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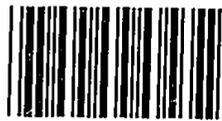
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Counsel,

Filed 16 day of Feb 1883  
Pleads #173 Mr. Gully

*John Gully*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*James Coogan R*  
*John D. Drenth B*  
*James S. Sinner P*

Grand Larceny, Robbery, and Degree, and Receiving-Stolen Goods

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

*William H. Hays*  
*Feb 27/83* Foreman.  
*(all)*  
*Chas. J. Fitzgerald*

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

James Tierney  
Jacob Stoeny  
Andrew Rogan

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

James Tierney, Jacob Stoeny, and Andrew Rogan

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

The said James Tierney, Jacob Stoeny and Andrew Rogan

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~eight~~ <sup>eight</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms one pocket book of the value of fifty cents, one promissory note for the payment of money, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied of the kind known as United States Treasury notes of the denomination and of the value of one dollar, one silver coin of the United States of the kind known as half dollars of the value of fifty cents, two silver coins of the United States of the kind known as quarter dollars, of the value of twenty five cents each, five silver coins of the United States of the kind known as dimes of the value of ten cents each, five nickel coins of the United States of the kind known as five cent pieces of the value of five cents each, and sixteen coins of the United States of the kind known as cents of the value of one cent each

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one Frederick Clarence, on the person of ~~one Fanny Clarence then and there being found~~ <sup>one Fanny Clarence then and there being found</sup> the person of ~~the said Fanny Clarence~~ <sup>the said Fanny Clarence</sup> 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 McKeon  
District Attorney

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REAL ESTATE OFFICE  
OF  
HALL & MACDONALD,  
No. 1051 BROADWAY, COR. 51st STREET,

FRANCIS A. HALL,

PETER MACDONALD

NEW YORK, *Feb 11* 1883

This is to certify that the bearer  
Mrs. Geirney has been employed in my  
family and by myself for the past four  
years, and I have found herself and  
family all honest industrious, and  
hard working, that her boy is an honest  
and faithful boy

Respectfully  
Peter Macdonald

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Police Court District 2

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

OF THE COUNTY OF

James Blaney

James Blaney

Andrew Corgan

James Henry

James Henry

Office Sweeney  
from Prison

Dated February 9 1883

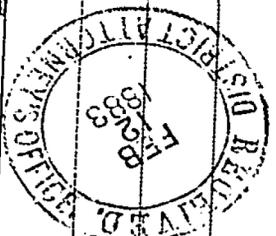
Magistrate

Officer

20 Precinct

Witnesses

No. Street



City

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named Andrew Corgan and Jacob Henry and James Reidley guilty thereof, I order that they be held to answer the same and they be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until they give such bail.

Dated February 9 1883 Henry Sweeney Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

Not Bailed by  
Jacob Henry  
68 W. 131st Ave (Bronx)  
Eugene H. H. H.

BAILED.  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by James Henry  
Residence 68 W. 131st Ave  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

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Sec. 198-200.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Andrew Cogan*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Andrew Cogan*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *14 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Brooklyn N.Y.*

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

Answer. *574 West 39th Street and about four years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *A paper stainer*

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

Answer. *I don't know anything  
about it*

*Andrew Cogan*

Taken before me, this *9*  
day of *February* 188*3*

*Hugh J. ...* Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Jacob Henry*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*12 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*63rd St New York and about ten years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Work for my father*

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

Answer.

*I met Organ and Reiney on 8th Avenue and Organ said to me goes a woman with a pocketbook lets go and take it, I did not want to go and said so but Organ insisted upon me to go so I went along with him  
*Jacob Henry**

Taken before me, this

day of

*9*  
*February* 188*3*

*Hugh Curran* Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

James Tierney

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

15 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York

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

Answer.

409 West 24th Street about nine years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Work in a paper factory

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

Answer.

I did not steal anything and don't know anything about it. I was on an errand for my mother and was looking in a window with the other boys when I was arrested on 8th Avenue when I was arrested

Taken before me, this

day of February 1887

James Tierney

Henry J. ... Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss  
27/83 of No. 93 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Street  
James Blinnage  
aged 23 years occupation  
8 day of February 1883

being duly sworn, deposes 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, and person of deponent in the day time  
the following property, viz:

One pocketbook containing  
good and lawful money to  
the amount of one dollar and  
sixteen cents and nine train  
tickets representing a gold ring  
and other property of the value  
of twenty five dollars in all  
to the amount and value of twenty seven  
dollars

the property of deponent and her husband  
Jordanes Carrage

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 Andrew Organ and Jacob  
Henry and James Seymour  
now here from the fact that  
on the above date at or about the hour  
of 4 o'clock P.M. deponent was  
walking along 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue and  
at the time the said pocketbook  
containing said property was in  
the left side pocket of the sack  
then and then worn on the body

Sherrill  
27/83  
James Blinnage

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of deponent, That said Cogan  
in company with the others  
approached deponent from behind  
and said Cogan jumped upon  
deponent's back that while he  
was on deponent's back one  
of the said defendants inserted  
their hands into deponent's pocket  
and stole the said pocket-book  
therefrom. Deponent charges that  
said defendants did akin concert  
together for the purpose of taking  
and stealing the said property  
and she asks that they may be  
dealt with as the law directs.

Sworn to before me ~~by~~ Mrs Fannie Clange  
this 9 day of February 1883)

Alfred Gorman Police Justice

*Fannie Clange*

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFRIDIATL-Larceny.

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

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Crush, Louis

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John J. R.

Def. No II Bailed by  
Louis Procoche  
429 E. 17<sup>th</sup> St.

I have investigated  
the case and it  
is one in which  
the Defs. ought  
to be discharged  
on their own  
recognition

W. J. Ryan  
April 3. 83

May 16  
22 March

Counsel, C. C. P. for J. W. E.  
Filed 4 day of Feb'y 1883  
Pleads both: Not Guilty

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
Michael Conner  
vs. Louis Conner  
(Two cases)

Grand Larceny, degree, and  
Receiving Stolen Goods.

