwartz, sworn and examined, testified:
I am the complainant and am a merchant
tailor at 129 Canal St. corner of Varick. I rem-
ember the 24th of February. I know Biglow the pris-
oner. I did not know him before that day. I lost
a piece of beaver cloth 5 1/2 yards; the whole of
it was worth \$35.75; it was \$6.50 a yard. I found
out I lost it by a little boy coming into my
store and telling me my store is over with the
sidewalk; the piece of cloth was two or three
feet from the door; the cloth was rolled around
the board and hung down. I have not seen
the goods since. It was taken a little after
seven; it was dark then. Cross Examined:
I looked at the ~~watch~~ and know it was after
7, may be about 15 or 20 minutes after. I saw
the cloth about half a three quarters of an hour
before I missed it. I never said that the cloth
was outside of the store, it was inside. I pur-
chased it of Henry Trowbridge in Howard St.
between Broadway and Elm St. I paid \$6.50
The boy notified me of the larceny about half
an hour afterwards; he came into the store
and said he saw a boy running away with
a piece of cloth; the boy who told me sells

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papers (Charles Mearns is the boy. It was double width fine imported cloth that was stolen. Charles Mearns sworn and examined testified. I live in Spring St and sell papers for a living. I know where Mr. Schwartz's tailor shop is. I remember Tuesday the 24th of February I was selling papers. I was on the other side way and I seen that boy (the prisoner) take the cloth, he got it out of the store; it was on a board. I "seen" him come out with a piece of cloth, it was a big piece. I had seen the boy before that night many times around Spring St. I saw him go down Light St. I did not go after him. I am sure the prisoner is the boy. I told Mr. Schwartz about it a little while after as soon as I sold a paper to the man. I went with Mr. Schwartz to find the boy and he was arrested down at the corner of Broome and Sullivan Sts. (Cross Examined. There was no paper around the cloth. I am 9 years old. I go to Sunday school. I know that I will be punished. I saw the officer arrest the prisoner and take him to the station house. Jacob Schwartz recalled. My store is about 22 or 25 feet long. I did not see the prisoner in the store. I was in the back part of the store at the time; the cloth has not been found since. I asked

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the boy if he could identify the boy who stole the cloth? he said, "yes." I went with him to Sullivan near Broome St., about five blocks, and he pointed out the boy; I grabbed him and the officer came along; he struggled to get away from him. I told him what he was arrested for; there was a few more boys with him; they were talking together on the corner. I asked him about the goods and he denied taking them. I did not ask him if his name was John Murray. Thomas Biglow, sworn and examined in his own behalf testified: I am 18 years old. I do not know Mr. Schwartz; I never saw him previous to the evening of my arrest, I was not in the store on the evening in question. On Tuesday evening February 2^d, between the hours of 7 and 8 I was in the house. I left the house five minutes to 8 with my father; my father and mother were home that evening. I live in Veridam St. about five or six blocks from this store I work at Potash. Before Mr. Schwartz arrested me he asked me if I knew a boy named John Murray? I told him, "no;" then he asked me what my name was? I told him Thomas Biglow. I asked him what I had done and he did not tell me. I am not

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acquainted with Charles Hearn, I only know him by sight. Cross examined. I came home at 6 o'clock, I had been to work all day at the shop on 10th avenue. I went out of the house at 5 minutes to 8 o'clock, I looked at the clock when I went out. After supper I was reading story books, "Alice at Play" and "Cast up at Sea". The complainant told me when he arrested me that if I would tell him where the cloth was he would not prosecute me. I told him I did not know anything about the cloth. Joseph Biglow sworn. I live at 73 Vandam St, Tam a shoemaker; on Feb. 24 between 6 and 8 o'clock my son was at home; it was 5 minutes to 8 o'clock when we left the house. I had to go to a democratic meeting. Ellen Biglow, the mother of the prisoner, testified that he was at home to supper that evening (Feb. 24) and left 5 minutes to 8 with his father. Lafe Graff, sworn and examined, testified. I am Superintendent of the N.Y. Chemical works at 15 South avenue; the prisoner has been in my employ since the 4th of Sept.; he has always performed his duties faithfully. I do not know his associates. John Murray testified that he was with the prisoner on the evening of Feb. 24 at 5 minutes past 8. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty of the offence charged.

