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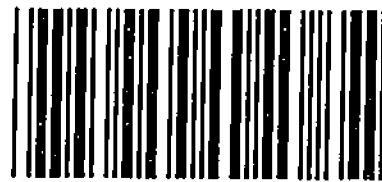
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DESCRIPTION:

Clark, John

DATE:

11/12/85



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Witnesses:

*[Signature]*

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Counsel,

Filed

12th day of

1885

Pleads

*[Signature]*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*  
Violation of Excise Law.  
(Sunday).  
[III Rev. Stat., (7th Edition), page 1008 Sec. 21, and  
page 1009, Sec. 21.]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

SUPREME COURT PART 7,

December 22 1899

INDICTMENT DISMISSED,

Foreman.

*[Signature]*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*John Clark* 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.

*John Clark*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*25 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City*

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

Answer.

*1183. 2 Avenue*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Saloon Keeper*

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 of the charge*  
*John Clark*

Taken before me this

day of *October* 188*8*

*John J. [Signature]*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0405

Excise Violation—Keeping Open on Sunday.

POLICE COURT—4 DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. the 28th Precinct Howard Wade

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on SUNDAY the 25 day

of October 1885, in the City of New York, in the County of New York,

being then and there in lawful charge of the premises No. 1103—2nd Avenue (now here)  
Street, a place duly licensed for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, to be  
drunk upon the premises DID NOT KEEP SAID PLACE CLOSED contrary to and in violation of  
the statute in such case made and provided.

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said John Clark  
may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 26 day  
of October 1885

William J. [Signature] Police Justice.

Howard Wade



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Police Court, 11th District.  
THE PEOPLE, &c.  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
Jennard Wade  
28 Precinct  
John Clark  
Dated 26 day of October 1885  
Murray Magistrate.  
Wade Officer.  
Witness,  
Bailed \$100 to Ans. 2 Sessions.  
By Samuel Refine  
665-9th Street.

EXCISE VIOLATION.  
KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY.

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

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

Dated October 26 1885. \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated Oct 26 1885. \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named \_\_\_\_\_

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1885. \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0407

City and County of New York, ss.:

Police Court 4 District.

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

On Complaint of

For

Bernard Wade  
Pro Clair law

John Clark

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby waive a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and my right to make a statement in relation to it, 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

October 26 1885

Wm Murray

Police Justice.

John Clark

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

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**Court of General Sessions of the Peace**

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John Planda*

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

*John Planda*

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

The said *John Planda*.

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*Thursday* ~~day of October~~ *day of June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-*nine* at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same  
being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms,  
certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit : One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one  
gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill  
of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain  
intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to

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

SECOND COUNT :

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

*John Planda*

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

The said *John Planda*.

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : On the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week,

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

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

**THIRD COUNT:**

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

*— John Randa —*

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

The said *John Randa,*

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

*Eleven hundred and three Second Avenue,*

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
District Attorney.

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Cluney, Patrick

DATE:

11/23/85



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DESCRIPTION:

McArdle, Patrick

DATE:

11/23/85



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ORIGINAL

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Counsel,

Filed 23 day of Apr 1888

Pleads Not guilty (2x)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

1. Patrick Chumey

2. and BB

Patrick McIndale

ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.

(Section 219, Penal Code.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

W.L. Henderson X

Committed May 2/87

A True Bill.

W.L. Henderson April 29 87

Bartholomew

Can't find Campbell

Foreman

May 19 88

W.L. Henderson May '87

Witnesses:

W.L. Henderson  
W.L. Henderson



# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

*against*  
*Patrick Clune*  
*and*  
*Patrick McArdle*

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

*Patrick Clune and Patrick McArdle*

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

The said *Patrick Clune and Patrick*  
*McArdle, each* —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *October*, in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, at the Ward, City and County  
aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *Louis Bernardi*, —  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, with force and arms, unlawfully  
did make an assault and *in* the said *Louis Bernardi*,  
did then and there unlawfully beat, wound and illtreat, to the great damage of the  
said *Louis Bernardi*, against the form of the statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York, and their dignity.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Comerford, John

DATE:

11/16/85



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Witnesses:  
*[Signature]*

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Counsel,  
Filed *16* days of *Nov* 188*8*  
Pleads *Guilty*

Violation of Excise Law.  
(Sunday).  
[III Rev. Stat., (7th Edition), page 1983 Sec. 21, and  
page 1989, Sec. 5].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*B*

*Guilty*  
*Dec'd of by*  
*to service*  
*not to proceed*

*Mr* RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*Counsel*  
District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*J. Carter Jr.*  
Foreman.