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

William A. Phelps  
Foreman.

W. J. Ryan  
April 3. 83

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Michael Connell  
Sonia Connell

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

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

The said Michael Connell and  
Sonia Connell

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
~~seventh~~ day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty- three, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms  
one wagon of the value of fifty  
dollars

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

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And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
Michael Connell and Louis  
Crush

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

The said Michael Connell and  
Louis Crush

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the seventh day of February in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, with force and arms one wagon of the  
value of fifty dollars

of the goods, chattels and personal property of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ John Miller \_\_\_\_\_

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ John Miller \_\_\_\_\_

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the the said Michael  
Connell and Louis Crush

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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Police Court - 4 District. 106

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Shmuel Muller  
625 East 16th

1 Michael Connell  
2 Louis Brush

Offence, Grand Larceny

BAILED,  
No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 2, by Louis Connell  
Residence 429 East 17 Street,

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

Dated February 8, 1883

J. H. Noonan Magistrate.  
John Smith Officer  
28 Clerk

Witnesses, John Smith  
R. P. Rowanick

Peter Johnson  
1225  
K. Robinson

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

answering \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_



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

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

Dated February 8, 1883 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Louis Crush

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. Louis Crush

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 15 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 423 East 19<sup>th</sup> Street, 3 years -

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. a peddler

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

Answer. I met a man named Reilly on 20<sup>th</sup> Street, on the corner of Avenue B. he then had the wagon, and said he was going for a horse, and that he was going to move some persons. He returned with the horse and hitched him to the wagon, and I went with him. Reilly rode with Connell and I a few blocks when he got out of the wagon and told us to see the horse and wagon and that he would meet us

Louis Crush

Taken before me this

day of September 1889

[Signature]  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

----- District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer. Michael Connell

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

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

Answer. 425 East 14<sup>th</sup> Street, 8 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. A peddler

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

Answer. I and Louis Crush, were standing on 19<sup>th</sup> street, beside the wagon when a man named Paddy Ryan, came up with a horse which he hitched to the wagon. Ryan myself and Crush got into the wagon, we drove up to the horse market, and he Ryan tried to sell the horse and wagon Ryan left us and told Crush and I to sell the horse and wagon

Michael Connell

Taken before me this

day of

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*[Signature]*

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Smith

aged 35 years, occupation a police officer of No.

the 28<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of John Muller

and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this

day of February 188 13

John Smith

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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H District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 625 East 16<sup>th</sup> Street, John Muller, aged 28 years  
a bar tender

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883

at the City of New York,

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

the following property, viz:

One wagon of the value  
of Fifty dollars. \$50.00

Sumner Deponent

City of

the property of Deponent

and that this deponent  
has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken,  
stolen, and carried away by Michael Connell and Louis  
Krush (now present), with the intent to deprive  
the owner of said property, from the fact  
that previous to said larceny the said  
wagon was standing on the ~~street~~ roadway  
of 19<sup>th</sup> street between Avenues B. and C.  
and this deponent was informed by  
Officer John Smith that he Smith  
found the said wagon in the possession  
of said Connell and Krush on 6<sup>th</sup> street

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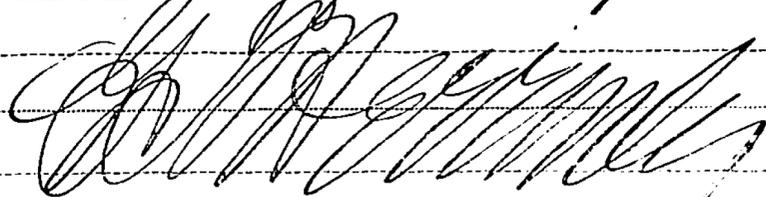
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between 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>d</sup> owners and that said  
Connell and Crush were then and  
there trying to sell and dispose of said  
wagon to one Peter Debaum.

Present before me } John <sup>his</sup> Muller  
this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883 } mark



Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFIDAVIT—Larceny.

vs.

Dated..... 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

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Counsel, E. C. P. for No 2 -  
Filed 4 day of Feb 1883  
Pleads both for guilty

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
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Michael Kennell  
and Son's R. B. S. R.  
(two cases)  
Larceny, Burglary and  
Receiving Stolen Goods.

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney

A True Bill.

William H. Phelps  
April 3/83. Foreman.  
Ch. 1. Discharged by Court  
Ch. 2. Paul Deschamps

New York

Refs to II Bailed by  
Louis Proech  
429 E. 17<sup>th</sup> St.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Michael Connell  
Louis Crush

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse Michael Connell and Louis Crush

of the CRIME OF ~~Swindling~~ committed as follows:  
The said Michael Connell and Louis Crush

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the ~~seventh~~ day of ~~February~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~three~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms one horse of the value of twelve dollars, one set of harness of the value of three dollars, one blanket of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one ~~Mary~~ ~~Stanger~~ then and there being found, then and there feloniously did steal, take and carry away, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

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

Michael Connell and Louis  
Cusack

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

The said Michael Connell and  
Louis Cusack

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

of twelve dollars, one set of  
harness of the value of  
three dollars, and one blanket  
of the value of one dollar

of the goods, chattels and personal property of Mary Bayen

by a certain person or persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before  
feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said Mary Bayen

Bayen  
\_\_\_\_\_ unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the the said Mich:  
Connell and Louis Cusack

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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New York, Feb 13 - 1883

My dear Sir,

In regards to the boy Louis Krush charged with one Mc Donald with stealing a horse and wagon I want to say this. Louis has never been arrested before. He and Mc Donald were asked by a man to sell the horse and wagon. The boys supposing he owned the property tried to sell it and were arrested. The property

