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Daly, Daniel

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Adm. & M. D.

Counsel, *3*
Filed *20* day of *Sept* 188*5*
Pleas *Mo. & 10th*

Violation of Excise Law.
(Sunday).
[Ill. Rev. Stat., 7th Edition, page 1093 Sec. 21, and page 1089, Sec. 5].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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David S. Duff
H.P.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

No 314

A True Bill.

Chas. W. Russell

Spent to County of Peoria Foreman.
Seems for term by present
H. Council 10th 1885

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

David Dady

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

David Dady

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

The said *David Dady*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Xmas* 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 wade, 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

David Dady

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

The said *David 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

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 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.

THIRD COUNT:

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

Daniel Dady

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 Dady

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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Daly, Michael

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Witnesses:

Counsel,
Filed 23 day of Sept 1885
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Grand Larceny 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 531 Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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Mich Wiley
vs

Grand Larceny 2nd degree

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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A True Bill.

Chas R. Hamell

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 P. P. P.*

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 D. Coffey
vs
Michael Daly

1 _____
 2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____

Offence *Harassment*

Dated *Sept 11* 188*5*

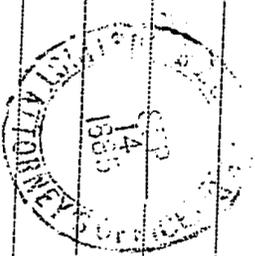
Markway Parker
 Magistrate
 Officer

Precinct *15*

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____



No. _____
 to answer *to*
 Street _____

*Warranted in Court of the Commissioner
 at the residence of Officer Coffey*

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* 188*5* = *Aureus [Signature]* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

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

Answer. *140 Plymouth Street, Brooklyn, Four'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
March*

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188

John J. Hennessy

Police Justice.

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Police Court— District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

Thomas Coffey

of No. 246 E 121 Street, aged 45 years
occupation Blue stone dealer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 8 day of September 188 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 11 day of September 1888
of New York
Bluma Schwartz
Justice

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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Bookhart

Counsel,
Filed *10* day of *Sept* 188*5*
Pleads *Chattel* (11)

Sections—298, Penal Code].
Randolph B. Martine
THE PEOPLE vs. *R*
Amie Davis
Dias
Amie Engelstein
Dias
Amie Edger

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.
In Sept. W. 1885.
Arrest & acquitted.

A True Bill.

Chas A. Howell
Foreman

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Sept 21
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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

Annice Davis, otherwise called Annice Eppstein, otherwise called Annice Pidgeu.

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

committed as follows:

The said Annice Davis, otherwise called Annice Eppstein, otherwise called Annice Pidgeu, late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the twenty eighth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, at the City of London, in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, did marry one Herman Eppstein, and in the said Herman Eppstein did then and there have her true 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, the said Annice Eppstein being then living and in full life, against the form of the Statute in such case

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Police Court *30 912* District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Tomie Pilsen
139 East Broadway

Amie Pilsen
impleaded
Amie Coppstein

Offence *Burgamy*

Dated *August 29* 188 *5*

William Magistrate.
Leishman Officer.
Cent Precinct.

Witnesses: *Amie Coppstein*
No. *100* of *St. Paul* Street.
Boston Precinct.

No. *Amie Abraham* Street.
200 of *Barnum* St.

No. _____ Street.
to answer to _____ Sessions.
135 of _____ St.
135 of _____ St.

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 *Amie Pilsen*, *impleaded Amie Coppstein* guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Seven* 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 24th 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 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 3 District Police Court, in the said City, or in case of my absence or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to be dealt with according to law.

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

J. M. Patterson POLICE JUSTICE.

Police Court 3rd District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Louis Pelzer

Annie Eppstein

Warrant-General.

Dated August 24 1885

Pellmar Magistrate.

Pellmar Officer.

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

Pellmar Officer.

Dated August 24 1885

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at night.

