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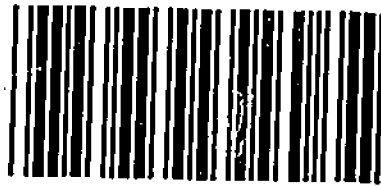
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Counsel,
Filed *20* day of *Sept* 188*5*
Plends *W. H. H. H. H.*

Violation of Excise Law.
(Sunday).
[Ill. Rev. Stat., 7th Edition, page 1083 Sec. 21, and
page 1089, Sec. 5].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Daniel D. D.

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RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

No 314

A True Bill.

Chas. H. Russell

*Send to County General Foreman.
Securities for bonds by present
H. Russell*

Witnesses:

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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

Daniel Dady

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

Daniel Dady

of the CRIME OF SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said *Daniel Dady*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Xmas Eve* day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*three*, 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 intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit : One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of 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 intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to

one Martin Wachs, and to

certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT :

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

Daniel Dady

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND WINES AS A BEVERAGE, ON SUNDAY, committed as follows :

The said *Daniel Dady*

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, the same being the first day of the week,

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commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms, certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit: One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of 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 intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away as a beverage to *Martin*

Wade, and Co

certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

THIRD COUNT:

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

Daniel Dwyer

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

The said *Daniel Dwyer*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, being then and there in charge of and having the control of certain premises at number

eighty-one West Street,

in the City and County aforesaid, which said place was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did then and there open, and cause and procure, and suffer and permit, to be open, and to remain open, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

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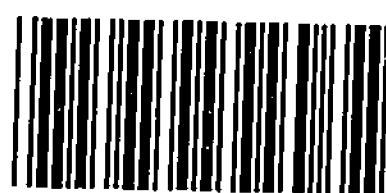
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Witnesses:

Counsel, Chas. H. Hannell
Filed 23 day of Sept 1885
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THE PEOPLE
vs.
Michael Dandy
Defendant
Grand Larceny 2nd degree
Charged & acquitted.
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

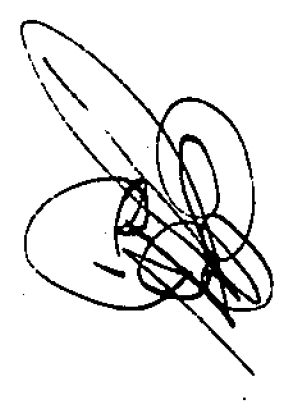
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A True Bill.

Chas. H. Hannell

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

Michael Dady

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

Michael Dady

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

The said

Michael Dady

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

one horse of the value of two hundred dollars, one wagon of the value of fifty dollars, and one set of harness of the value of twenty five dollars,

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Thomas Paddy

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

Randolph B. Martin

District Attorney

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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 _____
No. 5, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court District. 963

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Thomas J. Coffey
vs. Michael Daly
Offence: Larceny

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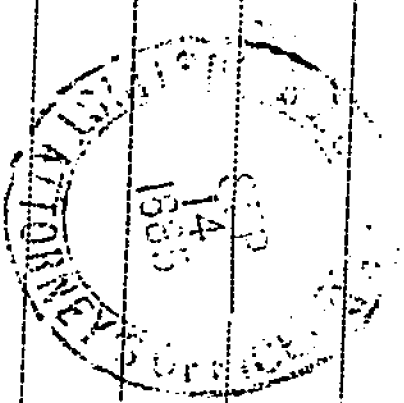
Dated Sept 11 1885

Magistrate
Officer: Patrick
Precinct: 12

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____



No. 100 to answer. Street, 100

Forfeited in Court at New York
Sept 11 1885
At New York Office

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

Michael Daly

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

Dated Sept 11 1885 Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Michael Daly

Question. How old are you?

Answer

27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

N.Y.

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

Answer.

140 Plymouth Street, Brooklyn, Fink's

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Labour

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

Answer.

I am not guilty, I was employed

Michael Daly
mark

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*8*

Police Justice.

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Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No.

246 E 121

Street, aged

45 years

occupation

Blue stone dealer

being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the

day of

September

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at the City of New

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

One horse of the value of Two hundred dollars and One wagon and harness together of the value of Seventy five dollars. All together of the value of Two hundred and Seventy five 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

Michael Daly (now here)

who was employed in deponent's premises and who took and carried away said property from said premises in deponent's absence

Thomas Coffey

Sworn to before me, this

of September 1885

Bluma Schwartz, Justice.

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Davis, Annie

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09/10/85



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Witnesses:

Counsel,
Filed 10 Sept 1885
Pleads, Chazyville (11)

THE PEOPLE
vs. R
Anna Davis
Dias
Anna Engelman
Dias
Anna Engelman

[Sections—298, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.
In Sept. W. 1885.
Arrested & acquitted.

A True Bill.

Chas. H. Hamell
Foreman

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Sept 21st
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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

Annie Davis, otherwise
called Annie Epstein,
otherwise called Annie Pidgeu.

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment,
accuse Annie Davis, otherwise called Annie
Epstein, otherwise called Annie Pidgeu,
of the CRIME OF Bigamy,

committed as follows:

The said Annie Davis, otherwise called Annie
Epstein, otherwise called Annie Pidgeu,
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 November, in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty- one, ~~at the Ward, City and County aforesaid,~~
at the City of London, in the United
Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland,
did marry one Herman Epstein, and
thru the said Herman Epstein did
then and there have for her husband,
and afterwards, to wit: on the second
day of June, in the year of our Lord,
one thousand eight hundred and
eighty four, at the City and County of
New York aforesaid, did solemnly
marry and take as her husband one
Louis Pidgeu, and to the said Louis
Pidgeu was then and there married,
thru the said Herman Epstein being
then living and in full life, against
the form of the Statute in such case

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Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis Pilsen

139 East Broadway

Annie Pilsen

implacable

Annie Coppetina

Offence

Burgamy

Dated *August 24* 188 *5*

William Magistrate.

Keekans Officer.

Cent Precinct.

Witnesses

Heenan Coppetina

No. *100* of *St. Louis* Street.

Robert Muel

No. *Annie Chapman* Street.

200 of *Barre St.*

No. _____ Street.

to answer in Sessions.

to answer in Sessions.

to answer in Sessions.

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

Dated *August 29* 188 *5* *A. M. Patterson* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 151.

Police Court 3rd District.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by Louis Pelzer
of No. 139 East Broadway Street, that on the 2nd day of June
1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

Annie Eppstein
did marry and take as her husband
and since complainant she being then and
then married to one Hermann Eppstein
senior Eppstein being then living and
in free life

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant, and bring her
forthwith before me, at the 8 District Police Court, in the said City, or in case of my absence
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 24 day of August 1885

J. M. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court 3rd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis Pelzer

vs

Annie Eppstein

Warrant-General.

Dated August 24 1885

Patterson Magistrate.

Patterson Officer.

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

Patterson Officer.

Dated August 24 1885

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Patterson Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, August 1st 1885

Native of Annie Eppstein

Age, 19

Sex, Female

Complexion, Fair

Color, White

Profession, Housewife

Married, Yes

Single, No

Read, No

Write, No

160 West 11th St

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,*Annie Pilser (impeached Annie Epstein)*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Annie P. Pilser*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *19 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Russia Poland*

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

Answer. *231 Brown St. One week*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Julor*

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*

Annie Pilser
Mark

Taken before me this

19

day of

August
1881*W. J. Patterson*

Police Justice.

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3 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

THE PEOPLE,
ON COMPLAINT OF
Louis Pelzer
agst.
Annie Epstein

Examination had *August 22* 188*5*
Before *Jacob M Patterson* Police Justice.

