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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Farnen, Cornelius

**DATE:**

02/17/81



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No 120.

Filed 7 day of July 1887

Pleas

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

Robertus Jansen, Jr.

Attorney at Law  
DUNN & WARD

District Attorney

A True Bill.

Henry J. Day  
July 20th 1887  
Foreman

Henry J. Day  
July 20th 1887

Remembrance of the  
Wednesday  
Sept 20th 1887

Indictment for Receiving  
Stolen Goods, &c.

Amesbury  
says he has  
been 3 years  
in the  
in good  
be known.

True Bill

Grand Jurors

True Bill

Grand Jurors of the County of Essex

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Police Office, Fourth District.

City and County }  
of New York, } ss.

John B Hennessey

of No. 1090 First Avenue Street, being duly sworn,  
deposes and says, that the premises No. 1090 First Avenue  
Street, 19 Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a dwelling  
and which was occupied by deponent as a dwelling house

were **BURGLARIOUSLY**  
entered by means of forcing off the lock of an inner  
door of said house opening from a room to  
the entry way of said house

on the day of the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1881  
and the following property feloniously taken, stolen and carried away, viz.:

Two Coats A Shawl dress and  
five silver spoons and good and  
lawful money of the United States  
consisting of Bills of the issue of the  
United States of the value of one  
hundred and four Dollars in all  
of the value of Two hundred and  
four Dollars

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

for the reasons following, to wit: said money was contained  
in a pocket of one of said Coats and the  
Coat was hanging in said room as entered  
as above stated. deponent charges said  
Cornelius from the fact that deponent identifies  
the Coat here produced as one of the Coats  
so stolen as aforesaid and deponent was  
informed it was found on the person of said  
Cornelius

John B Hennessey

Sworn to before me this  
11 day of February 1881  
J. J. McLaughlin  
Police District

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City and County  
of New York ss

Henry F. Cornish of 28<sup>th</sup>  
Precinct being duly sworn says that on  
this day deponent arrested Cornelius Far  
nen now present and found the Coat now  
produced and identified by John B. Hennesey  
as his property on his person

Sworn to before me this  
11 day of February 1881

J. W. Smith

Police Justice

Henry F. Cornish

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

Cornelius Aaron being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Cornelius Aaron*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*17 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*New York*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*63 St + 2 Ave*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Work in a chair factory*

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

Answer.

*A fellow gave me the coat  
to pawn. He came up to me  
& asked me to pawn it for  
\$3 and meet him at 58  
St + 3 Ave and would give  
me 50 cents for it.*

Taken before me this

11

day of February

1887

*Richard M. Police Justice*

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Police Court - Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, & c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*John B. Wiggins*  
*1091 1/2 St. W.*  
*1 Cornhill*



*Henry J. Cornish*  
Offence,

- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6

Dated *February 11* 1881

*Wiggins* Magistrate.

*Cornish* Officer.

Clerk.

Witnesses,

*Henry J. Cornish*  
*28th Precinct Police*

*Wiggins*

*Cornish*

Received in District Att'y's Office,

*James Quinn*

*Said*  
*50-1/2 St. 1st. 2d*

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

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CITY AND COUNTY 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

*Bornelius Tarnen*

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *eight* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eight~~ *one* with force and arms, about the hour of *three* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*John B. Kennedy* there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter ~~the same~~ *therein*

he the said *Bornelius Tarnen*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property of

*John B. Kennedy*

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

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

*Bornelius Tarnen*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

*Two coats of the value of twenty dollars each*  
*One chair of the value of ten dollars*  
*One skin of the value of twenty dollars*  
*One watch of the value of twenty dollars*  
*One pair of the value of five dollars*  
*Five coats of the value of one dollar 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 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 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 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 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 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 there due and unsatisfied, of the value of five dollars each; fifteen promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due 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 there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each; thirty promissory notes for the payment of money (and of the kind known as bank notes), being then and there due and there due and unsatisfied, of the value of one dollar each; thirty gold coins (of the kind known as eagles), of the value of ten dollars each; ten gold coins (of the kind known as quarter eagles), of the value of two dollars and fifty cents each; ten gold coins (of the kind 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 aforesaid, 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; three hundred and fifty silver coins (of the kind usually known as quarter dollars), of the value of twenty-five cents each; three hundred and fifty 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.

