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DESCRIPTION:

Boland, Henry

DATE:

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Counsel,  
Filed 17 day of Feb 1880  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Mary Polard*

Indictment - Larceny.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*A. W. Conant*

*Foreman.*

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COFFIN & HURLBUT,

SUCCESSORS TO

SAMUEL SHETHAR & CO.

AND

WILLIAM H. HURLBUT & CO.

548 BROADWAY,

ADDRESS  
P. O. BOX  
754

New York, 2 July 1880

Honorable G. Rollins.

My dear Sir:-

Mr Henry Rollins has been to my office this morning & tells me the case of his son is to come off this morning. He wishes me to come down to the Court, but it is impossible as both my partners are absent & no one here, in my absence, to sign a check, or accept a dft. The goods are all returned to me, & Mr Rollins has offered to pay all expenses of putting them again in saleable condition, or sum or in a very small one sum.

As this is the young man's first offence and he has a wife & infant dependant upon him, & as he seems quite penitent & unpleasing, & compatible with justice, would seem to be applicable.

Truly & Respectfully Yours  
Wm H. Hurlbut.

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New York, *26 July* 1880

Agent N.Y. O.R.W.R.

Dr Sir,

Henry Ballou says he will  
pay for fixing up the 5 brass  
hats if you will send up the  
hats. If you have an order for  
them to the Station House we  
will fix them up unless they  
are too far gone. - It will seem  
as tho. this was the best way  
for you to get the money out of it.

*Yours truly*  
*Coffin & Hurlbut*

OK.  
H.R.

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ADDRESS  
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754

New York, *Sept* 1880

Hon. Daniel G. Rollins,  
Asst. S. Atty.

My dear Sir:-

I learn the young man who has  
made a good deal of business has committed  
some of his first efforts.  
If any paper coming can be  
exercised, it would meet with  
my approbation, so any thing  
that would satisfy you.

Sincerely,  
Yrs

*Wm. H. Hurlbut*

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Form 112.

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

Police Court—First District.

of No. <sup>and Hartford</sup> *New York and New Haven, Rail Road Company* <sup>James P. John Flynn</sup> *Cor Franklin + Elm Streets*  
and says, that on the *11* day of *February* 1880

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

the following property, viz: *One wooden case containing four dozen straw hats*

of the value of *forty three* Dollars,

the property of *New York and New Haven and Hartford Rail Road Company as common carriers and in care and charge 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 *Henry Boland (now here)*

for the reason that said defendant represented to deponent at the depot of said Rail Road Company that he was sent by the firm of Coffin and Sturbut of 548 Broadway in said City to whom the aforesaid property was consigned, for the aforesaid property, deponent believing said representations delivered the aforesaid property to defendant subsequently deponent was informed by William H Sturbut that said defendant was not authorized to get the aforesaid property and that said firm did not receive the aforesaid property.

Wherefore deponent charges said defendant by trick and device with taking, stealing and carrying away the aforesaid property.

*John Flynn*

Sworn to, before me, this *11* day

of *February* 1880  
*John Flynn*  
Police Justice

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City and County }  
of New York } ss

William H Hulbut of No 548  
Broadway being duly sworn says <sup>that</sup> deponent nor  
is copartner did not authorize Henry Boland (now here)  
to get the property described in the foregoing  
affidavit from the New York and New Haven and  
Hartford Rail Road company's depot and deponent  
further says that he never saw said defendant  
before to his knowledge

Wm H Hulbut

Sworn to before me this  
14 day of February 1880

J. J. Kilbuck  
Police Justice

answer.

I am not guilty  
H. Boling

Taken before me, this

14 day of February 1880  
J. J. Kilbuck  
Police Justice.

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Form 112.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

ss:

Police Co

ct.

Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Henry Boland

Question. How old are you?

Answer, 20 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New Jersey

Question. Where do you live?

Answer 38 Spruig St

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Driver

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

Answer. I am not guilty  
H. Boland

Taken before me, this

J. Mitchell  
Police Justice.

14 day of September 1887

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....  
Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....  
Address, .....

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Police Court—First District

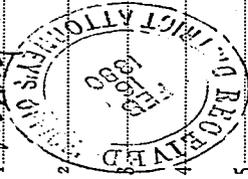
THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John P. Kelly*  
*James J. Kelly*  
Cor. Franklin + Elm St.  
St. Louis, Mo.

*by these and others*  
Affidavit—Larceny. *Spokane*

1. *Neville Roland*



Dated *7 February 1880*

by *Kilbret* Magistrate.

*Adams + DeLano* Officer.  
*14 Brewer* Clerk.

Witnesses:

*Wm H. Hubbert*

*578 Broadway*

§ *1111* to answer

at *St* Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

*W.H.H.*

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

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

That *Henry Roland*

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

*One case of the value of seven dollars,  
Twenty Eight hats of the value of  
Ninety cents each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of *The New York  
New Haven & Hartford Rail Road  
Company*

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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DESCRIPTION:

Bolling, Henry

DATE:

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Silverstein, Behle

**DATE:**

02/20/80



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Bail  
Bernard Golden  
73 Park St  
\$750.00  
Real

Adm. No 2  
to Adam & Bolan  
14 P.

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Counsel, for No 2 *Kingsfield*  
Filed *20* day of *February* 1880  
No 2  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

No I  
20  
58 Spring  
Truck Driver

THE PEOPLE

vs.

1. *Henry Bolan*  
*Guardian*
2. *Belle Silverstein*  
*(female) & Bartley*  
*They stolen goods*

Larceny, and Receiving Stolen Goods.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

*in court by*  
*Feb 20*

*Contract* Attorney.

A True Bill.

*J. W. Comstock*

Foreman.

Part. 2 - March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1880

No I. Pleads - *P.L.*

Pen: One month - *Mar 3*

*Mar 3, 1880 bail discharged*

*as to No 2*

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That *Henry Bolling*

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

*one case of the value of seven dollars,  
Forty Eight hats of the value of  
Ninety cents each,*

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

*The New York New Haven  
Company*

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

That the said

*Behle Silverstein*

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

*One case of the value of One dollar,  
Forty eight hats of the value of  
Ninety cents each.*

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

*The New York New Haven & Hartford Rail Road Company*

by ~~certain person or persons~~ to the Jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously stolen of the said

*The New York New Haven and Hartford Rail Road Company*

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

*Behle Silverstein*

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

BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Borst, William H.

**DATE:**

02/13/80



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Day of Trial  
Counsel,  
Filed 13 day of Feb 1880.  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE  
vs.

B  
William H. Bost  
No. 117

Violation Excise Law.

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BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. Coustve  
March 8<sup>th</sup> 1880 Foreman.  
Pleads guilty  
Fines \$17

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**Police Court, Fifth District.**

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

of *Philip H. Smith*  
*The 12th Precinct Police*

of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the *23<sup>d</sup>* day  
of *January* 18*80* in the City of New York, in the County of New York, at

*North East corner of 123 Street and Avenue*  
*William A. Borst* Street,

did then and there sell, and caused, suffered and permitted to be sold, under his direction and authority, strong and  
spirituous liquors, wines, ale and beer, being intoxicating liquors, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, to be drunk  
in the house or premises aforesaid, contrary to and in violation of law. *and without license*

WHEREFORE, deponent prays that said *William Borst*

may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

*Subscribed to before me, this* *23<sup>d</sup>* day  
of *January* 18*80*.