I, *W. L. Ormsby* Stenographer of the *3* District Police Court, do hereby certify that the within testimony in the above case is a true and correct copy of the original Stenographer's notes of the testimony of *Louis Pelzer, Herman Epstein, Anna Abraham, Annie Pelzer* as taken by me on the above examination before said Justice.

Dated *August 30* 188*5*.

J M Patterson
Police Justice.

W. L. Ormsby
Stenographer.

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The People
Louis Pelzer

Annie Epstein

Examination before Justice Patterson
August 29 1885

Louis Pelzer, the complainant being
cross examined on his affidavit by
Counsellor Goodheart, deposes and says
I reside at 139 East Broadway. I live
with my folks, I am a barber,
I am working for another man.
I know the defendant. She
went by the name of Annie
Simon before I married her. I be-
lieve it was the second of June I
married her. I do not recollect
she has got the certificate. I
was married to her at the
City Hall, I believe by the Mayor.
I do not know who he was. I
had known the defendant previous
to the marriage a few months -
quite a while before. I met
her first in Orchard street
she was alone. I met her

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next at 54 ~~Richard~~ ^{Lafayette} street. It is a boarding house. There were different people there. The house is kept by Mrs Beek. She is an aunt of mine. I first proposed marriage to her a few months after. I do not recollect how long. It was about I think four or five months.

Q What did she say when you asked her?
A Nothing at all.

Q Did she tell you that she was acquainted with a man by the name of Epstein in London?

A Nothing of the kind.

Q That is true is it?

A Yes - that is true

Q Did she not inform you then that she had made the acquaintance of a man by the name of Epstein or Blasberg in London, before she was fourteen years of age, that he went with her to get a license for the purpose of getting married, and that before the marriage had taken place that Epstein had run away with another woman and that she never saw the

Man since, and did you not thereupon say "I do not care I shall marry you any way"

A There was nothing of the kind said to me by her, or by anybody.

Q What was said?

A Nothing at all. I married her to my own taste. I asked her if she was willing to marry me I was willing to marry her as an honest girl.

Q Did you keep house with her?

A Yes, at 118 Orchard street - I think it is 118 - near Delaney street

Q How long did you keep house with her?

A Until her first husband came back from England to America.

Q What do you mean by her first husband?

A I mean Mr. Epstein here.

Q When did you leave your wife?

A After I saw Mr. Epstein. It was on the 15th of November last.

Q Was there a warrant out for you?

A I do not know.

By Justice Patterson Q The time that you went away did you go to avoid

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arrest?

A No Sir. There was no warrant out at that time.

By the Foreman - 2 - Was there a warrant out for you at any time?

A - Not as I know

2 - You did not know that there was a warrant out for you?

A No Sir.

2 That is as true as anything you have sworn to?

A Yes Sir.

2 When was you brought to Essex Market Police Court?

A When I came to town - that was weeks before I do not recollect the month I received a letter from my counsel that there was a warrant out and I should come here and I came.

2 Did you meet Epstein in Boston?

A - Yes Sir.

2 When was that?

A That was in August.

2 How long after you was married?

A That was about three or four months - I do not know the month, about the beginning of September.

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Q- You requested Mr. Epstein to come to New York to testify here?

A No Sir

Q Did you pay him fifty dollars to come here?

A No Sir.

Q Did any one through you pay him fifty dollars to come here?

A No Sir. Not at all

Q Did any one through you pay him fifty dollars to come here?

A No Sir.

Q Have you paid this man's board?

A No Sir

Louis Pilzer

Sworn to before me
this 29th day of Sept.

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W Patterson

Notary Public

Herman Epstein being duly sworn
and cross examined by Justice Patterson
sent on his affidavit, deposes
and says: - I know the
defendant. I have known her
nine years. I married her and

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She married me in London.
We were married on the 2nd
of November 1881 in the presence
of two witnesses.

Cross examined by Mr Goodheart

Q - ~~You~~ were married in White Chapel
Baker Row, A Yes

Q Was not this a license that you
procured?

A - I know I have been registered
I went three weeks after I
was registered and was married
in the same court. The ceremony
was performed then.

Q How old was the defendant
at that time?

A 21 years of age.

Q He was then 21?

A Yes.

Q That is how many years ago?

A Going on four years.

Q Where do you say you went?

A. Registry office - same office
where I was married. There
was thousands of people got
married the same way.

Q Did you not tell the de-
fendant

that it was a mere license that you got?

A - I did not. I said I married her.

Q - Did you tell her that that was a mere license that would require you and her to be married in a Jewish Synagogue in London before you could live with her - before she could be your wife?

A - No Sir.

Q - You did not?

A - I did not.

Q - Is not that the custom among your class of people?

A - It is the custom among whoever likes it and whoever don't like it it is not the rule.

Q - Did you live with her after?

A - I did always - all the time

By Justice Patterson Q - How long did you live with her?

A - all the time

Q - How long?

A - For a long time I married her four years ago. She had a child by me before that

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Q. You lived with her after the marriage.

A. Lived and cohabited with her after marriage.

By Mr. Goodheart

Q. How long did you live with her after you was married to her?

A. About four months.

Q. Where?

A. In London at 49 Pettit Street.

Q. With whom did you live?

A. With her, alone. We had rooms furnished.

Q. Did you go away from her.

A. I did not sir. I did nothing of the kind.

Q. Did you leave her in London or did she leave you?

A. While I was in London she deserted me and came to this country to her brother. She has got a brother in Michigan.

By Justice Patterson

Q. She deserted you?

A. Yes.

Q. Did you at any time after you claimed to have been

married, did you tell her that you were not married and that it was simply a form of certificate and that you were not married?

A No you know.

Q When she went with you to get married in this place did she understand she was going to get married?

A She understood it perfectly when I asked her first I had enough to support her, I had had a child by her and she was willing to accept me for a lawful husband.

By Mr Goodheart

Q How many places did you go to in London before you got the license.

A Only one

Q Did they not refuse to marry you in several places?

A No Sir

Q Did they not refuse to marry you in several places because she was under fourteen years of age?

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A No Sir

Q You did not?

A No Sir

By Justice Patterson

Q It is not true that you were refused a license to marry her in London because she was under 14?

A No

Q Did you ever attempt to get married to her in any other place?

A No Sir

By Mr Goodheart

Q Where do you live in Boston?

A 100 Tyler Street

Q How many children have you got there?

A I have got no children at all

Q Have you got a wife in Boston?

A No Sir

Q Now a woman in Boston whom you live with?

A No Sir

Shown to before me this
29th day of August 1885

J. W. Patterson

Hermon Eppstein

Police Justice

My Anna Abraham, a witness for
the People being duly sworn deposes
and says:- examined by the
Fraser Justice Patterson

Q - Where do you reside?

A - at 200 Broome Street

Q - on the 24th of November 1911
where did you reside?

A - In London

Q - on that day did you see
the defendant?

A - Yes Sir.

Q - Did you see Hermann Epstein
there - this man here?

A - Yes Sir.

Q - Where did you see them?

A - In the Court - in the Registry
Office

Q - Did you see them married?

A - Yes

Q - Was there a ceremony performed?

A - Yes I did

Q - Then they went away together.

A - They went home

Q - Did you see them after
their marriage?

A - Yes

Q - Were they living together as

0038

man and wife?

A - No - not then

Q - After marriage?

A - No - they did not live together.

Q - Did not live together at all?

A - In your Honor.

Q - As far as you know?

A - As far as I know they did not live together.

By Mr. Fraser

Q - Were they married in court?

A - In the Registrar's Office.

Q - Were they married with a ring?

A - Yes Sir.

Q - Was the ring put on her finger?

A - Yes Sir - by Mr. Eppstein.

Q - Is it not a fact that she requested Eppstein to get a certificate of marriage and did he not pay for it, and give it to her in your presence?

A - She had a paper given to her

Q - By the Judge or Clerk?

A - By ^{the same} some gentleman that

married them

Q The man that married them?

