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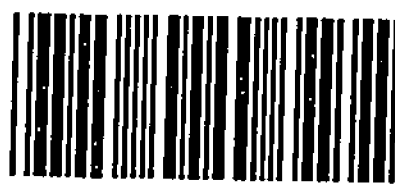
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**DESCRIPTION:**

O'Brien, John

**DATE:**

10/23/89



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Witnesses:

Michael J. Micham

Off. Rich. J. Sullivan

12<sup>th</sup> Precinct

Ellen Minnata

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Counsel,

Filed

Day of

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Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John O'Brien

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE  
and Grand Larceny, first degree  
(Section 498, 506, 528, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Joseph J. McEntee

A True Bill.

Wm. L. Cole Foreman.

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Part III November 15/89  
Tried and Acquitted

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Police Court, Third District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 656 Water Street, aged 37 years,  
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 656 Water Street, Devon Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a four story brick

tenement, the store my first floor of

and which was occupied by deponent as young store and

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

Bearings  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly

the front room door fastenings

and forcibly opening the window

of the back room

on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October 1889 in the night time, and the

following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One Unmanned Dollar

in lawful current money

of the United States, One Gold

Watch, and One Silver Watch,

Two Silver Spoon,

One Brass Pin, and One

Revolver of the total value

of three hundred and thirty

five dollars (\$ 335)

the property of Complainant's husband

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

John Brown (nowhere)

for the reasons following, to wit: At half past (8)

eight o'clock on said

night my said room

well locked, bolted and effectively

closed, and between half

past eight and nine o'clock

on said night deponent

found said room door open

and said property gone, and



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as said O'Brien was seen  
hanging around said  
premises all of said Day  
(October 6<sup>th</sup>) in Company  
with a man (Morris J. Sweeney)  
now held and who said that  
the Defendant O'Brien was  
implicated in said Burglary  
therefore Dependent Charges will  
be against O'Brien, with  
pregnantly stating said  
charges and taking, stealing  
and carrying away said property  
and saying that he be dealt  
with as they can see  
Margaret Sweeney  
O'Brien before me  
this 17<sup>th</sup> of October 1889  
J. C. Duff Police Justice

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

Dated 1889 Police Justice.

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

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

Police Court, District,	Offence—BURGLARY.
THE PEOPLE, &c., on the complaint of	
1.	
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Dated 1889	Magistrate.
	Officer.
	Clerk.
Witness.	
No.	Street.
No.	Street.
No.	Street.
\$	to answer General Sessions.



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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

3 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Taken before me this  
day of *July* 188*8*

Police Justice

*Am not guilty*  
*John A. O'Brien.*

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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*  
*Twenty* guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Twenty* 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..... 18..... *John J. Buckley* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 18..... 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..... 18..... Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence Street.

No. 2, by

Residence Street.

No. 3, by

Residence Street.

No. 4, by

Residence Street.

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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Dated

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Magistrate.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

No.

No.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

*against*

*John O'Brien*

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,  
accuse *John O'Brien*

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

The said *John O'Brien*,

late of the *Seventh* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *sixth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, with force and arms, in the  
— *night* — time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the  
dwelling house of one *Michael J. Meehan*.

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, with intent to  
commit some crime therein, to wit: with intent, the goods, chattels and personal property  
of the said *Michael J. Meehan*,  
in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and  
there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, against the form of  
the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the  
State of New York, and their dignity.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

\_\_\_\_\_ *John O'Brien* \_\_\_\_\_

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

The said *John O'Brien*, \_\_\_\_\_

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

*the sum of one hundred dollars in money, lawful money of the United States of America, and of the value of one hundred dollars, one watch of the value of one hundred dollars, one chain of the value of thirty dollars, one other watch of the value of twenty dollars, six spoons of the value of two dollars each, one breast pin of the value of five dollars, and one pistol of the value of ten dollars,* \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Michael J. Meehan*,

in the dwelling house of the said *Michael J. Meehan*, \_\_\_\_\_

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

*John R. Fellows,*  
~~*District Attorney*~~

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**DESCRIPTION:**

O'Brien, Mary

**DATE:**

10/31/89



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Witnesses:  
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Mary Burke  
Off. John Canavan  
4<sup>th</sup> Prec.