*Sh...*  
*...*

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# Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*John R. McDonald*

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

*John R. McDonald*

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

The said *John R. McDonald*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*eighteenth* day of *January*, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same  
being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as Sunday, with force and arms,  
certain intoxicating liquors and certain wines, to wit : One gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one  
gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill  
of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain  
intoxicating liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell as a beverage to

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

SECOND COUNT :

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

*John R. McDonald*

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

The said *John R. McDonald*

late of the Ward, City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : On the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the same being the first day of the week

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

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

**THIRD COUNT:**

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

*John R. Martine* —

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

The said *John R. Martine* —

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

*327 West 26th Street* —

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

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**  
District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Connelly, James

DATE:

11/25/85



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Witnesses:  
*Henry Anglen*  
*Off. Organ*

Counsel,  
Filed *285* day of *Nov* 188*8*  
Pleads, *Adversely*

THE PEOPLE  
vs.  
*James Boneddy*  
[Sections 493]  
Burglary in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*District Attorney.*  
*Ordered Oct. 14, 1888*  
*Approved James Boneddy.*  
A True Bill. *Chas. J. Boneddy*

*J. Callum*  
*Foreman*  
*Ready, willing, & able*  
*Dec 2-1888*  
*Sentence suspended*  
*J. P. Mc*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—4 District.

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

of No. 153 Third Avenue Street, aged 25 years,  
occupation Employer in butcher shop being duly sworn  
deposes and says, that the premises No. 153 Third Avenue Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling house  
in the 15th ward, opposite City Hall  
and which was occupied by deponent as a butcher shop dwelling  
and in which there was at the time a human being, by name Henry Singleton

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking  
a fanlight and a steel door of  
said premises

on the 20 day of November 1885 in the day time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Meat & butcher's implements & many  
in all of the value of about three  
hundred dollars \$300<sup>00</sup>

the property of William Spickard in charge of deponent  
and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid  
**BURGLARY** was committed and the aforesaid <sup>attempted to be</sup> property taken, stolen, and carried away by

James Connolly (nowhere)  
for the reasons following, to wit: That at about three o'clock  
in the morning of the day mention-  
ed deponent was awakened from  
sleep by another inmate of the  
above described premises  
informing that some person had broken  
into said premises. That deponent  
then entered the butcher shop  
in said premises, & there

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Le Singleton

Wenn Du mich fragst

Deere.

vs.

Burglary

*Dated*

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*Magistrate.*

Officer.

*Clerk.*

**Witnesses:**

Committed in default of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Bail.

*Bailed by*

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0422

Sec. 198-200.

14 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss  
OF NEW YORK,

James Connelly 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.

James Connelly

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

17 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States

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

Answer.

428 East 28th Street New York

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

None

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  
James Connelly

Taken before me this

day of November 1888

John J. Connelly

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0423

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

Police Court-4 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alfred Smith  
1831 3rd Ave

James Smith

Offence Burglary

Dated November 27 1885

Magistrate  
Officer  
Precinct

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer Sessions.

(Stam)

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

Dated Nov. 28 1885 Henry Thompson Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1885 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1885 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

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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 Rannell*

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

*James Rannell*

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

The said *James Rannell*

late of the *Eighteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York  
aforesaid, on the *Twentieth* day of *November*, in the year  
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*Five*, with force and arms, about the  
hour of *Three* o'clock in the *morning* time of the same day, at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *William Snyder*,

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

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

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,

*Randolph B. Martin*  
District Attorney

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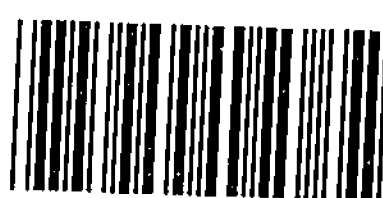
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Connolly, Jeremiah

DATE:

11/24/85



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Counsel,  
Filed 24 day of Nov 1885

Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

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*Guinn B. Randall*

*Sections 498, 506, 522, 531*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*J. Cather Jr*

*Foreman*  
P2 Dec 8, 1885

*Indict and convicted*

*Burg. 3<sup>d</sup> dg.*

*S.P. 2 years*

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Witnesses:

*R. B. Russell*  
*R. B. Russell*  
*R. B. Russell*



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Police Court— District.

City and County }  
of New York, . } ss.:of No. 86 Madison Roger Brassel Street, aged 22 years,  
occupation Bar-Tender being duly sworndeposes and says, that the premises No 69 Madison Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a brick building in  
the Seventh Ward of said City  
and which was <sup>in fact</sup> occupied by deponent as a Liquor Saloon  
and in which there was <sup>not</sup> at the time a human being, byBroke and  
were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly opening  
a hole in a side window of said  
store by breaking a large pane of  
glass at about the hour of 4 o'clock  
A.M. 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1885 in the Night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:Two pair of pants, one over coat,  
one jacket, one vest and two  
cardigan jackets, said property  
being in all of the value of fifty  
dollarsthe property of deponent and his father  
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 byJeremiah Connolly, New York,  
for the reasons following, to wit: That at about the hour  
of 4 1/2 o'clock A.M. on said day the  
said deponent was found within  
said Liquor Saloon with said clothing  
bundled up and ready to carry  
away as deponent is informed  
by officer Patrick Higgins (unsworn)

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That defendant has seen the (Corken  
Prisoner and knows it was a whole  
and unbroken when the prison  
was closed the previous night.

Given to by me this  
22<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1885 - Roger Brown

Salmon B. Smith  
Police Justice

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

vs.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 20 years, occupation Police officer of No. Patrick Higgins

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of March 1884

Patrick Higgins  
Salauk Enn  
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {  
OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Jeremiah Connolly*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*20 years of age*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

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

Answer.

*34 Laight St. 4 weeks*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

*Sea Packet*

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, except that I am not guilty.*

*Jeremiah Connolly*

Taken before me this

*27th*

*1888*

*55*

*Police Justice*

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

Police Court District.

