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Donovan, Michael

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White, James

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Kate Alice
off James Lane
N. H. H. H. H.

Counsel,

Filed

Pleaded,

62
7 May 1886

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Donorian

James White

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

Dr May 16/86
B. R. H. filed Dr.

A True Bill.

William Van Hornes
Foreman

9 Mrs each Row

7/8

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Police Court— District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 154 Grand Street, aged 45 years,
occupation House Keeper being duly sworn.

deposes and says, that the premises No 154 Grand Street,
in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a three story and
basement brick building
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling
and in which there was at the time no human being, by name

were BURGLARIOUSLY entered by means of forcibly pushing
open a door in one of the rooms
of said premises

on the 3rd day of May 1886 in the day time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Three Blankets, two bed quilts
one feather pillow, two bed sheets
and two towels in all being
of the value of Eight
Dollars 8.00
100

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

Michael Moran and James White
(both now here)

for the reasons following, to wit: deponent is informed
by Paul Stolz, who rents the
said room from her as a furnished
room that at the hour of six
o'clock A.M. on the said date
he securely locked and fastened
the door of said room. At
about the hour of 10 o'clock am
on said date deponent saw

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the said defendants leaving
the said premises, each having
a bundle in his possession.
Deponer found the said room
had been forced open and
said property missing, following
the said defendants to a
~~clothing store~~ ^{clothing store} on Marion St and
saw them enter therein. Deponer
is further informed by Mary
Leguan her present that the
said defendants came into her
clothing store with the said property
in their possession and offered
to sell it to said Mary Leguan.
Said Mary refused to buy the property
and had ordered the defendants out
of her store when deponer entered.
Deponer having seen the said
property in the said store and
having identified the same charges
the said defendants with burglar-
iously taking, stealing, and
carrying away the aforesaid
property.

Sum to before me } Kate Alice
this 4th day of May 1886 }
Deputy

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Degree.

28.

Burglary

Dated

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Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses:

Police Justice

Committed in default of \$

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 48 years, occupation House Keeper of No.

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

Sworn to before me this

day of

May 1886

May Reynier

John Patterson

Police Justice.

CITY AND COUNTY }
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

aged 24 years, occupation Housekeeper of No.

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

Sworn to before me this

day of

May 1886

Paul Hoby

John Patterson

Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, } ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

Michael Sonoran

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

28 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Wales

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

Answer.

88 Roosevelt, 1 year

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Shoe maker

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
M. B. Donovan

Taken before me this

day of

1886

John J. Donovan
Police Justice.

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Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY { ss
OF NEW YORK,

District Police Court.

James White 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.

I am not guilty-

James White.

Taken before me this

day of

1886

James White

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

164th
District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

vs. THE COMPLAINT OF

John Miller

154th Street

Michael J. Conroy

James Conroy

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Offence

May 4

1886

CLERK

James Conroy

Witnesses

Paul O'Leary

1st Precinct

No. 154

Theresa

Street.

No. 164

Mary O'Leary

Street.

No. 154

Samuel G. S.

Street.

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 Michael

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 May 4 1886 James Conroy Police Justice.

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

Dated May 4 1886 James Conroy Police Justice.

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

Dated May 4 1886 James Conroy Police Justice.

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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 Donovan
and *James White*

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

Michael Donovan and James White
of the CRIME OF BURGLARY IN THE *third* DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said *Michael Donovan and James White*
White, doth -

late of the *Fountain* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York
aforesaid, on the - *third* - day of *May* - , in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty- *nine* , with force and arms, about the
hour of *ten* - o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of one *State Office,* -

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

~~within the said dwelling house,~~ with intent to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels
and personal property of the said *State Office,* -

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,

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SECOND COUNT—

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

Michael Donovan and James White
Petix
of the CRIME OF ~~GRAND LARCENY~~ ~~IN THE~~ ~~SECOND~~ committed as follows :

The said *Michael Donovan and James White, each* —

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 *day* time of the said day, with force and arms,

three gold coins of the value of one dollar each, two red quills of the value of one dollar each, one quill of the value of two dollars, two red sheets of the value of fifty cents each, and two bonds of the value of twenty five cents each.

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one *State Allie*, —

in the dwelling house of the said *State Allie*, —

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

Randolph B. Martin,
District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Doody, David

DATE:

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Counsel, *H.R. May*
Filed *18* day of *May* 1886
Pleads *With July 19.*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
R
David Doody
ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, ETC.
(Sections 217 and 218, Penal Code).

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
May 28 1886 District Attorney.
Discharged on his own
A True Bill. *Recognized*
William H. Larnacher
May 28 1886 Foreman.
May 27 1886
W.G.S.W.

Witnesses:
John Haggerty
Wm. William M. Conner
6th Precinct

after reading the
within affidavit of
complainant, took
that the prisoner be
discharged on his own
recognizance
May 28 1886 G. S. D.
A.D.A.

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Court of General Sessions

New York County

.....

The People

vs.