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has been recovered and I am informed that the owners of the property do not want to punish either boy, as they believe that they were led into the attempt to sell the property by the thief. This I believe to be true and hope you will let the complainants state their case to you before sending the papers to the Grand Jury. You may remember I spoke to you about this case this morning at the Dornbs in the judges private room and you told me to write you a note

about the matter. I hope you will kindly look into the matter and I then think you <sup>will</sup> see it is a case where the defendants ought to be discharged. Though I only speak for the boy Lohro Koush, I think the other boy is as innocent as he. Pardon me for intruding on your time and believe me  
Yours Respectfully

A. J. Jerome  
Asst. Clerk Police Court

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BAILED,  
 No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

Police Court District 106

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Bonlevant  
 451 106th St. 13th Fl.  
 Michael Bennett  
 200th St.  
 Offence, Petal Larceny

Dated July 8<sup>th</sup> 1882  
 G. M. Hoerman Magistrate

J. Smith  
 Clerk

Witnesses, John Smith  
 No. 128th St.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street,  
 to answer  
 J. Smith  
 Street,  
 J. Smith

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

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

Dated July 8<sup>th</sup> 1882  
 Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1882 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Lewis Crush*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*15 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*429 E. 17th St. - 15 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Paedler*

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

Answer.

*I did not take the horse*

*Louis Crush*

Taken before me this

day of

*February 1935*

*[Signature]*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Michael Connell

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 17

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. NY

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

Answer. 425 E 14

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Preacher

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

Answer. I am not guilty

Michael Connell

Taken before me

day of

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

John Smith

aged 35 years, occupation a police officer of No.

the 28<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Mary Bryan

and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 8<sup>th</sup>  
day of February 1883

John Smith

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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4<sup>th</sup> District Police Court.

Affidavit—Larceny.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

of No. 451 East 13<sup>th</sup> Street,

Mary Boylan, aged 40 years  
Horse Keeper

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883

at the City of New York,

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

the following property, viz:

One Sorel Horse, of the value of  
twelve dollars - one set of harness  
of the value of three dollars - one blanket  
of the value of one dollar

All of the value of fifteen dollars -

the property of Deponent

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

Louis Crush (now present), with the intent to deprive the owner of said property.

From the fact that previous to said larceny the said horse, harness, and blanket were in deponent's stable on 13<sup>th</sup> Street between 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue and Avenue A, and this

deponent was subsequently informed by Officer John Smith of the 28<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police, that he Smith found said

Stated before me this

City of

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Horse, harness, and blanket in the possession of said Cornell and Brush on East 64<sup>th</sup> street, and that they said Cornell and Brush were then trying to sell and dispose of said property. Dep't has identified the said property found in the possession of said Cornell and Brush. by said Smith as the property stolen and stolen as aforesaid

Sworn before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1883  
Mary Ceylen

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

District Police Court.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

AFFIDAVIT—Larceny.

Dated 1883

Magistrate.

Officer.

WITNESSES:

DISPOSITION

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DESCRIPTION:

Connors, Edward J.

DATE:

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Day of Trial  
Counsel, *W. H. K.*  
Filed *22* day of *Feb* 1883  
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*Edward Z. Connor*  
*vs.*  
BURLGARY—Third Degree, and  
~~Receiving Stolen Goods.~~

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*William A. H. [Signature]*  
*Foreman.*  
*John [Signature]*  
*Henry [Signature]*

..S.P. 2 1/2 year

*Bill*

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

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
NEW YORK,

against

*Edward J. Connors*

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

*Edward J. Connors*

of the crime of Burglary in the third degree,

committed as follows:

The said *Edward J. Connors*

late of the *ninth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirtieth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the *residence* of

*James B. Paige*

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

*James B. Paige*

then and there being, then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take and carry away, and *four drawers* *each of the value of nine dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said

*James B. Paige*

so kept as aforesaid in the said *residence* 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.

*John McLean*

*District Attorney*

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131 # 224  
Police Court District.

BAILED,

No. 1 by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
Street, \_\_\_\_\_

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
William Grell  
Edward J. Conner  
Offence, Burglary

Dated July 13<sup>th</sup> 1883

Magistrate  
Clerk

Witnesses  
John Conner  
George Walsh

No. 413 West  
Street,

No. 13 Ave. 1<sup>st</sup>  
Street,

No. 13 Ave. 1<sup>st</sup>  
Street,  
1883  
OFFICE

Conner

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

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

Dated July 13<sup>th</sup> 1883 Edward J. Conner Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*Edward J Connor*

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

Question. What is your name?

*Edward J Connor*

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

*27 Years*

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

*New York City*

Answer.

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

*729 Greenwich St about 27 years*

Question. What is your business or profession?

*Truck driver*

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

*I have nothing to say at present*

Taken before me, this

*15*

*Edward J Connor*

day of

*July*

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*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*John Pusick*

aged 60 years, occupation junk dealer of No.

413 West Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of William Piele

and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of February 188 8

*John Pusick*  
Mark

*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court District

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

*William Peilie*  
of the Canal boat *John H. Ligu* *Foot of Horatio W. H. Lewis*  
Street, aged *22* years,  
occupation *Captain of said boat* being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that the premises *No* *Cabin of the aforesaid boat*  
*Foot of Horatio W. H. Lewis*  
Street, *Ward,* in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *Canal*  
*boat*

and which was occupied by deponent as a *boat for the carrying and*  
*transportation of Merchandise* ~~was~~ **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means *forcing the lock or outer*  
*fastering of the door leading to the*  
*Cabin of said Canal boat*  
No person being on the boat at the time  
on the *Day* of the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *July* 188 *B*

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

*Four different & several*  
*pieces of rope say about*  
*four hundred feet in all and*  
*of the value of about thirty-*  
*five dollars*

the property *being in the care and charge of deponent as Captain*  
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

*Edward J. Connor now present*

for the reasons following, to wit: *That deponent having occasion*  
*to leave the boat on business locked*  
*and fastened the door in question*  
*and on his return found the lock broken*  
*the door off its hinges & said property*  
*which was in the Cabin had been stolen*  
*and carried away. That the rope which*  
*deponent identifies was subsequently found*  
*in the Junk Store No. 2413 West Street*

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Which is kept by one Mr. Curick  
who informs deponent that the  
Rope was brought to his place  
And sold to him by the defendant  
for four dollars & deponent  
believes the same to be true and  
therefore charges said Commo with  
the Commission of said felony

William White

Sworn to before me this  
13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1883

D. M. [Signature]  
Police Justice

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DESCRIPTION:

Conway, Thomas

DATE:

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Court of General Sessions

The People }  
      apt }  
Thomas Conway }

Respectfully request that  
the prosecution against Thomas Conway be  
discontinued

- [at] March 4<sup>th</sup> 1884.