3-4-1882

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Robert McNeill*  
*80 Madison*  
*Jeremiah Conroy*

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3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence *Burglary and*  
*Larceny*

Dated *March 22* 188*5*

*Ammit* Magistrate  
*Higgins* Officer

Precinct. *7*

Witnesses *Robert Higgins*  
*7 West 10th*

No. *80 Madison* Street,

No. *1000* Street,  
to answer *U.S.*

*Conroy*

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 \_\_\_\_\_

*Jeremiah Conroy*  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *200* 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 *March 22* 188

*Solomon B. Smith* Police Justice

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 188

Police Justice.



0432

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

*Jeremiah Rannally*

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

*Jeremiah Rannally* —

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

The said *Jeremiah Rannally*

late of the *Danforth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *Twenty-second* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *residence* of one

*Richard D. Carroll*, —

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

*Richard D. Carroll* —

in the said *residence*, 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.

## SECOND COUNT—

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

*Jeremiah Rannally* —  
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *Jeremiah Rannally*,

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

*two pairs of trousers of the value of*  
*ten dollars each pair, one overcoat*  
*of the value of twenty dollars,*  
*one vest of the value of five dollars,*  
*one jacket of the value of seven*  
*dollars, and two other jackets of*  
*the value of two dollars each, of the*  
*goods, chattels and personal property*  
*of one Roday D. Brasel, —*  
*and two other pairs of trousers of the*  
*value of ten dollars each pair, one other*  
*overcoat of the value of twenty dollars,*  
*one other vest of the value of five dollars,*  
*one other jacket of the value of seven*  
*dollars, and two other jackets of the value*  
*of two dollars each. —*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Roday D. Brasel,*

in the *saloon* of the said *Roday D. Brasel.*

there situate, then and there being found, *in* the *saloon* 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.

*Donald B. Smith,*  
*District Attorney*



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BOX:

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FOLDER:

1963

DESCRIPTION:

Connolly, Peter

DATE:

11/10/85



1963

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0435

Witnesses:

*Wm. J. Brennan*  
*Off. McElroy*

Counsel,

Filed

*10* Day of *Nov.* 188*8*

Pleads,

*Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*R*

*Exon Randall*

Grand Larceny, 1st Degree  
(From the Person.)  
[Sections 528, 529, 530, Penal Code]

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

*Am 6/87*

A True Bill.

*Catholic*

Foreman.

*J. Cattan*

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0436

Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, { ss

*Peter Connolly* 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 *Peter Connolly*

Question How old are you?

Answer *13 years of age*

Question Where were you born?

Answer *New York*

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

Answer *429 West 31 St. Six years.*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *I go to school*

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 didn't take it at all.*

*P. Connolly*

Taken before me this

*John J. Connolly*  
188  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0437

Police Court—2<sup>d</sup> District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:  
of New York,

Annie Gerstenlauer  
of No. 427 West 54<sup>th</sup> Street, aged 28 years,  
occupation Housekeeper being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885 at the City of New

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

One pocket-book, containing gold  
and silver money to the amount  
and value of seven dollars

the property of deponent and her husband,  
John Gerstenlauer

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 Peter Connolly, aged

18 years, New York, from the  
fact that deponent caught  
and detected him in the act  
of stealing and carrying away  
said property out of the pocket  
of the dress worn upon the  
person of deponent, while  
deponent stood in front of  
a butchers store in West 59<sup>th</sup>  
Street, at the hour of 8 1/2  
o'clock P. M.

Annie Gerstenlauer  
ma

Sworn to before me, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885  
John J. Murphy  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0438

Police Court, 2 District, 1219

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
on the complaint of

Anna Spontaneous  
427 West 54th St  
Storkomment

Offence—LARCENY.

Dated November 8, 1885

W. M. Smith  
Magistrate.

Robert M. Smith  
Officer.

W. M. Smith  
Clerk.

Witnesses, W. M. Smith  
No. 100 Street, 23 Street.

No. 100 Street, 23 Street.

No. 100 Street, 23 Street.

\$ 500 to answer Sessions.

Done

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

five Storkomment  
guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.  
Dated November 8, 1885. W. M. Smith Police Justice.

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

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

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

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



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0439

General Sessions Court,

The People  
vs

Peter Connolly

REPORT OF THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR  
THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY  
TO CHILDREN.

100 EAST 23 STREET,

New York, November 8 '1885

CASE NO. 20859

DATE OF ARREST

CHARGE

OFFICER

November 7/85.  
Grand Larceny.  
M<sup>r</sup>. Sprinley 20 Precinct.

AGE OF CHILD

RELIGION

FATHER

MOTHER

RESIDENCE

13 years  
Catholic  
Peter

Ellen

429 West 31<sup>st</sup> Street.

AN INVESTIGATION BY THE SOCIETY SHOWS THAT

Peter Connolly  
lives with his parents. Does not go to  
school. Was arrested three years ago for  
picking a woman's pocket in Central  
Park and was discharged to his father.

All which is respectfully submitted.

Wm. J. Henry

President.