Counsel,  
Filed  
Pleads,  
31 day of Oct 1889  
Not guilty - check

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Mary O'Brien  
Assault in the Second Degree.  
(Section 218, Penal Code).

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.  
M. L. Cole Foreman.

Spec. & Connected  
214<sup>th</sup> & 1889  
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Police Court— / — District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mary Burke  
of No. 81 Oliver St. aged 26 years ~~Street, no~~  
occupation ~~bookman~~ being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on Thursday the 24 day of October

in the year 1889 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

§ he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and ~~BEATEN~~ by Mary O'Brien  
(maiden) who wilfully and maliciously  
threw a quantity of vitrol over  
and upon deponent's face  
and clothing injuring her  
severely

with the felonious intent ~~to take the life of deponent~~ or to do her grievous bodily harm; and without  
any justification on the part of the said assailant :

Wherefore this deponent prays that the said assailant may be ~~apprehended~~ and bound to answer  
for the above assault, etc., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 25 day } her  
of Oct 1889 } Mary Burke  
mark

D. J. O'Brien POLICE JUSTICE.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Mary O'Brien*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*34 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Wales*

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

Answer.

*32 Cherry St 9 mos*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Seamstress*

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 done it in self defence*

*Mary O'Brien*  
*her*  
*mar.*

Taken before me this  
day of **OCTOBER** 188

*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 Lejondant

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

Dated Oct 25 18 89 Doyle Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ 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 Lyndon

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

Dated Oct 25 18 89 Do J. C. Hill Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18..... 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.....18..... Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

Street.

No. 2, by

Residence

Street.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street.

No. 4, by

Residence

Street.

Police Court--- / 1622 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary Burke

vs.

Mary O'Brien

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Offence *Assault*

Dated

Oct 25

1889

D O Reilly

Magistrate.

Conan

Officer.

Precinct.

Complainant committed  
to the House of Detention  
in default of \$100 to  
postage

Subpoena

No.

\$100

RECEIVED  
OFFICE  
1889  
to answer

Committed



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The People  
vs.  
Mary O'Brien.

Court of General Sessions, Part I.  
Before Recorder Smyth.

Thursday, November 7, 1889.

Indictment for assault in the second degree.

Mary Burke sworn and examined by Mr. Parker.

Where do you live? 81 Oliver Street in this city.

You are in the House of Detention now, are you not, as a witness in this case? Yes. Do you know the Defendant?

Yes, I am acquainted with her. How long have you known her? About a year I should think, I could not say really

how long. Will you state the circumstances of this assault on the 24th of October? That evening another girl

and me went into the store and she was in the store, she said she would get square with some bitch that night.

What time of night was this? About eight o'clock and the store was Quinn's at the corner of Cherry Street and James' Slip, it was a liquor store and she was in there.

The girl who was with me asked her who could she get square on? There was a few words passed but what they were I could not say, I followed them, the girl and her, there was another girl there, I don't know her name and so the three went out. Then after that was over she returned and somebody halloed to me to look out for myself and as I turned around I was standing with my arm like that (showing) and got the bottle in the side of the face, I halloed out, I was blinded and all my face was burned; the Defendant threw the bottle, I saw it in her hand; we took the bottle up to Chamber Street Hospital with us and that is the bottle that the doctor has now; the bottle struck me on the left side of the cheek. What dress