*Philip H. Smith*  
*B. L. Morgan* POLICE JUSTICE.

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Police Court, Fifth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Philip H. Smith*

vs.

*William A. Borek*

Violation Excise Law.

Dated *23<sup>d</sup>* day of *January* 18*80*

*George* Magistrate.

*Smith* Sheriff.

Witness, *120 Walnut*

Bailed \$ *100* to Ans. *Gousser*

By *John Miller*

*172185 3<sup>d</sup> March*



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

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

That

*William H. Boet*

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

*Philip H. Smith*

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

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

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

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Bowden, Jeremiah

**DATE:**

02/17/80



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Filed 17 day of Feb 1880  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

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vs.

Jeremiah Bowden

Felony Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*S. M. Conant*

Foreman.

Part into Feb 18. 1880  
pleads 2nd Ch.  
S. P. Two years & 6 mo.

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**Second District Police Court.**

AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT. &c.

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

*William H. Green* of No. *27*  
*Minetta Lane* Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says  
that on the *11* day of *May* in the year  
18*80*, at the City of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by

*Jeremiah Bowden (now present)*  
*who stabbed deponent with*  
*a dagger on the left*  
*thigh*

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him 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 dealt with according to law.

Sworn to before me this *17* day }  
of *May* 18*80* } *William Henry Greene*  
*[Signature]* Police Justice.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Jeremiah Bowden*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*Thirty nine years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*Norfolk Virginia*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*520 Broom St*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Barkeeper*

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

Answer.—*I stabbed Green in self defense  
his  
Jeremiah Bowden  
mark*

Taken before me, this

*Wm. H. H. 112*  
Jury of January 1880  
Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT - Second District.

THE PEOPLE & c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William H Green  
House of Detention  
7305 to testify

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Jermiah Bondeen

Dated July 12 1880

Wuffy Magistrate.

Henry Officer.

8 Clerk.

Witnesses,

Silas Polhemus  
9 Clark St  
Wm. N Green  
House of Detention  
7305 to testify

Committed in default of \$ 1000 bail

Bailed by

No.

Street.

OFFENCE - Felonious Assault and Battery.

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William to Grarey, i wish that soon you  
are called up i hope you will not make a  
Charge a ganced one if you dont make it  
i will wished all right. With you i am going  
to work nex month and would not like  
to go up you ant obliged to make a charge  
down to care if you dont wish to i would  
like you to send me an answer if you  
do what i ask of you i will do all that i can  
for you.

Yours

Jerry Bodwen

Cell 98

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

That *General Porter*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the day of *Eighty one* in the year of our Lord *Eighty William H. Greene* with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *William* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault

and *him* the said *William* with a certain *dagger* which the said *Greene* in his right hand then and there had and held, the same being a deadly and dangerous weapon, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound

then and there, feloniously and willfully to kill, against the form of the Statute of New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *General Porter* with force and arms, in and upon the body of *William* then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an

assault and *him* the said *William* with a certain *dagger* which the said *Porter* in his right hand, then and there had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, willfully and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously do bodily harm unto *him* the said *William* 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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *General Porter* with force and arms, in and upon the body of *William* in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another

assault and *him* the said *William* with a certain *dagger* which the said *Porter* in his right hand then and there had and held, willfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut, and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death of *him* the said *William* with intent *to* the

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said *William* 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said

*Jeremiah Bowden* with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *William H. Greene* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make another assault and the said *William* with a certain *dagger* which the said in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously maim *him* the said *William* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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Filed 17 day of *Oct* 1850  
Pleas

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Jeremiah Bowden*

Felonious Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A TRUE BILL.

*M. Bowden*  
Foreman.

Part in 184-18, 1888

Heads Book Cl.

S. P. Two years & no

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Bowden, William Y.

**DATE:**

02/25/80



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1895  
Filed *11th* day of *Feb* 18*95*  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P.*  
William G. Bourde

Felony Assault and Battery.

*44 W. 17*  
*310*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. Comstock*

Foreman.

*March 2 1895.*

*Pleas guilty and  
received 3 years  
S. P. 3 years.*

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Second District Police Court.

AFFIDAVIT—FELONIOUS ASSAULT, &c.

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

Mary E Bowden of No. 318  
West-19<sup>th</sup> Street being duly sworn, deposes and says  
that on the ~~seventeenth~~ <sup>19<sup>th</sup></sup> day of February in the year  
1880, at the City of New York, she was violently and feloniously assaulted and beaten by

her husband William E Bowden (mother)  
who willfully maliciously and feloniously  
cut deponent on the right hand with  
a Carving Knife

with the felonious intent to take the life of deponent, or to do him 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 dealt with  
according to law.

Sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day  
of February 1880

Mary E Bowden  
mark

Marcus C. ... Police Justice.

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POLICE COURT—Second District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Mary E Bowden  
318 West 17th

vs.  
William Y Bowden

OFFENCE—Felonious Assault and Battery.

Dated

February 19 1878

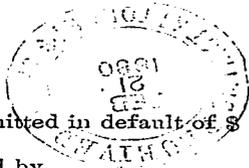
Magistrate.

Thomas

Officer.

16th Precinct

Witnesses,



Committed in default of \$

bail.

Bailed by

No.

Street.

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*William G. Bowden*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*45 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*New York*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*318 West 14<sup>th</sup> Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*I am a Truckman*

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

Answer.—*I am not guilty*  
*William G. Bowden*

Taken before me, this  
*19<sup>th</sup> day of February 1880*  
*Wm. O. Bowden*  
Police Justice.

THE JURORS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

in and for the body of the City and County of New York,

upon their Oath, present :

That *William G. Borden*

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

*fourteenth* day of *February*

in the year of our Lord

with force and arms, at the City and

County aforesaid, in and upon the body of

*Mary E. Borden* did make an assault

and

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

with a certain

*knife*

which the said

*William G. Borden*

in

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

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 State of

New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County

aforesaid, the said

*William G. Borden*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said

*Mary E. Borden* did make an

assault and

in this right hand, then and there

had and held, the same being then and there a sharp, dangerous weapon, wilfully

and feloniously, and without justifiable and excusable cause, did then and there beat,

strike, stab, cut, and wound, with intent to then and there wilfully and feloniously

do bodily harm unto

the said

*Mary E. Borden*

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 Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present : That

afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid,

the said

*William G. Borden*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of

the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another

assault and

which the said

*William G. Borden*

in

right hand then and there had and held, wilfully and feloniously did beat, strike, stab, cut,

and wound, the same being such means and force as was likely to produce the death

of

the said *Mary E. Borden* with intent

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said *Mary E. Bowden* 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.

FOURTH COUNT.

And the Jurors aforesaid, upon their Oath aforesaid, do further present: That afterwards, to wit, on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, the said *William G. Bowden*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Mary E. Bowden* then and there being, wilfully and feloniously, did make another assault and the said *Mary E. Bowden* with a certain *Knife* which the said *William G. Bowden* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, wilfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to *kill* and there wilfully and feloniously maim *her* the said *Mary E. Bowden* 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.

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

*W. G. Bowden*  
Filed *11* day of *Feb*, 18*82*  
Pleads *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*William G. Bowden*

Felonious Assault and Battery.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. G. Bowden*  
Foreman.

