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Farney, James

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Court of General Sessions
for the City & County of New York
The People

vs
James McDonald,
imprisoner

City & County of New York ss -
William C. Beecher being
duly sworn deposes & says that
he is an assistant district attorney
in & for the City and County of New
York.

That on about the 6th day of March
1881. the defendant herein was in-
dicted with five others for bur-
glary in the 3rd degree that thereafter
on about the 9th day of said month
they were re indicted on the charge of
burglary in the 1st degree & on the
same complaint & were assigned to
plead on the 10th.

That thereafter the case has been
upon the Calendar ^{eleven} ~~ten~~ times for
trial upon the following dates -
March 18. 23. 25, April 14. 19. 26 -
June 23. Aug (date uncertain).
Sept 27. & Oct 6th & 10th -

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That with the exception the defendant
James McDonald through his counsel
has opposed every effort made to
try the cause in nearly every
instance on the ground that a
Mr. Storm whom they regarded as
a material witness was absent.
That on the 27th of ~~August~~ September
1881, that day having been agreed
upon by counsel - the case was
presumptively moved for trial, when
the well known excuse of absent
witnesses was again interposed, but
that ^{the} case was forced on ~~to~~ be-
fore the close of the case. The al-
leged absent witnesses appeared in
Court & testified in behalf of the
defendant - in which trial the jury dis-
~~posed~~ ^{posed} the agreed standing as de-
ponent is informed by one of the jurors
& for conviction and 4 for acquittal
That the second Monday in Oct-
ober (Oct 10th) was chosen for the
present trial & defendant coun-
sel notified of the fact, that
prior to usual day on the 6th of
October 1881 the following letter

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was received by deponent -

" Thursday Oct 6 1881.

Dear Mr Beecher,

I learn that you intend
to place the James McDonald
Case in Mondays Calendar for trial

Inasmuch as I will be in
Albany on that day to attend the
Democratic State Convention, and
will be detained there until
Wednesday, I shall feel obliged
if you set the case for trial for
Thursday or Friday of next week
And Yours

William F. Howe

That in accordance with the above
request deponent did not call
said case on Monday the 10-
but put it down for the date
suggested by the above to wit -
Thursday the 13th - and that
thereafter deponent notified Mr
Kauffman of Mr Howes office
that the case would be tried that
day without fail

Deponent further says that a
witness in this case has been
detained in the House of Detention

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since the ^{latter} ~~early~~ part of April -
while the defendant has been
for some time at large on bail.
That defendant counsel Mr. Howe
admitted to defendant in open
Court that he had been duly no-
tified a week ago that this case
would be tried today and further
admitted that he had made no
effort to procure the said witness
Storms attendance here, further
that fits cause.

That every time the case has been
upon the Calendar the people have
had their witnesses present in Court
except once, when one material
witness was detained by public duties.

Defendant believes that if either the
defendant (who has been at large for the
past two or three months) or his counsel
had made any effort whatever to
have the said witness Storms present
he would have been on hand in
time to attend the trial of this case
he being a friendly & willing witness
for the defendant.

Sworn to before me
this 14th day of October 1891

William Moser Jr.
Deputy Clerk of Court General Session

W. C. Becker

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Amber Successors

The People's

James J. Small

affidavit of
W. Beecher in
opposition to motion
for adjournment

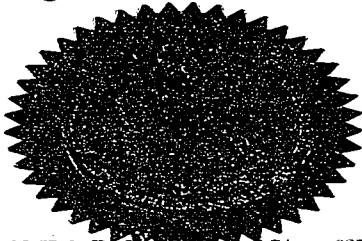
filed in open Court
E. J. O'Connell, 1881

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I, JOHN SPARKS, Clerk of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace,
and of the Court of Oyer and Terminer held in and for the City and County of New York,
do certify that the annexed is a copy of

Recognizance to answer

now on file in the Clerk's Office, and that the same has been compared by me with the
original, and is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original.



3d Vol. R. S., 5th Ed., § 74, p. 687.

GIVEN UNDER my hand, and attested by the seal
of the said Court this *Eighteenth* day
of *November* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty *one*,

John Sparks

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

Be it Remembered, That on the
thirteenth day of August in the year of our
 Lord 1881, John Leonard Principal,
 of No. 410 West 29th Street, in the City of
 New York
 and Moses Strauss Surety,
 of No. 359 West 40th Street, in said City.

personally came before the undersigned, Justice Supreme Court of
 the City of New York, and acknowledged themselves to owe to the People of the State of New York,
 that is to say, the said John Leonard Principal, in
 the sum of five Hundred Dollars,
 and the said Moses Strauss Surety, in
 the sum of five Hundred Dollars,
 separately, of good and lawful money of the State of New York, to be loved and made of their
 respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of said People, if default shall be made in
 the condition following, viz.:

Whereas, the said John Leonard
 was on the 9th day of March 1881 duly
 indicted in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, in and for the City and County of New York,
 for the offence of burglary 1st degree & L & R Goods,

Now, therefore, the condition of this Recognizance is such, that if the above named
John Leonard Principal shall personally appear
 at the present term of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace,
 held in and for said City and County of New York, to answer to said indictment against him, and
 abide the order of the said Court thereon, and also in like manner personally appear at any subsequent term
 of said Court, to which the proceedings in the premises may be continued, or to any Court where said indict-
 ment may be sent for trial, if not previously surrendered or discharged, and so from term to term until the
 final decree, sentence, or order of the Court thereon, and abide such final sentence, order or decree of the Court
 thereon, and not depart without leave, then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to be and abide in full
 force, power and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the
 day and year first aforesaid.

John Leonard Principal. T.S.
Moses Strauss Surety. T.S.

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And we, the undersigned, Principal and Surety, in the annexed Recognizance, do hereby
Stipulate, Agree, and Consent, That in case said Recognizance shall be forfeited, that a copy
of the order of the Court forfeiting the same, together with this Recognizance, be filed in the office
of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and that judgment may be entered for the
several sums set forth in said Recognizance, and that execution issue forthwith thereon according to
law.

Witness.....

..... Principal.

..... Surety

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

of No. _____
Recognizance, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he owns in his own right real estate consisting of _____

and that the same is of the value of not less than _____ Dollars, and is subject to no incumbrance except a mortgage of _____

and that he owns personal estate in the _____ Dollars;
and that its value is not less than _____ Dollars;

that it consists of _____

and that it is subject to no incumbrance

and that there are no unsatisfied judgments or executions against him, and that he is under no recognizance

and that he is worth in good property not less than _____ Dollars over and above all debts, liabilities and lawful claims against him, and all liens incumbrances and lawful claims upon his property.

Sworn to before me, this _____ day _____ 18 _____
of _____
_____ Surety.

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State of New York,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

S. Moses Strauss the surety mentioned
in the annexed recognizance to answer, do hereby authorize and empower any
Policeman of the City of New York, or
or either of them, in my name, place, and stead, to take, seize, and
surrender the said *John Leonard* (in the said bond
named as defendant,) to the Court therein mentioned, or deliver him
to the custody of the authorities of said city and county, in my exoneration
as surety on said recognizance.

Dated *Nov. 18th* 1881

Moses Strauss Surety.



TO THE CHIEF CLERK!

SEND ME THE PAPERS IN THE CASE OF

PEOPLE

vs.

John Leonard
et al

In this case, we have
no evidence against
Leonard (who is partly
indicted with James
McDonald - on a charge
of burglary) & several
of the accomplices. Leonard
has been twice tried & jury dis-
agreeing. I think that
Leonard should be dis-
charged - W. B. Becker
Nov. 19, 81 A.D.A.