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did you have on? I had a blue jersey on I went up to the Station House then after that. Did you feel any pain? Yes, it was burning me all along the side of my face, then the doctor put some stuff on my eyes twice. Did the officer come? Yes, and he arrested the Defendant, I was not with him, there was another friend with me when he arrested her. After she threw the bottle at you did she leave the store or remain in there? Yes sir, she left the store. Did you fall down or did you stand up all the time after this thing was thrown? I did not fall down, I took my apron and put it up to my face and said I was blinded. You got it in your left eye? Yes. Did she throw this stuff after you? She threw the bottle without any cork in it and the bottle hit me on the side of the face. Where had she been do you know? I do not know. Did you say anything to her before that? or have any quarrel or dispute? No sir, I never had any dispute or words with the woman, she said four girls beat her, she tore her clothes with temper and with her teeth in the afternoon. Where did you go after you were struck? I went up to Oak Street. Did you walk, who took you? The girl that was in the store. Did you go to the Station House, you complained there and she was arrested? Yes, the man at the Station House told me to go to the doctor's, I went to the hospital and staid there only about an hour, I came down and was locked up that night in Oak Street and the next day I went to the House of Detention. The stuff got all over my dress and burned it, the dress is now in the House of Detention. When I went to the Station House there was no doctor sent for, I went

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up to the Dispensary myself, the Sergeant told me to, I went to the Chamber Street Hospital and saw a doctor there, he dressed my face and put some medicine in my eyes to take the poison out, I commenced to cry, I thought it better to have the pain out. Did you go back to where you live? No, I went down to the Station House and I was looked in for a witness and then I was taken to the House of Detention. Did you hear any conversation between the Defendant and the Officer after this? No sir, I did not pay any attention to what was going on. She said in the Station House, I heard her say that she had a man, I took a man away from her. That was Wednesday night that man was a stranger to her as to me. She was in the cell and she said she done five years and no matter where she would catch me she would lick me. That she done five years and was willing to do five more? Yes, she said she done five years.

Cross Examined. This liquor saloon was on the corner of Cherry Street and James Slip. You and this woman have been chums for some time? No, we have been no chums, we have always spoken to each other. You are both in the same business, are you not? Yes. Both sporting women, you met in the saloon this day and had been together during the day? Yes, she was down in the store where I was. You had been together drinking? No sir, not drinking, in the morning we had a drink but not after that, that was about nine in the morning. What time in the day was this when you had the trouble with her? About eight o'clock at night, down at the corner of Oliver and South Streets. Whereabouts, out on the street or in the liquor store? Yes, right in the store. Who



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else was present then? There was two more girls, Nell Gilroy and Minnie Callahan. Are either of them here? No. This Minnie Callahan is the one you speak of as being there that evening. She is not here that you know of, you have been in the House of Detention have you since that? Yes. Who have you talked with about this case? I did not talk to nobody only up in the Tombs. There are no scars or burns on your face? No sir, but last Thursday my face was all sore. How far were you from the Defendant at the time the soda water bottle was thrown at you? As far as from here to the railing, I was standing at the doorway and she came into the door, they told me to look out, I saw the bottle in her hand as she raised it, there was no cork in the bottle at the time.

John Canavan sworn and examined, testified:

You are attached Officer, to the 4th precinct in this city? Yes sir. You arrested the Defendant on the 24th of October? Yes sir. Please state the circumstances? I arrested her in Chamber Street and took her to the Station House about half past eight o'clock in the evening and I had the complainant identify her at the Oak Street Station House. Tell me what conversation if any you had with her and what she said to you? I asked her what she done it for? She told me she had an arrangement made with a man for five dollars to go with him that night and the Defendant and the other one came around and took him away from her. Anything further? That is all. Did she say anything as to why she done this? She said she felt sore after being beat out of her man; she said she was better



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looking that she was. Was that all that was said? That is all. After that what did you do with her, after you arrested her where did you take her? I took her to the Station House. Her pedigree was taken at the Station House? Her pedigree was taken. She was locked up in a cell? Yes sir. Did you have any conversation with her after that or hear anything said by her? No sir. Did you go to the Hospital with Mary Burke? No sir, I had her in the house when Mary Burke came back from the Hospital. Did you see Mary Burke? Her left eye and face was burned and her cheek and part of her dress, she had what they call a jersey waist on. Where did she go do you know, to what hospital? She went to the Chamber Street Hospital.

Mr Parker: I will have the doctor here in a few minutes to state the injury.