Pellmar Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest August 24 1885

Native of Annie Eppstein

Age, 19

Sex, Am

Complexion, _____

Color, Irish

Profession, None

Married, Yes

Single, 11

Read, 11

Write, 11

160 Attorney

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, { ss

Annie Pilsen (impleaded *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 Pilsen*

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 Pilsen
Mark

Taken before me this

19

day of *August* 188*1*

W. P. Patterson

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINALS

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3 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

Examination had August 29 1885
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 1885.

J M Patterson
Police Justice.

W. L. Ormsby
Stenographer.

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The People
Louis Pelzer
v
Annie Epstein

Examination before Justice Patterson
August 29 1945

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 believe 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

next at 54 ~~Richard~~ ^{Lullow} street. It is a boarding house. There were different people there. The house is kept by Mrs Beck. 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 Eppstein 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 Eppstein 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 Eppstein 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 Mr Goodheart - 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.

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.

Ms

Wm Patterson

(Notary Public)

Herman Epstein being duly sworn and cross examined by Justice Patterson seated 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 24th
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 Register 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

Heraman Eppstein

Police Justice

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My Anna Abraham, a witness for
the People being duly sworn deposes
and says:- examined by Her
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
of the

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

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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 Pallson - 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

Q 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

Annie Abrechtman

A. M. Patterson
Justice of the Peace

Annie Pidgeon, the defendant, being
duly sworn in her own behalf de-
posed 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. ~~Justice~~ ^{else} ~~part~~
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.

Q 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

Shows before me
this 5th day of August
1885

J M Patterson
Justice

Amie - her Pilger
Mank

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State of New York
City and County of New York in

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 Eppstein
did feloniously marry and
take as her husband this de-
ponent. the said Annie Epp-
stein being then and there
lawfully married to, and the
wife of, Hermann Eppstein,
and the said Hermann Eppstein
being then and there alive in
in full life. Wherefore deponent
prays that the said Annie Eppstein
be ousted and dealt with as the
law directs.

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

J. M. Patterson Notary Public

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

Hermon 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 } Hermon Eppstein

A. M. Patterson Police Justice

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FOLDER:

1885

DESCRIPTION:

Dechler, Rocco

DATE:

09/28/85



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Counsel,
Filed *28* day of *Sept* 188*5*
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

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

W. J. [unclear]
191 I 2 #
Rose Dodder

In [unclear] 11/16
and [unclear]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

W. J. [unclear]
[unclear]
[unclear]

Chas H. Kaswell

Foreman.

22nd Mar 1916
Mrs + Charles Cook
S.P. 3 years.

Witnesses:

[Signature]

Bail \$300.
Oct 16 1916

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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 Palomares*, 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 Palomares*, 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 Martin
District Attorney

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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BAILED,
 No. 1, by Josiah B. Beach
 Residence 121 Broadway
 No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____
 No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____
 No. 5, by _____
 Residence _____

Police Court 21 District 1817
 THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Joseph Alexander
262 North
Green Stables
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 Offence 1st Assault
 Dated Sept 23 1885
 Magistrate Wood
 Officer C
 Precinct _____
 Witnesses John & Douglas
583
262 North
583
 No. _____
 Street, _____
 to answer _____
 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 _____

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 23 1885 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188 _____ Police Justice.

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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,

and feloniously Assaulted and Beaten by Rocco 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

[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Joseph P. Lombardi

vs.

Rocco Decker

Warrant-A & B.

Dated Aug 25 1885

Pomer Magistrate.

Wood Officer.

The Defendant Rocco 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.

[Signature]
Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, 11:50 am Sept 23/85

Rocco Decker
195 Stuyvesant St

Native of Italy

Age, 20

Sex M

Complexion, dark

Color M

Profession, Boot Maker

Married [check]

Single [check]

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

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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 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 *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 *Labourer*

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

1888

Police Justice.

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Police Court First District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

of No. 262 West Pasquale Colombo Street, aged 30 years, occupation Labourer

deposes 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 Decher who did wilfully cut and stab ^{deponent} on the temple and once on the lip and twice on the body with the blade of a knife ~~then~~ ^{and} ~~there~~ ^{was} held in his hand and said assault was committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 29th day of August 1885 Pasquale Colombo

deponent Police Justice.