O. J. Ward

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New York General Sessions.

PEOPLE ON MY COMPLAINT.

VERSUS

*Thos. Canway*

*As complainant in the above case, I beg to recommend the defendant to such leniency and clemency as the Court and District Attorney may see fit to show; but I expressly assert that my reasons for so doing are not controlled by any advantage to myself.*

*Chas. J. Ward*

*Complainant*

*New York*

*March 4<sup>th</sup> 1884*

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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE  
OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
*against*

*Thomas Conway*

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

*Thomas Conway*

*in the kind degree,*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT, ~~AND~~ committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Conway*

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

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.

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The defendant having been tried and the Jury having disagreed and the Complainant requesting that the Complainant be withdrawn I recommend that the defendant be discharged on his own recognizance

N.Y. March 5, 1884

Geo. Vincent  
Asst. Dist. Atty

W. H. 300 157

Filed by day of Feb 1883

Pleas to the charge of

THE PEOPLE

vs

Thomas Conway

27 W.

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Bail discharged

JOHN McKEON,  
District Attorney.

Count by Court

A True Bill.

W. H. 300 157

March 20/83

Present Jury disagreed

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and Paul Haines

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Imosity J. Lee.

606 Broadway

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Revised by

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In The Matter of  
Thomas Conway,  
Deveve House,  
B'way & Houston.

Witnesses:  
St. Owen J. Ward, ✓  
272 East Broadway.  
Cyrus Lawrence ✓  
240 E. 10<sup>th</sup> St.

Counselor Goff  
229 B'way  
Off. Room  
100 Park St. Police Ct



Patience  
100 Park St.

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February 20', 1883.

Dr. Owen J. Ward, of No. 272 East Broadway, makes the following statement: On the 6' ~~day~~ of February, 1883, I went into the Revere House restaurant, Corner of Broadway and Houston Street, sat down, called the waiter and ordered my supper. When he brought it to me I tasted and smelled the meat and found it was tainted. I then called the waiter back and told him it was unfit to eat and requested him to exchange it for something else. The waiter took it to the cashier's desk, the cashier smelled of it and put it under the counter, and then the waiter brought me other meat in its ~~stead~~, which I ate. Then the waiter handed me a check for the full amount, counting the tainted and good meat together. I told him he had made a mistake in the check and he said the cashier, Thomas Conway, would make it all right when I went up to the desk. I went to the desk and told the cashier the check was too much; then he called the waiter and asked him to count up the check; the waiter did so and made it ninety cents, counting the tainted meat and all. I told the cashier the meat was tainted and I would not pay for it, but I tendered him the money for all I did eat. He told me I was a God Darned liar; that the meat was good and that if I attempted to go out of the house without paying for it he would break my God damned neck. I told him it was an outrage, and that I would not pay for it under any circumstances; that I would only pay for what was fit to eat. He then rushed around from behind the counter and scuffled with me, and during the scuffle he seized my hat off my head and kept it. I then presented him with my card and told him my profession and also told him that I had urgent cases to call on that night again and for him not to detain me, as it might be a serious injury to my patients. He brushed my card from the counter and said he didn't care a damn for me nor my patients neither. It was raining and snowing very hard at the time and I was unable to go home until between five and six o'clock in the morning, when I called a hack ( number 569 ) and went home without my hat, having been detained in the restaurant between five and six hours. The next day I went to the Tombs Police Court, saw Judge White and stated the full case to him and requested him to make out a warrant for assault. He asked me if the cashier struck me and I said no. Then he said it was no assault and that he would give me a warrant for disorderly conduct. He issued the warrant, and the next day I appeared against Conway; and while I was sitting in Court, previous to the trial, Conway, Mr. T. J. Coe, proprietor of the restaurant, and ex-Alderman Jeremiah Murphy, corner of Roosevelt and Cherry Streets, came in together. After sitting a while Murphy came to me and requested me to go outside a moment. I did so, and he said to me it would be best for me to withdraw the case; I asked him why, and he said they had a lawyer there and a number of witnesses from the Revere House and that they would swear to things that would be very unpleasant for me. I told him he might go and tell them they could go to the devil; that I was going to press the case as far as I could. Then he said "Being a friend of yours I thought I would come and tell you". A few moments before my case was called Murphy went in through the private door and went around behind the Bench and sat down by the Judge, and during the examination of Conway's witnesses Murphy kept whispering to Judge White loud enough to be heard by those near enough ( I suppose about my case ) and the Judge dismissed the case without even a reprimand. I had no witnesses in Court. The cashier swore that he didn't touch me at all; that my hat fell off and he picked it up and kept it. The waiter swore that I found no fault with the first meat he brought me; that I ate a portion of it and cut the other all into atoms and then asked for more, and that he didn't take it off the table until I had left the table.

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Cornelius, Howard

DATE:

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,  
Filed 6 day of Feb 1888

Pleas Not guilty (19)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

INJURY TO PROPERTY.  
Sec. 654, Penal Code.

P  
Edward Bondine

*[Handwritten signature]*

JOHN McKEON,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William H. McKeon

Feb 27 63. Foreman.