*W. G. Bowden*

*W. G. Bowden*  
reads guilty and  
Leaves Court.

*W. G. Bowden*  
S. P. 3 years.

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Bowers, John

**DATE:**

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Counsel,  
Filed *1* day of *Feb* 187*9*  
Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*John Bowers*  
*22*  
*St. Louis*

Indictment of Larceny.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

*District Attorney.*

A True Bill.

*S. M. Conant*  
Foreman.

*Plenty guilty*  
*State Ref at Elmira*  
*Feb 9/80*

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

FORM 112.

Police Court—Third District.

*Kate Schipper*  
of No. *68 Avenue "B"* Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that on the *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 18 *80*  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried  
away from the possession of deponent *and from the premises*  
*aforsaid.*

the following property viz:

*One double case gold Watch and  
a gold Chain attached thereto of the  
value of fifty dollars and One  
gold Ear-Ring of the value of Ten  
dollars, Said property being in all*

of the value of *Seventy* 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 *John Brown*

*(now here) for the following reason,  
to wit:— That the said John  
Brown acknowledged and confessed  
to deponent in the presence of Officer  
Michael Bisset of the 17<sup>th</sup> Police  
Precinct that he did take, steal  
and carry away the above described  
property from a trunk in a bed  
room on the second floor of the  
said premises and which was oc-  
cupied by deponent.*

*Kate Schipper*

Sworn to, before me this

*30*

*day of February 1880*

*John C. Williams*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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City and County  
of New York

S.S.

Michael Bisseri  
an officer attached to the 14th  
Police Precinct being duly sworn  
deposes and says that he has  
heard read the foregoing affidavit  
of Kate Schipper - the Complainant -  
and so much thereof as relates to  
deponent is true of his own knowledge

known to before me this

3. day of February 1880

Michael Bisseri

Chas. C. Hays  
Justice

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

*John Bowles* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed, that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him, states as follows,  
viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*John Bowles.*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*Twenty two years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York City.*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*64 Everett Street.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Fireman*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty. I took it  
for sport - I had been drinking  
beer.*

*John Bowles*

Taken before me this

*3. day of February 1880*  
*Wm. H. Thomas*  
POLICE JUSTICE.

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POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

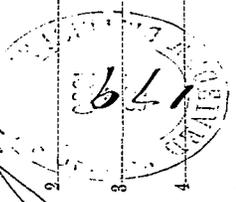
THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Nate Schipper*  
vs. *1 B*

*John Brown*

AFFIDAVIT—LARCENY.



BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

*John Brown*

Dated *January 3* 19*08*

*C. S. Johnson* Magistrate.

*Robert J. Park* Officer.  
Clerk.

Witnesses

*Michael Brown*  
*J. J. Park*

\$ *100.00* to answer

at Sessions

Received at Dist. Att'y's Office,

*Committed*

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

*John Bowers.*

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

*one watch of the value of forty dollars,*  
*one chain of the value of twenty dollars,*  
*one earring of the value of ten dollars,*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Kate Schepfer.*

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Branick, Edward

**DATE:**

02/12/80



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**TRIAL FOR  
COUNSEL,**

Filed 12 day of Feb 1880  
Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*Eward Brannick*

Indictment for Disorderly House.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

*J. W. Comstock*  
March 1880 Foreman.  
It being apparent by the within  
Affidavit and Certificate of  
The Captain of the Precinct  
that the nuisance has been  
abated. Noles prosecution  
entered by leave of the  
Court. *Amos Russell*  
*Dist. Atty*

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Police Court, Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY  
OF NEW YORK.

of the 20<sup>th</sup> Precinct } ss. John D. Frederick  
being sworn, doth depose and say, that the premises known as number 478 <sup>Street,</sup> ~~Blanch~~ Avenue  
in said City and County, and occupied or kept by

Edward Branick commenced on the  
26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1879 and for one month previous thereto  
is a disorderly house, namely, a resort for tipplers, drunkards, common prostitutes, and reputed thieves,  
with other vile, wicked, idle, dissolute, and disorderly men and women, and reputed thieves, who, or most  
of whom, are in the practice of drinking, dancing, quarreling and fighting, at almost all hours of the day  
and night, to the great disturbance of the public peace, the annoyance of the neighborhood, and the viola-  
tion of public order and decency.

Deponent therefore prays, that the said Edward Branick  
and all vile, disorderly and improper persons found upon the premises, occupied by said  
Edward Branick  
may be dealt with as the law in such cases made and provided may direct; and further saith not.

Sworn before me, this 27<sup>th</sup> day } John D. Frederick  
of July 1879 }  
R. J. Morgan - Police Justice.

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General Sessions.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John W. Fredericks*

AFFIDAVIT. Disorderly House.

*Edward Ramic*



*Morgan* Magistrate.

*Fredericks* 20<sup>th</sup> Officer.

Witness, *George J. Kilk*

*Thomas Dolaney*  
*Terrence Donohue*

} 20<sup>th</sup> Prec. Police

*J. July 30 - 1879 - 10. P.M.*

*\$300 To wms. G.S.*  
*Waived by Patrick Sullivan*  
*419 Second Avenue*  
*Paroled.*

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City and County of New York, N.Y.

John W. Fredericks, an officer of the 20<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police being duly sworn deposes and says - That about the hour of 10 o'clock on the night of the 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1879, he and a number of officers of said Precinct entered the premises known as number 478 Eleventh Avenue in the 20<sup>th</sup> Ward of said City and there and there found forty-four men and seven women who were then and there drinking, dancing and making a great noise.

That the proprietor of said premises Edward Bianchi (now here) keeps said place as a Lager Beer Saloon and public dance house and violates the law by selling intoxicating liquors therein without a license. That drunken men and women prostitutes habitually frequent said premises and that nightly the neighborhood is annoyed and disturbed by the noise proceeding therefrom. That fighting frequently occurs within said premises and that about two weeks ago a fight occurred therein lasting for a period of half an hour. That

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Said Messrs are kept, maintained  
Conducted and occupied by said  
said Plaintiff as a Disorderly House  
to the great damage and common  
nuisance of the People of the State  
of New York.

Sworn to before me this  
27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1878

John D. Frederick

R. J. Morgan -  
Clerk Justice

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People

<sup>copy</sup>  
John W. Ginnio

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W  
W  
W  
W

Edward Branch of No ~~442~~ 442  
W 35<sup>th</sup> St says that on Aug 9, 1899  
John W. Ginnio had insulted  
my wife and on said Aug 9, 1899  
I met her on the street &  
spoke to him about it & he laughed  
at me. and told him he was a  
bigger man than I, but if  
he didn't stop I'd have to go  
I gave ~~to~~ with him. W.  
Ginnio without any provocation  
then struck me in the jaw  
and knocked me down &  
knocked out both of my teeth &  
cut an artery. I was laid up  
in bed from Aug 10/99 until  
Nov 6/99 before I was able to  
go out.

✓ Mrs Lee Chamberlain was near  
to us and saw it.

Chamberlain lives at No 442  
W 35<sup>th</sup> St

Dr Panny 23<sup>rd</sup> St bet. C. & 7<sup>th</sup> St  
was sent by the Court when W.