Go

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0440

*Annual Sessions  
March*

*The People  
vs.  
Peter Kennedy*

PENAL CODE, §

*Alfred Lawrence*

Report of The New York Society  
for the Prevention of Cruelty  
to Children.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY,

*President, etc.*

100 East 23d Street,

New York City.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0441

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 Remondy*

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

*Peter Remondy*  
of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY in the *first* degree, committed as follows:

The said

*Peter Remondy*

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

*one pocket book of the value of*  
*one dollar, one United States*  
*Treasury note of the denomination*  
*and value of five dollars, one*  
*United States Treasury note of*  
*the denomination and value of*  
*two dollars, and five United States*  
*Treasury notes of the denom-*  
*ination and value of one dollar*  
*each,*

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

*Randolph Martinie,*  
*District Attorney.*

0442

BOX:

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FOLDER:

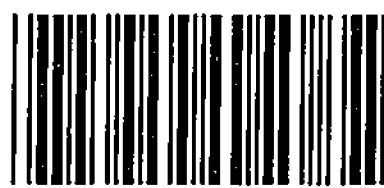
1963

DESCRIPTION:

Cox, Thomas

DATE:

11/19/85



1963

Witnesses:

*Wm. M. A. Arnold*  
*S. H. H. H. H. H.*  
*W. H. H. H. H.*

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Counsel,  
Filed 19 day of *Nov* 188*5*  
Pleads *July 20*

THE PEOPLE  
vs. *R*  
*James Cox*  
*W. H. H. H. H.*

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Lo. Latham Jr.*  
*James Cox - Foreman.*  
*Wm. M. A. Arnold*  
*W. H. H. H. H.*  
*Dec 24 1885*

0444

Police Court First District.City and County } ss.:  
of New York,of No. 21 Cherry Street, aged 25 years,occupation Laborer being duly sworndeposes and says, that on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of October 1883 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Thomas

Cot now present that said Thomas did wilfully and maliciously cut, stab, and wound deponent upon his chest, abdomen, and arm, with and by means of a certain knife and sharp dangerous weapon which he the said Cot then and there held in his hand

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

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

Sworn to before me, this 18<sup>th</sup> dayof November 1883.

John McDonald  
John B. Bunn Police Justice.

0445

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss

District Police Court.

*Thomas Cot* 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.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

*Thomas Cot*

Taken before me this

day of *September* 188*8*

Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0446

New York Hospital,

West Fifteenth Street,

New York, Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 1885 -

This is to certify that John  
McDonald is nearly recovered  
from his injuries and will  
probably be able to leave the  
hospital in two or three days.

Benjamin B. Gallaudet M.D.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0447

New York Hospital,

West Fifteenth Street,

New York, Nov 6. 1885

This is to certify that  
James Mc Donald is  
suffering from stab  
wounds of chest, and  
abdomen, & is now  
out of danger —

J. R. Hayden.  
House Surg.

Felice's Record

Defendant:  
Thomas Cox  
Oct 30<sup>th</sup>

Officer Spruvelly 3<sup>rd</sup> Det



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0448

New York Hospital,

West Fiftenth Street,

New York, Nov 2 1885

This is to certify that  
John Mc Smalld was  
brought to this Hospital  
Oct 31<sup>st</sup>. from Chambers  
St. Hosp. Pk. is suffering  
from stab wounds of  
chest, abdomen & arm,  
& is not yet out of  
danger - will not be  
able to leave Hosp. for  
several days -

J. R. Maynard.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0449

The Society of the New York Hospital,

HOUSE of RELIEF, 160 Chambers St.

New York, Oct 31st 1885

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that

*John McDonald*  
is ~~was~~ under treatment at this Hospital,

for a stab wound of the right side of  
chest and also one of the arm.

from 1885 to 1885

and That the wounds are not  
considered dangerous at present

*F. A. Statham M.D.*

House Surgeon

0450

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss.POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

Frank Donnelly  
of No. the 3rd Precinct Police Street, aged 41 years,  
occupation Police Officer being duly sworn deposes and says,  
that on the 30th day of October 1885

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

he arrested  
One Thomas Cox (now here) for  
feloniously Assaulting and beating  
One John McDonnell by Cutting him  
with a large size pocket Knife twice  
Once in the right side of his Chest  
also on his right arm causing  
injuries from which the said John  
McDonnell is now confined to  
the Chambers Street Hospital and is  
unable to appear as set forth in the Certificate  
herewith attached Francis Donnelly

Sworn to before me, this

of

188

day

John J. Duffy  
Police Justice.

0451

Police Court, 1st District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Frank Sonnelly

vs.

John A. Sonnelly  
Thomas Cox

AFFIDAVIT.

Dated

Oct 31

1885

Ruffy

Magistrate.

Sonnelly

Officer.

Witness,

Laurence Lee

Reveries Lodging House

Water Street, near Roosevelt St

Disposition,

Committed to

await the result of

inquiries

0452

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Thomas O'Connell  
214 Henry St  
Albany N.Y.

1  
2  
3  
4

Offence Felonious Assault

Dated November 10 1885

Magistrate  
Paul Donnelly Officer.

Witnesses  
No. 1 A. A. Hallway, M.A.  
No. 2 Edmund St.  
No. 3 Herbert St.