W. B. Becker

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Court of General Sessions
New York.

The People
against
James M^c Donald
Indicted for Burglary

City and County of New York ss. William T.
Howe of said City being duly sworn says
On the day of September 1851
in this Court before the Honorable Recorder
Smith the above indictment was tried
such trial resulting in a disagreement
of the Jury.

That on said trial one Andrew
Storms of Dutchess County New York states of
New York was a necessary and
material witness for the defense
which was that of an alibi and
that the said Storms on said
trial testified positively that
said M^c Donald was in his
witnesses company at M^c
Donalds father house at
the time the burglary was
perpetrated and that therefore
said M^c Donald was
innocent

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That said Storms is over
60 years of age and a
Farmer and Mr K. Deulen
was a Resident of Litchfield
County, and the testimony
of said Storms is positively
material and necessary
for said defendant on the
trial of this indictment
and that it will be
unjust and inequitable for
this defendant to be
compelled to proceed by
trial without the testimony
of said Storms.

That Defendant is prepared
to agree to have been such
that he has been unable
to effect service of
process on said Storms
but that Defendant is
willing and desires
that he can procure the
attendance of said Storms
on Monday next and
which day only is
matter of right Justice

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and furnish Deponent with
for and government
This application is made
in good faith and not
for the purpose of delay
That may be taken and
examined at great length
and the materiality of this
evidence is on the part
of this Court and Deponent
sees the testimony of
a certain person testimony
now on file with the Court
as to its materiality
Deponent says that the
above named defendant
is now on bail at work
for the prosecution reside
in this City and that
the Prosecution cannot
in any way be prejudiced
nor will the interest
of Justice in any way
be affected by this
Court granting the
application prayed
for
Deponent says

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Deponent says that on the
last trial the previous
jury evidence of good
character. And Deponent
says with great
respect and address
the conscience of this
Court in so saying that
to force this trial on
and thereby expose the
accused of the making
testimony of a reputable
old gentleman whose
testimony will sustain
the previous innocence
will result in a great
and unnecessary wrong
and injustice against
one who under oath
supported by reputable testimony
has asserted his innocence
an accusation which many
members of the last jury
believed.

Deponent further says
an officer of this
Court and that is his

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honest conviction that a
 sense of Justice demands
 the adjournment of this
 trial until Monday
 next; and to show the
 bona fide of this application
 Defendant is willing that
 a Jury should now
 be impaneled and
 the prosecution give their
 testimony that even when
 of this Court be entered
 extending the time for
 the Defense to put in
 their evidence until
 Monday

Sworn to before me
 this 13th day of October 1881
 William Moser Jr
 Deputy Clerk Court General Sessions.

W. F. Howe,

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My Son

The People

James M. Donald

Applicant
J. H. Howes
for judgment
of case

J. H. Howes
of Council
of 4 Counties

Filed in open Court
17- October 13, 1887.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace
of the City and County of New York

The People etc
vs
Daniel M. Donald
and others

City and County of New York: Michael A. Koffman
of said City being duly sworn says that he
is one of the Counsel for the above named
defendant.

That said defendant is indicted
for the offense of Burglary in the first
degree.

That one Andrew Storms is a
necessary and material witness for
the said defendant in the trial of this
~~indictment~~ and it will be unsafe for
the defendant to proceed to the trial
without the testimony of said witness.

Deponent expects to be able to prove
by said Andrew Storms that at the time
of the commission of the said burglary
the said defendant was not at the
place of said burglary and that said
defendant was more than a mile and
a half from the place where the said

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hijacking was committed and that he therefore could not be guilty thereof.

That said Andrew Storms is not present today for the reason that department was informed by Assistant District Attorney Beecher that the said case would not be called before the next week and probably not during the present term of the Court and therefore said witness was not subpoenaed.

That said witness resides at Laprangerille Onithea County - Kentucky and it will be impossible for defendant to obtain the said witness unless upon two days notice.

The defendant has fully and fairly stated his defense to me and from his statement which I believe to be true he has a good defense to said indictment and I have so advised him.

Department further says that Mr. Howe has been specially retained to try this case and that owing to the death of Mrs. Howe said Mr. Howe is unable to proceed with said trial today.

Submitted this }
25th day of March 1887

Michael A. Hoffman

Thos. A. Starkardt

Commissioner of Deeds
New York City

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If Linard's
Case is like

W. O. Linard

Bail to \$500

So long as

Living, July 18

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Court of General Sessions

The People of the State
of New York
against
John Leonard

Sir..

Please take notice that a motion
will be made before Hon Henry A
Gouldsleeve in Part Two of the above
named Court on Monday May 9th 1881
at 11 o'clock in the forenoon that
the bail fixed in the above case
be reduced in amount and for
such other and further relief as
may be just

Dated New York May 7 1881

Yours etc

Peter Mitchell

To

att'y for prisoner

Daniel G. Rollins &

Dust attorney

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Court of General
Sessions

The People of the
State of New York

vs

John Leonard

Notice of motion

Peter Mitchell
Att'y for prison
23 Broadway
New York

J.
James G. Rollins Esq
Dist Atty

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Cavalry Recruiting Rendezvous,

174 HUDSON STREET.

New York, June 3^d 1881.

Daniel J. Rollins,
District Attorneys Office,
City.

Sir:

I have the honor to state that Patrick Murray, who enlisted at this rendezvous February 14th 1881 under the name of John Quinn, was turned over by me to Detective Riley & Kiersey, on a charge of being implicated in the robbery of a jewelry store on 6th Avenue.

Having heard nothing of his case since, I am, I regret to say, unable to be informed whether or not he was convicted of the charge and if so the nature of his sentence. —

Very Respectfully,
Your obed^t. servant,
W. Madden
Captain 6th Cavalry.
R.O.

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for. Linn
H. H. H. H.
Linn

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Peter Mitchell.

Counsellor at Law.

237 Broadway, cor. Park Street.

Broadway Bank Building.

Rooms 12 & 13, Second floor.

(New York)

People

Leonard

June 29th 1881

Sir

Please take notice that on
the 30th day of June 1881 at the Court
of General Sessions Part II I shall
apply to the Hon Frederick Smythe
Recorder &c that the prisoner
Lurien (John Leonard) be discharged
for the reason that he has been
confined in a prison for more
than two months and also on
the ground of sickness

Yours &c

To

D. J. Rollins Esq
Dist Att.

Peter Mitchell

of Counsel for pr.

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General Sessions
Part II

The People

vs.

John Leonard

" Notice of
Motions

Peter Mitchell
Counsel for Prisoner
237 Broadway
New York City

Served at
240'
June 30

D.

D. G. Rollins &
Dist Atty

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TO THE CHIEF CLERK!

SEND ME THE PAPERS IN THE CASE OF

PEOPLE

vs.

John Quinn -

This man has been
taken as State evidence
thos time testifier
in the McDowell
Case. After case is
tried again I can
get without him.
As he has been held
nearly 9 months, I think
that now he should be
discharged

Per Discharged
from H of D Mr 2/2/01

W. Beech

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The said J 2. Having been heretofore
transferred to the H of B
as a witness, is brought
Court this day on the said J 2.
Upon application of the H of B

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TORN PAGE(S)

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9 o'clock night time

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

Form 89½

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Alexander Newburger
 of No. *531 - 6th Avenue* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
 and says, that on the *4th* day of *February* 1881

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
 away, from the possession of deponent, *and from the window of*
the above named premises between the hours of 6 and
7 o'clock P.M.
 the following property, to wit:

Three (3) pairs of Diamond Earrings—

of the value of *about Two thousand \$00* 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 *James Farney, Wally*
O'Connor, Michael O'Connor, James McDonald
and John Quinn from the fact that this deponent
recognizes and identifies James McDonald (now here)
as the person who on the night aforesaid broke
the glass in the window of this deponent's store, and
took therefrom the diamonds as above described;
and from information obtained from Inspector
Thomas Barnes of the Police Department of the
City of New York that Wally O'Connor and
John Quinn (now here) and James Farney and
Michael O'Connor (not yet arrested) took and
all of whom acted in concert with each other and
the said property.