A Yes

Q It is a custom to go to the Registrar a week or two after getting the certificate?

A Three weeks

By Mr Goodheart

Q Is it not a custom to go there a day or two after?

A No - They get married after three weeks by the Registrar

Q Was not that the Registrar where they went?

A I saw them get married.

Q Was not that the Registrar place?

A Yes; it was the Registrar place - after three weeks they got married in the Registrar's office

By Justice Patterson

Q - You saw them married?

A Yes Sir.

Q Was it the first time you went to that Registrar's office?

A The first time - I had never been there before.

Q Where did she live after the marriage?

A She was living apart from Epstein.

Q Some of what?

A Yes.

Justice Pallison - Q Did you see her after that marriage?

A Yes, because she came to my place often to see us - came to see me after marriage.

She lived next door to me - Epstein lived in a different place.

Q Did they come together?

A Yes.

Q Came together and visited you after they were married?

A Yes Sir.

Q Did they also act as man and wife in your place?

A - I do not know about that. They was always nice and friendly together but they did not live together.

Q Did she say she did not consider herself married until

she got married in a Synagogue
 A He did say that

Q - Was it in the presence of
 Epstein?

A Yes Sir.

Sworn to before me
 this 30 day of August
 1885

Wm. Patterson
 Police Justice

Annie Abrechtman

Annie Polger, the defendant, being
 duly sworn in her own behalf de-
 poses and says:- I know Mr.
 Epstein here. I knew him in
 London as Henry Lessenberg. I
 have known him since I was
 a small girl.

Q He says that he has married
 you and lived with you is
 that true?

A I do not know, I am telling
 the truth. He said he would
 take me to some place. He
 pretended to take care of me,
 I had nobody to take care of
 me.

Q How about the marriage?

A After I had been living with him for a time I thought to myself I will not be knowing about in this way. He said for me to go with him to the Register to get a license to get married. We went in a few places and they would not take us because I must have been about 14 years of age. I could not tell exactly.

Q You had a baby then?

A Yes.

Q You was a mother at the time?

A Yes.

By Justice Patterson

Q What about the ceremony?

A He said I would be punished if I got married to anybody

By Mr. G. ^{else} ~~anybody~~

Q What did he say to you with reference to your registering to get married?

A In the synagogue - I said before I am married we must be married in the

Synagogue. He told me we were not married: that it was only a registry: that he was going to get married to me in the Jewish Synagogue. Did you live with him after that?

A No Sir

Q Did you live with him four months?

A I did not, No Sir. I did not live with him after that

Q Why?

A Because I did not consider me was married

Q When you married Mr. Pilsen did you tell him that?

A I did. He said he did not care if I had fifty husbands that he is willing to marry me because he likes me

Q Did you tell him that you had a husband?

A I never told him I had a husband living. I told him I had a registry - the

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Q Same as Effster said to me.
Q And you did not live with him?

A No Sir I did not

Q Did you live with him before marriage?

A Yes. Before I was married to him he went away with a woman named Millie.

Q Did you not give your age as 19 in the Registrar's office?

A No, I could hardly speak any English, He done that and ~~did all the speaking~~

Wrote before me
this 31st day of August
1885

A M Patterson

Blue Fishers

Annie - her Pilger
Man

0045

State of New York
 City and County of New York vs

Louis Pilger of No. 139 East
 Broadway being duly sworn
 deposes and says that at
 the City of New York in the County
 of New York on the 2nd day of
 June 1884. Annie Epstein
 died feloniously and un-
 lawfully as her husband this de-
 posant. the said Annie Epstein
 being then and there
 lawfully married to, and the
 wife of, Hermann Epstein,
 and the said Hermann Epstein
 being then and there alive in
 full life. Wherefore deponent
 prays, that the said Annie Epstein
 be buried and dealt with as the
 law directs.

Sworn to before me this }
 24th day of August 1884 } Louis Pilger

J. M. Patterson Notary Public

State of New York.
 City & County of New York ss

Hermann Eppstein residing at
 100 Tyler Street in the City of Boston
 Mass. being duly sworn says that
 on the 28th day of November 1881
 at the City of London England
 he was lawfully married to Annie Eppstein
 whose maiden name was Annie Davis
 known to before me
 the 24th day of August 1884 } Hermann Eppstein

A. M. Patterson Police Justice

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FOLDER:

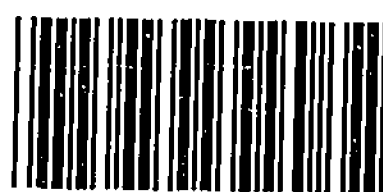
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DESCRIPTION:

Dechler, Rocco

DATE:

09/28/85



1885

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ORIGINALS

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Witnesses:

John S. [unclear]

Bail \$300.
Oct 16th 1906

Counsel,

Filed 25 day of Sept

Pleads

Whitely (12)

1885

THE PEOPLE

ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, Etc.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

W. H. [unclear]
1915 I P

Rose Dodder

In Md 11/16
and com.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

W. S. [unclear]
W. S. [unclear]
Aug 13 1906

Chas H. Russell

Foreman.

22 Mar 1906

Mrs + Annick to Court 1906

S.P. 3 years.
W. S.

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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

Rocco Deedler

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

Rocco Deedler

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

The said *Rocco*.

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty sixth* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *five*, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Pasquale Palomino*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and *in* the said *Pasquale*, with a certain *knife*

which the said *Rocco* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound,

with intent *in* the said *Pasquale* thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

Rocco Deedler

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

The said *Rocco*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one *Pasquale Palomino*, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and *in* the said *Pasquale*,

with a certain *knife*

which *he* the said *Rocco* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being an *instrument* likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut 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.

Randolph B. Martin
District Attorney

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THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Reginald Adams
262 North
Green Abbeley

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence *fel. assault*

Dated *Sept 25* 188 _____

Henry Magistrate
Wood Officer
C Precinct

Witnesses
John Dougherty
No. *258* Street
Kenneth Adams
No. *262* Street

No. _____ Street,
to answer *W. J.*
W. J.

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 _____

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

Dated Sept 23 1885 W. B. Lusk Police Justice

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ *Police Justice.*

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

Dated _____ *188* _____ *Police Justice.*

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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Sec. 151.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police Justices for the City of New York, by Joseph P. Lombardi of No. 262 West Street, that on the 26 day of July 1885 at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

he was violently Assaulted and Beaten by James Decker

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

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

Dated at the City of New York, this 25 day of August 1885

POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-A & B.

Dated

Aug 25 1885

James Decker
Magistrate.

Wood
Officer.

The Defendant James Decker taken, and brought before the Magistrate, to answer the within charge, pursuant to the command contained in this Warrant.

Wood
Officer

Dated Sept 23 1885

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 11⁵⁰ am Sept 23/85

James Decker

195 Elizabeth St

Native of

Italy

Age,

20

Sex

m

Complexion,

dark

Color

m

Profession,

Married

Boatman

Single,

Read,

Write,

Yes

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Rocco Decker

Question. How old are you?

Answer

24 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Italy.

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

Answer.

195 Elizabeth Street 5 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Lawyer

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
Rocco Decker

Taken before me this

day of *March* 1938

Police Justice.

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Police Court—First District.City and County { ss.:
of New York,of No. 262 Mott Pasquale Colombo
Street, aged 30 years,occupation Laborer being duly sworndeposes and says, that on 26th day of July 1885 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Rocco Decker who did wilfully cut
~~deponent~~
 and stab on the temple and once on
 the lip and twice on the body with
 the blade of a knife then and there
 held in his hand and said assaulter
 who committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this

of

day

1885Pasquale Colombodecker
Police Justice.

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Oct 8th 1885

I hereby certify that Mr. John Docharity
of 558 Mott St. is under my professional
care for an acute attack of dysentery
which renders him unable to leave his
house.