David Doody

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City and County of New York ss:

Thomas Miller being duly sworn saith: I am and have been
for the last ~~sixteen~~ ^{and a half} years the ~~Chief Engineer~~ ^{and a half} in the New York
Life Insurance Company in this City. I have known the def-
endant David Doody, for the last fifteen years, during ~~three~~ ^{half} ~~years~~
of which I have seen defendant daily, he having been employed
by the Company in the capacity of ~~General Worker~~ ^{and a half}. The defendant
was always a peaceable, quiet, orderly young man and extremely
good-natured. I would be glad to give him a position at
once if he be discharged under the present indictment.

Sworn to before me this

28th day of May, 1886.

Thos. Miller
Rudolph Schauf
Court of Deeds
N. Y. City & Co.

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Court of General Sessions

New York County

The People

vs.

David Doody

City and County of New York ss:

John Haggerty being duly sworn saith, I am the complainant herein. The defendant and I have been friends for the last *fifteen* years and I am anxious not to prosecute or press the present indictment against him. I consider I was as much to blame as the defendant was on the occasion when I was cut. We were both intoxicated; I had given him great provocation, and the cut which I received was a mere scratch which caused me in reality no injury; I was not laid up from the same, nor did I lose a days' work.

Sworn to before me this

28th day of May, 1886.

Rudolph L. Schaff
Cour. of Deeds
N.Y. City & Co.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Police Court—First District.

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

of No. 12 Beach Street, aged 27 years,

occupation Truck Driver being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 9th day of May 1888 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by

David Doody (now here)

who did wilfully cut and stab
deponent on the right shoulder—
with the blade of a Butcher Knife
then and there held in his defendant's
hands and said assault was
committed

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

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

Sworn to before me, this

of

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J. M. Patterson

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

David Doody 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.

David Doody

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.

191 Canal Street 18 months

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Laborer

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

Answer.

I am not guilty I was assaulted
by the complainant and three other men
~~and the complainant~~ and I was cut
on the face with a knife and I acted
in self defense

David Doody

Taken before me this

day of

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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.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

John H. Smith
12 York St
David Dody
Offence *Felony Assault*



Offence

Dated _____ 188

W. H. Smith
Magistrate
Wm. H. Smith
Officer.

6 Precinct.

Witnesses

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

No. _____ Street _____

\$ *1500.* to answer

E. J. 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 *David Dody*

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of *Fifteen* 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 *May 9th* 188 *W. H. 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.

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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

David Reedy

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

David Reedy

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

The said

David

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

— ninth — day of — May — 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 Reedy

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault

and ~~him~~ the said John

with a certain knife

which the said David

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 ~~him~~ the said John

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

David Reedy

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

The said

David

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 Reedy

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

with a certain knife

which ~~he~~ the said David

in ~~his~~ right hand then and there had and held, the same being an

instrument likely to produce grievous bodily harm, then and

there feloniously did wilfully and wrongfully beat, strike, stab, cut and wound,

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

Randolph B. Martin

District Attorney

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DESCRIPTION:

Dorgan, Annie

DATE:

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Witnesses:

off Thomas Kennan
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Counsel, *Edw. H. Hillard*
Filed *10* day of *May* 188*6*
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Annie Dorgan

PETIT LARCENY.
[Sections 528, 532, Penal Code].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Per Ver of R. District Attorney.

Ind. & acquitted.

A True Bill.

John Van Buren Lamm.

Foreman.

Nov 5th
G.S.A.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0574

Police Court Second District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 321 Sixth Avenue Street, aged 26 years,
occupation Special officer being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 30th day of April 1886 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 Jersey of the value of two and
98/100 dollars

the property of Hugh Quil and Company in the
care and charge of deponent as officer

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 Annie Dorgan Bernheim

from the fact that deponent saw said
defendant take and carry away
said property from a counter in said
premises at about 4 o'clock P.M. on said
day and concealed it under her shawl

Thomas Kuny

Sworn to before me, this

day,

1886

of Thomas Kuny
Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
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0575

POLICE COURT 2^d DISTRICT.

City and County of New York, ss.:

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Annie Dorgan

On Complaint of

For

Thomas Kenny
Larceny

demand

After being informed of my rights under the law, I hereby ~~wave~~ ^{waive} a trial, by Jury, on this complaint, and ~~demand~~ ^{waive} 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 May 11th 1886

Annie Dorgan

Alfred J. Barry
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198—200.

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District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Annie Dorgan

Question. How old are you?

Answer

27 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

Washington D.C.

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

Answer.

2457 Bleeker Street. 2 years

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Keep House

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 guilty

Annie Dorgan

Taken before me this

24th

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Police Justice.

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ORIGINAL

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BAILED,
No. 1, by James Henry
Residence 84 Baiter St. Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court 22 District 640

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Henry

321 1st Street

James Henry

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Offence Larceny

May 1

1886

Magistrate

Henry

Officer

321 1st Street

321 1st Street

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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 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 May 1 1886 Henry Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named defendant

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated May 1 1886 Henry 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 _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Annie Doran

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

Annie Doran

of the CRIME OF PETIT LARCENY, committed as follows:

The said *Annie Doran*.