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take, steal and carry away
mentioned.

This Depoent further avers upon information and belief received from Inspector Thomas Byrnes of the Police Department of the City of New York, that John Leonard (now here) was accessory before and after the fact of the felonious taking, stealing and carrying away of the diamond earrings aforesaid.

Wherefore this Depoent charges and alleges that James Mc Donald, Wally O'Connor (now here) and John Quinn (now here) and James Farney and Michael O'Connor (not yet arrested) did act in concert together and while they were acting in concert together did, on the night of the 4th day of February 1881, between the hours of 6 and 7 o'clock, feloniously take, steal and carry away from the window of premises 531 - 6th Avenue the Diamond Earrings heretofore mentioned; and this depoent further charges and alleges upon information and belief that John Leonard (now here) was accessory before and after the fact of the said Larceny.

Therefore this Depoent prays that they may be dealt with as the law directs.

A. Newburger

Sworn to before me this
28th day of February 1881

J. H. Morgan
Police Justice

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State of New York.
City and County of New York. } 20.

Thomas Byrnes, an Inspector of the Police Department of the City of New York, being duly sworn, says that the ~~facts~~ matters alleged in the Complaint and affidavit of Alexander Neuburger upon information received from this deponent are known to this deponent by the Confession made in the presence of this deponent & others by John Quinn (now here) which Confession is set forth in writing and attached to the Complaint and affidavit made by Alexander Neuburger and made a part thereof, and further that in the affidavit of John Quinn attached and made part of this Complaint he John Quinn

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in the presence of this defendant
 did identify James McDonald
 and Wall O'Connor (now here)
 as the two persons who
 were with him on the night
 of the 4th day of February
 1881. in the Commission
 of the Larceny as more
 fully set forth in the Complaint
 and the John Quinn
 identified in the presence
 of this defendant John Leonard
 as the person who was
 in Harney's Store on the
 night of the 4th day of February
 1881. after the Commission
 of the aforesaid Larceny
 and that whilst in the
 Store of Harney at that
 time he John Quinn saw
 said Harney pass to said
 John Leonard the diamonds
 therefore described and
 that said John Leonard
 did receive from said
 Harney said diamonds
 knowing them to be stolen.
 James Quinn

Quinn to defendant
 this 28th day of February
 1881. J. H. M.
 Cal. Superior Court Justice

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State of New York 3
City & County of N.Y. 3

John Simon being duly examined before
the undersigned according to law,
on the annexed charge and being
informed that he was at liberty to
refuse to answer any questions that may
be put to him states under oath
that I am aware of the charge
made against me and am desirous
of stating of what I know con-
cerning the same. On the night of
the 4th day of February 1851. at
about the hour of 7 o'clock. James
Wally O'Connor, Mike O'Connor,
James M^cDonald and myself
broke the windows on the premises
No 531-6th Avenue. M^cDonald
broke the windows with a leaden
mallet and took the diamonds
out. all I saw was one set of
diamond earrings - a card was
attached to them marked "525".
I was standing at the corner of
32nd Street and 6th Avenue -
about three doors from where
the diamonds were taken -

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Farney was on the opposite side of the Avenue and opposite to the Store. Mally O'Connor put a lock and chain on the door - it was understood between us that he was to do that part of the work. Mike O'Connor was standing with me at 32nd Street and 6th Avenue. After the diamonds were taken we went in Farney's house in 34th Street - two doors west of 9th Avenue - this was about one hour afterwards. We sat talking together for some little time - when Farney, Mike O'Connor and myself went together to an ash barrel which was in 32nd Street between 6th & 7th Avenue near a Grocery Store, and where as Farney said the diamonds were thrown by M^r. Donald whilst he was running away - Farney and Mike O'Connor and myself searched the barrel. Farney gave me on a card the price of earrings I have already mentioned and marked \$525 - I gave them back to him.

When I went back to Farnay's Store
 I wanted him to take them on the
 way there - he refused to take them
 and found fault with me in offering
 them to him. I told him I did
 not want anything to do with
 it. I stood at Farnay's about
 twenty (20) minutes after this and
 went out alone and went to
 a liquor store at the corner of
 2nd St & 10th Avenue. I was in
 there about ten or fifteen minutes
 when Farnay came in and called
 me out. I went out with him
 when Farnay asked me why I
 walked out of his store - You
 (he said) snatched at me once.
 and asked me what was the
 matter with me. he said some
 of these diamonds were missing,
 they were not found - he said
 that I would get my share of the
 money - I told I did not want
 any share of the money - that he
 had all of the diamonds. You
 accuse me of having all of them.
 I said Yes I do - he then pulled
 out a pistol and fired at me.

I run across the street - returned
 back to the liquor store - was there
 about five or ten minutes - when
 Farney came in and pulled a
 pistol on me once again - he did
 not fire it that time - I took it
 away from him. Mike ~~W. E. B.~~
 about ten minutes after this and
 while I was taking the pistol from
 Farney, came in and pointed a
 pistol at me. Mally O'Connor
 and M. E. Donald were also there
 and Mally O'Connor told me I
 had better get out of the place.
 I then left and went home -
 The next day (Saturday) I went to
 Farney's house and just as
 I entered the door - Farney
 said "do you want to fight me"
 No! I want my horse - said.
 Farney then said I will get a
 Colt's revolver and fight with
 you - and you will either kill me
 or I will kill you dead -
 He further said I am not the
 only one who is going to fight you - Mike &
 Mally O'Connor have something to do with you too.
 I identify the leaden bullet (here shown)
 as the one used by M. E. Donald on the 4th
 of February to break the window - 531 - 6th Wm.
 and the chain & lock (here shown) as used by
 Mally O'Connor to bar the door of said store.
 John Quinn

I am to before me
 February 26th 1887.
 J. L. Morgan to
 John Quinn

State of New York 2
 City & County of N.Y. 2

John Quinn - on further Examination before the undersigned is desirous of making a further ~~confession~~ ^{and further} statement under oath ^{and saying} that after the commission of the larceny stated in the Complaint - and at Farney's Store - he saw John Leonard there - As Farney entered the store he said to Leonard Hello! Jack and handed the diamonds marked \$525. to Leonard who looked at them and received them from Farney - when Farney and Leonard went together from the store - returned in about the space of an hour - when Farney stated in my presence. Leonard also being present that in the night he could obtain the sum of two hundred (\$200) dollars.

John Quinn
 sworn to before me
 February 28th 1891.

R. P. Morgan
 President

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State of New York
City & County of New York

John Quinn of the City of New York being
duly sworn says - that the prisoners
John Leonard (now here), I identify
as being in Farney's Store on the
night of the 4th day of February
1881. after the windows of 531-6th
Avenue had been broken and the
Animals taken therefrom - He went
out with Farney after we had been
in Farney's Store about an hour -
I identify also James M^cDonnell
as the person who broke the windows
of Store 531-6th Avenue - on the
night in question with the leaden
bullet (there shown). I identify
Wally O'Connor (now here) as the
person who fastened the door of the
premises 531-6th Avenue on the
night aforementioned and was
with M^cDonnell and acting together

Sworn to before me
February 25th 1881.