M. B. Feeney M.D.

OFFICE HOURS: { 8-10 A. M.
2-3 P. M.
6-8 P. M. Sundays, 8-11 A. M. only.

M. B. FEENEY, M. D.,
248 Mott Street.

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STENOGRAPHERS' MINUTES.

BEFORE

Mr. Rufus B. Cowing

and a jury-

Tried March 19, 1886

Direct.

Cross.

Re-Direct. Re-Cross.

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ORIGINALS

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COURT

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

THE PEOPLE

- against -

Rocco Dello, indicted for as-
sault in the first degree.

)
)
) Before Hon. Rufus B. Cowing
) and a Jury.
)
)
)

Tried March 19, 1886.

A P P E A R A N C E S .

Assistant District Attorney Purdy, for the People; Mr.
Gleason, for the Defence.

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JOHN DOUGHERTY, being duly sworn, testified that he
was a contractor. On the 26th day of July, 1885, he was
sitting on the west side of Mott Street, between Prince and
Houston Streets, about half past three or four o'clock in the
afternoon. There was an iceman across the street, selling
ice, from his wagon. He heard some loud talk between the ice-
man and the father of the defendant. Then he saw the iceman

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following up Dello's father with his ice-pick in his hand. He, the witness, went over and told the iceman not to dare to raise that axe or he would be sorry, and he, the witness, sent him away. The next thing he saw was the defendant in the hallway with a knife in his hand, and four or five women holding him back. The iceman went around into Prince Street. He, the witness, and the iceman's wife went around with him. As they returned, they met ^{the} prisoner's father, and the iceman's wife, who had a piece of box in her hand, put ^{up} her hand to prevent the prisoner's father from going around the corner after the iceman. The prisoner's father took the wood from her and knocked her down. He, the witness, gave him a shove to prevent him from kicking the woman. Then some of the neighbors holloed out, "Dougherty you are murdered." He, the witness, jumped across the street, and turned and saw the prisoner jabbing at the complainant, Pasquale Colombo, with a knife. It was a knife about a foot long with a rough handle.

PASQUALE COLOMBO, being duly sworn, testified that he was going home from work on the 26 day of July 1885, in the afternoon, and he wanted a little air, because it was very warm. He went out into the yard, and he saw the landlady ~~at the~~ house and a number of people around. A number of people were

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ORIGINALS

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ill treating her, and he went to take her away from them. Whils't he stooped down to lift the woman up, he received a stab in the back. When he received a stab in the back, he turned around to see who did it and received another stab in his back, and a cut on the upper lip. It was the prisoner who stabbed him. The landlady's name was Carnela Pappache. The occurrence took place in the street in front of 262 Mott street. There were fully thirty or forty people around there at the time.

CARNELA PAPPACHE, being duly sworn testified that she was lying on the ground, and the defendant, stabbed the complainant while the complainant was trying to lift her from the ground. She then got up herself.

Under cross examination she testified that she did not strike the prisoner's father with a piece of wood that she picked up, and that she only picked up the wood to take it home for her fire.

OFFICER ALBERTUS WOOD, being duly sworn, testified that he arrested the complainant in the Bowery, in the latter part of August, 1885, at the request of Mr. Dougherty who pointed him out. On another occasion Dougherty pointed out

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ORIGINALS

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another man as the prisoner, at the corner of Delancy Street and the Bowery, but it proved to be the wrong man. Dougherty did not go across the street with him to look at the man on that occasion.

For the defense, LUIGI ANDREUCCI, being duly sworn testified that he was a shoe-maker and lived at 195 Elizabeth Street. The prisoner at the bar was his son. On the 20th, day of July, 1885, he bought a piece of ice from Giovanni Pappache. He bought two cents worth of ice, and asked what the price of another little piece would be. He said five cents. He, the witness, said it was too much, and there was a dispute, then Pappache instead of giving him one piece of ice, broke it up into small pieces. He, the witness, told him he could not use the ice in little pieces. Pappache said, "Go to the devil." Then the iceman commenced to beat him. He, the witness, then went into the yard, and the iceman's wife came after him with a syick of wood. He, the witness, went out side and he told the iceman that he was an infamous scoundrel. Thereupon the iceman's wife hit him on the head with a stick. His, the witness's son came up to help him, and received a blow, and he fell right on top of him, the witness. Then there was a con-

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fusion and all the neighbors came out, with all kinds of weapons. Then Nicolo De Phillippo, who had gone to Italy since, came out, and took his, the witnesses part. The iceman hit Phillippo with a hatchet on the arm, and he took out a razor and cut the iceman. After that Phillippo went back to Italy. He drew his money out of the bank right after the affair and went to Italy.

DOMENICO DUILIO, being duly sworn testified that he saw Phillippo stab the complainant.

CARMINA FANNELLA, being duly sworn, testified to the same effect.

ANGELO VECRI, being duly sworn testified to the same effect.

ROCCO DELLO, the defendant, being duly sworn, testified that he was at dinner, when he heard that the iceman was assaulting his father. He went out to protect his father and the iceman said, "I will cut you up." He, the prisoner, said that he would go for a policeman. Then the iceman's wife said, "You will lock my old man up," and she hit his, the prisoner's father with a piece of wood. Then some lot of people came and knocked him down and knocked his father down, and Phillippo intervened.

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and Phillippo interferred to save them, and the iceman cut him
with the axe on his arm, and Phillippo cut the iceman with
his razor.

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FOLDER:

1885

DESCRIPTION:

Dee, Mary

DATE:

09/14/85



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Counsel, *W. H. King*
Filed *14* day of *Sept* 188*5*
Pleads, *Mary Lee*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
P
147
Mary Lee
1-1
Grand Larceny, 2nd Degree.
(From the Person.)
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

W. H. King
I r. Sept 24/85
I. H. King

A True Bill. *Ben Bond*

Chas H. Hance

The deft is a
Foreman.
witness vs. Mary
Florence

Sept 23/85
Sept 24/85

Witnesses:

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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 Dee

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

Mary Dee
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *second* degree, committed as follows:

The said *Mary Dee*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twentieth* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, in the *day* time of the said day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, *one United States Treasury note of the denomination and value of one dollar, two other United States Treasury notes of the denomination and value of two dollars each, and nine silver coins of the kind known as dollars, of the denomination and value of one dollar each,*

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

Randolph B. Martin
District Attorney

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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

William Henry
330 E. 14th St.
Mary Lee

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Offence Larceny
from Person

Dated

August 21

1885

No. 3, by

Magistrate

No. 3, by

Officer

No. 4, by

Precinct

Witnesses

No. _____

Street

No. _____

Street

No. _____

Street

No. _____

Street

No. _____

Street

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No. _____

Street

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 Mary Lee

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

Dated August 21 1885

H. H. H. H. Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188

Police Justice.

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Sec. 193-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Mary Dee

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

40 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

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

Answer.

No 155 North 3^d Avenue; 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Servant

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

Mary Dee
mark

Taken before me this

21st

day of

August 1888

Police Justice.

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Police Court—5—District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

William Honig

of No. 330 East 147th Street, aged 39 years,

occupation Driver of beer wagon being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 20th day of August 1885 at the City of New

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

and person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz: Grod and lawful

money of the United States as follows:

Two dollar notes each of the value and
denomination of two dollars, one bill of
the value and denomination of one dollar
and nine silver coins each of the value
and denomination of one dollar. in all
of the value of fourteen 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 Mary Lee, now here, fromthe following facts: At about three o'clock
on the afternoon of said day deponent went
with said Mary Lee to a room in the
premises No 185 North 3rd Avenue and
went to bed with said Mary, having
said money in a pocket of the pantaloons
then worn by deponent. After having connection
with said Mary deponent fell asleep having
in his pocket said money which deponent
saw about ten minutes before entering said
room, said Mary being in the room
when deponent fell asleep. When
deponent awoke said Mary was
missing and said room was locked

Sworn to before me, this

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Police Justice.