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N. Y. General Sessions

The People
vs
Thomson Beglow } Limited of Grand Jurors

City and County of New York ss.
Charles Thomson King duly sworn
deposes and says. I reside with
my parents at 209 Spring
Street in the City of New York. I
am nine years of age. I was
a witness for the prosecution
in this case on Friday last.
I said I was positive that the
defendant stole the cloth from
Schwartz's store at the corner of
Conel and Varick Street. I now
swear that that statement
was untrue, and that I did
not know positively that the
boy who came out of Schwartz's
store with the cloth on the
evening of July 25, 1880 was
Thomson Beglow. I told Mr
Schwartz I did not know as
Beglow was the boy then Mr

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Schwartz said in reply, say
he is the boy if he is or not
Mr Schwartz told me this
several times -

Mr Schwartz paid me
one dollar to testify against
Thomas Biglow and say
that was the boy

Sworn to before me

the 15th day of March 1880.

Charles Henry

Edward W. Proving

Notary Public

N.Y.C.

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W. H. G. ...

People
agent

Thomas ...

Assistant of
Charles ...

D. A. ...
Council,
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State, City and City of New York

Mrs Maggie Ahles being duly sworn deposes and says, that she is a resident of the city of New York and former undergrounds at her home No. 163 Waverly Place and is thirty two years of age, has known Thomas Biglow for the past three years and has employed him a great many times to carry parcels for her from the market and has always found him to be a honest, upright and truthful boy, he is very dull, stupid and weak minded.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March 1894
Mrs Maggie Ahles
J. A. Brown Commissioner
of Deeds of the City of New York

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State City City of New York
Herrod Beigler being duly sworn
deposes and says that he is a
resident of New York and lives at
No 25 Thompson Street, and was a
shoe maker for some time
Beigler is a man of some years and
during that time has seen him
as often as three times during each
week and he has often done
errands for me and I have al-
ways found him to be honest
upright and faithful and
he is in my opinion to be much
relied on and simple to deal
with and
sworn to before
me this 13th day of
March 1880,
I, A. B. Barnes, Thomas Beigler
Commissioner of Deeds
of the City of New York.

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State, County and City of New York,
James Mc Guinness being duly
sworn deposes and says that
he is sixteen years of age and
lives with his parents at No
121 Sullivan St - that ^{his boy} ~~his~~ ^{has} ~~has~~ been
acquainted with Thomas Biglow
for the past 4 years - that Biglow
reputation among the boys is
and has been that of an honest
unfright and quiet boy, and
the boys that go with him will
swear that they have always known
him to be honest - I never saw
arrested - I made the acquaintance
of a young man whose name I
do not remember on Wednesday
evening July 25 1880 he was in
the company of Dennis O'Brien
who for a long reputation - ~~was~~
I met them at the corner of
Sullivan and Spring Streets and
the following conversation took
place O'Brien asked me what
Biglow was arrested for I said
a man said he stole some
cloth at the corner of Canal &
Nassau Streets then they went with
O'Brien turned ~~my~~ ~~side~~ ~~in~~

the face and mistle to O'Brien
 and they both melted away,
 the young man (whose name I do
 not remember) is about the same
 size of Thomas Biglow and re-
 sembles him very much. I
 have tried my best to find
 him today but could not.
 Described and
 sworn to before
 me this 13th
 day of March 1880.
 J. A. Barnes
 Commissioner of Deeds
 of the City of New York.

James McGinnis

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State and City of New York
James L. Wells being duly sworn
deposes and says the murder in
the City of New York with my
parents at No 48 Thompson St
I am sixteen years of age, have
known Thomas Biglow at least
five years and have been with
him most every day and always
known him to be an upright honest
boy and as I never saw him
steal or attempt to steal anything
and he wouldn't know enough to
steal - the boys in the neighborhood
think they know who stole the
cloth but I don't know his name,
he is about the same age as
Thomas Biglow and resembles him
very much.