J. H. Morgan John Quinn
Notary Public

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Affidavit of
John L. Linn.

Confession of John
Linn.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY)
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

James M. McDonald.

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

18 years.

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York City.

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

573 West 27th Street.

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Clerk.

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

Answer.—

I am not guilty of the charge.

James M. McDonald

Taken before me, this

day of January, 1881.

Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

James Murphy.

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

19 years.

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

Brooklyn, N.Y.

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

220 West 56th Street.

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Forster

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

ANSWER.—

*I have nothing to say at all.
James Murphy*

Taken before me, this

John J. Murphy
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Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK ss

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

John Leonard.

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

27 years.

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York City.

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

512 West 46th Street.

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Agent.

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

Answer.—

I am not guilty.

John Leonard

Taken before me, this *12th* day of *January*, 188*8*.

W. Morgan
Police Justice.

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Nally O'Connor
Bail \$500th July 1881

Form 894.
POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.
vs. ON THE COMPLAINT OF

THE PEOPLE, &c.

Alexander McQuibban
531-6 amount 4000

John W. Edwards 4000
James Varney

Wally O'Connor 4000
Michael O'Connor

James McQuibban 4000
John Edwards 4000

James McQuibban 4000
John Edwards 4000

DATED February 28th 1881

Morgan MAGISTRATE

Inspector James OFFICER

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WITNESSES (Inspector) James

Central Office

House of Detention

Edward Wood to M. J. S.

James McQuibban to M. J. S.

Michael Edwards to M. J. S.

James McQuibban to M. J. S.

John Edwards to M. J. S.

James McQuibban to M. J. S.

John Edwards to M. J. S.

James McQuibban to M. J. S.

John Edwards to M. J. S.

Bail John Edwards
Bail a. being order
by Coring 11.013

James McQuibban
John Edwards

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The People
vs.
Thos. MacDonold

This defendunt has been
tried twice, the jury disagreeing on
each occasion. I do not think
that the case is of sufficient
importance as compared with
others demanding trial, or that it
ever will be of sufficient importance
comparatively, to justify putting it
before a jury again.

By leave of Court, therefore,
I will this indictment.
December 30, 1881.

Daniel C. Rollins
District Attorney.

vided; and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS~~, District Attorney.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

That *James Farney, Wally O'Connor, Michael O'Connor, John Leonard, James McDonald, and John Quinn* each late of the *twentieth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord *one thousand eight hundred and eighty - one* with force and arms, about the hour of *seven* o'clock in the *night* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

Alexander Chewburger there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, by means of *forcibly breaking open an outer window of said dwelling house* whilst there, was then and there some human being to wit, one *Alexander Chewburger*

James Farney, Wally O'Connor, Michael O'Connor, John Leonard, James McDonald and John Quinn each then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels and personal property of *Alexander Chewburger*

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

And the jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, about the hour of *seven* o'clock in the *night* time of said day the said *James Farney, Wally O'Connor, Michael O'Connor, John Leonard, James McDonald and John Quinn* each late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid,

Six rings (of the kind commonly called ear-rings) of the value of three hundred and fifty dollars each. Divers precious stones (of the kind commonly called diamonds) of the value of two thousand dollars.

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of *Alexander Chewburger*

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

John Leonard, James McDonald and John Quinn each then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have been feloniously stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

~~JOHN C. ROLLINS~~, District Attorney.

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

THAT the said *James Farney, Wally O'Connor, Michael O'Connor, John Leonard, James McDonald and John Quinn* each.

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

*Six rings (of the kind commonly called ear-rings) of the value of three hundred and fifty dollars each
Divers precious stones (of the kind commonly called diamonds) of the value of two thousand dollars.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

Alexander Chewburger
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

Alexander Chewburger
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said *James Farney, Wally O'Connor, Michael O'Connor, John Leonard, James McDonald and John Quinn* then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have been feloniously stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided; and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Farrell, Henry

DATE:

03/25/81



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Defendant
accused of
for which was
produced at the
trial

PS

Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 25 day of March 1881

Pleas

THE PEOPLE

Violation of Excise Law.

Henry Farrell

F. Farrell

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

District Attorney.

Depot No March 28, 1881

pleads guilty.

A True Bill.

William H. Phillips

Proman.

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Third District Police Court.

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

of the 11th Precinct Police James Van Rensselaer Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 12
day of March 1891, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,
at No. 184 Avenue C Street,
Henry Farrell

did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, or exposed for sale, under his direction or authority,
strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than
five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Excise Laws of the State of New York, entitled
"An Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this 12
day of March 1891

Solou B. Smith James Van Rensselaer
POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court—Third District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Van Rant

vs.

11 1/2

Henry Farrell

MISDEMEANOR.

Violation Excise Laws.

Dated the *12* day of *March* 18*91*

Amos W. H.

Magistrate.

Van Rant

Officers.

Witness

Bailed \$ *100* to Ans., G. S.

By *Lamson Kenner*

62589

Street.



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.:
OF NEW YORK,

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

That *Henry Farrell*

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

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

~~Second Count.—And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further
present: THAT the said~~

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

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

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Finley, Charles

DATE:

03/28/81



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Counsel

Filed

day of

March 1887

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Indictment—Larceny.

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Charles Linley

Daniel S. Rollins
BENT K. PHILLIPS

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. Phelps
Foreman.

I am not present

for April 4. 1887

Pen 6 months

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

FORM 89½

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Ellen Thomas

of No. 395 Hudson

and says, that on the 20th day of March 1881

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

the following property, to wit: three dollars and sixty eight cent in silver pieces and nickel coins all

of the value of three dollars and sixty eight cents Dollars,
the property of this deponent and John B. Thomas.

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 Charles Finley (nowhere) for the reason that deponent saw the accused in the act of taking stealing and carrying away from the till in said premises the aforesaid sum of money. That when deponent attempted to take from the accused his property he threw at the deponent a bottle of brandy striking deponent therewith on the stomach and then the accused drew a knife and threatened to kill deponent.

her
Ellen Thomas

Sworn to before me, this

21st day

of

1881

day

James J. Sullivan
Justice

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Form 893.
POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Ellen Thomas
39 1/2 Mason St.
Charles Finley

Affidavit—Larceny.

DATED *March 21st* 188*7*

Henry Patterson
JURIST.

John L. Q.
OFFICER.

WITNESSES:
John J. O'Leary
John P. O'Leary

\$100 TO ANS. *4. S. Conn*

BAILED BY
No. STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

Charles Finley

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

*Five coins of a number kind and
denomination to the jurors aforesaid un-
known and a more accurate description
of which cannot now be given of the value
of three dollars and sixty eight cents*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Ellen Thomas

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

Daniel S. Rollins

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Finn, Bernard

DATE:

03/25/81



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 25 day of March 1881

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

Violation of Excise Law.

vs.

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Edward Finn

Samuel L. Patton
BENJ. K. PHILLIPS

District Attorney.

Part No March, 28, 1881

pleading guilty

A True Bill.

William H. H. H.
Foreman.

Joseph Jackson

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Best Case / Union
Brown from H.A.
Dr. H. H. H. H. H.

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Police Court, Fifth District.

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

of ~~No.~~ *the 19th Precinct Police* *Bernard O'Brien* Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *10th* day
of *March* 18*91* in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at
No. *987 1st Avenue* Street,
Bernard Finn (nowhere)
did then and there sell, and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and
spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk
in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law.

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

Sworn to before me, this *10th* day
of *March* 18*91*

Bernard O'Brien

J. V. K. K. K.

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court, Fifth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Bernard O'Brien

vs.