Mary O'Brien sworn and examined in her own behalf, testified: I am the Defendant in this case, I was down South Street, I picked up a sailor, he had a check for thirty-five dollars, he asked me to take a drink, I brought him into a saloon and he gave me a couple of drinks, he treated all hands, men and women in the box, he gave me three dollars, *and I went to bed with him*, I got a bottle of whiskey and a quart of beer in that hotel. He told me to bring him to No. 4 and I was so drunk I brought him to No. 12 and I brought him back to No. 1 James Street, I was drunk; he put his head on my elbow and fell asleep and when he woke up he had no money in the pocket; four or five girls took me by the hair of the head and beat me and tore all

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my clothes off and knocked me down, I went out into the big yard and there was a bottle there, I did not know what was in it I was so drunk, I fell two or three times, I fired the bottle, I did not know what was in it, it was a soda water bottle, I picked it up in the water closet and fired it at her, the water-closet is connected with the liquor saloon where I was drinking, I picked the bottle up and threw it at her at once and that is all there is of it.

Cross Examined.

When I left that liquor store to go to the water-closet I did not intend to assault anybody. You went to the water-closet, you picked up this bottle, you came all the way back and fire it? Yes. What did you bring the bottle back for? I done it to defend myself because they dragged me right back again. Did not you want to get square with them because they beat you? Yes, I tell the truth. Was there anybody striking you at the time you threw the bottle? Yes, one right behind me took me by the shawl, Mary Burke's pal, a girl, I don't know her name; she did not have me by the hair of the head when I threw the bottle but she had five minutes before that. You went away, came back and brought the bottle back with you? Yes. You did not know what was in the bottle at all? No sir, so help me God, I did not. I was on the Island once ten days for being drunk. I have never been in the Penitentiary, I have been up four or five times for being drunk.

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty of assault in the second degree.

The Doctor afterwards informed the Recorder that the bottle contained hydro-chloric acid.

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The jury returned a verdict of guilty of assault

with deadly force of the first degree.

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Testimony in the  
case of  
Mary O'Brien

filed Oct. 1894



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, / DISTRICT.

John Canavan  
of the 4th Precinct Police Street aged years,  
being duly sworn deposes and says  
that on the day of 1889

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Mary Burke the  
within named Complainant being duly  
sworn is a necessary and material  
witness against Mary O'Brien -

Deponent says that she has no  
permanent place of abode and  
asks that she give surety for her  
appearance to testify

John Canavan

Sworn to before me, this  
of 1889 day

Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

*Mary O'Brien*

THE GRAND JURY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, by this indictment, accuse

*Mary O'Brien*

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

The said *Mary O'Brien*,

late of the City and County of New York, on the *Twenty-fourth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

*Mary O'Brien*,

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault; and the said *Mary O'Brien* did then and there feloniously and wrongfully cast and throw upon the head with a certain *which* the said *and having of her the said Mary O'Brien, a quantity of a certain corrosive fluid known as oil of vitriol* in *right hand* then and there had and held, the same being then and there a weapon and an instrument and weapon, likely to produce grievous bodily harm, and then, the said *Mary O'Brien*, with the said *oil of vitriol*, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat *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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SECOND COUNT—

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

Mary O'Brien

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

The said Mary O'Brien,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the said Mary O'Brien,

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make another assault; and the said Mary O'Brien feloniously ~~did then and there wilfully and wrongfully cast and throw~~ <sup>the said</sup> ~~upon the head and body of the said Mary O'Brien,~~ <sup>with a certain</sup> ~~a quantity of a certain corrosive fluid called oil of vitriol,~~ <sup>which</sup> ~~and then the said Mary O'Brien, with the said oil of vitriol~~ <sup>the said</sup> ~~in~~ <sup>right hand then and there had held, in and upon the</sup> ~~head and body of~~ <sup>the said</sup> Mary O'Brien,

then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully ~~strike, beat~~ <sup>bruise and</sup> wound, and did then and there and by the means aforesaid, feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict grievous bodily harm upon the said Mary O'Brien, to the great damage of the said Mary O'Brien, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**JOHN R. FELLOWS,**

*District Attorney.*

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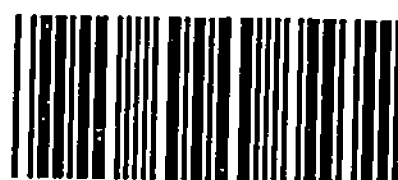
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O'Brien, William

**DATE:**

10/28/89



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Witnesses;

Off. J. H. O'Leary  
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Counsel,  
Filed  
Pleads,  
18<sup>th</sup>  
Oct  
29<sup>th</sup>

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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William O'Brien

Transferred to the Court of Special  
Sessions for trial and final disposition.