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R
 Oct 8th 1885
 I hereby certify that Mrs. 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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COURT

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

T H E P E O L E)

- 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 hollered 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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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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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 FANELLA, 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 dimer, 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

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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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1885

DESCRIPTION:

Dee, Mary

DATE:

09/14/85



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Counsel, *W. H. [unclear]*
Filed 14 day of Sept 1885
Pleads, *Not guilty*

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

W. S. In open court
I do hereby

A True Bill. *Ben Bond*

Chas H. Stance

The debt is a
Foreman.
witness vs. *Mary*
Flonella
Sept 23rd
1885

Witnesses:

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's 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

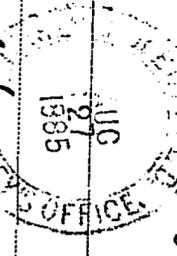
William Henry
330 E. 11th St.
Mary Lee

1 _____
2 _____
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Offence Larceny
Jim Perout

Dated August 21 1885

John H. ... Magistrate
153 Precinct



Witnesses
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____
to answer

No. _____ Street _____
to answer

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

9th 1885

day of

Wm. J. ...

Police Justice.

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Police Court— 5 — District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

William Horig

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

occupation Driver of Beer Wagon being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 20 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: Good 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, from the 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 18th day of August 1885

Police Justice

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from the outside, and defendant, stating
for 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. E. Police Justice

William Hoerny

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been
committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of
Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison
of the City of New York, until he give such bail.
Dated 1885 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 he to be discharged.
Dated 1885 Police Justice

Police Court, District, Offence—LARCENY.
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of
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Dated 1885
Magistrate.
Officer.
Clerk.
Witness,
No. Street,
No. Street,
No. Street,
to answer Sessions.

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FOLDER:

1885

DESCRIPTION:

di Sanctis, Achille

DATE:

09/08/85



1885

Witnesses:

Counsel, *A. J. [Signature]*
Filed *Sept 11* day of *Sept* 188*5*
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Ed. [Signature]
Ed. [Signature]
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. [Signature]

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 Sanctis

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

Achille di Sanctis

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

The said *Achille di Sanctis*,

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 Sanctis* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, wilfully and feloniously did ^{attempt to} 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 Sanctis

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

The said *Achille di Sanctis*

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 Sanctis* 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 ^{attempt to} 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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Police Court - 1st District.

V.P. 886

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Michael A. Mancini
48 West 13th St
Avenue of Sanctis

2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

Agency
Tele. Missions Assn.

Dated August 24 1885

Magistrate
Charles McNamee
Precinct 6

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
\$ 500 to answer
Street _____
C.M.W.



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 Adm. U. Di

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 U. J. 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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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Achille Di Sanctis

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. 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

day of

April 1888

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Police Justice.

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Police Court— First District.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Michael De Marsico

of No. 48 Mulberry Street, aged 26 years,

occupation Contractor being duly sworn

deposes 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 day of August 1885 St. Michele de Marsico

[Signature] Police Justice

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Divver, James

DATE:

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James Keller
16 day of Sept 1885
Advs. Iniquity (17)

Murder in the First Degree. (Section 1847)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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James D. ...

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE.

District Attorney.

Mar. Sep. 20

True Bill.

Thos. H. Haswell Foreman.

James ...
James ...
William ...

The Defat is reported to be dying with Consumption (See certificates 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

J. R. ...
A. D. ...

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

Randolph B. Martine
District Attorney

transm...

Oct. 21/86

POOR QUALITY
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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 Mt.)

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 willfully, feloniously, and with a deliberate and premeditated design to
effect the death of James Quinn the said William O'Reilly
did strike, stab, cut

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POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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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 aforesaid, 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.