Subscribed and sworn

to before me this 13th

day of March 1880.

J. A. Burns Commissioner
of Deeds of the City of New York

James L. Wells

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STATE OF NEW YORK, } FORM No 1/2
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } SS. POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Jacob Schwartz

of No. *429 Canal* - Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *24* day of *February* 18 *80* -
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit:

*One piece of Beaver cloth containing
two yards and a half*

alt of the value of *Twenty five* Dollars,
the property of *Jacob Schwartz*

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 *Thomas Biglow*

*(now present) from the front
of that deponent is informed by
officer Charles Ahearn who
lives at No 204 Spring Street
that he saw him take the cloth from
siton No 429 Canal Street*

Jacob Schwartz

Sworn to before me this

25 day }
18 *80*

Police Justice

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City ^{and County}
of New York

Charles, Abraham residing
259 Spring Street being
out of town, he saw Thomas B. Co.
and went to see the property described
in said Schwartz affidavit from the
curator in his 125 St. New York Canal
Street

Sworn to before me Charles F. Abraham
this 24 day of July, 1880. ^{his} name

[Signature]
John J. [unclear]

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Thomas Biglow being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Thomas Biglow*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*Eighteen years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*Stamford.*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*23 Broadway st.*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*No work*

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

Answer.—*I am not guilty.*

Thomas Biglow

Taken before me, this

John W. ...
day of *March*
18*80*
Police Justice.

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Police Dept.
POLICE COURT SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank Scrimm
429 Central St.
Thomas Digdon

Arbitrate Larceny.

DATED *Feb 22* 18 *80*

Angus MAGISTRATE.
Kyran OFFICE

WITNESS:

500 TO ANS. *95-500*

BAILED BY _____
No. _____ STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

Thomas Biglow

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the ~~twenty fifth~~ day of ~~February~~ in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *Eighty* - at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms

*One piece of cloth of the value of thirty two
dollars and fifty cents.*

*Five and one half yards of cloth of
the value of six dollars each yard.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Isaac Schwartz

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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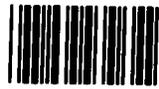
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DESCRIPTION:

Birdeck, George

DATE:

03/18/80



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of Trial,
counsel,
called
at
1878

THE PEOPLE,
vs.
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BIGAMY.

George Burdick

Appointed master/rec'd before
the Justice for examination

~~By~~
Remy, K. Hales
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. H. H. H.
Foreman.

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Mr. Benj^r K. Phelps -
District Atty

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People

Burdick.

Chas Burdick,
116 Suffolk.

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3^d District Polici Court
New York City

Caroline Bidick } Bigamy
George Bidick }

To Christopher Putzkins
419 East 25th St.

and Cornelius J. Whigham
116 Hester Street.

You, and each of you, are hereby
notified to produce the body of
George Bidick, dependant in the
above entitled case, for whom you
and each of you are bondsmen, -
at the Third District Polici Court,
No. 69 Essex Street, in the City of
New York, on Monday March 15th
1880 at 10 o'clock A. M. For
examination in the above entitled
Case.

J. M. Murray } Polici
} Justice

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

Third District Police Court.

of No. 197

Caroline Zigler
Flew

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the

24th

day of *November* 1879.

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

George Birdock, now deceased
did knowingly and feloniously inter-
marry with deponent and *that*
deponent to wife, he, the said *George*
Birdock, well knowing at the time
that *Donna Birdock*, his lawful
wife, was then living and in full
life.

That said ceremony of marriage
was duly performed and solemnized by
the *Reverend Francis J. Schneider*, a
minister of the Christian Gospel au-
thorized and empowered under the laws
of the State of New York to perform
the ceremony of marriage.