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Gunnep was arrested to examine  
Complainant's condition

~~Dr. Rigabey 42 W 7th St. 7<sup>th</sup> Fl.~~  
~~has attended case~~

This dept still insults myself every  
time she passes there.

Mr. Nathan Elmer 25th St. 2nd Fl.  
5010 10th Ave

John ... 11th St. Hudson St.

Lee Chamberlain 20<sup>th</sup> Precinct.  
Off. Cochran

Mr. R. Brannick 446 10<sup>th</sup> Ave  
" Ely " 442 W 35<sup>th</sup> St

+ Complainant

- Leopold
- Oyler
- John M. Ginnis
- assault
- Bailey
- W. J. ...
- Edward ...
- Walter ...

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Police Department of the City of New York,

Precinct No. 20

New York, March 15<sup>th</sup> 1840

Honore Russell  
Dear Atty

Sir

13<sup>th</sup>

I in reply to yours of the  
I would respectfully state that No 75 - 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
has for the past 3 months been closed. it <sup>was</sup> kept  
as a dance house up to July 26<sup>th</sup> last by one  
Edward Brannick who is now following the  
business of truckman for a living

Yours Truly  
Geo Wambour  
Capt 20<sup>th</sup> Prec

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Court of General Sessions

The People  
agt  
Edward Brannick

City & County of New York S.S.

Edward Brannick

being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the defendant herein -

That on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1879 deponent was arrested by Officers of the 20<sup>th</sup> Precinct and <sup>the</sup> next morning brought before Justice Morgan presiding at the Jefferson Market Police Court and charged with keeping a disorderly house at 478 Eleventh Avenue New York City -

That Justice Morgan stated to deponent at that time that if he (deponent) would remove his goods and fixtures from said premises ~~he would~~ within three days, he would discharge him. That deponent answered "I cannot promise that as there is a chattel mortgage on the fixtures" but deponent did promise to give up the place



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for the space of about two months  
when deponent lay at the point of  
death from the effects of an assault  
committed on him -

That deponent is now working  
for Mr William Diamond of Pearl  
and Broad Streets New York City -

and further deponent saith not

Sworn to before me this

20<sup>th</sup> day of February 1880

Edw. M. Munnick

Jan P. Higgins  
Notary Public  
N.Y.C. 215

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Court of General Sessions

The People  
agst  
Edward Brannick

City and County of New York S.S.

Thomas Mallon  
being duly sworn deposes and says  
that he is acquainted with the de-  
fendant and with the premises  
478 Eleventh Avenue - That de-  
ponent remembers the arrest of  
defendant in July 1879. That de-  
ponent knows of his own knowledge  
that the said defendant since said  
arrest has ceased all connection  
with the said premises and the bus-  
iness carried on therein - That de-  
ponents knowledge is based on  
the fact that he resides in the  
same house and in the same  
family with the defendant,  
and has seen him nearly every  
day since - That said defendant  
is deponents brother-in-law -  
and deponent further says  
that the statements contained in

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the defendants affidavit in regard  
to his employment are true -

and further deponent says not -

Sworn to before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 1880 } Thom Mallon

Jas P Higgins  
Notary Public  
N.Y.C. 215

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Court of General Sessions

The People  
agst  
Edward Brannick

City and County of New York S.S.

Michael Donohue

being duly sworn deposes and says that he resides at 443 Tenth Avenue in the City of New York That deponent is well acquainted with the defendant herein and with the premises 478 Eleventh Avenue - That deponent remembers the fact of the arrest of the defendant in the latter part of July 1879 - That since the time of said arrest the said defendant has had nothing to do with the said premises or with the business carried on there - That said premises are now closed up and untenanted and were so untenanted, <sup>since said arrest</sup> except for a short time when they were occupied by person named Jacob Edler who had formerly carried on business there, and who had no connection with the

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defendant herein - That deponents  
knowledge is based upon the fact that  
he carries on business at the corner  
of 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue and 38<sup>th</sup> Street (which  
is nearly opposite the said premises)  
and saw the same nearly every day.

Deponent further says that he knows  
the said defendant to be an honest  
hard working young man who bears  
a good reputation in the neighborhood -  
and further deponent says not

Sworn to before me this } Michael Dowdall  
24<sup>th</sup> day of February 1880 }  
Jas M. Higgins  
Notary Public nyc 215

The People

Edw. Branick

Disorderly Stone

The Staller of Lane  
11<sup>th</sup> Ave bet 38<sup>th</sup> & 39<sup>th</sup> Sts

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That *Edward Branick*

late of the *twentieth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
~~New York~~ on the ~~twentieth~~ *sixth* day ~~of~~ *July* in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-~~nine~~ and on divers other days  
and times, between that day and the day of the taking of this Inquisition, at the City  
and Ward, and in the County aforesaid, did keep and maintain, and yet continue to  
keep and maintain, a certain common, ill-governed and disorderly house, and in  
said house, for own lucre and gain, certain persons, as  
well men as women, of evil name and fame, and of dishonest conversation, to frequent  
and come together, then and on the said other days and times, there unlawfully and  
wilfully did cause and procure, and the said men and women, in  
said house, at unlawful times, as well in the night as in the day, then and on the said  
other days and times, there to be and remain, drinking, tippling, gambling, rioting,  
disturbing the peace, whoring and misbehaving themselves, unlawfully and wilfully,  
did permit, and yet continues to permit, to the great damage and common nuisance of  
the People of the said Ward, there inhabiting and residing, and of all the people there  
passing, to the evil example of all others in the like case offending, and against the  
peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Brewster, Fannie

**DATE:**

02/18/80



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35 J. Sedey

Counsel,

Filed 18 day of Feb 1880

Pleads Not Guilty (19)

THE PEOPLE

vs. *Statement*

Jamies Brewster

Feb 19 1880

Discharged

INDICTMENT.  
Larceny of Money, &c., from the person  
in the night time.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. Comstock*

Foreman.

I don't think there is  
sufficient evidence  
upon which to base  
a verdict  
Dawson Rollins

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FORM 39 1/2

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

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. James Byrne  
344 East 75 Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says, that on the 15 day of February 18 88

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried

away, from the possession of deponent, and from deponent's  
person

the following property, to wit:

Good and lawful money  
viz. One Bill of the denomination of  
Twenty Dollars and One Bill of the  
denomination of Five Dollars  
together

of the value of Twenty 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

Fannie Brewster  
(now here) for the reasons following  
that on the said date deponent met  
and accompanied deponent to a  
room in premises No. 207 South  
5th Avenue - when deponent entered  
said room said money was con-  
tained in the watch pocket of the  
pantaloons worn upon deponent's  
person - while deponent was on the  
bed with said defendant - deponent  
felt said defendant fumbling with  
said watch pocket and immediately  
thereafter missed the said money

Sworn to before me this

18

day

Notary Public

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No other person was in said room  
during said interval of time

Sworn to before me this J Byrne  
15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1880  
J J Byrne  
Justice

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—

*Fannie Brewster*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—

*Twenty Four years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—

*Baltimore*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—

*205 South 5th Avenue*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—

*None*

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

Answer.—

*By advice of counsel  
I say I am innocent*

*Fannie Brewster  
mark*

Taken before me, this

*[Signature]*

day of *Sept*  
18*80*

Police Justice.