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

*one article of female wearing
apparel of the kind commonly
called 'sweater', of the value of
two dollars and ninety eight
cents.*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Hugh O'Neill,

then and there being found, then and there unlawfully 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 P. Martin,
District Attorney.*

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DESCRIPTION:

Dougherty, James

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Wm. P. Morgan
14 Dec 1886

Counsel,

Filed, 24 day of May 1886

Pleads, *Mich. 1886*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

James Dougherty
130 West
Feb 27/86

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.
(Keeping Open on Sunday.)
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1089, Sec. 5].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dr. Wm. P. Morgan
District Attorney.

and to the effect of the
you shall not consent
A True Bill.

Martin W. Conner
Foreman.

H. G. S. D.

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 Donaghey

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

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 *James Donaghey*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *Twenty second*
day of *February*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*five*, 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 a certain place there
situate which 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 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:

Dow, Charles Jr.

DATE:

05/05/86



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B.W. June 4/86

John B.

Counsel,

Filed 5th day of May 1886

Pleads *Not guilty*. June 9/86.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Charles Dow Jr.

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

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

F. J. Gurnea

A True Bill.

Victor J. Borenman

Boreman.

F. J. Gurnea

Witnesses:

Edwin B. Higgins

Off. Michaelis Kelly

2nd District Court

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0584

Police Court—2 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 315 West 35th Street, aged 40 years,

occupation Wood Turner being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on 15th day of April 1886 at the City of New

York, in the County of New York, in front of deponent's residence

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Charles Dow

who willfully and maliciously cut and

stabbed deponent on the forehead over

the left eye with a pocket knife

which he the said Charles Dow

then and there held in his hand

cutting deponent severely

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

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

Sworn before me, this 16th day }
of April 1886 }

Melvin B. Apgar

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0585

Police Justice

188 }
and
still am arrested around

for the above assault, etc., and dealt with according to law.

Wherefore I pray that the said assault may be apprehended and bound to answer
and I pray that the said assault may be apprehended and bound to answer
and I pray that the said assault may be apprehended and bound to answer

Police Justice

Dated 188

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

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

Police Justice

Dated 188

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

Police Justice

Dated 188

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.

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

to answer General Sessions

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0586

Sec. 198-200.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, ss

2 District Police Court.

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

Question What is your name?

Answer

Charles Dow

Question. How old are you?

Answer

18 years old

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York city

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

Answer.

437. 10th ave. About 2 years.

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer

Tallyman

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

Answer.

I am not guilty I did
not have a knife or any other
sharp instrument in my hand
the complainant struck me
first and I struck him with
my fist in self defense.

Chas. Dowfr.

Taken before me this
day of 11 1888

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0587

Sec. 151.

2 District Police Court.

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

Whereas, Complaint in writing, and upon oath, has been made before the undersigned, one of the Police
Justices for the City of New York, by Melvin B. O'Keefe
of No. 157 Street, that on the 15th day of April
1886, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

and feloniously Charles D. O'Keefe
he was violently Assaulted and Beaten by

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

These are, Therefore, in the name of the PEOPLE of the State of New York, to command you the said
Sheriff, Marshals and Policemen, and each and every of you, to apprehend the said Defendant and bring him
forthwith before me, at the 2 DISTRICT POLICE COURT, in the said City, or in case of my absence
or inability to act, before the nearest or most accessible Police Justice in this City, to answer the said charge, and to
be dealt with according to law.

Dated at the City of New York, this 16th day of April, 1886

[Signature]
POLICE JUSTICE.

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

vs.

Warrant-A. & B.

Dated

April 16, 1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

The Defendant Charles D. O'Keefe

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

Officer.

Dated

188

This Warrant may be executed on Sunday or at
night.

Police Justice.

REMARKS.

Time of Arrest, March 19th

Native of 22nd

Age, 48

Sex

Complexion,

Color White

Profession, Clay

Married

Single, Yes

Read, Yes

Write, Yes

307 1st Ave

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0588

BAILED,

No. 1, by

John E. Kennedy
Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

John E. Kennedy
626 West 34th St.

No. 3, by

Residence

Street

No. 4, by

Residence

Street

Police Court District 369

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Melvin B. Chapman

308 W. 34th St.
Charles J. Jones

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Offence

Voluntary Assault

Dated

April 17th

1886

Magistrate

M. Kelly

Officer

Witnesses

Martha H. Jones

Precinct

No. 308 W. 34th St.

Charles J. Jones

Street

No. Street

Charles J. Jones

Street

No. Street

Charles J. Jones

Street

No. Street

Charles J. Jones

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

Charles Jones

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 *April 17* 1886 *John E. Kennedy* Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named *Defendant*

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated *April 17* 1886 *John E. Kennedy* 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 _____ 1886 _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0589

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Charles Don the negro

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

Charles Don the negro

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

The said *Charles*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
21st day of *April*, — in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, with force of arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *William B. Ayer*,
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and *injure* the said *William*, —
with a certain *knife* —

which the said *Charles* —
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 *injure* the said *William*, —
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

Charles Don the negro —

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

The said *Charles*

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 *William B. Ayer*, —
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make an assault, and *injure* the said *William*, —

with a certain *knife* —

which *he* the said *Charles* —
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

0590

THIRD COUNT---

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

The said *Rhader*.