That deponent further says that
she and said *George Birdock*,
kind and cohabited together as
man and wife from the said
24th day of *November* 1879, and
until the *9th* day of *December*

Sworn to before me this
9th day of *January* 1880 } *Caroline Zigler*
9th day of *January* 1880 } *Notary Police Justice*

City and County } ss.
of New York }
Donna Birdock
of No. 150 *Livington Street*, in said city,
being duly sworn deposes and says
that she is lawful wife of *George*
and her present that

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deponent is duly married to said George at the City of New York, on the 31st day of July 1880, and that the ceremony of said marriage was performed by the Reverend Martin Grass a minister of the Christian Church - That said George and deponent did from and after said marriage live and cohabit together as man and wife.

Sworn to before me this }
9th day of January 1880 } Lonia ^{her} x Birdock ^{matr}

Wm Murray, Police Justice

adj. to March 11. 3. P.M.
adj. to Monday March
15/80 at 10 A.M.

[Handwritten signature]

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Monday March 14/80
10 A.M. adjourned at
3 P.M. March 14/80. adj. is
to March 11/80 at 3 P.M.

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Julie Court, Third District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Caroline Birdock
197 Allen St
116 Suffolk
vs.
George Birdock

Dated January 9th 1880

W. Murray
Magistrate.
Summons
Const.

Called on
#500. for box.
adj. to Jan. 24/80 11 A.M.
ad. Jan. 19/80 3 P.M.

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Fourth District Police Court,

57th Street, near Third Avenue.

New York, March 15th 1880

Benj. N. Phelps, Esq.
District Attorney &c.
Sir:

Caroline Bidick (Bigamy)
George W. Bidick

The defendant in this case
failing to appear in Court for
examination in Court.

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14th District Police Court,
57th Street, near Third Avenue.

New York, March 15th 1880

Genl. N. Phelps, Esq.
District Attorney, &c.
Sir:

Caroline Bidick (Prisoner)
George Bidick

The defendant in this case
failing to appear in Court for
examination in compliance with
the written Bond, I herewith
send the same to you for forfeiture

of \$1000
Very Respectfully
Yours,
Wm. H. Murray, District Attorney

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STATE OF NEW YORK, }
COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss. *Nathaniel W. Stilwell*
of ~~the~~ *the 3^d District Police Court Squad* ~~Stated~~
being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the *12th* day of *March*
18*89*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York

*deponent delivered and served a
true and correct copy of the aforesaid
notice upon Cornelius J. Wigham
at the residence of Miss Wigham
named in said notice (viz: 116 Hester
Street, Commanding Subj. Wigham
to produce in Court for examination
the body of George Bidwell in accordance
with the requirement of his Bond.
That deponent then and there personally
served said notice on said Wigham.*

Nathaniel W. Stilwell

Sworn to this
before me
J. M. Patterson
15 day of *March*
18*89*
Police Justice.

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

Charles J. Ferrigno
of the 3rd District Police Court Squad
being duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 15th day of March
1880, at the City of New York, in the County of New York, at 9³⁰ A. M.,

deponent delivered a true and correct
copy of the annexed notice to the
wife of Christopher Lutzkins at
the residence of said Christopher at
149 East 25th Street, Commanding
said Christopher to produce in Court
for examination the body of George
Birditt *pro accordance with his*
Obed. That deponent was then told
by the wife of said Christopher that he
was out of the city. That deponent had
previously called several times at said premises
to personally serve said notice on said Christopher.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March 1880.

Notary Public

John J. Ferrigno

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and was on each occasion informed
that said Christopher was not in
and could not be found.
Sworn to before me this 15th day of March 1880
Chas. Simmons

J. M. Parsons

POLICE OFFICE, THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Affidavit

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JUSTICE.

OFFICER.

Dated .

WITNESSES:

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

George Birdeck

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

on the *thirty five* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and *sixty one*

did marry *Louisa Birdeck*
and *her* the said *Louisa Birdeck*
did then and there have for *his wife* and that the said *George*
Birdeck afterwards, to wit, on the *twenty ninth* day of *November*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-*nine*
at the *City of New York in the County of New York*
aforesaid

with force and arms, did feloniously marry and take as *his wife*
one *Caroline Ziegler*
and to the said *Caroline Ziegler*
was then and there married, the said *Louisa Birdeck*
being then and there living and in full life, 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.