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

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ 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 Jefferson Market Prison. He is suffering from consumption & 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 acquitted. His lungs are very much diseased.

but I think that if he
 could have his trial
 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

Ernest Fuller

J. M. James
 M.D.

The People
 vs
 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. Coman Esq
Dept Dist Attorney & Chief Clerk
Dear Sir

Dr Hills 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

0003

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 Diner

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Police Court-2 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William W. W. W.
Spicer

Jama Brown

Offence *Murder of William Cardwell*

Dated *Sept-9* 188*5*

D O Kelly
Magistrate.

Mr. O. W. M. M.
Officer.

No. 90
John Doyle
Witness
John Doyle
No. 122
Street

No. 19
Wm Conway
Witness
Wm Conway
No. 19
Street

No. _____
Samuel E. S.
Witness
Samuel E. S.
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 defendant

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

Dated *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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MEMORANDUM.

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

HOMICIDE.

AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of
 William Sandelby,
 whereby it is found that he came to
 his Death by the hands of

James Dwyer

Inquest taken on the 24th day
 of September 1885.

William B. Fenwick, Coroner.

Committed
 Bailed
 Discharged
 Date of death September 12th 1885

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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Coroner's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

James Diver 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 Diver.

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 Street)

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 Diver

Taken before me this
9th day of Sept. 1885
Samuel D. Kelly Police Justice

Taken before me, this 9 day of Sep 1885.

[Signature]

CORONER.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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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 3d day of September 1885

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he arrested James
Dwyer (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
Powderly is confined and said Powderly
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 - 2 DISTRICT Dated <u>Sept-3</u> 188<u>5</u> THE PEOPLE, &c., ON THE COMPLAINT OF <u>Thomas Moran</u> <u>James Durver</u> vs. <u>James Durver</u> Magistrate. <u>Moran &</u> Officer.</p>	<p>sworn to before me this 3rd day of Sept-1885 David O'Reilly Justice of Peace</p> <p>says that said Porduly is now confined in said Hospital and is in a dangerous condition. Wherefore deponent prays that said Durver may be committed to the arrest. The result of said Porduly injuries</p> <p><u>Thomas Moran</u></p>
<p>Disposition <u>Committed to</u> <u>arrest. The result of</u> <u>injuries</u></p>	<p>WITNESS</p>

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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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 South 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 ... before William R. Kennedy, Coroner, of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of William Sandersley

lying dead at 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 Page's Hotel Spring & West street on Sep 2/88. 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.

- W Adams 207 Hudson St
S. Simons 425 Canal St
Frederick D Fricke 318 Canal St
James A Clark 484 Canal St
Henry Van Dusen 372 Canal St
E. Strackmann 506 Canal St
Henry Neumann 387 Canal St
Chas. Lawrence Jr 445 Canal

[Signature] CORONER, & S.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

Detective Thomas Moran of Precinct
 being sworn says. On Sep 3rd about
 7th Street the prisoner James Diver
 was brought into the Station House
 by Officer Patrick M. Cullough
 the Sergeant asked the prisoner
 why he stabbed Penderly, he
 said give me a chance, from
 or five of that (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
 Vincent's Hospital and he was
 taken to where Penderly was
 and when Penderly 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

S sworn

Taken before me
 this 7th day of Sep 1880
 J. W. Kennedy

CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

O'Rielly to arrest the result of the ^{by injuries} ~~action~~ of the ~~prisoner~~, the prisoner said in the Station House that he was drunk when the man 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 A.M. 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. Murray

CORONER.

Sworn to before me & this 4th day of Sept. 1885
Samuel C. O'Rielly Justice

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CORONOR'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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At 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 McCallough

Edward A. Hughes being sworn says I reside at 303 West 2d and keep a hotel there. On Sep 2/05 I came into my place about 8.30 P.M. and I saw four or five men sitting down drinking in the store, 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. [Signature]

CORONER.

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

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CORONOR'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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of my place, I knew that he
was a stranger among the men.
I did not see any blows struck
the prisoner was under the influence
of liquor, all the men went out
after having me drink round
that was about 5 minutes after
Dinner Dishes went out, I never
saw the prisoner have any quarrel
before

E. B. Hughes

Harry Degagne being sworn says
I reside at 37 Selawey and am
bar tender for E. B. Hughes at 303
West St. On Sep 2nd 1885 about
11:30 P.M. I was behind the
bar when five young fellows
came in to have a drink they
asked me if they could not
sit down and have a song
they sat down and had a
glass of beer, one stood up
singing. Dinner walked in
and took a chair alongside
the other men, they came to the
bar after getting through singing

Taken before me
this 1st day of Sept 1885
J. W. Humphrey,

CORONER.