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Bernard O'Brien

Violation Excise Law.

Dated 11 day of March 1881

J. V. Kelly Magistrate.

O'Brien Officer.
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Witness,

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans.

By

John Hain
98 1/2 1st Street



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

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

That

Bernard Finn

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

Bernard O'Brien

; without having a

license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

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

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

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

Daniel G. Rollins

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Finn, John

DATE:

03/18/81



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Sept. has been
in New York &
has been in
3 years in
for replacement.

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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed *18* day of *March* 188*1*

Pleads *Christy, Jr.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

19.
6/11/15
printer

John J. J.

BURGLARY—Third Degree, and
Receiving [Stolen Goods.]

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.
Part in March 21, 1887
pleads guilty R.S.G.
A True Bill.

William H. Phelps

Foreman

S. J. S. Myers.
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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County }
of New York, } ss.

Morris Prochaska

of No. 419 East 52^d Street, being duly sworn,
deposes and says, that the premises No. 636 East 16th
Street, 18th Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building
and which was occupied by deponent as a Cigar Manufacturing
were **BURGLARIOUSLY**
entered by means of forcing open the shutter
in the rear windows of said premises

on the night of the 12 day of March, 1881.
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

four thousand two hundred cigars
value fifty dollars
one home blanket value two dollars

all of the value of fifty two dollars

the property of Complaint and his co-partners
have Rosenthal Charles Rosenthal and Rosenthal
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 Kinn (now present)

for the reasons following, to wit: from the fact that
deponent is informed of officer
John Cory of the 18th Green St. Police
that he saw John Kinn in the
between 17 & 18 streets with a basket

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in his possession, said Corey seeing
said Devin go into a hallway
suspicious that he had stolen
something, took the basket and
in the same found ~~two~~ thousand
cigars, and a key which unlocked
the padlock which secured the lid
of the basket. Dependent identified the
cigars as the property of Rosenthal Brothers &
Devin to before me

this 15 day of March 1881

~~Wm M. Morris~~ John Corey
Police Officer

John Corey
Police Officer
sworn says that on Sunday
March 14 1881, Dependent saw
John Devin with a basket
on avenue between 17 & 18 streets
Dependent knowing said Devin
to have been a thief, and
seeing him going into a
hallway stopped him and
in the basket found about
two thousand cigars and a
a key which fitted the padlock
which secured the lid to the
basket. Said cigars have
since been fully identified
by Morris Pochacke as the property
of Rosenthal Brothers & Co

John Corey

Devin to before me
this 15 day of March 1881

John Corey

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Finn being duly examined before the under-
signed, 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. *John Finn*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty Years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *No home*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Printer.*

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

Answer. *a person gave me the cigar to carry
for him*

John Finn

Taken before me this

15 day of March 1887

Police Court

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Police Court--Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Morris Prochaska
419 E. 52nd St.
2nd Fl. Room

BAILED:

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Dated *March 15* 188

Murray Magistrate.

John Corey The Public Officer.

1887
Clerk

Witnesses,

Thomas Murray
18 Precinct Police
John Corey
18 Precinct Police

5-07-88
W. A. O'Connell

Received in District Att'y's Office,



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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

John Ivin

late of the *eighteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York,
aforesaid, on the *twelfth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the *factory* of

Morris Prochaska there situate, feloniously and
burglariously, did break into and enter, the same being a building in which divers
goods, merchandise, and valuable things were then and there kept for use, sale and
deposit, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property hereinafter described, with
intent the said goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

Morris Prochaska then and there being, then and there
feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and

forty two hundred cigars of the value of
four and one half cents each cigar
One blanket of the value of two
dollars

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21 00
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of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said

Morris Prochaska

so kept as aforesaid in the said *factory* then and there being, then and
there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in
such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of
New York, and their dignity.

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
THAT the said

John Finn

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

*Forty two hundred cigars of the value
of four and one half cents each cigar
One blanket of the value of two dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *Morris Pochaska*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before
feloniously ~~stolen of the said~~ *stolen taken and carried away*
from the said Morris Pochaska

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

John Finn

then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property to have
been feloniously ~~stolen~~ *taken and carried away* against the form of the Statute in such case made and pro-
vided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.
DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
BENJ. K. PHILLIPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Fitzsimans, Ellen

DATE:

03/09/81



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Witness *J. D. v. West*

Counsel, *A. H. app*
Filed *9* day of *March* 1881.
Pleads *as follows* 10.

Petit Larceny of Money from the Person.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
W. J. v. West
7.
Ellen Fitzpatrick

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
BENJ. K. PHILLIPS

District Attorney.

Part No March 10, 1881
pleads P.L.

A True Bill.

William H. H. v. West
Foreman.

J. H. v. West

J. D.

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

Lombard Brown
of No. 201 Deception Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the 5th day of March, 18 87
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried
away from the possession of deponent, and from the

on this person right breast pocket of the coat then
the following property, viz: One pocket book
containing good & lawful
money of the United
States

of the value of Eighty - 50 / 100 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 Ellen Fitzsimmons
(now here) whom he saw take
steal & carry away said
pocket book from his
person as aforesaid.

L. Brown

Sworn to, before me, this 6th day of March, 18 87

Wm. J. [Signature]
Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Ellen Fitzsimmons

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

40 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Ireland

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

160 Pearl St

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

Servant

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

Answer.

*I did not take
the postal book*

Ellen Fitzsimmons

Taken before me, this

6 day of March
1881

POLICE JUSTICE.

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, _____

Address, _____

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, _____

Address, _____

Police Court—First District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Lombard Bros.
House of Detention*

vs.

Ellen F. Fennell

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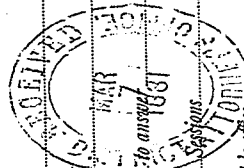
Dated *March 6 1881*

Lombard

Fennell Officer.

27 Clerk.

Witnesses:



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at

Received at Dist. Atty's office

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CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

That

Ellen Fitzsimans

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

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes, of a number
and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of
which cannot now be given, of the value of *eight dollars*

Divers Promissory Notes for the payment of money, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Bank Notes, of a number and denomina-
tion to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of which cannot
now be given, of the value of *eight dollars*

Divers Due Bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there
due and unsatisfied, and of the kind known as Fractional Currency, of a number and
denomination to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, and a more accurate description of
which cannot now be given, of the value of *eighty dollars and fifty cents*

Divers Coins, of a number, kind, and denomination to the Jurors aforesaid un-
known, and a more accurate description of which cannot now be given, of the value of

eight dollars and fifty cents
One pocket-book of the value of
fifty cents

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Lombard Brown*
on the person of the said *Lombard Brown* then and there being found,
from the person of the said *Lombard Brown* 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.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
~~DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY~~, District Attorney.

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Flynn, Michael

DATE:

03/30/81



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DESCRIPTION:

Corrigan, William

DATE:

03/30/81



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Counsel,
Filed 30 day of March 1881
My Pleads Not Guilty &c.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Flynn
William Corrigan
(2 cases)

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

~~DANIEL C. ROLLINS~~
District Attorney.

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. Hays
Foreman.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

*Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

*One coat of the value of eighteen
dollars*

One hat of the value of two dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

John A. Stone

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

*Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

*One coat of the value of eighteen
dollars*

One hat of the value of two dollars

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

John H Stone
by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

John H Stone
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of wicked gain, did feloniously receive and have (the said
Michael Flynn and William Corrigan
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
taken and carried away
stolen, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~BENTLEY PHILLIPS~~, District Attorney.