Benjamin K. Phelps
~~S. B. CARVIN~~, District-Attorney.

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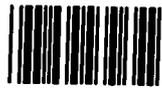
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Bohek, Mary

DATE:

03/08/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed,

Pleads

Day of *March* 1880
McGuire (v)

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Mary Bobik

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Violation Excise Law.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John Gunning

March 15th 1880,

*Foreman,
Pleas do / P. Court.*

Filed 15th

0624

Court of General Sessions

The People vs.

asst.

Mary Bohlk

City and County of New York: Mary Bohlk being duly sworn says that she is the defendant herein; that she is the wife of Frederick W. Bohlk and resides with him at No. 108 E. 119th St. in said city; that her husband keeps a grocery store at said No. and his family live in the upper part of the building; that the only entrance to the apartments where the family live is through the store; Depo- ment does not attend to the store or have any thing to do with the business, except on occasions when her husband and the boy em- ployed in the store are ^{both} absent. That on the 8th day of February last, defendant's husband was ~~sick~~ confined to his bed and the boy wishing to go and feed the horse requested defendant to stay in

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The Store while he was gone
and deponent did not: that
while she was there a man
came in and asked for
a glass of all and I gave him
a glass of all and he laid
down some money which
I took. I never sold a glass
of all in the Store before
or since that time and I
did not know or think that
I was violating any law.

I do not know anything about
the business as I am in the
Store very little and understand
there is no one else to sell
there. I am sure this was on
the 8th of February and not on
the 15th and I sold no all
on the 15th or at any other
time than the 8th and then
only one glass as I have before
stated except a pint of all which
she sold to one of the customers of the Store
before me this

15th day of March 1880 } Mary Buckle

New York

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City of New York

Frederick Wm Bohlk being duly sworn says that he is the husband of the above named defendant Mary Bohlk and that the statements contained in the foregoing affidavit made by her are true so far as the same are within deponent's knowledge.

Deponent keeps the store at No. 108 E. 119th St. in this city - and has a grocery license but does not sell any ^{alcohol} strong drinks by the glass or to be drunk on the premises and does not sell any ale or liquor on Sundays; that his wife does not attend the store except on rare occasions and he has never thought it necessary to give her any instructions about the sale of ale or liquor.

There is no bar in the place.

Deponent has been in the business for a long time and has always been careful to observe all the requirements

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of the law as to the sale of strong
drinks and the role of his
wife on the occasion spoken of
in her affidavit ~~were~~ without
his knowledge and would
not have been permitted if
he had known of it.

That Depoiment was given
at the time -

Given before me this
15th day of March 1880

J. W. Babb

Notary Public
New York

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Police Court. Fifth District.

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

Sidney H. Conklin

of No. *51 West 132* Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *Sunday the 15th* day
of *February* 1880 in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

At *Premises No 108 East 119th Street*
~~where he was selling intoxicating liquors and wines, kept for sale, and sold as a beverage,~~

Mary Bohlk (now ~~here~~) did then and there expose for sale, and did sell, caused, suffered and
permitted to be sold and given away, under his direction or authority, strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer,
being intoxicating liquors, to be drunk in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law : and did not
keep said place closed on said *Sunday 15th February 1880* as required by law.

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

Sworn to before me, this *16* day
of *February* 1880 }

Sidney H. Conklin
R. L. Morgan . POLICE JUSTICE

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POLICE COURT, FIFTH DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Sidney H. Banklin

vs.

Mary Bohlk

Violation of Excise Law.

Dated 16 day of February 1880

Morgan Magistrate.

(vi) Sinclair Officer.

Witness,

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans Gen. Secs.

By John Miller
2180. 3^d Avenue Street.