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 *Melvin B. Ayer*.

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

Melvin B. Ayer.

in and upon the *head* of *him* the
said *Melvin*.

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 *Melvin*.

grievous bodily harm, to the great damage of the said *Melvin*,
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.

0591

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2152

DESCRIPTION:

Dressler, Frederick A.

DATE:

05/10/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0592

Witnesses:

Henry Hayes
off John A. Brown
1st Secant

Counsel,

Filed 10 day of May 1886.

Pleads Acquitted (111)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Assault in the Second Degree.
(Section 218, Penal Code.)

Frederick A. Dressler

H. D.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. B. Martine
Foreman.

W. B. Martine
Foreman.

S. P. 2 1/2 - 4 years.

0593

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

deposes and says, that on 6 day of May 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, _____

Fredrick H. Dressler (nowhere)
who aimed a Revolving pistol
at deponent.

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

J. Keger

John Kinnear Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0594

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Frederick A. Dresser 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. *Frederick A. Dresser*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Germany*

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

Answer. *I am a seaman.*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Seaman*

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*

E. A. Isidor

Taken before me this

day of *May* 188*6*

John J. Conner Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0595

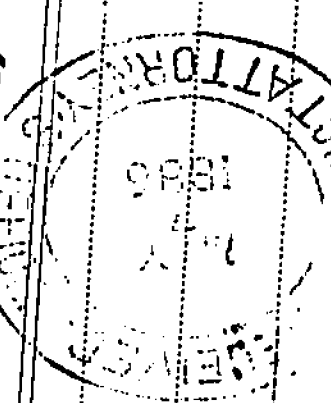
Witness - Henry Hayes
deposited \$100 - within
of bail by order of Court
May 10/86

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court - 1 District. 661

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry Hayes
213 West 14th St.
New York



Offence *fel. assault*

Date *May 9* 188*6*

John A. Stewart
Magistrate.

John A. Stewart
Officer.

Witnesses
Henry Hayes
John A. Stewart
Precinct.

No. _____
Street _____

No. _____
Street _____
\$ *1500* to answer

Henry Hayes

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

Henry Hayes
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 *May 9* 188*6* *John A. Stewart* Police Justice.

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

Dated _____ 188*6* _____ 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*6* _____ Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0596

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, 1st DISTRICT.

I, the 1st Precinct Police Street, aged 24 years,
occupation Police officer, being duly sworn deposes and says
that on the 7 day of May 1886

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Henry Meyer
(nowhere) is a Notarial Justice
for the people of the State of New York
against Michael A. Driscoll
Charged with felonious assault.
Deponent fears that said Meyer
will not appear to testify when
required, therefore deponent prays
that said Meyer may be
committed to the House of detention.

J. John O'Donnell

Sworn to before me, this
of May 1886 day

John J. O'Donnell
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0597

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frederick A. Drexler

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

Frederick A. Drexler

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

The said *Frederick A. Drexler*,

late of the City and County of New York, on the *ninth* day of
May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty *nine*, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon one

Henry Meyers,

in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make an assault; and the said *Frederick A. Drexler*,
he, at and against him the said *Henry*
Meyers, a certain pistol then and there
with a certain *discharged and loaded* which in the said
gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which
said pistol the said *Frederick A. Drexler*
in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a
weapon — likely to produce grievous bodily harm,

the said *aim, point and present, with intent*
did wilfully and wrongfully *strike, beat, bruise and wound,*
against the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace
of the People of the State of New York and their dignity.

Randolph B. Machine,
District Attorney

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BOX:

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FOLDER:

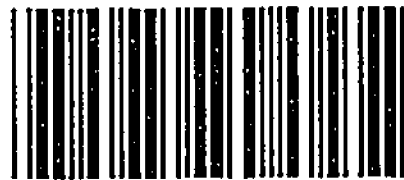
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DESCRIPTION:

Drugan, Vincent

DATE:

05/25/86



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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Witnesses:

And you appear

Jack Cunningham

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Counsel,

Filed *25* day of *May* 188*6*

Pleads

Grand Larceny 2nd degree
[Sections 528, 531, Penal Code]

THE PEOPLE

vs. John

R

Vincent Dragan
(2 cases)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Dr. J. H. 377/2 District Attorney.

Wells *gilly* *vs.*

A True Bill.

John H. Cunningham

Foreman.

Ed. H. 377/2

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0500

Police Court—

District.

Affidavit—Larceny.