No. 4

No. 5  
to answer

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

Thomas O'Connell

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Fifty 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 November 10 1885 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

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

Dated 188 Police Justice.

0453

J. CARO & SON,

*Manufacturers and Importers of*

LOOKING GLASSES & PICTURE FRAMES,  
438 PEARL STREET,

*New York, Dec 21 1885*

*To Whom this may concern*

*I have known Thos Cox I have  
known for the past 6 years  
and always him to be an  
honest industrious young  
man and of respectable and  
honest parents*

*Respt  
J. Caro*

0454

N.Y. Dec. 3/85  
Mr. Sullivan  
Counselor at Law.

I have been requested  
to state my knowledge  
of Thos Cox, now  
awaiting sentence, for  
assault.

He was in my  
class at C.S. #1  
during the session of  
1883 & 4, and gave entire  
satisfaction.

I was exceedingly  
pained when I learned of  
his misfortune.

Respectfully  
Yours  
Geo. P. Fawcett



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0455

New York Decr

To whom it may concern  
The Bearer Thos Cox. I  
have known him for the  
last 8 yrs and I found  
him honest & upright  
in all his dealings  
any thing can be done for  
him I would ask you to  
give him a chance

Respectfully  
Geo H. Dresch  
Barman

Murray St

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0456

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 Ray

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

Thomas Ray

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

The said Thomas Ray,

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

twentieth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty five, with force of arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one John Mc Donald, in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault and ~~in~~ the said John Mc Donald, with a certain knife

which the said Thomas Ray

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

with intent ~~in~~ the said John Mc Donald 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

Thomas Ray

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

The said Thomas Ray,

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

with a certain knife

which ~~in~~ the said Thomas Ray

in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0457

THIRD COUNT--

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment, further accuse the said  
*Thomas Ray*  
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Thomas Ray*,

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the day and in the year  
aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon the body  
of one *John McDonald*,

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and  
wrongfully make an assault, and *in* the said *John McDonald*,

in and upon the *chest, abdomen and arm* of *him* the  
said *John McDonald*, did then and there  
feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully strike, beat, *stab, cut*, bruise and wound,  
and did thereby then and there feloniously, wilfully and wrongfully inflict  
upon *him* the said *John McDonald*,  
grievous bodily harm, to the great damage of the said *John McDonald*,  
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace  
of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

0458

BOX:

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FOLDER:

1963

DESCRIPTION:

Crotty, Michael

DATE:

11/19/85



1963

Witnesses: *J. H. Carey*

Beliged effort to obtain  
space on the complain-  
ing witness of subpoenaed  
showing been made.  
The same not being  
successful, the defend-  
ant is discharged.  
Wm. March. 18. 1886.

*Asst. Prody*  
*and Dist. atty*

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Counsel, \_\_\_\_\_  
Filed *19* day of *Nov* 188*5*  
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE  
vs. *FB*  
*Michael Brody*  
*127 W. 27 St.*  
VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.  
[III, R. S., (7 Ed), page 1981, § 18, and Laws  
of 1883, Chap. 840, § 5].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
*D. 2 March 18. 1886 District Attorney.*  
*Bail discharged*  
A TRUE BILL.

*J. Carter Jr.*  
*Foreman.*  
*Wm. March 18. 1886*  
*and Dist. atty*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0459

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0460

Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

*Michael Broth* 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 *him*; that the statement is designed to  
enable h *him* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h *him*  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h *is* waiver cannot be used  
against h *him* on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer *Michael Broth*

Question. How old are you?

Answer *32 years old*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *127 West 27 about 1 year*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Liquor dealer*

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 and  
I demand a trial by jury  
in the Court of General Sessions*

*Michael Broth*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*Wm. J. Carter*

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0461

BAILED  
No. 1, by William J. Bennett  
Residence 119 Madison St.  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 5, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

John J. Bennett  
43 Hudson St.

Police Court  
District  
1257

THE PEOPLE, &c,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Edward W. Bennett  
115 West 25th St.  
Michael Bennett

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Offence Violation of the  
Excise Law

Dated Nov 13 1885

John J. Bennett Magistrate.  
John J. Bennett Officer.

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

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 Nov 13 1885 John J. Bennett Police Justice.

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

Dated Nov 13 1885 John J. Bennett Police Justice.

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

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 1885 \_\_\_\_\_ Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0462

District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Crotty

Excise

I consent that  
this case be re-  
mitted to Special  
Sessions - P.B.M.,  
March 8/86 -

off. General Lick  
16th

Per

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0463

Excise Violation-Selling Without License.

POLICE COURT-

DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York,

of No. 115 West 2<sup>nd</sup> St Edward M. Johnson Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 12<sup>th</sup> day  
of November 1888 in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at

No. 127 West 2<sup>nd</sup> St Street,  
Michael Brody (now here)

did then and THERESELL. CAUSE, suffer and permit 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 WITHOUT HAVING A  
PROPER LICENSE THEREFOR contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made  
and provided And the said Michael Brody, did

then and there sell to deponent a quantity  
of whiskey in a bottle and receive ten  
Cents from deponent in payment thereof

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said Michael Brody  
may be ~~arrested and~~ dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me, this 13<sup>th</sup> day  
of November 1888

Edward W Johnson

W J Johnson

Police Justice.