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FORM 894. POLICE COURT - SECOND DISTRICT

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*James Byrne*  
*344 E. 15th St. N.Y.C.*  
*Fannie Brewster*  
*212*

*from*  
*the person*  
Affidavit - Larceny.

DATED *February 15* 1880

*Druffy* MAGISTRATE.

*Doess* OFFICER *8/1/2*

WITNESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\$ *500* TO ANS. *G. L. Carr*

BAILED BY \_\_\_\_\_

NO. \_\_\_\_\_ STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

*That James Brewster -*

late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid

on the *19th* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty*, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in the night time of said day, three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one thousand dollars, and of the value of one thousand dollars each : three promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five hundred dollars, and of the value of five hundred dollars each : twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one hundred dollars, and of the value of one hundred dollars each : thirty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of fifty dollars, and of the value of fifty dollars each : fifty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of twenty dollars, and of the value of twenty dollars each : sixty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of ten dollars, and of the value of ten dollars each : eighty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of five dollars, and of the value of five dollars each : ninety promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of three dollars, and of the value of three dollars each : one hundred promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of two dollars, and of the value of two dollars each : one hundred and twenty promissory notes for the payment of money, being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as United States Treasury Notes), of the denomination of one dollar, and of the value of one dollar each : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one hundred dollars : one promissory note for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of fifty dollars : two promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of twenty dollars each : three promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of ten dollars each : ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each : ten promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of three dollars each : fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of two dollars each : thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each : bank bills of banks to the jurors aforesaid unknown, and of a number and denomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown, of the value of one thousand dollars. Two gold coins (of the kind usually known as double eagles), of the value of twenty dollars each : three gold coins (of the kind usually known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each : six gold coins (of the kind usually known as half eagles), of the value of five dollars each : fifteen gold coins (of the kind usually known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each : ten gold coins (of the kind usually known as three dollar pieces), of the value of three dollars each : thirty gold coins (of the kind usually known as dollar pieces), of the value of one dollar each : gold coin of the denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. Sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as dollars), of the value of one dollar each : sixty silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dollars), of the value of fifty cents each : one hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each : three hundred silver coins (of the kind usually called dimes), of the value of ten cents each : six hundred silver coins (of the kind usually known as half dimes), of the value of five cents each : one thousand silver coins (of the kind known as three cent pieces), of the value of three cents each : silver coin of a denomination to the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of fifty dollars. Three thousand coins (of the kind known as cents), of the value of one cent each : five hundred coins (of the kind known as two cents), of the value of two cents each. One hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of fifty cents each, and of the marketable value of fifty cents each : two hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of twenty-five cents each, and of the marketable value of twenty-five cents each : five hundred due bills of the United States of America, the same being then and there due and unsatisfied (and of the kind known as fractional currency), of the denomination of ten cents each, and of the marketable value of ten cents each,

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Brewster, Louis

**DATE:**

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*Minzger*

Counsel,

Filed *17* day of *Feb* 1880

Pleads *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

*Louis Brewster*

*John Duffey*  
*alias*  
*on answer with*  
*Has done*

INDICTMENT.  
Petit Larceny of Money from the Person.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

*District Attorney.*

**A True Bill.**

*S. W. Comstock*

*Foreman.*

*March 8, 1880.*

*True & Comid*  
*S. P. Three year.*

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**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL  
DOCUMENT(S)**

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Miss on Mrs Munro  
104 Lexington Ave  
City

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N. Y. Bonds Feb 15<sup>th</sup> / 180

Mrs Murno

Dear Madam

With broken  
heart & tears in my eyes I pen you these  
few lines but by so doing beg of you for  
dear Mother's sake not to appear against  
me. The crime of which I am accused  
of I am innocent of, as innocent  
as a new born child

My parents are poor but respectable  
and I am the sole & main support  
of the family.

Mrs Murno for God's sake do not  
let the officer persuade you to appear  
against me, as before God I swear to  
you I am innocent. I know well  
that if convicted I shall be sentenced  
to State Prison for the term of 3 or 5 years  
at hard labor, thus losing the best  
years of my life away & perhaps be  
the means of my becoming a criminal

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I promised my dear & aged mother to do right & have always tried to do so. And I promise you, Martin, that if I go unconvicted to do right in far as it lays in my power. I have done wrong, I know but I swear to you & to the God who rules above never to do so again. My predicament (fearful as it is) is the result of bad companionship who have made me a tool for their own private purposes. And as it is divine to forgive show your good & generous nature at this, this fearful epoch of my life, never to be forgotten. For my dear mother's sake pity me. And think of me as you would were your own son falsely accused in my place. I was employed for 3 yrs by H.C.T. Koch cor 20<sup>th</sup> St & 4<sup>th</sup> Ave and have been out of employment some time. And now I pray & entreat you not to appear against me & consign to a blasting & lasting disgrace. I

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gave my wrong name in the station  
not wishing to disgrace my parents  
for whom I would rather die  
than to disgrace

Hoping and praying that your  
answer to my dear mother will  
be favorable to me I am

Your humble but unfortunate  
servant

Louis Ferré

The bearer My Mother will please  
to you personally but please favor her  
with an interview

Yours with respect.  
L. F.

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New York Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 1880

Dear Wealey Esq

Dear Sir

So kind enough to read this will  
and then destroy it. I forgot to  
mention Detective Tucker and his  
partner of the 19<sup>th</sup> Precinct they were  
the ones who arrested him for the  
Looy Case. Hoping you will show  
no mercy. I remain

Yours truly  
I would like to give you a little  
information concerning a prisoner  
whom you have confined in the  
tombs. Named Louis Stern  
alias Brewster. which may be  
beneficial to you in the case.  
to commence

Remain  
He has a friend named Leo  
I do not know his last name  
but he calls to see him very  
often at the tombs. he is trying  
to get the lady who lost the  
pocket book not to appear against  
his friends

he has been to her house several times and she promises not to appear when the case is called and I don't think she knows the case will be called on wednesday. Next thing he says that he will put up a job that the nut vendor wanted to settle the case for \$5000 and that he had him dead to rights so you see they are trying very hard to square him. I have heard all this information from some of his friends while in their company who hang out at 5<sup>th</sup> st and 3<sup>rd</sup> ave if you make inquiries from officer Woods, special officer Cornish or James Lingley of the 28<sup>th</sup> Precinct they can tell you who he is or Capt Mount of the 19<sup>th</sup>

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he has been arrested in days for robbing a man in a house of ill fame while visiting them. he borrowed a dress suit from Shea the sailor on Brown st and instead of returning it he put it in pawn any of the girls that visit the Haymarket 6<sup>th</sup> ave + 30<sup>th</sup> st will also tell you who he is as he is mean enough to pick their pockets. as now you have a pretty full discription of this honest young man whom some of his partners in crime are trying to get clear. Mrs Bealey do your best to prosecute him and you will do a great service to the city. you must excuse me for not signing my name as I do not wish to be known as having anything to do with the case

The People v. Court of General Sessions. Before Judge  
 Louis<sup>W.</sup> Brewster Cowing. March 8, 1880.

- Indictment for petty larceny from the person.