City and County } ss.
of New York,

of No. 66 North Moore Street, aged 22 years,

occupation Truckman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 9th day of April 1886 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz :

Good and lawful money
of the United States of the
amount and value of seventy-six
Dollars and a double-open
gold watch valued at Fifty
Dollars the whole being of the amount
and value of seventy six Dollars 76 00 100

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 Vincent Dragan (now here)

for the reasons following to wit: said
defendant was employed by
deponent as driver of a coal
wagon, and as such driver
collected twenty dollars of the
said money and appropriated
the same to his own use. The
said watch and six dollars was
in a pocket of deponent's vest
in deponent's room and having
missed said property the
said defendant sent the said
deponent a pawn ticket represent-
ing the said watch and five

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April 1886 at New York City.
Notary Public for New York City.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0601

the further fact that said de-
fendant confesses in open court
to having taken, stolen, and
carried away the aforesaid prop-
erty. Wherefore defendant charges
the said defendant with the
larceny thereof.

Subscribed before me } William C. Vally
this 23rd day of May
Dated & Signed 1886

Police Justice

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0502

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Vincent Druggan 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.

Vincent Druggan

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

23 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

New York City

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

Answer.

53 Hudson St. 3 years

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer.

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 guilty of the charge
Vincent Druggan

Taken before me this

day of

May

188*6*

at 23

at 23

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Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0603

BAILED,
No. 1, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____
Street _____

Police Court _____ District. **729**
THE PEOPLE, &c.,
BY THE COMPLAINT OF
William Kelly
Set North Street
Michael J. Morgan
Dated *May 23* 188 *6*
Offence _____
Witnesses _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
No. _____ Street _____
\$ *15.00* to answer *48* Street _____
Precinct. *5th*
Magistrate. *Wilbur J. Morgan*

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 *Fifteen* 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 *May 23* 188 *6* _____ 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

0604

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Vincent Dragan

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse *Vincent Dragan* — of the CRIME OF *Exit* LARCENY, — committed as follows :

The said *Vincent Dragan*,

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *ninth* day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*nine*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, being then and there the clerk and servant of *William Hall* —

and as such clerk and servant then and there having in his possession, custody and control certain moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said

William Hall — the true owner thereof, to wit: *the sum of twenty dollars in money, lawful money of the United States, and of the value of twenty dollars.*

the said *Vincent Dragan*, — afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, did feloniously appropriate the said *sum of money* —

to his own use, with intent to deprive and defraud the said

William Hall — of the same, and of the use and benefit thereof; and the same moneys, goods, chattels and personal property of the said *William Hall* —

did then and there and thereby feloniously steal, 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.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

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Witnesses :

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Counsel, _____
Filed 25 day of May 1886
Pleads _____

THE PEOPLE
vs.
Vincent Dugan
(2 cases)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

Richard W. Connolly

Foreman.

[Section 528 and 532 of the Penal Code].
Larceny, —
(APPROPRIATION.)

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POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0606

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

against

Vincent D'Amico

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

- Vincent D'Amico -

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

The said *Vincent D'Amico*

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

one watch of the value of fifty

dollars, and the sum of six

dollars in money, lawful money

of the United States, and of the

value of six dollars, —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

William Hall.

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

Randolph Martin,
District Attorney.

0607

BOX:

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FOLDER:

2152

DESCRIPTION:

Dubiaso, Frank

DATE:

05/13/86



2152

Witnesses:

George Grant

Off William Wenger

8th Ward

This case has been pending since May 1880. Shortly after the indictment was found the complainant and the only other eye-witness of the alleged assault disappeared, and we have no means of ascertaining their present whereabouts.

In the absence of any evidence to sustain the charge we recommend that the defendant be discharged on his own recognizance.

October 23, 1892

Just B. Anderson
I ask that the defendant be discharged on his own recognizance. *W. B. A.*

Counsel,

Filed 13 day of May 1886

Pleads

Not guilty (17)

THE PEOPLE

vs.

B

Frank Duizano

Complainant & witness of assault on defendant
not found, hence no case
should be heard
May 16/87

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

William T. Carruth

Foreman.

W. W. May 1892
Sept 3, 1892
H. B. A. discharged

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0600

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

0509

Police Court—2 District.

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

of No. 69 East Houston Street, aged 37 years,
occupation Stableman being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 4th day of April 1886 at the City of New
York, in the County of New York, in 139 South 5th Avenue,

he was violently and feloniously ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Frank Dubiaso

(now here) who willfully and maliciously
cut and stabbed deponent in the left
arm with a sheath knife which he
the said Frank then and then held
in his hand cutting deponent severely

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 5 day
of April 1886

W. J. Smith Police Justice.

George Prant
his
Mark

POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL

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Sec. 198-200.

2 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

Frank Dubiaso

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

Question What is your name?

Answer *Frank Dubiaso*

Question How old are you?

Answer *31 years old*

Question Where were you born?

Answer *Italy*

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

Answer *72 Sullivan St 2 years*

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer *Laborer*

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. there were
three men against me and I
struck in self defense.*

his
Frank X Dubiaso
Mark.

Taken before me this

day of

March

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at

Police Justice.

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BAILED,
No. 1, by E. S. Thompson
Residence 7th Ave Street.
No. 2, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 3, by _____
Residence _____ Street.
No. 4, by _____
Residence _____ Street.