# 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 Rostky*

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

*Michael Rostky*

(III. Revised  
Statutes, [7th  
edition] p. 1981  
Section 13.)

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS AND WINES WITHOUT A LICENSE, committed as follows:

The said

*Michael Rostky*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *Three*, at the 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 a time, to *Edward W. Johnson, 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.

(Laws of 1883,  
chapter 340, sec-  
tion 5.)

## SECOND COUNT:

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

*Michael Rostky*

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, ALES, WINE AND BEER WITHOUT A LICENSE, to be drank upon the premises, committed as follows:

The said

*Michael Rostky*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, and at the premises there situate known as number *127* *West Twenty-seventh Street*, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain ales, wines and beer, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell to

certain persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, to be drank upon the premises aforesaid, without having a license therefor, as required by law, 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.

(Laws of 1883,  
chapter 840, sec-  
tion 5.)

THIRD COUNT:

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

— Michael Rottly —

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, ALES, WINE AND BEER, WITHOUT A LICENSE, to be drank upon the premises, committed as follows :

The said

Michael Rottly

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, and at the premises there situate, known as number 124

West Twenty seventh Street,

certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain ales, wine and beer, to wit : one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away to

certain — persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, to be drank upon the premises aforesaid, without having a license therefor, as required by law, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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BOX:

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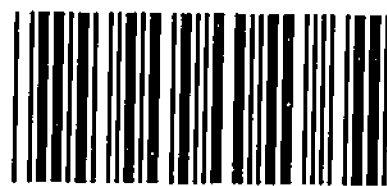
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DESCRIPTION:

Crotty, Thomas B.

DATE:

11/20/85



1963

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Witnesses

*J. J. Carley*

Diligent efforts having  
been made to obtain the  
service of subpoenaed on  
the witness, who purchased  
the liquor, where getting  
Complaints & Indictment  
are based, and as service can  
not be had, this defendant  
is discharged.

Wm. Mark (Sgt.)

*R. H. Hardy*  
West District

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Counsel, *Edw. M. G. Halland*  
Filed *20* day of *Nov* 188*5*  
Pleads *Not Guilty Verdict*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Edmond R. Crockett*  
*127 W. 27 St.*

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.  
[III, R. S., § 13, and Laws  
of 1883, Chap. 340, § 5].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*P. D. March 18. 1886*  
*Paul discharged*

*J. Carley Jr*  
Foreman.

*To G. W. 9th District*  
*Wm.*

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0468

Excise Violation-Selling Without License.

POLICE COURT-

2d

DISTRICT.

City and County } ss.  
of New York

of No.

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the

of

No.

did then and THERESELL, CAUSE, suffer and permit 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 WITHOUT HAVING A PROPER LICENSE THEREFOR contrary to and in violation of the statute in such case made and provided

Deponent saw defendant sell a pint of Beer.

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

Sworn to before me, this  
of

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0469

Sec. 192-200.

Qd

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK

*Thomas Blotchy* 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 *him*; that the statement is designed to  
enable h *him* if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against h *him*  
that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that h *is* waiver cannot be used  
against h *him* on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer

*Thomas Blotchy*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*49 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

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

Answer.

*127 West 24th Street. 10 years*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Liquor dealer*

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*  
*Thos. B. Blotchy*

Taken before me this

day of

*November*

188*9*

*1900*  
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0470

BAILED  
No. 1, by *Thomas B. Bailey*  
Residence *334 East 26 St.*  
No. 2, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 3, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_  
No. 4, by \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Police Court - *24* 1255  
District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
*Michael Bailey*  
*29 West 108 St.*  
*Thomas Blotchy*  
1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated *Nov 12* 188*5*  
*W. B. Bailey* Magistrate.  
*9* Precinct.  
Witnesses \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.  
No. *110* Street.  
*Michael Bailey*  
*154*

*Once Violation of the  
Excise Law*

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

*Thomas Blotchy*  
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 *Nov 12* 188*5* *W. B. Bailey* Police Justice.

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

Dated *Nov 12* 188*5* *W. B. Bailey* Police Justice.

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

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0471

District Attorney's Office.

PEOPLE

vs.

Thomas B. Crotty  
Excise

I consent that  
this case be re-  
mitted to Special  
Sessions, P.B.M.,  
March 8/86

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0472

Wm. Samuel Sessions

The People:

vs:  
Thomas B. Crotty.

Violates Game Law.

The undersigned authorizes Jacob M. C. Chasland atty &c. to appear in his behalf & plead to the above entitled indictment  
Wm. No. 24 53 Thomas B. Crotty

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0473

Emil Lassin  
The People.

at  
Thompson Crotty

Authorization to  
Hear

John M. Glendon  
of Council  
at 36 de an  
My

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ORIGINAL

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District Attorney's Office.

*Part Two*

PEOPLE

*Thos. J. O'Keefe*

*March 16*

*See map + file*

*advised*

*Com. sec. notified.*

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POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0475

# 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 P. Prothy*

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

*Thomas P. Prothy*

(III. Revised  
Statutes, [7th  
edition] p. 1981  
Section 13).

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS AND WINES  
WITHOUT A LICENSE, committed as follows:

The said

*Thomas P. Prothy*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *seventh*  
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
eighty *four* —, at the 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 a time, to

certain — 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.