James J. Switzer  
on Personal Bond

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Edward J. Romelius

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

Edward J. Romelius

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY DESTROYING PERSONAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said Edward J. Romelius

late of the ~~Southern~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~twenty~~ day of ~~January~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~three~~, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain ~~pane of plate glass~~

of the value of ~~one hundred and fifty dollars~~ of the goods, chattels and personal property of one ~~Jacob B. Berlin~~ then and there being, then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully ~~destroy~~

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

SECOND COUNT.—And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said Edward J. Romelius

of the CRIME OF UNLAWFULLY AND WILFULLY DESTROYING REAL PROPERTY OF ANOTHER, committed as follows:

The said Edward J. Romelius

late of the ~~Southern~~ Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, a certain ~~pane of plate glass~~

of the value of ~~one hundred and fifty dollars~~ in the ~~building~~ of one ~~William C. Chickasha~~ there situate, then and there being, of the real property of the said

~~William C. Chickasha~~

then and there feloniously did unlawfully and wilfully ~~destroy~~

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 McKEON,

District Attorney.

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Testimony in the  
case of  
Howard J. Cornelius  
filed Feb.

1883

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The People  
vs  
Howard J. Cornelius

Court of General Sessions. Part I  
Before Judge Cowing. Feb. 27. 1883  
Indictment for injuring property.

Jacob Dobbins, sworn and examined, testified.

Where do you live? No 217 East Broadway.

What business are you? Tailor. Have you  
a store at 134 Bowery? Yes sir. Was your

show window broken upon the 27<sup>th</sup> of January?

It was. Do you know who broke it? No sir.

You did not see that part of it? No sir;

it was twelve o'clock. The officer saw it?

Yes. What was the value of it? It was

valued at one hundred and fifty dollars.

It was worth more than fifty or seventy

five dollars? Yes sir.

James J. Hart, sworn and examined,

testified: You are an officer of what pre-

dict? Fourteenth. Do you know the prisoner

at the bar? Yes sir. Did you see him break

this window? Yes sir. By the Court. Tell

what you saw him do. The prisoner? He

came up the Bowery about half past

twelve or twenty minutes to one at night.

He fired something, at least jerked

it in that manner (showing) I heard

the crash. I was about three houses

from there, from him, I was walking

in the direction of him. I looked at the

window. I seen the hole in the window, a  
 large hole in the centre of the window.  
 This man passed me by, started up the  
 Bowery on a very quick walk, got to Broome  
 St. and ran. He ran a block up to  
 Elizabeth street and in Elizabeth st. I  
 arrested him. There was nobody else there  
 to do it? No sir. Did you have any con-  
 versation with him when you arrested  
 him? I asked him what he done it for?  
 He would not make no answer; he said  
 that it was a friend who was with him  
 that done it. Did he have any friend with  
 him? No sir. Cross Examined. Was there  
 not two men there? No, there was two boys  
 that came on the spot just in front  
 of the window. When I got there the boy said,  
 "Here he goes." Is it a fact that you arrested  
 this man three blocks away? Yes, he ran;  
 he ran from the Bowery to Elizabeth St.  
 Was there not another man with him?  
 I did not see anybody with him.

The case for the defence.

Howard J. Cornelius, sworn and examined,  
 in his own behalf. What was your bus-  
 iness before you were arrested? Jeweler.  
 In whom did you work? I am a jeweler  
 and silversmith. I was working at the

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silversmith business when I was arrested with Tiffany & Co. Prince St. How long did you work there? About nine months I think. Who was the foreman? What was his name? Mr. Chandler was my foreman. You were working at the time of your arrest at Tiffany's? Yes sir, I was working that day. Did you break this window? No sir. Will you tell us exactly what occurred there? I met a friend of mine that I had not seen for a long while I met him on Fourteenth St. and Third Avenue this night that I was walking down. He had been drinking. When we came to this tailor's store I told him about it. I told him I got measured for a suit of clothes and left eight dollars deposit on them; the coat was not made the way I ordered it: and I lost my eight dollars. I could not compromise with him. I wanted him to give me my pants; he said he would not do it. This friend of mine said he would get square on him if he could. I asked him, how? He said he would fire a rock through the window; he wanted to do it then, I stopped him. We walked down to Atlantic Garden and was in there a couple

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of hours drinking. That day did you throw a  
this mortar & did you know that he  
was going to throw this mortar? No sir.  
Where were you arrested? In Elizabeth St.  
three blocks. Did you run those three  
blocks? No sir. I think I remember every-  
thing that occurred. I had been drinking  
I did not know my friend was going to  
throw mortar. Cross Examined. I stopped  
in Atlantic Garden I think about ten o'clock;  
we were in there an hour and a half  
We drank beer in Atlantic Garden, I  
don't know how many, a dozen probably.  
I had not seen my friend for a long  
while; he kept a liquor store; we went  
there and drank a little. You were very  
ugly about these people as you thought  
beating you out of eight dollars? I had  
not thought any more about it; in fact  
I gave it up as a loss. I felt badly about  
it at the time. This trouble about the  
suit of clothes was about six weeks before  
this occurrence of the breaking of the window,  
some two months I think. Then the police-  
man must be mistaken, he says there  
was nobody else there but yourself, you  
say there was another man? There was  
another man. The jury rendered a  
verdict of guilty on the second count of the  
indictment. Penitentiary six months.

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

POLICE COURT, <sup>1st</sup>

DISTRICT.

Jacob B. Boblin aged 26 years

Merchant Sailor

of No. 134 Bowery

being duly sworn, deposes and

says that on the

27

day of

January

1883

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

Howard Cornelius (now here)

as deponent is informed by Officer James J. Hart, did wilfully maliciously and unlawfully throw a quantity of frozen mortar at the show window of premises 134 Bowery in said city breaking a pane of glass of the value of one hundred and fifty dollars the property of deponent and his copartner

Deponent prays that said defendant may be held and dealt with according to law

Jacob B. Boblin

Sworn to before me, this

of January 27 1883

City of New York

Police Justice

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 34 years, occupation James J Hart  
14 Precinct Police Police attached to the of No.  
Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of Jacob B Robbins  
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own  
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this 27  
day of January 1883 }

James J Hart

CCJ. O'W  
Police Justice.