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from the outside, and defendant, during
his said money, found in his pocket
only two dollars, where defendant had
left sixteen dollars.

Subscribed before me
this 21st day of August 1885
Wm. H. Police Justice

William Hoeny

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Dated 1885 Police Justice.

I have admitted the above named

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 1885 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

committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been

Police Court, District,

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Offence—LARCENY.

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Dated 1885

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness,

No. Street,

No. Street,

No. Street,

to answer Sessions.

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FOLDER:

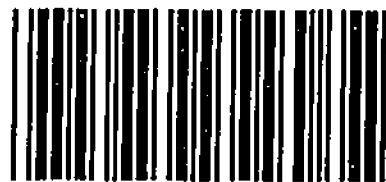
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DESCRIPTION:

di Sanctis, Achille

DATE:

09/08/85



1885

Witnesses:

Counsel, *J. H. Gray*
Filed *8 Sept* day of *Sept* 188*5*
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.
61 *Murder*
Case
I
Achille di Sanctis
ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

In Sept 11/85
District Attorney.
Ind. by convicted Asslt. 1st
Pon one year
A True Bill.

Chas. H. Wardell

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

Achille di Santis

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

Achille di Santis

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

The said Achille di Santis,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the Twenty fourth day of August, — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one Michèle di Marsico in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and kill the said Michèle di Marsico, with a certain knife

which the said Achille di Santis in his right hand then and there ~~had and held~~ ^{attempted to} the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut and wound

with intent kill the said Michèle di Marsico, thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT:

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

Achille di Santis

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

The said Achille di Santis

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of one Michèle di Marsico in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully make an assault, and kill the said Michèle di Marsico

with a certain knife

which he the said Achille di Santis in his right hand then and there ~~had and held~~ ^{attempted to} the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut 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.

Randolph B. Martin,

District Attorney

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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 - 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael A. Mancini
48 West 15th St
Achille J. Sanctis
Agency
Tele. Union Assn.

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Dated August 24 1885

Magistrate
Precinct 6

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ 500 to answer

to answer

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

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

Dated Aug 25 1885 ce Jones Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

182 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss*Achille Di Sanctis*

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

Achille Di Sanctis

Question. How old are you?

Answer

36 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Italy

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

Answer.

61 Mulberry Street 2 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

cook

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**Achille Di Sanctis*

Taken before me this

25

day of

August

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Police Justice.

0074

Police Court—First District.City and County { ss.:
of New York,of No. 48 Mylberry Michael De Marsico Street, aged 26 years,occupation Contractor being duly sworndeposes and says, that on 25th day of August 1885 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

Achille Di Sanctis (nowhere) who did
wilfully make a thrust at the body
of deponent with the blade of a large
carving knife then and there held
in the defendants hands

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 25 dayof August 1885St. Michele L. MarsicoMyerson Police Justice

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1885

DESCRIPTION:

Divver, James

DATE:

09/16/85



1885

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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*James
Kelley
1885
day of
Sept
1885*

Murder in the Second Degree.
(Section 1847)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

P

James Kelley

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE.

District Attorney.

True Bill.

*Mar. Sep.
20*

Chas. H. Haswell

Foreman.

*James Kelley
James Kelley
James Kelley
James Kelley*

*The Defat is reported to be dying with Consumption
(See Certificate herein) There is no use in putting the
Case on for trial until it can be ascertained that the
Defat can be brought to Court*

*It appears by the annexed Certificate of Warden
Finn that within named deft. died on October
9th 1886*

*Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney*

Oct. 21/86

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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Department of
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,

HENRY H. PORTER, Pres't.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioners.

Office of City Prison, Corner of Franklin and Center Streets,

JAMES FINN, WARDEN.

New York, Oct 9 1886

Hon. Randolph S. Marline,
District Attorney

Dear Sir,

James Quinn committed
Sept. 9th 1885 for homicide by Justice
O'Reilly died this morning at 7.50 A.M.
at 2nd Dist. Prison (Jefferson Mkt.)

He has been called for trial at different
times but was so sick that he could not attend

Very Respectfully

James Finn
Warden

men and there wilfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to
effect the death of James the said William
did strike, stab, cut

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0078

The People
vs
James Diver

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
against

James Diver

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

James Diver
of the CRIME OF MURDER IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said James Diver,

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

William Caudery,
in the peace of the People of the State then and there being, willfully, feloniously, and
with a deliberate and premeditated design to effect the death of him the said
William Caudery, did make an assault.

And the said James Diver, him

the said William Caudery,

with a certain knife

which he the said James Diver

in his right hand then and there had and held, in and upon the abdomen

of him the said William Caudery
then and there willfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to
effect the death of him the said William Caudery
did strike, stab, cut and wound, giving unto him the said William
Caudery then and there with the knife

aforesaid, in and upon the abdomen

of him the said William Caudery, one mortal wound of
the breadth of one inch and of the depth of six inches, of which said mortal
wound he the said William Caudery
at the City, and County aforesaid, from the day first aforesaid, in the year afore-
said, until the fourth day of September,
in the same year aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, and on which
fourth day of September,
in the year aforesaid, he the said William Caudery, at the
City and County aforesaid, of the said mortal wound did die.

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And so the Grand Jury aforesaid do say: That the said *James*
Dinner, Jr.

the said *William Ponderdy*, in the manner and form
and by the means aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, on the day and in the
year aforesaid, willfully, feloniously, and with a ~~deliberate and premeditated~~ design to
effect the death of *Jr.* the said *William Ponderdy*
did kill and murder, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided,
and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE.

~~_____~~ District Attorney.

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Department of
Public Charities and Correction,

HENRY H. PORTER,
Pres't.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

CHARLES E. SIMMONS,
Com's.

Office of City Prison, Cor. Franklin and Center Streets,

JAMES FINN,
Warden.

New York, June 17 1886

To The Hon. District
Attorney

I have examined
James Diver who
is awaiting trial at Jef-
ferson Market Prison.
He is suffering from Con-
sumption & has already
been held many months.
He wants his trial as soon
as possible so that he
can either be sent to
prison where he can
get some air & sun
in the yard or be ac-
quitted. His lungs are
very much diseased

but I think that if he
 could have his trial
 very soon that he could
 be braced up so as
 to get through with
 it all right.

Of course he would
 want his attorneys
 notified. I told him
 I would present
 his case to you &
 that you would
 see that his attor-
 neys were notified.

He cannot last
 long shut up in a
 jail

Yours Respt

Engine Fuller
 M.D.
 James Brown
 as
 The People

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Department of
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,

HENRY H. PORTER, Pres't.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioners.

Office of City Prison, Corner of Franklin and Center Streets,

JAMES FINN, WARDEN.

New York, March 25 1886

John M. Conner Esq
Dept Dist Attorney & Chief Clerk
Dear Sir

Dr Wells of the
Jefferson Market Prison reports that James
Driver committed for Murder Sept 9th/85
by Justice O'Reilly is now in condition
to go to Court & hope you will have
his case disposed as soon as possible

Respectfully
James Finn
Warden

0083

FRANK J. KELLER,
COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW,
346 BROADWAY,
(NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE BUILDING.)
NEW YORK.

New York, October 21st 1885

Randolph B. Martine Esq.,
District Attorney &c.,

Dear Sir;

The People

vs.

James Divver

The above named defendant, who is indicted for murder in the second degree, and who has been for some time lying very ill in the Jefferson Market Prison, has requested me, to apply to you for his removal to Bellevue or some other hospital where he can obtain better medical attendance. From what I learn, he is seriously ill.