Emma R. Muran, sworn and examined, testified:  
 I am the complainant and live at 104 Lexington  
 Ave. on the 12<sup>th</sup> of January I lost some money,  
 but I recovered it again - only eight dollars. I had  
 the pocket book in my satchel. I was looking in  
 McCreary's window corner of Eleventh St. and  
 Broadway in the afternoon; there were very few  
 people in the street because the touch was  
 so slight I hardly noticed it. If there had been  
 a crowd around me I should not have noticed  
 it. I turned round and I found a man  
 running away and I took him by the arm.  
 I told him he had stolen it, the pocket book.  
 He said he did not, he said the one that had  
 stolen it had just gone round the corner.  
 I was going round the corner after the other  
 one very foolishly when the lady friend I had  
 with me told me not to; then a crowd had  
 collected, it was the prisoner I took hold of;  
 he said he saw the other man take it. My  
 friend asked some one to search this pris-  
 oner and no one seemed inclined to; a  
 prisoner of the name of Duffey came back  
 and Brewster was trying to pass the pocket  
 book to him; it fell on the sidewalk. I  
 picked it up and recovered it. There was

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nobody there to arrest them. I was not anxious to push it because I got my pocket book; they both mingled with the crowd and escaped. The mother and sister of the prisoner have been to see me. Cross examined. I think this prisoner is the man, I would not like to swear to it absolutely. The pocket book had fallen to my feet. I cannot say that I saw the prisoner attempt to pass it. I believe the prisoner was arrested three weeks ago last Saturday, six weeks after the occurrence. Then I went to the station house I said I did not think it was he, but on Sunday morning I went to the Jefferson Market Police Court; he looked differently, his face was in repose, and then I was quite sure it was him. Richard Maguire sworn and examined testified. I live 715 Dean St. Brooklyn I remember this affair on the 12<sup>th</sup> of January I saw the complainant, the lady who was on the stand at Maccreary's store between 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> streets and I saw the two prisoners pass my stand. I was selling nuts picked out of the shell and I sell fruit in the summer. on the corner 805 Broadway. I saw the two prisoners pass my stand and the ladies were passing ahead of them. I was talking with a gentleman and I saw the complainant take hold of the prisoner by the collar of the coat and accuse

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him of picking her pocket. I went down to see what was the matter. The prisoner said, "you are wrong, I aint the man, I have not got your pocket book." She said, "you are the man, I seen you through the glass take my pocket book." At that he (the prisoner) dropped the pocket book down alongside of his leg, and turning around she picked the pocket book up and said, "that is my pocket book." I did not see Brewster till a week after when I heard he was arrested on another charge. I saw the prisoner before several times look at ladies pockets in Broadway. I was supposed to go to Jefferson Market to identify the prisoner, he was in the Court room in a crowd of a hundred people and I picked him out. Cross Examined. I am six or seven years in that one spot on Broadway. I did not see anything fall out of the pocket book. The detective is a stranger to me. I see him pass by like any other gentleman. I have been a witness here two weeks ago in a case where a lady lost her pocket book. Louis Brewster sworn and examined in his own behalf testified. My right name is Louis Sterne. I gave the name of Brewster because I feared my father would hear of the arrest. I never saw the lady witness (the complainant) before the day I was brought up before her to be identified in the 27th St Station house. She said

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I was not the man; she said, "the man I had hold of was a full faced man; the next morning I was taken to the Jefferson Market Police Court and there the lady said she knew me better that I was the man. I was put in the audience among about thirty people: the detective stood beside me and the witness Maguire came and pointed me out. I was passing by on the 12<sup>th</sup> of January and saw the occurrence. I saw this lady in company with another looking into Maccreary's window; there were two gentlemen standing behind her; they separated, one went up towards 20<sup>th</sup> St and the other started down Broadway. I seen this lady run up to the man that went to 12<sup>th</sup> St, take hold of him, and scream "you have got my pocket book." "No, I have not," he said, it is the man going down there. A crowd of two hundred people gathered around and the man she had hold of dropped the pocket book behind her and she picked it up; several pennies rolled on the sidewalk. I was not near her, I was in the crowd. I was arrested nearly a month after the occurrence. The prisoner was cross examined at great length and admitted that he had been arrested on two charges of stealing but was discharged and said he had been employed as a floor walker up to

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December: John Duffy, who was also indicted on a separate indictment for the same offence testified that he did not know Brewster and that he did not see him that day.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty. He was sent to the State Prison for three years.

was going to pass me pocket book to him; it fell on the sidewalk. I picked it up and recovered it. There was

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Testimony in the case  
of  
Louis Brewster  
filed Feb. 17.

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*Chas. J. New.*

22 Bayden Street, Brooklyn, N. D.

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

FORM 89 1/2

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

of No. 104 Lexington Avenue being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the 12 day of January 18 80

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

and from the pocket of the Sacco  
Person of complaint  
the following property, to wit:

One pocketbook containing gold  
and lawful money of the  
United States and all

of the value of Seven or more Dollars,  
the property of Complainant a single  
man

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

Louis Brewster  
(now present) from the fact that  
deponent is informed by Richard  
Maguire that he identifies the  
Saint Brewster as the person who  
on or about said day did take  
steal and carry away said property  
from her person and saw deponent  
struggling to re-possess said pocketbook  
at or near the corner of 11 street and  
Broadway in said City  
Emma R. Munn

Sworn to before me, this 15 day

[Signature]  
Police Justice

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City <sup>and County</sup> of New York ss

Richard Maguire residing  
715 Dean Street Brooklyn New York State  
being duly sworn says that he has  
read the report the foregoing affidavit  
and the facts therein stated on the  
information of defendant are true of his  
own knowledge Richard Maguire

Sworn to before me  
this 15 day of February 1880

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, *Louis Brewster* being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he is at liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Louis Brewster*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*20 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*New York*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*245 E 59 St.*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*Farmer*

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

Answer.—*I am Not guilty*  
*Louis Brewster*

Taken before me, this

*[Signature]*  
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Police Justice.

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FORM 897.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Ernest R. Munn*  
104 *Washington Ave*  
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*Louis Brewster*

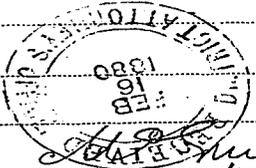
Affidavit—Larceny  
from 116 *Plum*

DATED *February 15* 18 *80*

*duffy* MAGISTRATE.

*Haley* OFFICER.  
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WITNESS:



*Richard H. Moore*  
715 *Dean St* *Notley*

\$ *500* TO ANS. *C. S. Com*

BAILED BY

No. STREET.

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

That *Louis Brewster.*

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

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

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

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

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

*one pocket book of the value of one dollar.*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *Emma R. Merwin*  
on the person of the said *Emma R. Merwin* then and there being found,  
from the person of the said *Emma R. Merwin* 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.

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Brown, Andrew

**DATE:**

02/05/80



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Counsel,

Filed 5 day of July 1880

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Andrew Brown

INDICTMENT.

Petit Larceny of Money from the Person.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

**A True Bill.**

M. Conant  
Foreman.

Part two: Feb 9, 1880.  
Holds previous entered by  
leave of the Court.

Wm. Russell  
Dist Atty

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FORM 112.

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

Police Court—Third District.