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Counsel,
Filed 30 day of March 1881
By Pleads at New York 31

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Michael Lynn
William Corrigan
(Exco)
DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
DISTRICT ATTORNEY
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
William H. Hays
Foreman.

0748

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

*Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

One coat of the value of four dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Samuel Herman

then and

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

0749

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present

That the said

*Michael Flynn and William
Conigan each*

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

One coat of the value of four dollars

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

Samuel Herman

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

Samuel Herman

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

Michael Flynn and William Conigan
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
stolen ~~against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the~~ *taken and carried away*
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

~~BENJ. K. PHILLIPS~~, District Attorney.

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Wm. J. Maloney
229 Broadway
Counsel,
Filed 30 day of March 1881
Pleads Not Guilty &c.

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Lynn
William Corrigan
(2 cases)

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

~~Attorney at Law~~
Attorney at Law

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. Hedges
Foreman.

0751

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

*Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

One coat of the value of ten dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Joseph H. Monheimer

then and

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

0752

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present.

That the said

Michael Flynn and William Corrigan each

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

One coat of the value of ten dollars

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

John H. Monheiser

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

John H. Monheiser

unlawfully, unjustly, and ~~for the sake of wicked gain~~, did feloniously receive and have (the said *Michael Flynn and William Corrigan* then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0753

290
Counsel,
Filed 30 day of March 1881
Plead Not Guilty 31.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Michael Hyam
William Corrigan
(2 Cases)

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~BENJ. K. PHIBBS,~~
District Attorney.

A True Bill.
William H. Phelps
Foreman.

0754

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That *Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

*Two coats of the value of twenty
dollars each*

*Three sashes of the value of nineteen
dollars each*

One hat of the value of three dollars

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

John H. Stone

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present.

That the said

Michael Flynn and William Corrigan each

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

Two coats of the value of twenty dollars each

Three saggies of the value of nineteen dollars each

One hat of the value of three dollars

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

John H. Stone

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

John H. Stone

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

Michael Flynn and William Corrigan
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously stolen, ~~against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the~~ *taken and carried away*
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL G. ROLLINS,

BENJ. R. PHELPS, District Attorney.

Counsel, *U*
Filed *30* day of *March* 188*1*
Wm Pleads *not guilty* *31*.

THE PEOPLE

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Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

Michael Syme
William Corrigan
(7 bases)

DANIEL C ROLLINS,

STOCK MARKET

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William Stubs
Foreman.

0757

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

*Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

*Two coats of the value of forty
dollars each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Abraham K. Lisberger

then and

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

*Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

*Two coats of the value of forty
dollars each*

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

Abraham K. Lieberger

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

Abraham K. Lieberger

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

Michael Flynn and William Corrigan

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

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0759

96
Counsel,
Filed 30 day of March 1881
And Plead & Verdict July 31.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Michael Lynn
William Corrigan
(7 cases)
Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. Hays
Foreman.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

*Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

*Two coats of the value of twenty
dollars each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Abraham M. Elker

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

*Michael Lynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

*Two coats of the value of twenty
dollars each*

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

Abraham M. Elken

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

Abraham M. Elken

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

Michael Lynn and William Corrigan

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

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

0762

392
Counsel,
Filed 30 day of March 1881
Popple's Attorney 31.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
see return
Michael Lynn
William Corrigan
(7 cases)

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
~~CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT~~

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. H. H.
Taverner.

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That

Michael Flynn

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

*Three books of the value of twenty five
cents each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Mary Brown

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

Michael Flynn

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

*three books of the value twenty five
cents each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Mary Brown*

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

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

Michael Flynn
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
stolen,) against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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But 109
Monday April 14

Counsel,
Filed 15 day of March 1880
Pleads *Orin Gentry*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Off term
April 12, 1880
Michael Flynn
See D.G.R.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,
District Attorney.
The Court charges to the jury
of this case, and they
decide him to be guilty and
convict him.
A True Bill.

John J. Quinn
Foreman.

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

Police Justice.

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FORM 89½

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

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Mary Bowman
 of No. *309 Broadway Avenue* being duly sworn, deposes
 or about *26* day of *February* 188*0*
 and says, that on the

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

the following property, to wit: *Three bound Books*
containing Printed matter in
all

of the value of *75/100* Dollars,
 the property of *deponent a widow*

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 Flynn
(now here) for the reasons follow-
 ing: That deponent was informed
 by *Charles Carl* that on the said
 date said Carl saw said deponent
 and *took* out of the Book case
 in the office in said premises sev-
 eral Books and leave said Office
 with said Books in his possession -
 Deponent was also informed by
Jacob B. Berg that on or about
 the said date said Berg purchased
 from said deponent Three Books

Sworn to before me, this

of

18

day

Police Justice.

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containing printed matter -
Deponent identifies the said books
as the property of deponent

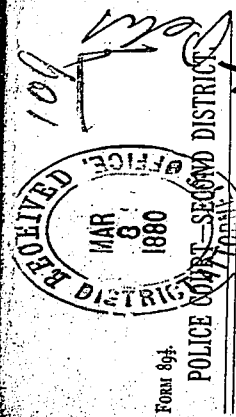
Sworn to before me this Mary. Bowman
6th day of March 1880
Newman Littleburg
Police Justice

City and County } S.S.
of New York

Charles Carl of No 342 W. 45th Street - and
Jacob P. Berg of No. 291 Broadway
being duly and severally sworn say
they have read the within affidavit
read and that the portions of the same
which purport to be information given
by the respective informants are
true of their own knowledge

Sworn to before me this Charles Carl
6th day of March 1880
Newman Littleburg
Police Justice

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Form 864

POLICE COURT - SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Affidavit - Larceny.

Mary Brown
309 vs. *Madison Ave*
Michael Flynn

DATE *March 6* 18 *80*

Ottobrunn MAGISTRATE.

Flavin OFFICER.
C. O. F.

WITNESS.

Frank B. Berry
305 Eldridge St.

Charley Carke
342 W 45 St

300 TO ANS. *General Delivery*
BAILED BY *Michael J. Nichols*

No. *324* *Madison* STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

That

*Michael Flynn and William
Corrigan each*

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

*Two coats of the value of seven
dollars and fifty cents each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one

Thomas Lyons

then and

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

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And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do further present
That the said

Michael Flynn and William Corrigan each

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

*Two coats of the value of seven
dollars and fifty cents each*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Thomas Lyons*

by a certain person or persons to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously
stolen ~~of the said~~ *taken and carried away from the said*

Thomas Lyons
unlawfully, unjustly, and for the sake of ~~wicked gain~~, did feloniously receive and have (the said
Michael Flynn and William Corrigan
then and there well knowing the said goods, chattels, and personal property, to have been feloniously
stolen ~~against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the~~
taken and carried away
People of the State of New York, and their dignity

WILLIAM C. ROLLINS,

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Fuller, Gustave

DATE:

03/15/81



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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Brower, Edward

DATE:

03/15/81



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THE JUDICIAL OFFICE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
IN SENATE
JANUARY 1888

Counsel,
Filed 5 day of March 1888
Pleds 1st Grand Jury 16.