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City and County of New York, ss.

Police Court—1<sup>st</sup> District.

**THE PEOPLE**

vs.

On Complaint of Jacob B Doblin  
For Malicious Mischief

Howard Cornelius

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

Dated 27 January 1883.

ccy. Gray

POLICE JUSTICE.

H. A. Cornelius

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BAILED.

No. 1, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street

No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street

No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street

No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street

Police Court

Police Court

Dist. Ct.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

1 Edward Cornelius  
 2  
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Offence Malicious Mischief

Dated

Jan 27 1883

Magistrate

James P. Stark

Officer

Witnesses

James P. Stark

No. 14

Preinct.

Street.

James P. Stark

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

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

Dated Jan 27 1883 W. J. Owen Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1888 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

18<sup>2</sup> District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Howard Cornelius

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 33 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New Jersey

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

Answer. 172 Elizabeth St. 8 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Silversmith

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

Answer. I am not guilty

H. J. Cornelius

Taken before me this

day of

1889

Police Justice.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cosgrove, Peter

DATE:

02/19/83



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 19 day of Feb 1883

Pleads

Not guilty (20)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

AB  
Saver Conroy

W. H. Thompson

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling on Sunday.

John Mckeon

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

Pleads Guilty.

A TRUE BILL.

William H. Phelps

Foreman.

Feb 7. 25 83

J. H. [Signature]

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
AGAINST

*Peter Rosagone*

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

of the CRIME OF ~~Exposing for Sale and~~ *Selling* Spirituous Liquors  
*to a minor*, committed as follows:

The said *Peter Rosagone*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eight* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *three*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, ~~the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday~~, with force and arms, certain 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 whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did ~~expose for sale and~~ sell ~~one beverage~~ to *one Maggie*

*Annstrong being then and there a minor under the age of fourteen years, to wit: of the age of six years, she the said Peter Rosagone then and there knowing said minor to be under such age*

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

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

Peter Cosgrove

of the CRIME OF Selling Spirituous Liquors  
to a minor,  
committed as follows:

The said Peter Cosgrove

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York aforesaid, on the ninth day of January in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, ~~the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and~~  
~~known as Sunday~~, with force and arms, certain 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  
whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of  
beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand  
Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did ~~expose for sale and sell as a beverage to~~

one Maggie  
Annstrong, being then and there a minor under  
the age of fourteen years, to wit: of the age of six years,  
the said Peter Cosgrove, then and there having  
reason to believe said minor to be under such age

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

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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*Magistrate's Office  
New York City*



BAILED,  
 No. 1 by James Holmes  
 Residence 449 Hudson Street  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_

*Magistrate*  
Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Augustus P. Walker  
100 St. James St.  
Peter Cograve  
 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Offence Violation of Law

Dated January 12 1883

Magistrate  
Wheeler Officer.  
 Clerk.

Witnesses: Magie Handrough

No. Edw. Lewis  
 Street 20 West front house

No. Wm. J. ...  
 Street 44 West front house

No. Edw. Lewis  
 Street 20 West front house

No. Edw. Lewis  
 Street 20 West front house

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

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

Dated Jan 12 1883 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated Jan 12 1883 [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1883 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-209.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

2 District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Peter Cosgrove

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 42 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 42 Hudson St (resided there 13 years)

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Bar Tender

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

Answer. I have nothing to say  
Peter Cosgrove

Taken before me this

day of

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[Signature]  
[Signature]

Police Justice.

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District Police Court.

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

Augustine Wilson

of Number 100 East 23<sup>rd</sup> Street being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the Monday eight day of January 1883, at the

City of New York, in the County of New York in Peter Cosgrove (a man

about 5ft 8" high, 45 or 50 years old, with small brown mustache)

unlawfully and wilfully did, in and at a certain liquor

Saloon, situate at No 51 Learning Street

sell a certain strong and spirituous liquor, to wit, Whiskey for 10c

commonly known as Rye Whiskey

to one Maggie Armstrong

who then and there was a minor, under the age of fourteen years, to wit of the age of

Six years, then and there knowing and having reason to believe such

minor to be under such age of fourteen years:

Wherefore, the complainant prays that the said John Doe

Peter Cosgrove

may be apprehended, arrested and dealt with according to law, and more especially according to the following laws made and provided, to wit:

"An Act in relation to Mendicant and Vagrant children." passed April 3d, 1874, "An Act to prevent and punish certain wrongs to children," passed April 14th, 1876, "An Act to amend Chapter 628 of the Laws of 1857, entitled 'An Act to suppress intemperance and to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors.'" passed June 5th, 1877, "An Act for the protection of children, and to prevent and punish certain wrongs to children, passed June 6th, 1877.

Sworn to before me, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January 1883

Augustine Wilson

Police Justice  
John J. Duffy

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*Harvard*  
POLICE COURT 2<sup>nd</sup> DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF



SELLING LIQUOR TO MINOR.  
CRUELTY TO CHILDREN:

DATED 9 Jan 1883  
*William H. Wick* Magistrate.  
*Michael* Clerk.  
*Michael* Officer.

E. FELLOWS JENKINS, Supt.  
100 East 23d Street.

Disposition *Free on pay 12.37m*  
*300 Jani 1883*  
*incised by James Holmes*  
STYLES & CO., STEAM PRINTERS, 17 EAST 14<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE, NEW YORK.

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER SIX HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHT OF THE LAWS OF EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVEN, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO SUPPRESS INTemperance, AND TO REGULATE THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS."