*Alfred Loder*

of No. *180 Madison* Street, being duly sworn, deposes

and says that on the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 18*80*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously <sup>*and impersonation*</sup> taken, stolen, and carried away from the possession of deponent.

the following property viz: *Seven dollars in gold and lawful money paper currency of the United States Government*

of the value of *Seven Dollars* Dollars  
the property of *the deponent*

and that this deponent has a probable cause to suspect, and does suspect, that the said property was feloniously taken, stolen, and carried away by *Andrew Brown (untrue)*

*for the reason that on or about six o'clock p.m. of the 28<sup>th</sup> inst this deponent was standing in conversation with the accused on the corner of Catherine & Madison street when the accused placed his hand in the right vest pocket of a garment worn by the deponent took therefrom the aforementioned sum and ran away therefrom.*

*Whereupon this deponent charges the accused with taking stealing and carrying away the aforementioned property from the person and the possession of the deponent.*

*Alfred Loder*

Sworn to, before me this

1880

*Henry H. Wray*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court—Third District.

CITY AND COUNTY )  
OF NEW YORK ) ss.

*Andrew Brown* being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was at  
liberty to refuse to answer any question that may be put to him states as follows,

viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Andrew Brown*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *Twenty five years.*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *In Ireland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *109 Madison St*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Long shoeman*

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

Answer. *I took his money and would  
have given it back to him when  
he got home*

*Andrew Brown*  
*Mark*

Taken before me, this

*29* day of *January* 18 *88*

POLICE JUSTICE.

*Henry [Signature]*

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name.....

Address.....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name.....

Address.....

POLICE COURT—THIRD DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Alfred Koder  
180 Madison St.

Andrew Brown

BAILED.

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

No. 5, by

Residence

No. 6, by

Residence

Dated January 19th 1880

Magistrate.

H. R. Howard

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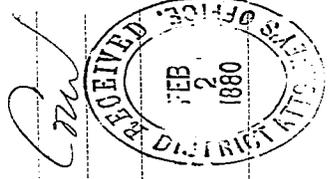
Clerk.

Witnesses

\$ 5.00 to answer

at Sessions

Received at Dist. Attys Office,



AFIDAVIT—LARCENY. *from Police*

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } NO.

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

That *Andrew Brown*

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

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

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

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

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

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

BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Brown, Charles

**DATE:**

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Counsel,  
Filed 20 day of Feb 1880  
Pleads

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Charles Brown

Indictment & Larceny.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

*I file this copy of the*  
*before me*  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*J. W. Conant*

Foreman.

Part two: Feb 21st. 1880

pleads guilty - ✓

*B. Elmer Ref.*

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**TORN PAGE(S)**

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New York, September 1918  
Dear Mother

I wish you would come  
down and see me as soon  
as you can for I am very  
sick this place is nearly  
killing me I hope you  
will try and get me  
out of here before many  
more days go and ask  
Mr Russell will he get  
me out right away for  
I am in a dirty damp  
cold cell all alone and  
it near freezes me there  
is no other stove nor  
steam pipes near me  
if you go and see him  
write and let me know  
what he says about it

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give my love to all  
tell mamma not to  
worry about me

this is all I have to  
say at present

I remain your loving  
son

Caldwell L. Brown

direct your letters  
to Charles Brown  
bell 81  
Tomb's

write to me as soon  
as you receive this  
letter

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No. 265. West 20<sup>th</sup> Street.  
New York City.  
March 14<sup>th</sup> 1880.

Hon. Sir:

You will remember my calling to see you in regard to my little son, Caldwell C. Brown, who was arrested on a charge of attempted burglary. Enclosed, please read a note that I received from him yesterday. The poor boy is very sick. He has always been scrofulous, as the marks on his neck will show. How he has lived during the late cold, with a straw bed, one blanket and no fire is a wonder to me. Even if he were guilty, which I seriously doubt, such torture of cold and solitary confinement, is terrible, it is horrible. The boy's reputation at home, is noted for honesty and the most scrupulous truthfulness. If you can consistently with the discharge of your duty, order his release, I will send him out of the city, at

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the earliest moment practicable.  
The companion who attempted the  
Burglary escaped, while my son  
was arrested. If guilty, I know  
that the Law should be enforced.  
The poor boy has already been confined  
for three weeks, and is now extremely  
ill. In the name of mercy, have  
him released!

I am, Sir,

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt servt.

Leovidas Brown.

Hon. W. K. Phelps,  
Dist. Atty.  
New York City.

P.S.

He has given an alias of  
"Charles Brown", and is in  
Cell 81. Tombs.

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STATE OF NEW YORK.



Executive Chamber.

Albany, Oct. 21, 1884.

Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the Pardon of Charles C. Brown who was sentenced on March 15, 1884, in your County, for the crime of W. Grand Larceny for the term of \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ to the State Prison Empire Reformatory, you are respectfully requested (in pursuance of Chapter 310, Laws 1849) to furnish the Governor with a concise statement of the case as proven on the trial, together with any other facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of granting or refusing a Pardon. Be pleased also to state the previous character of the convict.

Each letter of inquiry from this Department should be answered on a separate sheet.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Amos M. Egger

Pardon Clerk.

To Benj. K. Phelps  
District Attorney, &c.

The Indictment in this case has been returned Sept. 29, 1884 for Mr. Boyington  
Thos Cole

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STATE OF NEW YORK.



Executive Chamber.

Albany, Feb. 17, 1858

Sir: Application having been made to the Governor for the Pardon of Charles C. Brown who was sentenced on March 15, 1854, in your County, for the crime of Misd. Grand Larceny for the term of \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ to the State Prison Genesee Reformatory you are respectfully requested (in pursuance of Chapter 310, Laws 1849) to furnish the Governor with a concise statement of the case as proven on the trial, together with any other facts or circumstances which may have a bearing on the question of granting or refusing a Pardon. Be pleased also to state the previous character of the convict.

Each letter of inquiry from this Department should be answered on a separate sheet.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Edward Higginson  
Pardon Clerk.

To: Benj. K. Phelps  
District Attorney, &c.

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FORM 89 1/2

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK

ss.

POLICE COURT—SECOND DISTRICT.

*John Burton*  
of No. *779 Broadway* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *February* 18*90*

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken ~~stolen and carried~~ *attempted to take*  
*steal and carry in charge*  
away, from the possession of deponent,

the following property, to wit: *millinery goods, consisting*  
*of hats and bonnets*

of the value of *Thirty* Dollars.

the property of *Elijah Burton and then in*  
*charge 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~~ *attempted to be* *Charles Brown (now here)*

*for the reason following, to wit that*  
*deponent saw at about half past*  
*eleven O'Clock P.M. in the forenoon*  
*of said day, saw said Charles Brown*  
*open two of the locks attached to*  
*said show case (for the purpose of locking*  
*the door thereto) which said showcase*  
*stood then in the rear the entrance to*  
*the millinery store of said Elijah Burton*  
*on said house No 779 Broadway*  
*and when deponent came out of said*  
*store, saw said Charles Brown run away*  
*pursued by deponent, who called upon*  
*officer James C. King who arrested said*

Sumner to deponent on this

Police Justice

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defendant, and deponent charges that  
said defendant ~~attempted to open said~~  
~~locks~~ opened said locks in the attempt  
to feloniously, take, steal and carry away  
the said millinery goods contained in  
said show-case the property of said  
Elijah Burleton and then and there in charge  
of deponent

John Burleton

Sworn to before me

this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1880

Merem O. O'Leary

Police Justice

State of New York

City & County of New York } for James C. King  
of the 25<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police being duly  
sworn deposes and says he has heard read  
the foregoing affidavit and that portion  
of said affidavit which refers to him  
is true to his own knowledge

Sworn to before me

this 18 day of February 1880

Merem O. O'Leary

Police Justice

James C. King

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Police Court—Second District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

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

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—*Charles Brown*

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—*19 years*

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—*North Carolina*

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—*265 West 20th Street*

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—*I have no occupation now  
I have been employed in*

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

here preferred against you?