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

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

That

Mary Bohak

late of the *two* ~~four~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *fifteenth* day of *January* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty*, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to
wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of
whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of
beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor, to the
jurors aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one
time, to one

Sidney H. Conkline

; without having a
license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

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

Mary Bohak

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, then and there being a person duly
licensed according to law to sell spirituous liquors and wines on the day
and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same
being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with
force and arms, certain strong and spirituous liquors and certain wines, to wit: One
gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one
gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one
gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the jurors
aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, as a beverage, to one

Sidney H. Conkline

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Brogan, James

DATE:

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Filed 11 day of March 1850

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Assault and Battery.

B

James Boyard
(2 Cases)

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

L. B. Sperry
Foreman.

Filed 31. 1850.

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No. 27 BOWERY,
Choice Ales, Wines, Liquors & Segars
TABLE BOARD.
ROOMS BY THE NIGHT OR WEEK.
S. BATCHELOR, Prop.

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Ledgers

L. M. Day July 24

R. D. Hatch

(Wednesday)

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Form 11.

Police Court, Third District, Halls of Justice.

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

of No. *170 1/2 Ma. Team*

Wm. ...

Street,

on *Sunday* the *9th* day of *February*

in the year 18*80*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

James ...

who struck deponent with violence in the face with his fist and he did also hit deponent's head that deponent was so assaulted and beaten

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 the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this *9th* day of *February* 18*80*

John ...

John ...

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Form 11.

THIRD DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Wm. J. ...
50 ...

James ...

Date *February 7, 1880*

AFFIDAVIT A. & B.

MAGISTRATE.

OFFICER.

WITNESS:

Samuel ...
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The deft do
to be tried in the
Court of your Sep
& 300 TB & ...

Bailed by *William W. Blamally*
William W. Blamally & Street

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DR. S. J. WALSH,

32 MOTT STREET,

NEW YORK.

Office Hours { 10-12 A.M.
3-5 P.M.
6-8 P.M. }

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This is to certify that
Thomas Murphy is in full
a condition as to present
his appearance at Court
today.

Wm. J. Walsh,
32 Mott St.

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Form 11.

Police Court, Third District, Halls of Justice.

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

Thomas Murphy

of No. *77 Barclay*

Street,

on *Monday* the *9th* day of *February*

being ~~day~~ sworn, deposes and says, that

in the year 187*0* at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

James Regan (Murder)

Who struck this deponent on the head with a ~~cut~~ ^{cut} held there with one in his hand - two blows thereby ^{causing} ~~causing~~ ^{causing} ~~causing~~ ^{causing} the head of this deponent ~~all~~

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 the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this

day of *February* 187*0*
James A. Hammer

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POLICE JUSTICE.

James J. Murphy

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Form 11.

THIRD DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas J. [unclear]
[unclear] [unclear]

Alma [unclear]
[unclear] [unclear]

Dated

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2 Cases

[unclear] MAGISTRATE.

[unclear] OFFICER.

WITNESS:



The debt [unclear] and
she tried to [unclear] the
& 300 B to [unclear]
[unclear] [unclear]

Committed

Bailed by
William W. Shanley
334-5th Street

AFFIDAVIT A. & B.

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

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

That

James Brogan

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the *winth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Thomas J. Murphy*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, *with* force and arms unlawfully
did make an assault and *kill* the said *Thomas J. Murphy*
did then ~~and~~ there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the
said *Thomas J. Murphy* and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Filed 11 day of March 1850

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

James Borgan
(26ae) P

Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

John Gunning

Foreman.

James H. Ho

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

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

That

James Brogan

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the *ninth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Thomas J. Murphy*
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms unlawfully
did make an assault and *kill* the said *Thomas J. Murphy*
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage of the
said *Thomas J. Murphy* and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Brown, Edward

DATE:

03/03/80



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Day of Trial,
Counsel, *E. E. Price*
Filed *3* day of *March* 18*80*
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

BURGLARY—THIRD DEGREE.
NOTHING STOLEN.

92-10-11-1880

P.
Edward Brown

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Wm. Spence

Juryman.

Part for Mar. 10. 1880

Pleas PL

Pen: Six mths.