It is the first time he has ever been arrested and he has always borne an excellent character, as I am informed by his friends and relatives.

The defence in the case is self defence. I refer to these facts to show I am not asking for the removal of one belonging to the criminal classes. I trust after investigation

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FRANK J. KELLER,
COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW,
346 BROADWAY,
(NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE BUILDING.)
NEW YORK.

New York, 188

the application will meet with your approval.

Yours Respectfully,

Frank J. Keller

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The People

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James Dwyer

LOUISIANA RECEPTIONS

THE SUBSTITUTION WILL BEET WITH YOUR EMPLOYER.

RECEIVED
(NOT A VALID RECEIPT FOR PAYMENT)
JAN 10 1964
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION
BUREAU OF RECEPTION

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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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 _____

Call at Court CHIK 947
Police Court 2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Brown
Spicer

James Brown

Offence *Murder of William Conduley*

Dated *Sept- 9* 188*5*

D O Kelly
Magistrate

Mr. C. M. Moran
Officer

No. 90
John Conduley
Witness

No. 38
Wm. Conduley
Witness

No. 19
Wm. Conduley
Witness

No. 1
James Brown
Witness

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 be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail

Dated *Sept- 9* 188*5* *Samuel C. Kelly* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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AGE.	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE, When Reported.
29 Years. 1 Months 1 Days.	Ireland.	St. Vincent's Cape	Sep 4/85.

Inquest taken on the 24 day
of September 1881.
before
William B. Kennedy Coroner.
Committed
Died
Discharged
Date of death September 18.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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Coroner's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James Dinner 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—*James Dinner.*

Question—How old are you?

Answer—*29 years.*

Question—Where were you born?

Answer—*Ireland*

Question—Where do you live?

Answer—*612 Washington (St. John Avenue)*

Question—What is your occupation?

Answer—*Machinist*

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

I have nothing to say.

James Dinner

Taken before me, this

8 day of Sep 1885.

J. H. Murray

CORONER.

Taken before me this
9th day of Sept. 1885
Samuel O'Reilly Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0009

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

POLICE COURT, 2 DISTRICT.

Thomas Moran

of the 8th Precinct Police ~~Street~~, being duly sworn, deposes and says,
that on the 3^d day of September 1885

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested James

Driver (now here) in West ^{near the} corner of
Spring Street in said City on a charge
of Felonious Assault. Deponent says that
he brought said defendant to St. Vincent's
Hospital in West-11th Street where William
Porduly is confined and said Porduly
identified said defendant as the
man that cut and stabbed him
in the abdomen and chest with a
knife then and there held in said
defendants hand. Deponent further

Sworn to before me, this

188

day

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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<p>157- POLICE COURT - <u>2</u> DISTRICT Sum to before me this 3d day of Sept-1885 David C. Kelly Notary Public</p>	<p>says that said Porduly is now confined in said Hospital and is in a dangerous condition. Wherefore deponent prays that said Duvier may be committed to the arrest. The result of said Porduly injuries Thomas Moran</p>						
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Witness, 	Disposition Committed to arrest. The result of injuries						

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

AN INQUISITION,

Taken at the house of *Odomeno. Office*
No. 15. Chatham Street, in the *Fourth* Ward of the City of
New York, in the County of New York, this *8th* day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
William R. Kennedy. before
of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of *William Sandersley*

Eight. Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of
good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and
sworn or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said
William Sandersley. came to his death, do
upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said *William Sandersley*
came to his death by

stab wound of the abdomen
inflicted with a knife by James Davies in front
of Paige's Hotel Spring & West street on Sep 2nd.
about 10.45 P.M.

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition
set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

JURORS.

<i>W. Adams 207 Hudson St</i>	<i>Chas. Lumsden 445 Canal</i>
<i>S. Simons 425 Canal St</i>	
<i>Frederick D. Frick 318 Canal St</i>	
<i>James A. Clark 484 Canal St</i>	
<i>Henry Van Dusen 392 Canal St</i>	
<i>E. Strackmann 506 Canal St</i>	
<i>Henry Neumann 387 Canal St</i>	

W. Lumsden

CORONER, E. S.

CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

Detective Thomas Moran of Precinct
being sworn says. On Sep 3rd - about
7th hour the prisoner James Diver
was brought into the Station House
by Officer Patrick M. Cullough
the Sergeant asked the prisoner
why he stabbed Powderly, he
said give me a chance, from
or five of these (meaning men)
got out to me and I jabbed
him, the Sergeant asked what
he done with the knife, he took
it out of his pocket and said
that is the knife (the knife was
shown to the jury) he was then
locked up. I took him to St.
Quincys Hospital and he was
taken to where Powderly was
and when Powderly was in bed
the Doctor asked him if he
knew the man who stabbed him
he said "Yes" and said the
prisoner James Diver is the
man, I asked him again if
Diver was the man, and he
again said "Yes" I took him
then to Jefferson Market and
he was committed by Judge

S sworn

2 sworn

Taken before me
this 3rd day of Sep 1880
J. W. Kennedy

CORONER.

CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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O'Reilly to arrest the result of
the ^{his injuries} ~~injuries~~, the prisoner said in
the Station House that he was
drunk when the men got on to
him

Thomas Moran

Officer Patrick M. Colbough P. M. Recd.
being sworn says. On Sep 3rd I
was on post in West Street bet.
7 and 8 Ave the barkeeper or
proprietor of the liquor saloon
363 West St. called me and said
that the man who had done
the stabbing the night previous
was in the back room, I went
in and arrested him, he asked
me what I arrested him for
I told him the Captain wanted
to see him he said what for
I told him there had been
some trouble the night before
between him and other parties
and you'll find out when
you go to the Station House
I took him there and he told
the Sergeant that he had done

Taken before me

this 4th day of Sep 1885
W. H. Murphy

CORONER.

Sworn to before me this
4th day of Sep 1885

James C. O'Reilly Police Justice

CORONOR'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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the stabbing, the Surgeant asked
him for the knife and he
took it out of his pocket saying
here is the knife, I said that
if it had not been that he
was so drunk he would have
given it to him worse than
what he did, the prisoner was
then taken in charge by Detective
Moran

Patrick McEllough

Edward A. Hughes being sworn says.
I reside at 303 West 2d and keep
a hotel there. On Sep 2/85 I came
into my place about 8.30 P.M.
and I saw four or five men
sitting down drinking in the
bar, the deceased was one of them.
I heard loud talking during
them I was then at the further
end of the bar, as soon as I did
I went among them and picked
out the prisoner and put him
out, in order to save trouble,
I said to all of them if you
want to fight you got to go outside

Taken before me

this 8 day of Sept 1885

J. H. McCarthy

CORONER.

Sworn to before me this
8 day of Sept 1885
James O'Reilly Police Justice

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TESTIMONY.

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C. B. Hughes

Taken before me

this 1st day of Sept 1885
H. W. Worsley

CORONER

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept 1885
Samuel D. Hall Police Justice

CORONOR'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

and took a drink, I waited on them, some one else came up to the bar and I went to the other end of the bar to wait on a customer when I came back Livers asked me for a glass of beer which I gave him, when I was going to get paid for the round. Powderly said he was not in the crowd and not to pay for it. Livers said he was called and was going to have his beer, he challenged any one in the crowd to fight, Powderly struck him then in the face. Mr. Hughes came in and put the prisoners out. saying he did not want any fighting in the store, five minutes afterwards the other men went out after having a drink, the following morning Livers came in and asked me if I knew anything about the stabbing business and said the man he had a few words with in the store had a fight on the crowd he said the man was too strong.

Taken before me

this 1 day of

Sept 1885

J. H. Kennedy

CORONER.

CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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for him and knocked him down
and kicked him he then said
he pulled out his knife and
stabbed him, he then went into
the back room I called in and
officer and told him the man who
threw the stabbing was in the back
room the officer then arrested
Divers

Mary Degagne

~~George Watson being sworn says I~~
~~live at 74 Hudson Street and a~~
~~a bartender at Pines Hotel on~~
~~West & Spring St. On~~

Bernard Gutman being sworn says
I live at Pines Hotel on West
and Spring St. On Sep 2nd about
10:30 PM I was standing outside
the bar of the Hotel and I heard
a row on the sidewalk I
went to the front door and saw
two men fighting, one of the
men was down and crying for
money, he got up after a while
and was knocked down again

Taken before me
this 1st day of

Sept 1885

CORONER.

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept, 1885
James J. O'Reilly Police Justice

CORONER'S OFFICE. •

TESTIMONY. 7

They then separated one went up West and the other down. I did not know either of the men nor could I recognize either of them the man who cried for mercy went down West etc.

By reason

Charles Gates being sworn says I reside at Pidge's Hotel and am a boatman On Sep 27th about 10 or 11 P.M. I was in the bar-room of the Hotel and I heard a struggle and a man dashed up against the front door, 2 or 3 of us went outside & I saw a man lying on the sidewalk and a man over him, the man that was down got up and cried out Don't strike me I'm drunk and can't hold to face you he was then knocked down again, they separated the smaller man of the two went down West and the other one up. I did not know either of the men

Charles Gates

Taken before me
this 1st day of

Sept 1885
J. H. Kennedy

CORONER.

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept. 1885

Samuel W. Smith Police Justice

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept. 1885

Samuel W. Smith Police Justice

CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

Thomas McKenzie being sworn says.
I reside at Paige's Hotel and check
freight at Pitt St. N.R. On Sep 2nd
about 11 P.M. I was standing cor-
ner Spring & West St outside the hotel
door I saw two men come by
quarreling one knocked the other
down and struck at him when
he was down, the man that was
down got up and they both
walked away one going up
West St. the other down West St.

Thos McKenzie

Joseph Boyle being sworn says. I reside
at 10 1/2 St. Washington St and am a
~~large~~ laborer employed by White
Star Line. On Sep 2nd ~~about~~
I the deceased, my brother Peter
and a man named Mr. Dickey
~~who~~ were together and Ryan came
along and asked us to buy
to have a drink, it was then about
11.30 P.M. we went in and had a
drink or two, we sat down and

Taken before me
this 4th day of Sept 1885
J. H. Sumner CORONER.

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept 1885
Samuel W. Huddy Police Justice

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CORONER'S OFFICE. •

TESTIMONY. 9

while there Diener came in and
out near us, and came out had
a drink. Powderly said you
ain't in our company Diener
said I am going to have a
drink any how what have you
got to do with it, the bartender
was filling out the drinks at
the time, they got into a cluck
I put my arms between them
and said to the prisoner young
fellow go on about your business
I separated them, the prisoner
went to sit on his chair and
muttered some words that Powderly
did not like, loud words were spoken
and Mr Hughes said to Diener
get out of here you ain't with
this gang and they don't want
you, the prisoner then went out,
and we all ^{asked for} a drink and
while it was on the bar Powderly
went outside without drinking
we then drank ours and went
out, Powderly was then standing
towards the corner of Spring &
we were leaning against some
barrels. Powderly went down &

Taken before me

this

day of

1885

CORONER.

CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

stood at Spring St but came back
about 10 or 15 minutes ^{after} and said
that man has cut me bad
I said go away that can't be
he pulled up his shirt and
showed me the cut, I then ran
around the corner of Spring St
to look for Dineen but could
not find him, I then met an
Officer and told him of the case
in the saloon I saw Powderly strike
Dineen and Dineen strike Powderly

— Joseph Coyle

Peter Coyle being sworn says I reside at No
522 Washington St. and am a Longshoreman
I have read the testimony of previous
witnesses and fully corroborate it

Peter Coyle
mark

Taken before me
this 8 day of Sept. 1885
J. H. Kennedy

CORONER.

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept. 1885
Samuel C. Kelly Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY: //

James Kelly being sworn says.
I reside at Paige Hotel and am
a bootman. On Sep 4th about
1045 PM I was standing in
Paige Hotel when I heard a
fall against the door and when
I went out two men were on
the sidewalk, a big man was
beating the smaller one who was
begging of the other to let him up
as he was drunk he said, don't
hit me please the man kept hitting
him for about two minutes, Powderly
was the man who was beating the
one that was down, I know it
was Powderly because I heard his
friends call him by name after-
wards, the man who was down
done no hitting Powderly or going up but he
said I'll get a shot for you, you have a knife and
he threw the man away

James Kelly

Sheldon Kelly being sworn says I reside
at Paige Hotel. On Sep 4th about 11 PM I
was called outside of the Hotel and found
a man down and a taller man striking
him I heard the man beg of the other to
let him up as he was drunk, he let him up

Taken before me

this day of Sep 11 1885

CORONER.

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept 1885
Samuel C. McCall Police Justice

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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The tall man then struck him again
and knocked him down, he got up
and they separated. I did not see
any knife

Thomas Kelly

Sworn to before me

This 9th day of Sept 1885

Samuel Kelly Police Justice

Taken before me
this day of

Sept 1885

CORONER.

POOR QUALITY
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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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Charles H. Lewis being duly
sworn says he is House
Physician & Surgeon of St
Vincent's Hosp and on Sep
2nd / 1885 William Ponderley was
brought to the above Hosp -
from 304 West St, suffer-
ing from stab wounds of
Abdomen and Chest, the
former penetrating, and
that in spite of treatment
he died

Sister Lewis 522 W 27 St.
deceased lived at 522
Washington St.

Charles H. Lewis.

Taken before me

this 8 day of Sept 1885

J. H. Conway

CORONER.

CORONOR'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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W^m A. Conway being sworn says, On Sept. 4th /85 I made an autopsy at St Vincent's Hospital on the body of W^m Powderley who had died at that Institution on the morning of that day. An external examination of the body, which was well nourished and that of a strong powerful man; showed two wounds evidently made with a sharp instrument; one about an inch and two thirds below the ^{middle of the} collar bone and quite superficial, not penetrating the cavity of the chest but extending about three inches upwards and inwards through the integuments. The second wound was about an inch and a half from the navel on the left side and penetrated the cavity of the abdomen, which upon opening was found filled with bloody serum. The intestines were glued together and presented evidences of a violent inflammation. A portion of the Omentum had been protruded through the wound and had evidently been pushed back by the surgeons in the Hospital. A portion of the small intestine had been wounded by the instrument with which the stabbing had been done, ^{through} from which the contents of the gut had escaped. All other organs were healthy except the pleura which showed old adhesions. The cause of Death was Peritonitis following Stab Wound of the Abdomen.

Taken before me W^m A. Conway. M.D.
this 8th day of September 1885

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W. H. Conway CORONER.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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St Vincent's Hosp.
Sept. 3/83

This is to certify that
William Powderley
is a patient at this
hospital. suffering
from a stab wound of
Abdomen & chest. His
condition is dangerous.
L. H. Lewis
House Surgeon

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0107

The People
VS
James D. Byrd

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0108

Dr. WILLIAM L. HARDY,
353 West 28th Street.

New York, *Nov 10th* 1885-

Hon Randolph B Martine
District Attorney
Dear Sir

James Diver
is in an advance stage of
consumption, He is only able
to be out of bed for a few
hours in the day. He is
not able to go to Court and
the probabilities are that he
never will be. He is in the
hospital at Jefferson Market
Prison

Respectfully Yours
William L Hardy M.D.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0109

New York Sept 19 86

To Whom it may com-

cern This is to certify that
James Driver a prisoner
of Second Dist. Prison
is in very feeble condition
he being afflicted with
Phthisis & cannot be
moved

Engel Fuller
M.D.