Police Court District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

George Frank
leg & Co. Merchants

Frank & Co. Merchants

APR 8 1886
CLERK'S OFFICE

Offence Felony
Assault

Dated April 5 1886

Wm. H. H. H. Magistrate

Wm. H. H. H. Officer

Witnesses Frank Collins

No. 133 South 5th Street

No. _____ Street

No. _____ Street

Wm. H. H. to answer

Frank Collins
Frank Collins

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

defendant

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

Dated April 5 1886 Wm. H. H. Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named defendant

to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated April 5 1886 Wm. H. H. 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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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Frank A. Duane

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

Frank A. Duane
of the CRIME OF ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, committed as follows:

The said

Frank A. Duane

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
fourth day of *April*, — in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, with force of arms, at the City and
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of one *George Brent*, —
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did make an assault
and *in* the said *George Brent*, —
with a certain *knife* —

which the said

Frank A. Duane, —

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 *George Brent*, —

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

Frank A. Duane —

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

The said

Frank A. Duane

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 *George Brent*, —
in the peace of the said People then and there being, feloniously did wilfully and
wrongfully make an assault, and *in* the said *George Brent*, —

with a certain

knife —

which

he the said *Frank A. Duane*, —

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

Randolph B. Smith,
D. Dist. Attorney

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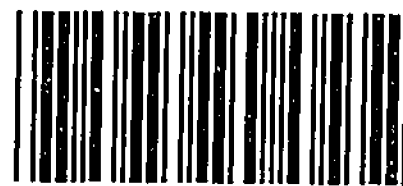
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Dunn, John

DATE:

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DESCRIPTION:

O'Brien, Thomas

DATE:

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Witnesses:

Matthew Sanders
George Brown
Off. Nos. J. N. C. L. 187
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Counsel, *Keller*
Filed *May 17* 1886
Pleads *May 17/10.*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Dunn
and *R*

Thomas O'Brien
NW

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

May 14/10. District Attorney.

(Recd)
Spec. Com. of R. 3 day

A True Bill.

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William Van Buren
Foreman

May 14th
1886

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The People

vs.

John Dunn and
Thomas O'Brien.

Court of General Sessions, Part I.

Before Judge Cowing.

May 14, 1886.

Indictment for burglary in the third degree.

Mathew S. Chambers sworn and examined. I live 151 East 18th Street, my place of business is 223 East 20th Street; on the 11th of April I left at half past one o'clock, Sunday and everything was secured by myself, I went to my place of business early on Monday morning about a quarter past seven, I went in my office, opened my door with a private key and found that the book-keepers desk had been pried open and three boards taken out behind my private desk which evidently had been opened from the next building adjoining me and my money drawer was emptied of the contents, \$66.44 which belonged to my firm.

Cross Examined. . . Dunn was in my employ on Sunday the 11th of April; it was not a portion of his duties to attend to feeding the horses, he was peremptorily forbidden to come to the premises on Sunday, he was in my employ about four weeks before this as a driver. I have a man named Harry J. Wrighter in my employ. My place of business is 229 East 20th St., I think Harry's residence is in 8th Avenue, Harry had charge of the stables and it was his duty to see that the horses were fed, I had no dispute with the defendant Dunn but I was not pleased with the way he conducted himself. He came into my employ as a driver on the 16th of March and on Sunday the 23rd of March I was at my office as usual for two or three hours and about half past two I was writing a letter and heard the spring of the door snap and found this Dunn in there, I asked him what he

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was doing, he looked a little confused but answered promptly that he came down to feed the horses. I told him I gave orders for him not to come there Sunday and told him to go right home, I had occasion to rebuke him several times for driving too rapidly. Dunn has collected money from our customers and I learn since he left that they paid amounts which were not returned to us.

George Brown sworn. I am Superintendent of the Erie Preserving Company. I was on the premises 227 East 20th Street which is in the rear of 223 on Sunday 11th of April. The prisoner Dunn came to me about six o'clock and asked me to allow him to pass through my stable to feed Mr Chambers's horse, he had passed through going upstairs when this boy O'Brien and another boy who has not been arrested went through my door leaving it ajar. I passed the remark to these two boys, this is no public thoroughfare, I do not allow you to go through when the answer was, we are going with Dunn; this boy had been along with him in the week time, working for Mr. Chambers, I knew them both and that is the reason I allowed them to pass through my stable. They remained in one hour at the very least which I thought was too long, I came down on several occasions and did not go into 223 but went back into my own stable thinking that they were doing something wrong but I did not hear them at all; after I had gone upstairs I heard them going through my stable again. There is a wooden partition separating this room where the desk was from the room I permitted them to go in. (The witness described the diagram of the Jurya .) On this specific Sunday, April 11 did you permit any person or persons to have access to these

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premises other than these two men and the third party who was with them? No sir.