Part 2...1889...1888.

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.  
(Section 219, Penal Code.)

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

12<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1889 U.M.D

A True Bill.

Mr. L. Cole  
Foreman.

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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 O'Brien*

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

*William O'Brien*

of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE, committed as follows.

The said

*William O'Brien*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fifth*  
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
*eighty-nine* at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Timothy*  
*H. O'Leary* in the peace of the said People then and there being, with force  
and arms, unlawfully did make an assault, and *him* the said *Timothy*  
*H. O'Leary* did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and ill-treat, to the great damage  
of the said *Timothy H. O'Leary* against the form of the  
statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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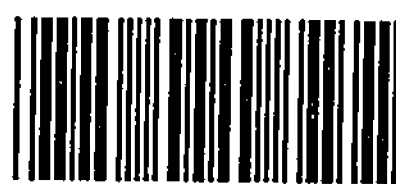
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O'Connor, John

**DATE:**

10/10/89



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Witnesses:

Harvey H. Chasman

Off. doc. prev. custody children

Patrick Cullen

Counsel,

Filed

day of

1889

Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.  
(SELLING TO MINOR).  
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Ed.) p. 1982, § 15.]

John O'Connor

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JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

McL. Foreman.

Complaint sent to the Court  
of Special Sessions,

Part III, Oct. 14, 1889.



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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John O'Connor*

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

*John O'Connor*

of a MISDEMEANOR, committed as follows:

The said

*John O'Connor*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the

*twenty-eighth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the City and County aforesaid,

certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wine, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of  
wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of  
cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of  
lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury

aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell to one *Patrick Cullen*  
who was then and there *actually and apparently* a minor under the age of *seven* years, to wit: of the age of

*five* years, as *the said* *John O'Connor*  
then and there well knew and had reason to believe; against the form of the statute in such  
case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York,  
and their dignity.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

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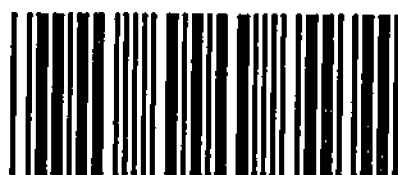
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O'Connor, John

DATE:

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John A. Neely  
Capt. A. P. Van Name  
J. & J. - pres

day of *Oct*. 18*89*

vs.

John O'Connor

Engineering in the Third degree.  
 Civil Engineering  
 and Accounting  
 [Section 408, Art 6, 25th Feb 1901.]

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

# A True Bill

Foreman,  
 Mr. R. C. Cole,  
 Chicago, Ill.  
 Dear Mr. Cole,  
 P. C. 34958 13 mo.  
 R. C. H.

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John O'Connor*

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

*John O'Connor*

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

The said

*John O'Connor*

late of the *Fifth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *eighth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty-nine*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *store* of one

*John A. Neely*

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

*John A. Neely*

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



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SECOND COUNT—

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

of the CRIME OF

*Petite* LARCENY

committed as follows:

The said

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

*forty-four shoes of the value  
of fifty cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

in the

*store*

of the said

*John A. Neely*  
*John A. Neely*  
there situate, then and there being found, *in the store* 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.

0490

THIRD COUNT—

AND THE GRAND JURY AFORESAID, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*John O'Connor*  
of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said

*John O'Connor*  
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,

*forty-four shoes of the  
value of fifty cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

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

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

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

JOHN R. FELLOWS,  
District Attorney.