§ 1. Section fifteen of Chapter six hundred and twenty-eight of the Laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intemperance, and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 15. No inn, tavern or hotel keeper, or any other person licensed to sell any strong or spirituous liquors or wines, shall, either personally, or by his wife, servant, employee, or other agent, sell or give any such liquors or wines to any Indian or apprentice, knowing or having reason to believe him to be such, or within the knowledge of such agent, without the consent of his master or mistress, nor to any minor under the age of eighteen years, without the consent of his father or mother, or guardian.

Whoever shall, either personally or by his wife, servant, employee or other agent, offend against either of these provisions, shall forfeit ten dollars for each and every offence, to be recovered by the master of such apprentice or servant, or by the parent or guardian of such minor; and any person who shall, either personally, or by his wife, servant, employee, or other agent, sell or give away any strong or spirituous liquors, ale, beer or wine to any Indian in this State, or shall sell any beer, ale, wine or any strong or spirituous liquor to any minor under the age of fourteen years, knowing or having reason to believe such minor to be under such age, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction, shall be liable to a fine of twenty-five dollars for each and every offence.

Laws of 1877, chap. 420, § 1.

Laws of 1877, chap. 420, § 2.

§ 2. This Act shall take effect immediately.

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2<sup>d</sup> District Police Court.

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

*Augustine Wilson*  
of Number *100 East 23<sup>d</sup> Street* being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that on the *Monday* *eight* day of *January* 1883, at the  
City of New York, in the County of New York on *Peter Cosgrove*  
*at and in a certain liquor Saloon situate at 51 Carmine St.*  
unlawfully and wilfully did

sell a certain strong and spirituous liquor, to wit, *Whiskey*, for 10 cents  
commonly known as *Whiskey*  
to one *Maggie Armstrong*  
who then and there was a minor, under the age of fourteen years, to wit of the age of  
*Six* years, then and there knowing and having reason to believe such  
minor to be under such age of fourteen years:

Wherefore, the complainant prays that the said *Peter Cosgrove*  
may be apprehended, arrested and dealt with according to law, and more especially according to  
the following laws made and provided, to wit:

"An Act in relation to Mendicant and Vagrant children." passed April 3d, 1874. "An Act to prevent and punish certain wrongs to children," passed April 14th, 1876, "An Act to amend Chapter 628 of the Laws of 1857, entitled 'An Act to suppress intemperance and to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors.'" passed June 5th, 1877, "An Act for the protection of children, and to prevent and punish certain wrongs to children, passed June 6th, 1877.

Sworn to before me, this *10<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *January* 1883 } *Augustine Wilson*  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice.

POLICE COURT 2 DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

SELLING LIQUOR TO MINORS;  
CRUELTY TO CHILDREN;



*Anna M. Wilson*  
*John J. Wilson*

DATED 10<sup>th</sup> January 1883

*W. J. Murphy* Magistrate.

Clerk.

*Richard* Officer.

Witnesses:

E. FELLOWS JENKINS, Sup't.

100 East 23d Street.

*Maggie Armstrong*

*Servy St. Louis*

*2 floor right side front houses*

Disposition, *Friday Jan 12. 3 Mm*

*13.00 bail for 4.*

*by James J. Folmes*

*499 West 12th St*

STILES & CASH, CLERK OF DISTRICTS, 77 EIGHTH AVENUE, NEW YORK

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Whoever shall, either personally or by his wife, servant, employee or other agent, offend against either of these provisions, shall forfeit ten dollars for each and every offence, to be recovered by the master of such apprentice or servant, or by the parent or guardian of such minor; and any person who shall, either personally, or by his wife, servant, employee, or other agent, sell or give away any strong or spirituous liquors, ale, beer or wine to any Indian in this State, or shall sell any beer, ale, wine or any strong or spirituous liquor to any minor under the age of fourteen years, knowing or having reason to believe such minor to be under such age, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction, shall be liable to a fine of twenty-five dollars for each and every offence.

LAWS OF 1877, chap. 420, § 1.

§ 2. This Act shall take effect immediately.

LAWS OF 1877, chap. 420, § 2.

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Cotter, Patrick

DATE:

02/20/83



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No. 222

Day of Trial  
Counsel *J. H. Colyer*  
Filed *20* day of *Feb* 1883

Pleas *Innocence (w)*

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling without License.

*2* x *13*  
*6.00*  
THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*Patrick Cotter*

*(Two cases)*

*3rd St Cor. 130 St -*

JOHN MCKEON,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*William H. Murphy*  
Foreman.

*Fast 2 April 10/83*

*He Pleas Guilty*  
*10 Feb 10 days - 10h.*

*J. H.*  
*F. S.*

0425

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Patrick Carter*

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

*Patrick Carter*

of the CRIME of *Selling Spirituous Liquors without a License*, committed as follows:

The said

*Patrick Carter*

late of the *Eighteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *second* day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, 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 whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to

~~and to~~ certain ~~other~~ persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, 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.

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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Police Court 1020 District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Charles M. O'Connell*

*Cathrick Coster*

Offence, *Vis. Exercise Law*

Dated *Nov 28* 188 *2*

*J. J. McLaughlin* Magistrate.

*John M. O'Connell* Officer  
Clerk.

Witnesses:

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

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

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

\$ *100* to answer *As*

*Basile*

FILED,

No. 1, by *John Murray*

Residence *114 E 2d* Street,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

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

Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Street,

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *100* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *Nov 28* 188 *2* *J. J. McLaughlin* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Nov 28* 188 *2* *J. J. McLaughlin* Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

0427

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

J District Police Court.

Patrick Cotter

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Patrick Cotter

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 22 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

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

Answer. 3 Avenue Cor. 120 Street two months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. bar tender

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

Answer.

I did not know that  
I was selling without a license

Patrick Cotter

Taken before me this

23

day of November 1888

J. J. Williams  
Police Justice.

0428

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Police Court, <sup>4</sup> Fifth District.