Cross Examined. No one entered my premises from the time that they entered after six o'clock at night but my wife. I saw nobody break and enter Mr Chambers's premises. Something would have to be broken for anybody to have entered during the night and there was no outside locks broken. - only the partition, the partition runs from the top to the bottom of the two floors. I surmised that these persons broke the partition because they were in there an hour; nobody else entered those premises that day or before Mr Chambers called on me on the following morning. The reason I let the boys in was because they were in the employ of Mr Chambers, I did not know that Mr Chambers forbade them going there on Sunday.

Thomas J. McCarty sworn. I belong to the 18th precinct, the burglary was not reported to me on the 17th of April, I made the arrest of Dunn on the 29th of April on the corner of 20th Street and Second Avenue, he was with another young fellow there. At that time he denied this burglary, I told him what he was arrested for and going to court the next morning he wanted to know how much he would be liable to get for it, I told him he would be liable to get a year or two, he claimed he was arrested twice before and got out of it for burglary but I had him right this time, I told him Mr Chambers claimed to have lost \$66, I did not know until after the affidavit was made, he claimed it was wrong, that he only got \$37 or \$39. The other man was arrested sometime after, the 4th of May.

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Cross Examined. A portion of this conversation was going down to court on a Second Avenue car, there was a few people on the front platform but I have no witnesses to the conversation. The conversation where he said I had him right occurred on the car but the conversation about the loss of the money was after he was committed for trial I was taking him down stairs to prison and I made the remark I did not think it was \$66, I thought up to that time it was six or seven dollars.. He claimed he was innocent of the other two cases of burglary; he said, I beat the other two but I was innocent but he said, you are right in this thing - giving me to understand he broke into this place. Mr. Chambers when he told me about the burglary did not mention what amount of money was stolen. Some of his friends jumped on the car at 28th Street, five or six, they were pretty tough looking fellows; when they saw the cuffs on him, I think one of them was his brother, you son of a bitch you have got them on you at last. The prisoner told me it was his brother said that; both his brother and himself were laughing.

The Case for the Defence.

Olo Olsen sworn. I am a framer and live at 333 East 69th Street, I have known Dunn about eight years he was in my employ about twelve months and as far as I know his general character for honesty was good.

Margaret Dunn sworn. I am the mother of the prisoner and live at 217 East 26th Street, I know he worked for Mr. Chambers and that for two summers he worked for the Croton Lake Ice Company.

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John Dunn sworn. I was in the employ of Mr Chambers on the Sunday that I am accused of breaking into those premises and stealing \$66. About five o'clock in the afternoon another young fellow and myself went up in 29th Street and I said to him, come on down till I feed the horses, they have not had anything since morning; the men always go there Sunday morning to wash their wagons and Mr Chambers directed me to wash my wagon. I rapped at the door for Mr Borwn to let me in, he came down and opened the door and I walked in through the stable and went into Mr Chambers's stable that had just been partitioned off with brick, I fed the horses and cleaned my own horse, there were two young men with me; it took me about three-quarters of an hour to do this and then we walked out; that is all I know about it, I never went up into the loft, I did not go near Mr Chambers's office nor did the other two that were with me, they were standing by the wall and did not leave my presence. I never took a cent from Mr Chambers, I always turned in everything I got to Mr Chambers, you could not keep the money because there is a certain route of customers and you have to go there every morning; this was bottled beer business. I went to feed the horse this Sunday to oblige Harry who lives on Eighth Avenue. Mr Chambers's place is 223 East 20th Street and I live 217 East 26th Street. When the officer arrested me that night on the corner of 20th Street I went down to see a young fellow that works in Mr Chambers's to get a suit of oil skin; the detective said, aint your name Dunn? I said no sir, my name is not Dunn. He said, yes it is and I said, yes that is my name, what

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do you want me for? He said, a little bit of business up the street; we went down to the Station House and I was charged with burglary. Mr. Chambers came down half an hour afterwards and said I was the young man that worked for him. In the morning I was going up to Court and the detectives said, they have got you pretty tight. I said do you think they can do anything for suspicion like that? He said, I don't know, it looks pretty bad right against you. I said, I don't know nothing about it, I can't tell that, how things point to me. That was all the conversation I had with him until after my examination. He says to me, there was \$66 taken, I said he must be crazy to think ~~that~~ I would take \$66 off him, I never could go into his office in the first place and I did not know he kept money in the office, I did not say anything about \$37 or \$39, I never acknowledged that I took anything. I signed my name to a paper before the Police Justice. I deny that I told the officer that I was guilty of other offences. I acknowledge being arrested once before for assault and was discharged in 37th Street and once on another time I was arrested on suspicion of burglary in a liquor store in 29th Street; they found out the man who done it, there was some whiskey taken and it was taken by a bar-tender named Mike Speller and I was discharged. I never served any sentence and was perfectly innocent in those cases.

Cross Examined. I did not know that Mr. Chambers had discharged O'Brien on April 10th. I went to Mr. Chambers's place this Sunday to feed the horses in order to oblige Harry A.

The Jury rendered a verdict of guilty of burglary in the third degree.