(Laws of 1883,  
chapter 340, sec-  
tion 5.)

SECOND COUNT:

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

*Thomas P. Prothy*

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, ALES, WINE  
AND BEER WITHOUT A LICENSE, to be drank upon the premises, committed as follows:

The said

*Thomas P. Prothy*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at  
the City and County aforesaid, and at the premises there situate known as number *127*

*West Broadway - seventh Street,*

certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain ales, wines and beer, to wit: one gill of wine, one  
gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of  
bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a  
certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell to

certain — persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, to be drank  
upon the premises aforesaid, without having a license therefor, as required by law, 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.



(Laws of 1889,  
chapter 840, sec-  
tion 5.)

THIRD COUNT:

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

*Thomas D. Ruddy*

of the CRIME OF GIVING AWAY STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, ALES, WINE AND BEER, WITHOUT A LICENSE, to be drank upon the premises, committed as follows :

The said

*Thomas D. Ruddy*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards, to wit : on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, and at the premises there situate, known as number

*127 West Twenty seventh Street.*

certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain ales, wine and beer, to wit : one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did give away to

certain — persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, to be drank upon the premises aforesaid, without having a license therefor, as required by law, against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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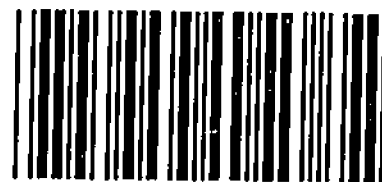
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DESCRIPTION:

Curran, James

DATE:

11/24/85



1963

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ORIGINAL

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Counsel,  
Filed 24<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1885  
Pleads Not Guilty (20)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

James R. Martin

Indorsed in the Third Degree,  
Sections 495, 506, 528, 531, 550.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. C. Carter  
Foreman

PA Dec. 8. 1885

Tried and acquitted

Witnesses:

Wm. J. Martin  
J. J. Gallagher

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0479

Police Court— District.

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

of No. 157 Bowery Henry J. Tillman Street, aged 41 years,  
occupation Merchant Tailor being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No 157 Bowery Street,  
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story brick  
building

and which was occupied by deponent as a Tailoring Establishment  
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking

a plate glass window in the store  
on ground floor of said premises

on the Monday day of Nov 1885 in the night time, and the  
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

One pair of Trousers, three  
vests, and the materials for four  
pairs of Trousers in all of  
the value of sixty Dollars  
Dependent

the property of Dependent  
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

for the reasons following, to wit:

Dependent securely locked  
and fastened the doors of said  
premises at 10 P.M. on said date  
said property being in the store  
window of said premises Dependent  
is informed by Officer Peters  
of the 14th Precinct  
that he Gallagher found a portion  
of said property in the possession

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of Defendant and which was  
identified by Deponent as a portion  
of the property which was taken  
from said premises.

Wherefore Deponent  
charges said Defendant with burglar-  
iously taking, stealing and carrying  
away said property.

Given to before me this  
19<sup>th</sup> day of November 1885. } H. J. Tillman  
J. J. [Signature]  
Police Justice

Police Court District.

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

Dated 188

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Committed in default of \$ Bail.

Bailed by

No. Street.

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0481

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, occupation \_\_\_\_\_

*14<sup>th</sup>* Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn deposes and

says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of

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

Sworn to before me, this

day of

19<sup>th</sup>  
188<sup>th</sup>

*Peter Gallagher*  
Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0482

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

10th District Police Court.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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

Answer.

Taken before me this  
day of

188

Police Justice.



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0483

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry D. Sullivan  
vs  
James Curran

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

1  
2  
3  
4

Offence

Burglary

Dated

188

Magistrate  
Officer.

Precinct.

Witnesses

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$

to answer

No.

Street.

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

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

Dated Nov 19th 188 Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0484

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 Furman*

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

*James Furman*

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

The said *James Furman*,

late of the *South* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *sixteenth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*five*, with force and arms, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *shop* of one

*Henry J. Selman,*

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

*Henry J. Selman,*

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

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SECOND COUNT—

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

*James Ruman*  
of the CRIME OF *Grand* LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *James Ruman*.

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

*one pair of trousers of the value of  
twelve dollars, three vests of the  
value of five dollars each, and  
sixteen pieces of cloth of the  
value of three dollars each  
piece,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Samuel J. Edman,*

in the *shop* of the said *Samuel J. Edman,*

there situate, then and there being found, *from the shop* 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.

**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL**

0486

THIRD COUNT—

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

*James Curran —*

of the CRIME OF CRIMINALLY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY, committed as follows:

The said *James Curran.*

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

*one pair of trousers of the value  
of twelve dollars, three vests of  
the value of five dollars each,  
and sixteen pieces of cloth of  
the value of three dollars  
each piece,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *Henry J. Tillman,*

by ~~a certain person~~ persons to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen, taken and carried away from the said *Henry J. Tillman,*

unlawfully and unjustly, did feloniously receive and have; the said *James Curran.*

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.

**RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,**

**District Attorney.**

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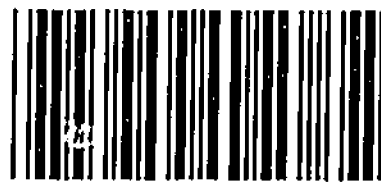
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DESCRIPTION:

Currie, David C.