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of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *John B. Kennedy*

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

And THE JURORS OF THE COUNTY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears upon their Oath, present and to be presented:

Cornelius Tarnen

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

Ward, City and County aforesaid,

- Two coats of the value of twenty dollars each
- One shawl of the value of ten dollars
- One skirt of the value of twenty dollars
- One over-skirt of the value of twenty dollars
- One waist of the value of five dollars
- Five spoons of the value of one dollar 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 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; 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 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; and of a number and denomination to the value of ten dollars each; six 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 of the jurors unknown, and a more particular description whereof cannot be given, of the value of one thousand dollars. 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of the goods, Chattels and personal property of *John B. Hanney*

by *a certain person or*

~~and certain other persons, to the jurors aforesaid unknown, then lately before feloniously taken and conveyed away from the said~~  
*John B. Hanney*  
stolen ~~therein~~

unlawfully, unjustly, and to the ~~benefit~~ *unjust gain*, and feloniously receive and have

(the said

*Cornelius Tarnen*

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 pro-

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

*David C. Collins*

~~DAVID C. COLLINS~~, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Feeney, Michael

**DATE:**

02/14/81



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*Q.P.P.*

*No 80*

Filed *14* day of *Febry* 188*1*

Pleads *Not Guilty (15)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*31*  
*67 James*  
*plumber*

Felony Assault and Battery.

*Michael Feeley*  
*Daniel G. Rollins*  
BENJ. K. FIELDS,

District Attorney.

*Part Mrs. Peery 24, 1881.*

*Fried & convicted as Assault*  
*with a recommendation to the*

A True Bill. *many of the Court*

*Alfred C. Peery*  
*C.P. 1 month*

Foreman.

*Thomas D. Peery*  
*175*  
*Peery*

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Form 112.

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

Police Court First District.

*Fredrick W. Passie*  
of No. *14 East First* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *January* 18*81*  
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 a trunk*

in a room of said premises  
the following property, viz: *one gold chain with*  
*locket attached one pair of*  
*pantaloons one vest one pair of*  
*gaiters a pocket book containing*  
*foreign coins one pair of drawers*  
*and one undershirt in all*

of the value of *slightly* 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 *Richard Fisher*

*now present from the fact that*  
*the prisoner occupied with deponent*  
*the room in which the trunk was*  
*that contained said property. That*  
*on the day in question deponent advised*  
*his property and the prisoner had gone,*  
*that subsequently the pocket book*  
*containing the foreign coins was found*  
*in his possession and he informed*  
*Officer Weinberg where the chain and*  
*locket and pantaloons could be found*  
*and where they were afterwards found*  
*by the Officer Fritz W. Passie*

Sworn to, before me, this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day

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*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

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City and County of New York

Joseph Weingberg of the Central Police Office being duly sworn says that the forgeries admitted to depositions that he did take and that the aforesaid property and directed depositions to the place where he found the chain, locket, and fantoms, here shown, and which are identified by complainant as part of the property taken from his trunk on the day in question

Joseph Weingberg

Sworn to before me this  
3rd day of July 1889  
at New York  
City Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK.

*Richard Fisher*

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Richard Fisher*

Question. How old are you?

Answer,

*25 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer

*192 Canal Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Cook*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of the charge*

*Richard Fisher*

Taken before me, this  
*[Signature]*  
day of February 1897  
Police Justice

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name, .....

Address, .....

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE, & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Pedro W. Glasse*  
14 & 1st Street

vs.  
*Richard Fisher*



A Misadavit—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,

Defendant, *Strawman B* 1881

Magistrate,

Officer,

Clerk,

Witnesses:

*Calvin Officer*

*W. F. O'Connell* to answer

at Sessions

Received at Dist. Atty's office

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**CORRECTION**

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*W.P.P.* *Ms 88*

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Pleads *vs. Greely (10)*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*31*  
*67 James*  
*plumber*

*P*

Felony Assault and Battery.

*Michael Feeney*  
*Daniel G. Rollins*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

*Part Mrs. Peery 24, 1881.*

*tried & convicted an assault*  
*with a recommendation to the*  
*penitentiary for 1 month*

A True Bill.

*Henry Jones*  
*C.P. 1 month*  
Foreman.