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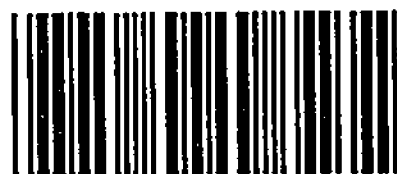
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**DESCRIPTION:**

O'Keefe, Charles

**DATE:**

10/28/89



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4<sup>th</sup> Recd

## Pleads,

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[Sections 528, 58/ — Penal Code].

Charles O'Keefe

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

*District Attorney.*

Charles J. G. McG

**A True Bill.** *O. L. 3 yrs 6 mos*  
*R. B. M.*

Foreman,

Foreman

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.of No. 407 East 16<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 30 years,  
occupation Shoemaker being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of October 1889 at the City of New  
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of a  
person of deponent, in the day time, the following property, viz:One watch and chain of the  
value of Fifteen dollarsthe property of deponentand that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen,  
and carried away by Charles O'Keefe (now here)for the reasons that on said day  
deponent was walking through Pearl  
Street and watch had said watch  
in a pocket of the vest then worn on  
his person which watch was attached  
to said chain. That the defendant  
seized said chain and pulled said  
watch from the pocket and ran  
away with said propertyJoey ThomasSworn to before me, this 14<sup>th</sup> day  
of October, 1889J. W. Hunt  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Charles O'Keefe*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

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

Answer. *Flushing Ave Brooklyn; 6 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Moulder*

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*

*Charles O'Keefe*

Taken before me this *14th*

day of *October* 188*7*

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 Fifteen 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 Oct 14 1889 Dr. J. C. Smith Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18..... 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.....18..... Police Justice.

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DAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court---

1541 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph Tobias  
407 East 16 St  
Charles O'Keefe

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

Dated Oct. 14 1889

O'Reilly Magistrate.

Panavan Officer.

4 Precinct.

Witnesses John Panavan

No. 4th Precinct Street.

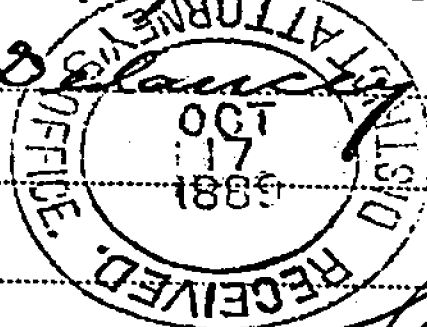
Compt. of Thaddeus Thaddeus

No. 25 Delaunoy Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$15.00 to answer

COMMITTED.



Officer of Prison

Person



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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Charles O'Keefe*

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

*Charles O'Keefe*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows :

The said

*Charles O'Keefe*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirteenth*  
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty-*nine*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms,

*one watch of the  
value of ten dollars and one  
chain of the value of five  
dollars*

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

*John R. Fellows,  
District Attorney.*

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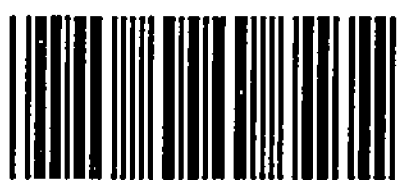
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**DESCRIPTION:**

O'Sullivan, Maurice

**DATE:**

10/25/89



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Witnesses:

Margaret Meehan  
Off. Richard Sullivan  
12<sup>th</sup> Street

Counsel,  
Filed 25 day of Oct 1889  
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Maurice O'Sullivan

John R. Fellows

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.

Burglary in the THIRD DEGREE  
(Section 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000)

A True Bill.

W. L. Cole Foreman.  
J. P. 4 Mrs. P. M.  
J. P. 4 Mrs. P. M.

0500

Police Court—J District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 656 Water Street, aged 37 years,occupation Housekeeper being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No. 656 Water Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Wardin the City and County aforesaid the said being a three story brickbuilding, one half of first floor ofand which was occupied by deponent as a dwellings place~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking opena door leading into saidpremiseson the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October 1889 in the night time, and the following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Good and lawful money  
of the United States of the  
amount and value of one hundred  
dollars, one gold watch with gold  
chain and clasp attached valued  
at one hundred and thirty dollars,  
one silver watch valued at thirty  
dollars, one half dozen silver spoons  
valued at one dollar, one brass pin  
valued at three dollars, one watch  
valued at three dollars, the whole being  
valued at three hundred and eleven dollars,  
the property of Michael Meek and 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 byMaurice Sullivan(Now here)for the reasons following, to wit: at about the hour of

five o'clock on said date deponent  
securely locked and fastened  
the doors and windows of said  
premises the said property being  
in a bureau drawer in said prem-  
ises. Deponent at about the hour  
of eight o'clock on said day  
found the said door broken