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

Patrick Campbell

of the South East corner of 2^d Avenue 100th Street, being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that the premises ~~at~~ at the South East corner of 2^d Avenue 100th
Street, 12th Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** broke and
entered by means of forcibly removing an Iron Bar from
the door of a New House ... built on the
side and against the said dwelling, with
intent to commit a crime,

on the night of the 22^d day of December 1879.
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz:

Twenty five Ducks, of the value of
Fifty Cents each, and Four live
Chickens of the value of Forty Cents
each, said property being in all of
the value of Eleven Dollars and
Sixty Cents.

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

Edmond Brown (mother)

for the reasons following to wit: That about the hour
of half past five o'clock on the
night of the 22^d day of December
1879, deponent caught the said
Brown in the said New House in
the act of driving the said Ducks
and Chickens away.

That at about the hour of half past
eight o'clock on the night of the said
day deponent had securely fastened the
door of the said New House by
placing an Iron Bar across the

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Police Court—Fifth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Edward Brown being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Edward Brown*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *21 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *N.Y. City*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *1811 2nd Avenue*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Laborer*

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

Answer. *I am not guilty. I was in the habit of reading of the complainant's wife & went there for that purpose & was, something under the influence of liquor*
Edward Brown

Taken before me, this *26*

day of *July* 18*80*

Wm. C. Plummer

Police Justice.

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38.

POLICE COURT—FIFTH DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Patricia Campbell
66 W. 2nd St. N.Y.C. 100 18
Edward Brown

Henry



May 26th 1880

Hammond

Magistrate

Sargis
23rd St.

Clerk

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence,

No. 2, by

Residence,

No. 3, by

Residence,

No. 4, by

Residence,

Witnesses
Myron & Hambley
South East corner of
2nd Avenue & 100th Street
\$500 to Mrs. Brown?

Received in Dist. Atty's Office.

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

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

That

Edward Brown

late of the *Twelfth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid,
on the *twenty-second* day of *December*, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and seventy-*nine* with force and arms,
at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the *New House* of

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, the said *New House*
being then and there a building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things
were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit; the same being the goods, chattels,
and personal property of

Patrick Campbell

with intent the said
goods, merchandise and valuable things in the said *New 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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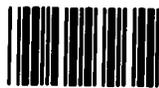
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DESCRIPTION:

Brown, Mary

DATE:

03/11/80



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III

Counsel, Detroit
Filed 11 day of March 1850
Pleas Not Guilty 17

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Mary Brown

vs.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True BILL.

D. H. Johnson

Foreman.

John Johnson

John Johnson

April 13

The name of the
books in that case
is read and the
Complainant who
was his clerk
he found - Rec? this
information from
them. He has my
April 13 1850

John Johnson
John Johnson

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District Police Court

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

William Russell

of No. 294 Grand

Street,

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 22 day of October 1879 at the City of New York,

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

the following property, viz.:

One pair of Grover's Brass guns say about 50 yards in all of the value of ten dollars

the property of Cornelius Killeen gun in care and charge of deponent

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

from the fact that deponent saw said Mary take and steal said property from the front of the aforesaid premises and carry the same away and from the further fact that deponent found the aforesaid property concealed under her cloak on her person

William B Russell

Sworn before me this 23rd day of October 1879
Police Justice

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District Police Court:

THE PEOPLE, & c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William Prosser

297 Grand St

Mary Prosser

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny. *111 I 23*

DATE: *Oct 23* 1879

Huffy
MAGISTRATE.

Geo
OFFICE.



WITNESSES:
John A. [unclear]
General [unclear]

DEPOSITED BY *John A. [unclear]*
107 [unclear]
107 [unclear]
107 [unclear]

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

Many Brown

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the
twenty second day of *October* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and seventy-*nine* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,
with force and arms,

*fifty yards of cloth (of the kind
commonly called dress-goods) of
the value of twenty cents each yard —*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

William Brasel then and
there being found, 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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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

Mary Brown

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

*fifty yards of cloth (of the kind
commonly called dress-goods) of
the value of twenty cents each
yard*

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

William Brassel

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen of the said

William Brassel

unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said

Mary Brown

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
stolen.) 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.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Burke, John

DATE:

03/02/80



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Counsel,
Filed *2* day of *March* 18*80*
Pleads

John Burke
vs.
THE PEOPLE
vs.
Indictment of Larceny.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True BILL.
John Burke
March 2 1880
Foreman
Heads guilty
Pen 60 days.