DATE:

11/23/85



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FOLDER:

1963

DESCRIPTION:

Broderick, Edward

DATE:

11/23/85



1963

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ORIGINAL

0489

*J. A. [Signature]*  
Counsel,  
Filed  
23 day of  
1885  
Pleas, [Signature]

[Sections 224 and 225, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*David R. [Signature]*  
*141-30 [Signature]*  
*1878- [Signature]*  
*Edwards [Signature]*

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,  
P. 2 - Dec. 17, 1885 District Attorney.  
No. 1 S. P. 10 yoo.  
No. 2 S. P. 15 yoo.

A True Bill.

*[Signature]*  
Foreman.

P. 2 Dec. 9, 1885

Both tried and convicted  
Robt. 1 dg

16-  
17-  
18-

Witnesses:

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*



POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL

0490

Police Court

*J* District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

of No

*336 East 114<sup>th</sup> Street.*

being duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that on the

*14<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*November*

188*5*, at the

*12<sup>th</sup>*

Ward of the City of New York, in the County

of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, from the person of deponent by force and violence, without his consent and against his will, the FOLLOWING PROPERTY, VIZ:

*Five Dollars*

of the value of

*Five*

DOLLARS,

the property of

*Deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, by force and violence as aforesaid by

*David C. Curry and Edward Braderick*  
*(both now here) who seized hold of*  
*deponent as he was passing 117<sup>th</sup> St*  
*and carried deponent into the hallway*  
*of 302 E 114<sup>th</sup> St and then used*  
*there forcibly rifled deponent's pockets*  
*and stole and robbed deponent*  
*of said money. Deponent further*  
*says that while in said hallway*  
*the aforesaid Curry held his hand*  
*over deponent's mouth and threatened*  
*to choke him if he cried out for*  
*help.*

*George Rushbrook*

Sworn before me, this

day of

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*Edward Braderick*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss  
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

*Edward Broderick* 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

*Edward Broderick*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*41 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*NY*

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

Answer.

*187 St. 3 Ave. 8 months*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Boilermaker*

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.*

*Edward Broderick*

Taken before me this

day of

188

*Charles J. Smith*

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK, ss

*David C. Curry* 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

*David C. Curry*

Question. How old are you?

Answer

*39 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*US*

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

Answer.

*334 City. 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer

*Photographer*

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  
D. C. Curry.*

Taken before me this

day of

1938

Police Justice.

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

1276  
Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF  
George Washington  
1336 B.M. 117  
David W. Curry  
Edward Broderick  
Offence \_\_\_\_\_

Dated Nov 17 188  
Magistrate  
Officer  
Precinct.

Witnesses  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
to answer \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_

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

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of  
\$1000 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 17 188  
Police Justice.

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

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

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

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

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STATE OF NEW YORK.  
Executive Chamber,  
ALBANY.

November 9, 1938.

Sir:

Application for Executive clemency having been made on behalf  
of David C. Currie..... who was convicted of Robbery, 1st degree  
.....in the county of New York.....and sentenced December 17, 1885,  
to imprisonment in the Sing Sing Prison..... for the term of

I am directed by the Governor  
ten years.....  
respectfully to request that, in pursuance of Section 695 of the Code  
of Criminal Procedure, as amended in 1884, you will forward to him a  
concise statement of the facts and circumstances developed upon the  
trial, or upon the preliminary examination, or before the coroner's  
jury if no trial was had, together with your opinion of the merits of the  
application. Will you also inform the Governor of any other matters  
having a bearing upon this case which have come to your knowledge  
since conviction?

It is particularly requested that each letter of inquiry from  
the Executive Chamber should be separately answered.

I am,

very respectfully yours,

Hon. John R. Fellows,

District Attorney,

New York City.

*William G. Rice*  
Private Secretary.

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*Forwarded  
Jan 12<sup>th</sup> 89  
J. R. J.*



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## Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

David R. Purrie and  
Edward Broderick

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

David R. Purrie and Edward Broderick

of the CRIME OF ROBBERY in the *First* degree, committed as follows:

The said *David R. Purrie and Edward Broderick, each* —

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the  
*fourteenth* day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, in the ~~time of the said day~~, at the Ward, City  
and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *George Bushbridge*,

in the peace of the said People, then and there being, feloniously did make an assault, and  
one United States Treasury Note of the  
denomination and value of *five* dollars,  
one Bank Note of the denomination and  
value of *five* dollars, two United States  
Treasury Notes of the denomination  
and value of *five* ~~two~~ dollars each, *five*  
United States Treasury Notes of the  
denomination and value of one dollar each,  
and divers coins of a number, kind and  
denomination to the Grand Jury aforesaid  
unknown, of the value of *five* dollars, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of the said *George Bushbridge*,  
from the person of the said *George Bushbridge*, against the will,  
and by violence to the person of the said *George Bushbridge*,  
then and there violently and feloniously did rob, steal, take and carry away, (each of

them the said *David R. Purrie and Edward Broderick* being then and  
there aided by an accomplice  
actually present.)

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

*Randolph Martin,*  
District Attorney