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open and said property missing  
she is informed by Officer Richard  
Sullivan (her present) that he  
Sullivan found in the possession  
of the defendant a small timepiece  
a silver watch, which watch defendant  
has since seen and identified  
as being a portion of the property  
which was burglariously taken  
stolen and carried away.

Sown to be sworn  
This 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 1889  
by *James M. McKim*  
Police Justice

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been  
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison  
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated 1889  
I have admitted the above named  
to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.  
Dated 1889  
There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named  
guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.  
Dated 1889  
Police Justice.

Police Court, District,	Offence—BURGLARY.
<i>THE PEOPLE, &amp;c.,</i> on the complaint of	
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
Dated 1889	Magistrate.
	Officer.
	Clerk.
Witness,	
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
No.	Street,
\$	to answer General Sessions.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Richard Sullivan*  
aged *Officer of the* years, occupation *12<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police* of No.

Street, being duly sworn deposes and  
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Margaret Meekins*  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this *11<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *October* 188*9* *Richard Sullivan*

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Maurice O'Sullivan

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 20 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. No 660 Water Street; about three months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Sailor

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 refuse to say anything  
M. O'Sullivan

Taken before me this

11

day of October

1889

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 committed to bail in the sum of Handred 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 October 11<sup>th</sup> 1889. Chas. J. O'Connell Police Justice.

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

Dated.....18..... 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.....18..... Police Justice.



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BAILED,

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court--- 3<sup>rd</sup> District. 1551

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Margaret Meekun  
656<sup>th</sup> Water St  
Maurice O'Sullivan

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Offence *Drunk*

Dated *October 11<sup>th</sup>* 1889

*Power* Magistrate.

*Sullivan & Shalby* Officer.

*12<sup>th</sup>* Precinct.

Witnesses *all the officers*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ to answer



*Committee*

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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

*Maurice O'Sullivan*

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

*Maurice O'Sullivan*

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

The said

*Maurice O'Sullivan*

late of the *Seventh* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *sixth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, with force and arms, in the  
*night* - time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the  
dwelling house of one

*Margaret Meehan*

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

*Margaret Meehan*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*Maurice O'Sullivan*  
of the CRIME OF *Grand LARCENY in the first degree* committed as follows:  
The said *Maurice O'Sullivan*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, in the *night* -  
time of said day, with force and arms, *the sum of one hundred*  
*dollars in money, lawful money of*  
*the United States and of the value*  
*of one hundred dollars, one watch*  
*of the value of seventy-five dollars,*  
*one chain of the value of thirty*  
*dollars, one locket of the value*  
*of twenty-five dollars, one other watch*  
*of the value of thirty dollars, six spoons*  
*of the value of fifteen cents each, one breast-*  
*pin of the value of three dollars and*  
*one revolver of the value of*  
*three dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

in the dwelling house of the said

*Margaret Meehan*  
*Margaret Meehan*

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

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THIRD COUNT.

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

*Maurice O'Sullivan*

of the CRIME OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS, committed as follows :

The said

*Maurice O'Sullivan*

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, the sum of one hundred dollars in money, lawful money of the United States and of the value of one hundred dollars, one watch of the value of seventy-five dollars, one chain of the value of thirty dollars and one locket of the value of twenty-five dollars, one other watch of the value of thirty dollars, six spoons of the value of fifteen cents each, one breakfast-pen of the value of three dollars, and one revolver of the value of three dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of

*Margaret Meehan*

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown; then lately before feloniously stolen from the said

*Margaret Meehan*

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

*Maurice O'Sullivan*

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.

JOHN R. FELLOWS,

District Attorney.