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Indictment—Larceny.
Eustace Fuller
Edward Brown

Daniel L. Miller
BENJ. K. PHILLIPS

District Attorney.
Part two ~~March~~ April 5, 1888.
Both tried & convicted
my accused friends to the money
A True Bill. 1888

William H. Miller

Foreman.
March 6, 1888 5 years
April 2, 1888 3 years
J. H. 2

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FORM 89 1/2

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

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

John Mason

of No. *77 Bedford* Street, being duly sworn, deposes
and says, that on the *11th* day of *January* 1881
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit: *One roll of silk velvet of the
value of twenty five dollars, two rolls of silk plush
of the value of thirty dollars, all of*

of the value of *fifty five* Dollars,
the property of *the 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 *Gustave Fuller*
and Edward Brown ^{(unknown for the}
^{night of the} *wagon that on the day aforesaid deponent's wagon*
laden with silk and dry goods was standing in
Commerce at New Bedford street. Deponent was in the act
of transferring his goods from the wagon to the aforesaid
premises, that during such transfer he said the
said Gustave Fuller and Edward Brown approach
deponent's wagon seize the goods hereinabove men-
tioned and run away therewith. Deponent further de-
poses that the said Gustave Fuller and Edward Brown
have followed deponent since the month of November
1880 with the purpose of taking
and stealing from deponent's wagon.

John Mason

Sworn to before me, this *11th* day
of *January* 1881
John J. Sullivan
Police Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK.

Edward Brower

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

QUESTION.—What is your name ?

ANSWER.—

Edward Brower

QUESTION.—How old are you ?

ANSWER.—

Seventeen years

QUESTION.—Where were you born ?

ANSWER.—

New York

QUESTION.—Where do you live ?

ANSWER.—

126, E. 46th St

QUESTION.—What is your occupation ?

ANSWER.—

Plasterer

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

ANSWER.—

I know nothing about it. I am not guilty

Edward Brower

Taken before me, this

day of

1887

Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

QUESTION.—What is your name?

ANSWER.—

Gustave Fuller

QUESTION.—How old are you?

ANSWER.—

25 years

QUESTION.—Where were you born?

ANSWER.—

New York

QUESTION.—Where do you live?

ANSWER.—

84 Chulston street

QUESTION.—What is your occupation?

ANSWER.—

Longshoreman

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

Answer.—

*I am not guilty
not guilty*

Gustave Fuller

Taken before me, this

day of

1891

Police Justice

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Form 84.
POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE ~~COMPLAINT~~ INT OF

Affidavit—Larceny.

John Mason
277 Decatur St
1 Gustave Fuller
L. Edward Brown

DATED *March 4* 1881

Pellison MAGISTRATE.
10 Thompson St OFFICER.

WITNESS:
Officer Schuch
Headquarters,

Deputy John Anderson
or thereunto duly
26-VL

1500 TO ANS.
100 *h. s.*
BAILED BY *Constitution*

No. *5* MAR 5 1881
STREET.
DIST. ATTORNEY

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THE PEOPLE, &C.,

VS.

AUGUSTAVE FULLER

EDWARD BROWER.

*Examination made
upon suggestion of Mr.
Falconer that the iden-
tification was imperfect.*
Dj/R

GRAND LARCENY.

J O H N M A S O N 77 BEDFORD ST.

I SELL SILK AND FANCY GOODS AND DRIVE A WAGON. I DO A JOBBING BUSINESS. ON THE 11TH OF JANUARY I LOST ONE ROLL OF SILK VELVET OF THE VALUE OF \$25. AND TWO ROLLS OF SILK PLUSH OF THE VALUE OF \$30. BEFORE THIS TIME I HAD LOST GOODS OUT OF MY WAGON A NUMBER OF TIMES. SOME OF THESE GOODS WERE STOLEN WHILE THE WAGON WAS AT MY OWN DOOR IN BEDFORD ST. AND SOME WERE STOLEN WHILE MY WAGON WAS ELSEWHERE. I DID NOT KNOW EITHER OF THESE DEFENDANTS BY NAME BEFORE THIS LARCENY. I ASCERTAINED THEIR NAMES IN THE POLICE COURT. I HAD SEEN FULLER BEFORE. I SAW HIM HANGING AROUND MY WAGON AT DIFFERENT TIMES WHILE I WAS TAKING IN MY GOODS. I OCCUPIED THE SOUTH WEST CORNER OF BEDFORD AND COMMERCE ST. I LIVE THERE. I KEEP MY GOODS UP STAIRS. THE ENTRANCE TO MY HOUSE IS ON BEDFORD ST. MY WAGON WAS BACKED UP TO THE SIDE DOOR ON COMMERCE ST. ABOUT 60 FEET FROM THE CORNER. I SAW FULLER TWICE BEFORE THE LOSS OF THIS PROPERTY. THE FIRST TIME I SAW HIM WAS THE 13TH OF DECEMBER 1890 ON THE FERRY-BOAT COMING FROM JERSEY CITY TO NEW YORK. IT WAS ABOUT SEVEN O'CLOCK AT NIGHT. IT WAS PRETTY DARK. I THOUGHT THAT NOBODY COULD GET INTO THE BACK OF THE WAGON. I WAS WATCHING THE FRONT OF THE WAGON. FULLER AND ANOTHER LITTLE FELLOW

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WENT BEHIND THE WAGON AS IF THEY WANTED TO MAKE WATER. THEY STOOD THERE ALL THE TIME UNTIL THE BOAT STRUCK, AND AS IT DID SO I WENT OVER TO THE HORSE AND GOT A GOOD LOOK AT THEM. THEY CAME OUT FROM BEHIND THE WAGON. THERE WAS A BRIGHT LIGHT THERE SO THAT I COULD SEE PLAINLY. AFTER HE LEFT THE WAGON HE WALKED PAST ME OFF OF THE BOAT. HE NEARLY TOUCHED ME AS HE PASSED. I HAD A GOOD LOOK AT BOTH OF THEM. A MINUTE AFTERWARDS ONE OF THE HANDS OF THE BOAT TOLD ME THAT THE COVERS OF MY WAGON WERE OPEN. I EXAMINED AND FOUND THAT I HAD LOST TWO PIECES OF CLOTH. THEY HAD OVER-COATS ON. THE NEXT TIME I SAW FULLER WAS THE 2TH OF JANUARY, 1931, ABOUT HALF PAST SEVEN P. M. WHEN I WAS REMOVING MY GOODS FROM THE WAGON OPPOSITE THE COMMERCE STREET ENTRANCE TO MY DWELLING. IT WAS NOT DARK THEN AND THERE WAS A LAMP ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF COMMERCE ST. ABOUT SIX FEET FROM WHERE THE WAGON WAS. FULLER WAS IN A DOOR-WAY ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF COMMERCE ST. HE STAYED THERE UNTIL I GOT MY GOODS IN AND WAGON SHUT UP. I GOT A GOOD VIEW OF HIM. THE NEXT TIME I SAW HIM WAS WHEN I LOST THE GOODS IN QUESTION. I SAW BROWER BEFORE THE TIME OF THE LOSS OF GOODS IN QUESTION. I SAW HIM FIRST IN HUDSON ST. IN SEPTEMBER LAST. I WAS THEN DRIVING MY WAGON, IN WHICH I HAD GOODS, AND I HEARD SOME ONE TRYING TO OPEN THE DOORS AT THE BACK OF THE WAGON. I LOOKED BACK, THE CURTAIN WAS REMOVED AND I SAW THROUGH THE SCREENS THE FACE OF BROWER. YOU COULD PUT IN YOUR TWO FINGERS THROUGH THIS WIRE WORK AT THE BACK OF THE WAGON. I COULD SEE DISTINCTLY HIS COUNTENANCE. THIS WAS ABOUT SEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING. THERE WAS ANOTHER YOUNG MAN THERE. I SAW HIS FACE, BUT I NEVER SAW IT AGAIN. I JUMPED OUT OF THE WAGON AND THE TWO RAN AWAY, ONE IN ONE DIRECTION AND THE OTHER IN ANOTHER DIRECTION. AS BROWER WAS RUNNING I HAD A LOOK AT HIM.