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

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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 Dimes 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. Dimes 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 Dimes 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.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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for him and punched 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 officers and told him the man who threw the stabbing was in the back room the officers then arrested Diver

Simon & before me this 9th day of Sept 1885
James O'Reilly Police Justice

Mary Deagane

~~George Peterson being sworn says I reside at 74 Hudson street and a bartender at Puges Hotel on West & Spring st. On~~

Bernard Gutman: being sworn says I reside at Puges 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 mercy, he got up after a while and was punched down again

Taken before me this 9th day of

Sept 1885
J. H. Hurnsby CORONER.

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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 you

Charles Gates being sworn says I reside at Pidgey'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 not able to face you he was then knocked down again, they separated the smaller man of the two went down West & 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. Russell Police Justice

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

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY. P.

Thomas McKenzie being sworn says. I reside at Paige's Hotel and check freight at Pitt St. N.R. On Sep 7th about 11 P.M. I was standing on 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 Coyle being sworn says. I reside at 10 1/2 W. Washington St and am a ~~general~~ laborer employed by White Star Line. On Sep 7th ~~about~~ I, the deceased, my brother Peter and a man named Mr. Doherty ~~was~~ were together and Ryan came along and asked us to buy 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 7th day of Sept 1885
A. H. Summary CORONER.

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept 1885
James W. Kelly Police Justice

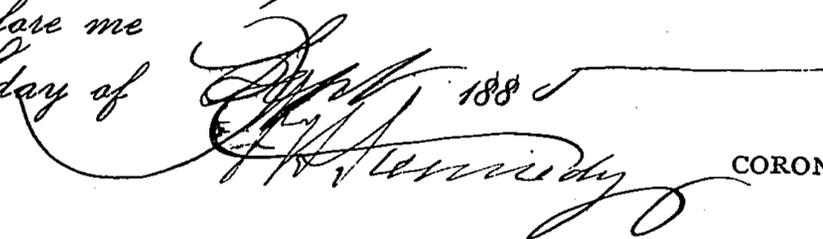
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TESTIMONY. 9

while these Diwan came in and
 out near us, and came out had
 a drink. Powderly said you
 ain't in our company Diwan
 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, bad words were spoken
 and Mr Hughes said to Diwan
 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 saw them standing
 towards the corner of Spring at
 we were leaning against some
 barrels. Powderly went down &

Taken before me
 this 1 day of Sept, 1885


CORONER.

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

10

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 Diner but could
not find him, I then met an
Officer and told him of the case
in the saloon I saw Powderly strike
Diner and Diner strike Powderly

Sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept- 1885
Sam'l O'Reilly Police Justice

- 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
marks

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

CORONER.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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James Kelly being sworn says
 I reside at Paige Hotel and am
 a bootman. On Sep 4th about
 10 45 P.M. 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 gang up but
 said I'll get a shaver for you, you had a shaver and
 he took them away

James Kelly

Sheldon Kelly being sworn says I reside
 at Paige Hotel. On Sep 4th about 11 P.M. 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 4 day of Sep 1885

CORONER.

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

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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 9th day of

Sept 1885
W. Kennedy CORONER.

POOR QUALITY
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CORONER'S OFFICE.

TESTIMONY.

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Charles Lewis being duly sworn says he is House Physician & Surgeon of St Vincent's Hosp and on Sep 2nd / 85 William Ponderley was brought to the above Hosp from 304 West St, suffering from stab wounds of Abdomen and Chest, the former penetrating, and that in spite of treatment he died

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

Charles Lewis.

Taken before me

this 8 day of Sept 1885

J. H. Conway

CORONER.

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

[Signature] CORONER.