STATE OF NEW YORK,

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

of No. the 18<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police Charles M. Cannon Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 28<sup>th</sup> day  
of November 1892 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at  
No. 391 Avenue A Street,

Patrick botter (now present)  
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 Patrick botter  
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 28<sup>th</sup> day  
of November 1892 Charles M. Cannon  
J. J. K...  
Charles M. Cannon POLICE JUSTICE.

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Day of Trial,

Counsel,

Filed 21 day of Feb 1883

Pleads *Not guilty* (26)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*  
Patrick Cotter

[Two cases]

3<sup>rd</sup> Pr. 7-130 St.

Violation of Excise Law.  
Selling without License.

JOHN MCKEON,

District Attorney.

*Seenas on o'la  
Draich*

A TRUE BILL.

*William H. Kelly*

Foreman.

0430

# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

*Patrick Cotter*

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

*Patrick Cotter*

of the CRIME of *Selling Spirituous Liquors without a License*, committed as follows:

The said

*Patrick Cotter*

late of the *Eighteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *twenty eighth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *two*, 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 whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at one time, to \_\_\_\_\_

~~and to~~ certain ~~other~~ persons, whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, 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.

**JOHN McKEON, District Attorney.**

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BAILED,  
 No. 1, by John W. [Signature]  
 Residence 417 E 22<sup>nd</sup>  
 Street,  
 No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street,  
 No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street,  
 No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street,

Police Court - 1021  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John J. Conover  
3510 91<sup>st</sup> Street  
Brooklyn  
Patrick [Signature]

Offence, Viol. Excise Law

Dated Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> 1882

M. J. [Signature] Magistrate.  
[Signature] Officer.  
18 Clerk.

Witnesses, \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

\* 107 to answer \_\_\_\_\_

[Signature]

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

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

Dated December 2<sup>nd</sup> 1882 M. J. [Signature] Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

0432

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

4 District Police Court.

*Patrick Cotter*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Patrick Cotter*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *22 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue corner of 125<sup>th</sup> Street. four weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *bar tender*

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

Answer. *the owner of the premises is sick and was unable to get a license*

*Patrick Cotter*

Taken before me this

day of *December* 188*7*

*W. J. O'Sullivan*

Police Justice.

0433

Police Court, Fifth District.

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

John J. Cavanaugh  
of No. 370 Broome Street, Excise Inspector  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day  
of December 1892 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at  
No. 369 Avenue A Street,

Patrick Cotter, now present,  
did then and there sell, and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and  
~~spiritaous 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 Patrick Cotter  
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day  
of December 1892 John J. Cavanaugh  
C. J. Cavanaugh POLICE JUSTICE.

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Cox, William

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*W. M. Lyle*  
Filed *27* day of *Feb* 188*3*  
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*R*  
William Cox  
*W. M. Lyle*

Assault in the First Degree.  
(Firearms.)

JOHN MCKEON,  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*William McKee*  
Foreman.  
*March 27/83*  
*Henry W. Lyle*  
Sherriff & Coroner.

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
AGAINST

*William Cox*

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

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

The said *William Cox*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the ~~seventeenth~~ day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~two~~ with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *John Henry* in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did ~~make an~~ assault, ~~and to, at and against~~ ~~the said~~ ~~with~~ a certain  ~~pistol~~ then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which the said *William Cox* in ~~his~~ right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, ~~willfully and feloniously did then and there shoot off and discharge~~, with intent ~~to~~ ~~kill~~ the said *John Henry* thereby then and there feloniously and wilfully to kill, against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided. and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

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

*William Cox*

of the Crime of assault in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *William Cox*

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *John Henry* then and there being, feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully, ~~make an~~ assault, ~~and to, at and against~~ ~~the said~~ ~~with~~ a certain  ~~pistol~~ then and there loaded and charged with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which ~~he~~ the said *William Cox* in ~~his~~ right hand, then and there had and held, the same being an instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, ~~feloniously did, willfully and wrongfully then and there shoot off and discharge~~.

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 McKEON, District Attorney.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,

New York, ..... 188

William Cof  
assault & battery

Wednesday  
21<sup>st</sup>

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Police Court 3 District 144

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John Kennedy*  
*George M. Francis*  
*Arthur Lewis*

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Offence, *fel assault*

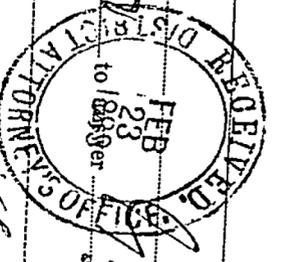
Dated *July 31* 188 *3*

*William* Magistrate.  
*Stammow* 13 Officer.  
*H.* Clerk.

Witnesses, *Emr. E. Munday*  
No. *365* *Orman* Street,

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

No. *107* Street,  
*Cauller*



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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *100* Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated *July 31* 188 *3* *Hugh Gorman* Police Justice.

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

Dated..... 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

3rd

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. William Cox

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 35 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. England

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

Answer. 615 Grand Street, 4 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. Car driver

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

Answer. I am not guilty

W Cox

Taken before me this

21

day of February 1889

Joseph Gardner

Police Justice.

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Police Court— 3<sup>rd</sup> District.

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

22 years of age a taxi driver  
of No. 607 Grand Street,

John Kenney

being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
on Tuesday the 20 day of February  
in the year 1883 at the City of New York, in the County of New York

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED ~~and~~ by William Cox

(Cox) who aimed a Revolving  
Pistol at deponent, saying at  
the time you Son of a bitch  
I blow your brains out  
and said Cox committed  
said assault

with the felonious intent to ~~take the life of deponent, or~~ deponent grievous do him bodily harm; and with out any justification on the part of the said assailant :

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

Sworn to before me, this 21 day  
of February 1883 }

John. Kenney  
Hugh Gardner POLICE JUSTICE.