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*Testimony in the case
of
John Dunn & Thos.
O'Brien*

*filed May
1886*

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

POLICE COURT, DISTRICT.

Matthew S. Chambers
of No. 157 East 18th Street, aged 50 years,
occupation *Battery Estimator* being duly sworn deposes and says,
that on the 5th day of May 1886
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, *He* has seen
Thomas O'Brien (nowhere). And
that said Thomas O'Brien
is one of the persons mentioned
in deponent's affidavit of the
1st day of May 1886, as one ^{of two} unknown
persons. That said affidavit
charge deponent with the
crime of burglary.

M. S. Chambers

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.
OF NEW YORK,

George Brown
aged 38 years, occupation *Superintendent* of No.

H. Garden Row Street, being duly sworn deposes and
says, that he has heard read the foregoing affidavit of *Matthew S. Chambers*
and that the facts stated therein on information of deponent are true of deponents' own
knowledge.

Sworn to before me, this
day of May 1886

Geo. Brown

Henry H. Brown
Police Justice.

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Police Court—11 District.

City and County } ss.:
of New York,

of No. 151 East 18th Street, aged 50 years,
occupation Merchant being duly sworn

deposes and says, that the premises No. 223 East 20 Street, 18th Ward

in the City and County aforesaid the said being a rear building used
as an office and bottling establishment
and which was occupied by deponent as a office and bottling establishment
~~and in which there was at the time a human being, by name~~

were **BURGLARIOUSLY** entered by means of forcibly breaking a
partition dividing said office with
a lock of said premises

on the 11th or 12th day of April 1888 in the night time, and the
following property feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away, viz:

Sixty six dollars

the property of Matthew S. Chambers ~~and~~ Solomon G. Buckley

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

John D. Dunn, Thomas O'Brien ~~and~~ one other person
not arrested and of whom deponent is unknown

for the reasons following, to wit: that upon said 11th day of
April deponent visited said office in
said premises and found the same
properly secured and the partition
was broken, that deponent again
visited said premises on said 12th
day of April and found said
premises broken as described and
said amount of money missing therefrom

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Deponent further says that he is informed by George Brown of 44 Garden Row (West 11th Street) that on the said 11th day of April at about the hour of 6 P.M. said Dunn asked permission to pass through his (Brown's) stable stating that "he wanted to feed Chambers' horses" and that at the time said Dunn was in company with said two other persons and that he (Brown) did give said Dunn and his companions permission to pass through his stable which appears correct and that said Dunn and his companions remained in said premises about one hour. Deponent now says that said Dunn or his companions had no right or excuse to be in said premises on said date nor did he have any right or excuse to feed any horses belonging in deponent's stable.

Sworn before me this 1st day of May 1886

Police Justice.

Dated 1886

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

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

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

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

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.

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

Police Court, District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
on the complaint of

Office—BURGLARY.

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Dated

1886

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

Witness.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

No.

Street.

\$ to answer General Sessions.

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Sec. 198-200.

4 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY
OF NEW YORK, { ss

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *John Dunn*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *20 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland*

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

Answer. *317 East 26th Street. 1 year*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer. *Ringshomeman*

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*
John Dunn

Taken before me this

day of

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Police Justice.

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Sec. 198—200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY {
OF NEW YORK, } ss

Thomas O'Brien 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

Thomas O'Brien

Question How old are you?

Answer

16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

United States

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

Answer.

642 Third Avenue. 2 months

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer.

Milkman

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.

Not guilty
Thomas O'Brien

Taken before me this

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Police Justice.

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BAILED,

No. 1, by

by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court

District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Matthew J. Thompson

1157 East 18th St

John Thompson

Thomas J. Thompson

Offence

Dated

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Magistrate

John Thompson

Witnesses

No. 1, by

No. 2, by

No. 3, by

No. 4, by

No. 5, by

No. 6, by

No. 7, by

No. 8, by

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

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 May 1 188 John Thompson 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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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 Dunn and
Thomas O'Brien*

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

John Dunn and Thomas O'Brien

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

The said *John Dunn and Thomas
O'Brien, both* —

late of the *Eighth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of
New York, aforesaid, on the *eleventh* day of *April*, — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, with force and arms, at the Ward,
City and County aforesaid, a certain building there situate, to wit: the *residence* of one

Matthew S. Chambers. —

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

Matthew S. Chambers. —

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.

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SECOND COUNT—

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

John Dunn and Thomas Quinn
of the CRIME OF *Rejoice* LARCENY in the second degree, committed as follows:

The said *John Dunn and Thomas Quinn, both*
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,

did unlawfully take from the
possession of one *John Dunn*, of a number,
kind and denomination to the
Grand Jury aforesaid unknown,
being then and there due and
owed to the said John Dunn
and of the value of sixty six dollars,
and also coins, of a number
kind and denomination to the Grand
Jury aforesaid unknown, of the value
of sixty six dollars. —

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

Matthew S. Chambers. —

in the *building* of the said

Matthew S. Chambers. —

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

Charles F. Martin,
District Attorney