Answer.—*I am not guilty*

*Caldwell Brown*

Taken before me, this *11th* day of *January*, 18*96*  
*Miriam W. Brown*  
Police Justice.

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FORM 891.

POLICE COURT - SECOND DISTRICT.

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John Burleton*  
vs. *779 Broadway*

*Charles Brown*

Affidavit - Larceny.

DATED *February 18* 18*80*

*M. Otterbeury* MAGISTRATE.

*Keicy* OFFICER.

WITNESS: *said officer*

\$ *500* TO ANS. *General Services Co.*

BAILED BY.....

NO. .... STREET.

*Handwritten scribbles*

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

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

That

*Charles Brown*

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

*Thirty hats of the value of one dollar each*  
*Thirty bonnets of the value of one dollar each*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Eliza Burleton*

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Brumaghim, James M.

**DATE:**

02/16/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed *11* day of *Feb* 18*70*

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

*vs*  
*39* *Conslant*

vs.

*B*  
*James M. Bramaghini*

Violation Excise Law.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,  
*District Attorney.*

**A True Bill.**

*M. Consett*

*Foreman.*

*Part no Feb 24. 1880*  
*pleads guilty -*  
*Fined \$10. # 131*

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**First District Police Court.**

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

of No. the 2<sup>nd</sup> Precinct Police Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that on the 3<sup>rd</sup>

day of February 1888, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. 39 Courtland Street,  
James M. Bermingham

did sell, or caused, suffered or permitted to be sold, under his direction or authority, strong or spirituous liquors or wines, to be drunk in his house or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Sections 13 and 14 of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intemperance and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this 3<sup>rd</sup>  
day of February 1888

B. W. Murphy  
POLICE JUSTICE.

James J. Tuite

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43 No. 39 Courtland St  
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35 Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James J. Lute

vs.

James M. Brumaghey

MISDEMEANOR,  
Selling Liquor, &c. without License.

Dated the 3 day of Feb 1880

B. A. Bieby Magistrate.

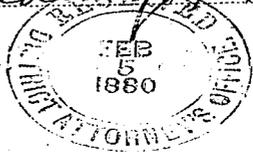
Officers.

Witness

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans.

By Josiah A. Sample

679 Broadway Street.



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

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

That

*James M. Brumaghein*

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

*James J. Suite*

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

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

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

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Bucanni, Gabriel

**DATE:**

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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 4 day of Feb 1850

Pleads

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THE PEOPLE

vs.

Gabriel Roscanni

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Violation Excise Law.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

W. Constrictor  
Foreman.  
February 6. 1850  
W. J. Pennington  
District Attorney

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Fourth District Police Court.

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

*James Puma*  
of No. *18 Avenue Police* Street,  
of the City of New York, being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the *19<sup>th</sup>*

day of *January* 18*80*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. *134<sup>th</sup> Avenue* Street,  
*Gabriel Bucanni. now present*

*to wit: beer.*  
did sell, or caused, suffered, or permitted to be sold, under his direction, or authority, ~~strong~~ ~~spirited~~ liquors  
to be drunk in his house, or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary  
to and in violation of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intem-  
perance, and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *20* day  
of *January* 18*80*

*James Brennan*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

James Pennard  
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against

MISDEMEANOR,  
Selling Liquor, &c., without License.

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Dated the 20 day of Janry. 1880

W Magistrate.

Pucanux Officers.

Witness .....

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans. G.S.

By August Schmidt  
at 9-10 Ave on 108 Street.

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

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

That

*Gabriel Bucanni*

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

*James Brennan* -

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

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

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

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Burke, Michael

**DATE:**

02/05/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed 5 day of Feby 1880

Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Michael Burke

Violation Excise Law.

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BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

S. W. Comstock

Foreman.

Part No. 7 Ch. 26. 1880  
Bail forfeited + ent?  
March 7<sup>th</sup> 1880  
Pleads guilty  
H. M. d. J. P.

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Fourth District Police Court.

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

*William F. McKeon*

of No. *25 Beunit Police* Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the *21*

day of *January* 187*0*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. *53 21 Street* Street,

*Michael Burke* ~~was~~ *not* ~~did~~ *not* ~~sell~~ *sell*, or caused, suffered, or permitted to be sold, under his direction, or authority, ~~strong or spirituous liquors~~ *all* ~~or wines,~~ to be drunk in his house, or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary to and in violation of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intemperance, and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *22* day  
of *January* 187*0* }

*William F. McKeon*

*William F. McKeon*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

William F. McKeon

against

Michael Burke

MISDEMEANOR,  
Selling Liquor, &c., without License.

Dated the 22 day of January 1880

W. W. Magistrate.



McKeon

Officers.

Witness

Bailed \$ to Ans.

By Patrick Leahy

095-9 Avenue Street.

Patrick Leahy  
44  
Patrick Leahy  
520 W 44 St

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

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

That

*Michael Burke*

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

*William F. McKern*

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

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

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

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**

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DESCRIPTION:

Byren, John

DATE:

02/02/80



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Day of Trial

Counsel,

Filed

day of

Feb.

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Pleads

THE PEOPLE

vs.

John Ryan

Violation Excise Law.

BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

J. W. Lovestock

Foreman.

Well found  
February 3, 1878.  
Jail Discharged.

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Fourth District Police Court.

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

*Henry F. Cornish*  
of No. *28 Precinct Police* Street,

of the City of New York, being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the *21*

day of *January* 18*80*, at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

at No. *353 East 76th* Street,

*John B. Green - now present.*  
did sell, or caused, suffered, or permitted to be sold, under his direction, or authority, strong or spirituous liquors  
or wines, to be drunk in his house, or premises aforesaid, in quantities less than five gallons at a time, contrary  
to and in violation of the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Suppress Intem-  
perance, and to Regulate the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors," passed April 16, 1857.

Sworn to before me, this *21* day  
of *January* 18*80* }

*Henry F. Cornish*

*William J. ...*  
Police Justice.

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Police Court, Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Henry A. Cornish

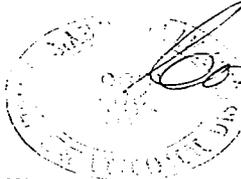
28 Dec  
against

MISDEMEANOR,  
Selling Liquor, &c, without License.

John Pyren

Dated the 21 day of Jan'y 1880

H. Magistrate.



Cornish Officers.

Witness

Bailed \$ 100 to Ans.

By John Dullinaw

429 E. 71<sup>st</sup> Street.

John Sullivan  
429 - E. 71<sup>st</sup> - R.E.  
145. 148 St

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

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

That

*John - Byren -*

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

*Henry Z. Corrick*

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

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

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

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

**BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.**