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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
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The People
vs
James D. [unclear]

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.

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New York Sept 19 86

To Whom it may con-

cern
This is to certify that
James Dwyer a prisoner
of Second Dist. Prison
is in very public conduct
he being afflicted with
Phthisis & cannot be
removed

Engel Fuller
M.D.

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Department of
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,

HENRY H. PORTER, Pres't.

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CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioners.

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

JAMES FINN, WARDEN.

New York, Sept 20 1886

John H. Brennan Esq
Acty Supt.

Dear Sir. Attached please find a
Certificate from S. Fuller of this
Prison regarding the enrollment
of the prisoner James Devine now
at the 2nd Dist. Prison

Respectfully Yours
James Finn
Warden

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John F. Brennan Esq,
Actg. Chief Clerk.

Dear Sir,

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

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

Respectfully Yours
James Finn
Warden

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

0112

Grand Sessions Court.

The People, etc,

Plaintiff

against

James Blower

Defendant

Affidavit 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. Merwin, Printer, 218 Fulton St., N. Y.

New York
April 2-1906
I have caused
to an order
being enforced
for the removal
of the within
named defendant
to Bellevue Hospital
for mental disease
custody as to the
warden of the City
Prison may seem

right
A. H. M. D.
Asst. District
on the foregoing
conceded and the
within affidavit
it is ordered that
the said James
Blower be removed
to Bellevue Hospital
for mental disease
in the City of New
York under and
to the order of
the City Prison
Commissioner / JBC
APR 2 1906

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 W. ...

0114

BOX:

187

FOLDER:

1885

DESCRIPTION:

Dodge, Jeremiah

DATE:

09/22/85



1885

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 *two* 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* on the person of the said *John W. Baldwin*, then and there being found, from the person of the said *John W. Baldwin* 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.

0117

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court - 989 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

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

Henrich Bridge

Offence Larceny

Date Sept 20 1885

Geo. P. Rice
Magistrate
Officer

Witnesses
No. 1
John W. Galvan
No. 2
Henrich Bridge
Street

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____

\$ 500 to answer
Bond

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. Mumford 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.

0118

Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Jeremiah Dodge

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. *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. *457th St are 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

Sept 11
James W. [Signature]

Police Justice.

0119

Police Court 2 District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

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

John W. Baldwin
of No. 685. 6th Ave Street, aged 52 years,
occupation Laundry being duly sworn

deposes 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

0120

BOX:

187

FOLDER:

1885

DESCRIPTION:

Donohue, John

DATE:

09/22/85



1885

Witnesses:

Witnesses

Witnesses

Witnesses

Witnesses

Witnesses

Witnesses

Witnesses

Counsel,
Filed *22* day of *Sept* 188*5*
Pleads,

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Jim Dandrea

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

No 203

A True Bill.

Chas H. Russell

Foreman
James Longley
John R. [unclear]

0121

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 Dandrea

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

John Dandrea

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

The said *John Dandrea*

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; (*and the said John Dandrea 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 Bernhart
District Attorney

POOR QUALITY ORIGINALS

0123

BAILED,

No. 1, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 2, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 3, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____ Street _____

Police Court- 3
 District. 987

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

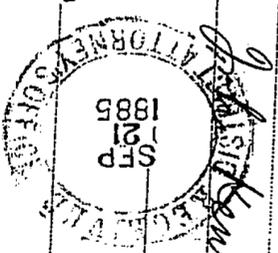
James Sullivan
 174 Allen
 John Donohue

2 _____
 3 _____
 4 _____

Offence Burglary

Dated Sept 18 1885

Power Magistrate



10 Precinct.
 Officer

Witnesses
 No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____
 Committed to answer 9. 8.

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

John Donohue

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

Dated Sept 18 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.

0124

Sec. 198-200.

9 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

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 sworn

deposes 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 Sullivan

were **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 Street

on the 18th day of September 1885 in the night time, and the 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 Deponent

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid **BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen, and carried away by

John 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 bed room door. Deponent found the said Donohue in the hall way of said premises in the act of trying to escape