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THE NEXT TIME I SAW HIM WAS THE 9TH OF JANUARY-- THE SAME TIME I SAW FULLER. WHILE FULLER WAS STANDING IN THE DOOR-WAY, BROWER WAS AT THE SOUTH WEST CORNER OF BEDFORD AND COMMERCE STS. HE WAS PEEP-
-ING AROUND THE CORNER. THERE WAS A LAMP BURNING ON THE NORTH EAST CORNER. COMMERCE ST. IS NARROW, ABOUT 20 FEET WIDE. I WAS FROM 50 TO 60 FEET FROM HIM. I SAID TO HIM, "WHAT ARE YOU DOING AROUND HERE?" AND HE STARTED AND RAN OFF. AS I WAS TURNING INTO BARROW ST. FROM HUDSON I SAW FULLER, BROWER AND ANOTHER MAN STANDING ON THE SOUTH EAST CORNER OF BARROW AND HUDSON. I DROVE AS NEAR TO THE SIDE-WALK AS POSSIBLE SO AS TO GET A GOOD LOOK AT THEM. THERE IS A LAMP ON THAT CORNER. THIS WAS ABOUT HALF PAST SEVEN IN THE EVENING. I GOT A GOOD LOOK AT THEM THEN. I THEN DROVE MY WAGON TO THE COMMERCE ST. ENTRANCE OF MY HOUSE. I GOT OUT OF MY WAGON, OPENED THE CURTAIN, AND THEN TOOK MY KEY AND OPENED THE DOORS. BEFORE I DID THAT I SAW FULLER STANDING ON THE ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ NORTH SIDE OF COMMERCE ST. ABOUT 100 FEET FROM THE CORNER, IN A DOOR-WAY. BROWER WAS STANDING ON THE SOUTH WEST CORNER OF BEDFORD AND COMMERCE -- MY CORNER. BEFORE HE WAS STANDING THERE HE CAME FROM THE DIRECTION OF HUDSON ST. AND PASSED WITHIN TWO FEET OF ME. I TOOK A GOOD LOOK AT HIM THEN. HE PASSED ME CLOSE BY THE LAMP. HE WENT TO THE CORNER AND STOOD THERE. WHEN I HAD MY WAGON OPEN I TURNED AROUND AND SAW HIM PEEPING AROUND THE CORNER. THEN I WENT TO MY WAGON AND TOOK OUT THE FIRST PARCEL OF GOODS, AND JUST AS I TURNED MY BACK I HEARD THE CRY OF "STOP THIEF!" AND I TURNED AROUND AND I SAW FULLER RUNNING ABOUT 8 FEET FROM MY WAGON WITH A PARCEL OF GOODS. HE WAS RUNNING ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE STREET GOING DOWN TOWARDS HUDSON. I SAW BROWER COME OUT FROM THE CORNER AND ~~XHEXX~~ LOOK AND THEN RUN DOWN BEDFORD TOWARDS CANAL ST. I HAD RUN TO THE

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CORNER OF BEDFORD ST. -- AS SOME ONE RELIEVED ME AT THE WAGON -- AND THEN I SAW BROWER RUNNING AS DESCRIBED. IN THE STATION HOUSE IN CHARLES ST. LAST THURSDAY OR WEDNESDAY (MARCH 2ND OR 3RD) THREE MEN WERE BROUGHT TO THE STATION HOUSE AND I IDENTIFIED ONE OF THEM AS FULLER, NEITHER OF THE OTHER TWO WAS BROWER. THE THREE OF THEM WERE PRESENTED TOGETHER. THE FOLLOWING MORNING BROWER WAS BROUGHT IN AND I KNEW HIM THE MINUTE I SAW HIM. I TOLD THE OFFICER THAT WAS BROWER. SINCE THIS LARCENY I HAVE SEEN BROWER AND FULLER MOST EVERY NIGHT IN THAT NEIGHBORHOOD. I WENT TO THE CAPTAIN OF THE PRECINCT AND TO THE DETECTIVES AND TOLD THEM THAT THEY COULD GET THESE BOYS AT ANY TIME. I TOLD THE POLICEMAN ON THAT BEAT THAT THESE BOYS HAD STOLEN MY GOODS, AND HE SAID ALL THAT HE COULD DO WAS TO WATCH THE WAGON WHEN I WOULD TAKE MY GOODS IN. WHEN I ASKED HIM TO ARREST THEM HE SAID THAT HE HAD NO ORDERS.

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The People

vs.

Augustine Fuller

Edward Barker

Witnesses:

John Mason

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**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL
DOCUMENT(S)**

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228 East 23rd St

May 20th 1878

The Board of Edward J. Brown

I can cheerfully —
recommend to your con-
sideration as a good &
true & boy who has been
in my employ, and can
say that I regret very
much to lose him as
he was the best boy that
I have had for several
years. He left me of his
own accord. I can also
say that I will be
responsible for him
having known him for a
long enough time &
that I say can be depen-
-dence on saying you
will consider his apply-
-cation for work and find

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Here's a tale

I Am Reptly
Glad Knight
208 East 23rd Street

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District Attorney's Office.

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Edward Mowes.

Please don't sentence
this prisoner in
event of his con-
viction until I
have been consulted

D. G. R.

don't put in unless
Mr. Beecher is seen

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DEPARTMENT OF
Public Charities and Correction.

(TOMBS) CITY PRISON,

JAMES FINN,
Warden.

New York:

McB 191881

Genl J. Foster Esq,
Chief Clerk.

Dear Sir I desire to call
your particular attention to a
prisoner named Gustave Tuller
committed Mcb 41 changed with
Frank Lacey. He is a source
of great annoyance and I am
very anxious to get rid of him.
He assaulted a fellow prisoner
this day and is a dangerous
character. Please hurry his trial
as speedily as possible and you
will much oblige.

Yours Truly
James Finn
Warden

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

*Eustace Muller and Edward
Brown each*

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

*One piece of velvet of the value of
twenty five dollars*

*Twenty five yards of velvet of the value
of one dollar each yard*

*Two pieces of plush of the value of
fifteen dollars each piece*

*Thirty yards of plush of the value of
of one dollar each yard*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

John Mason

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Gabriel, John

DATE:

03/22/81



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Day of Trial
Counsel,
Filed 22 day of March 1887
Pleads

THE PEOPLE
vs. *B*
John Gabriel
Violation of Excise Law.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,
DISTRICT ATTORNEY
District Attorney.

Part in March 25. 1887
pleads guilty
A True Bill.

William H. H. H.
Foreman.

Feb 11. 1887
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*Left duty to
be seen. & was
in it for less than
two months
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Third District Police Court.

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

of the 11th Prec. Police James Murray Street,
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 12
day of March 1881, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,
at No. 206 Rivington Street,

John Gabriel
did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, or exposed for sale, under his direction or authority,
strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than
five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Excise Laws of the State of New York, entitled
"An Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this 12

day of March 1881

Salon B. Smith James Murray

POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court—Third District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Murray

vs.

John Gabriel

MISDEMEANOR.

Violation Excise Laws.

Dated the 12 day of *March* 1887

John W. Magistrate.

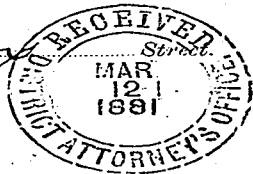
Murray Officers.
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Witness.....

Bailed \$ *100* to Ans., G. S.

By *Jacob Hemmum*

66 Essex



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

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

That *John Gabriel*

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

James Curry

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

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

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

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

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,
~~BENJAMIN PHEAS~~, District Attorney.