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Department of
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,

HENRY H. PORTER, Pres't.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioners.

Office of City Prison, Corner of Franklin and Center Streets,

JAMES FINN, WARDEN.

New York, Sept 28 1886

John T. Brennan Esq
Hedge Street

Dear Sir,

Attached please find a
Certificate from S. Huller of this
Prison regarding the confinement
of the prisoner James Devine now
at the 2nd Dist. Prison

Respectfully Yours
James Finn
Warden

Department of
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,

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Office of City Prison, Corner of Franklin and Center Streets,

JAMES FINN, WARDEN.

New York, Sept 7 1886

John F. Brennan Esq.
Actg. Chief Clerk.

Dear Sir,

The prisoner James Dwyer is
confin'd to his bed and not able to
appear in Court this day.

Dwyer is at the 2 S. Prison and
is charged with Homicide

Respectfully Yours

James Finn
Warden

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0112

General Sessions Court.

The People, etc,

Plaintiff
against

James Blower

Defendant

Applicant of
Mr. Conway

FRANK J. KELLER.

Attorney for *def*

346 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK CITY.

To Esq.

Attorney for

Due and timely service of

..... is hereby *certified*

Dated

Attorney for

C. B. Marwin, Printer, 216 Fulton St., N. Y.

New York
April 2nd 1886
I hereby certify
to an order
being entered
for the removal
of the within
named defendant
to Bellevue Hospital
for under such
custody as to the
warden if so ordered -
Prison may seem
right -
Asst. District
Att. District
on the foregoing
certificat - and the
within affidavit -
it is ordered that
the said prisoner
be removed
to Bellevue Hospital
in the City of
New York under and
to the custody of
the warden of
the City Prison and
Return before 1886
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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

0113

Court of General Sessions.

New York County.

The People etc.,

against

James Divver.

City and County of New York, ss:- William M. Conway, M.D., being
duly sworn, says:- That at the time of the coroner's inquest
which was held in the City of New York relative to the death
of William Powderly, he was Coroner's physician (the inquest
being held by Coroner Kennedy). That at said time, the de-
fendant James Divver was brought before the said Coroner,
charged with causing the death of said Powderly. Deponent
examined the said defendant James Divver at said time, said
defendant having complained of being ill during the progress
of said inquest and deponent found said Divver to be suffering
with organic heart disease and in a very weak condition. That
deponent has this day examined the said Divver in a room in
the Court House No. 32 Chambers Street and found said Divver
in a much worse condition, the disease having developed to such
an extent as to render him liable at any time to sudden death,
especially under the influence of strong mental agitation.

That defendant was only able to be brought to Court under
the influence of powerful drugs. Deponent deems it advisable
to remove said defendant to some hospital where he can receive
appropriate treatment to relieve his sufferings as there is
imminent danger of his sudden death in the cell of the prison,
where he is now confined.

Sworn to before me this
1st day of April 1886.

Wm A. Conway, M.D.

John B. Felt

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FOLDER:

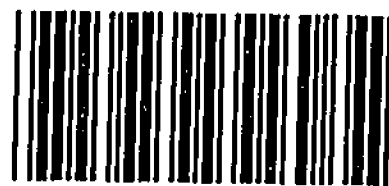
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DESCRIPTION:

Dodge, Jeremiah

DATE:

09/22/85



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Witnesses:

Counsel, *J. M. Brown*
Filed *22nd* day of *Sept.* 188*5*
Pleads *Not Guilty* 24.

THE PEOPLE
Wm. H. Brown
Att. Gen.
John F. Brown
James D. Brown
Grand Larceny in the *Second* degree.
(Sec. 528 and 537, Penal Code.)
MONEY

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.
No 217 22 days 29/8-
pleads guilty
A True Bill. *Chas. R. F.*
Chas. H. Russell

Foreman.

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0116

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Gerrish Dodge

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

Gerrish Dodge

of the crime of GRAND LARCENY IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Gerrish Dodge*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Twenty-sixth* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the *day* time of the same day, *two* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *four* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars *each*; *eight* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars *each*; *twenty* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars *each*; *four* promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar *each*; *two* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars *each*; *four* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars *each*; *eight* promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars *each*; and divers coins, of a number, kind and denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value of *forty dollars*.

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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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 289 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John W. Waldman
685 - 6th Ave.
N.Y.C.

Henrich Dodge

No. _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Offence Larceny

Date Sept 20 1885

Geo. P. Rice Magistrate.
Office.

Witnesses
Geo. P. Rice Precinct.
Geo. P. Rice Street.

No. _____
Street.

No. _____
to answer \$ 500 Street.

Conrad

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

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

Dated Sept 20 1885 J. Murphy Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1885 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 1885 _____ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Jeremiah Dodge

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 18 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 454. 4th ave. about 2 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Stationery and News papers

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

Jeremiah Dodge

Taken before me this

day of

1881

Police Justice.

0119

Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York, }of No. 685. 6th Ave Street, aged 52 years,
occupation Laundry being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 26 day of August 1885 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession
of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Good and lawful money
of the United States to the amount
and value of forty 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 Jeremiah Dodge (now dead)
from the fact that on the above
mentioned date the defendant was
in the employ of deponent. And
deponent left his place of business
for a short time and left the defendant
in charge of said place and when
deponent returned ~~the defendant~~
~~had left and deponent missed~~
the aforesaid amount of money from a
trunk where it had been kept. And the
defendant admitted and confessed
in the presence of deponent and
Officer James K. Price of the 2nd Precinct
Police that he did take and carry
away the aforesaid amount of money John W. Baldwin

Sworn to before me, this 26th day of August 1885

John W. Baldwin
Police Justice.

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FOLDER:

1885

DESCRIPTION:

Donohue, John

DATE:

09/22/85



1885

Witnesses:

Sworn to before me

Notary

and appears

knowing the contents

of the foregoing

Character

to be

Counsel,
Filed 22nd day of Sept 1885
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE
vs.
J. J. Dondos

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

No 203

A True Bill.

Chas H. Russell

Foreman
J. J. Dondos
J. J. Dondos
J. J. Dondos

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0122

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 Dandane

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

John Dandane

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

The said *John Dandane*

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the *eighteenth* day of *September*, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, about the
hour of *four* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *James Sullivan*,

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

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

in the said dwelling house then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal,
take and carry away; (*the said John Dandane*

*being then and there armed with a
dangerous weapon, to wit: with a
certain dangerous knife*)

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

Randolph B. Martin
District Attorney

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Dated _____ 188_____
Police Justice

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

John Donohue

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *John Donohue*

Question How old are you?

Answer *24 years*

Question Where were you born?

Answer *Ireland*

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

Answer *Boston*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Printer*

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

Answer *I have nothing to say*

John his *Donohue*
mark

Taken before me this

18

day of *September* 1885

at New York

Police Justice.

0125

Police Court— 3 District.City and County }
of New York, } ss.:James Sullivan
of No. 1 1/2 Allen Street, aged 52 years,
occupation Printer being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 1 1/2 Allen Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house^{in part}
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name James
Sullivanwere BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly breaking the
wire fastening of the window blinds of
the front parlor window of said premises,
on the first floor on the side nearest to
Canal Streeton the 18th day of September 1885 in the night time, and the
^{attempted to be}
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:one gold watch
of the value of eighty dollars, and
other personal property in said premises
of the ^{total} value of one hundred dollars;the property of Deponentand deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid
BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away byJohn Donohue (now here)for the reasons following, to wit: Deponent securely locked
and fastened the said premises shortly after
midnight. About quarter past four o'clock
A.M. Deponent was awakened by Deponent's
wife who was sleeping on said premises
who informed Deponent that some one was
opening the back door above. Deponent found
the said Donohue in the hall way of
said premises in the act of trying to escape