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

Frederick Orgill

of No. 84 Chamber

Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the

28

day of

February

1880

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

the following property, viz:

One Dozen Razors

of the value of

two 70/100

Dollars,

the property of

Fred Niebusch and Ernest Hilger

Partners and in care and charge of deponent

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

John Burke (now here)

for the reason that deponent saw said defendant take the aforesaid property and conceal the same under his coat and walk out of said premises

wherefore deponent charges said John Burke with taking, stealing and carrying away the aforesaid property

Frederick Orgill

Sworn to, before me,

of

February 28

1880

day

Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

..... being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer,

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Question. Where do you live?

Answer

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Taken before me, this

day of

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Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss.

POLICE COURT - FIRST DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE

John Burke

On complaint of

Frederick Oregill

For

Larceny

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

DATED.

February 28 1878

J. H. Wilbur *John Burke*

POLICE JUSTICE.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK.

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

That

John Burke

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, afore-
said, on the *twenty eighth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty* at the Ward, City and County
aforesaid, with force and arms

*twelve razors of the value of twenty
cents each —*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of ~~one~~

*Frederick Wiebuck
and Ernest Hilger*

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Butler, James

DATE:

03/25/80



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Counsel,
Filed 25 day of March 1880
Pleads Not Guilty 25.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
James Butler
Burglary, First Degree, and
Grand Larceny.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

D. J. Sperry
Foreman.

Verdict of Guilty should specify of which count.
Court for March 24, 1880
pleads Burg 3.
S. P. Quevedo H. USA

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Police Court, Second District

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Deponent
William Geagen

of No. 3 Saint Luke's Place) Street, being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that the premises No. 3 Saint Luke's Place,
Street, 9 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means forcing the outside Blinds open and raising the
curtain on the first floor of said premises and entering
said premises through said opened window

on the day of the 17th day of March 1880
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz.:

Household furniture, both useful and
ornamental, in all of the value of
One Hundred Dollars and more

the property of Abel Suvis but in deponent's care
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that
the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property ^{attempted to be} stolen
and carried away by *James Butler (nowhere)*

for the reasons following, to wit: That deponent caught
said James Butler in said premises

William Geagen
Sworn to before me this 17th day of March 1880
Meredith
Deputy

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POLICE COURT—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Leagen
3 St Luke Place

James Sutter

Dated *3/17* - 18*80*

Albany Magistrate.
Vouch 9 - Officer.
— Clerk.

Witnesses,
James Leagen
3 St Luke Place
Thomas Watch
9 Orchard

Committed in default of \$ *500* bail.

Bailed by *James Leagen*
No. *1* Street *2*

OFFENCE—Burglary and Larceny.

James
Leagen
3 St Luke Place

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

James Butler being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*James Butler*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*35 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*U.S.*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*435 Hudson St*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Jim Smith*

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

Answer.—

I am not guilty

James Butler

Taken before me, this

Muon

17
day of *March* 188*8*

John J. Sullivan
Judge

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

James Butler being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to *him*, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*James Butler*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*35 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*U.S.*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*435 Houston St*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Bin Smith*

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

Answer.—

I am not guilty

James Butler

Taken before me, this

17

day of *March* 188*8*

John
Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

James Butler

late of the *ninth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid,

on the *Seventeenth* day of *March* in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~eighty~~ *eighty*
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

Jeanette Leagen
(there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter by means of
forcibly breaking open an outer window of said
dwelling house
whilst there was then and there some human being to wit, one *Jeanette*
Leagen within the said dwelling-house he, the said

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit, the goods, chattels, and
personal property of *Abel Lewis*

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.

~~And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further predict that~~
~~afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County~~
~~aforesaid, about the hour of~~ o'clock in the ~~time of said day,~~
~~the said~~

~~late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,~~

~~of the goods, chattels, and personal property of~~

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.