*Thomas J. ...*  
*Thurs day*  
*17*

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Form 112.

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

Police Court - First District.

*Fredrick W. Prasse*  
of No. *44 East First* Street, being duly sworn, deposes  
and says, that on the *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *January* 18*87*

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

in a room of said premises  
the following property, viz: *one gold chain with  
locket attached one pair of  
pantaloons one vest one pair of  
gaiters a pocket book containing  
foreign coins one pair of drawers  
and one undershirt in all*

of the value of *slightly* 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 *Richard Fisher*

*now present from the fact that  
the prisoner occupied with deponent  
the room in which the trunk was  
that contained said property. That  
on the day in question deponent missed  
his property and the prisoner had gone,  
that subsequently the pocket book  
containing the foreign coins was found  
in his possession and he informed  
Officer Weinberg where the chain and  
locket and pantaloons could be found  
and where they were afterwards found  
by the Officer Frits W. Prasse*

*Fredrick W. Prasse*  
18  
Police Justice

Sworn to before me, this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day

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City and County of  
New York

Joseph Weirberg of the Central  
Police Office being duly sworn  
says that the prisoner admitted  
to depositions that he did take  
and steal the aforesaid property  
and directed depositions to the  
place where he found the  
chain, locket, and pantaloons,  
here shown, and which are  
identified by complainant as  
part of the property taken from  
his trunk on the day in question

Hyatt M. Moore

Sworn to before me this  
3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1889  
at New York  
City Justice

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

*Richard Fisher*

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.

*Richard Fisher*

Question. How old are you?

Answer,

*25 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Germany*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer

*192 Canal Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Cook*

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

Answer.

*I am guilty of the  
Charge*

*Richard Fisher*

Taken before me, this

*3rd*

day of

*February 1897*

Police Justice.

*[Signature]*

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

Name .....  
Address .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

Name .....  
Address .....

Police Court—First District.

THE PEOPLE & C.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Richard W. Glasse*  
14 & 1st Street

Affidavit—Larceny.

vs.  
*Richard Fisher*



*John B. ...*  
Magistrate.  
*Joseph ...*  
Clerk.

Witnesses: *Collector*

*...*  
to answer  
at ... Sessions.  
Received at Dist. Atty's office

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,

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Form

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } S. :

POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT.

By Patrick McKeown,  
of No. 67 James Street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,

that on the 20th day of January, 1881,  
at about the hour of 2 P.M. at the City of New York, in the County of New York, he was violently and feloniously assaulted and

beaten by Michael Henney

now present.

who then cut the deponent's throat with a knife

Sworn to, before me, this

day of January, 1881.

James J. ... Police Justice.

Deponent believes that said injury, as above set forth, was inflicted by said Michael Henney

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.

Patrick McKeown  
Mark

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Police Court—First District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.:  
OF NEW YORK,

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Michael Feary*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *35 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. *Ireland.*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. *67 James St. N.Y.*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. *Shoemaker.*

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

Answer. *I put the man: but I was overpowered—  
Michael Feary*

Taken before me, this

*Wm. H. May*  
1881.

POLICE JUSTICE.

*Wm. H. May*

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COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

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

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

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

Police Court - First District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Patrick McKeen*  
*67 James St*  
*Michael McKeen*



AF FIDAVIT - Felonious Assault & Battery

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5 .....  
6 .....

Dated *January 20th* 18*91*

*Magistrate*  
*Officer*  
*4th*  
Clerk,

Witnesses,  
*James O'Brien*  
*67 James St*

*Ball*  
No answer

at General Sessions.....  
Received at Dist. Atty's Office, *Ball*

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

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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 Feeney*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
*fourteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty *one* with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of *Patrick M. Keon*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and *him* the said *Patrick M. Keon*  
with a certain *knife*  
which the said *Michael Feeney*

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  
with intent *him* the said *Patrick M. Keon*  
then and there, feloniously and willfully to kill, against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the 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 *Michael Feeney*  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Patrick M. Keon*  
then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an  
assault and *him* the said *Patrick M. Keon*  
with a certain *knife* which the said *Michael Feeney*

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 *Patrick M. Keon*  
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 afore-  
said, the said *Michael Feeney*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of *Patrick M. Keon*  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another  
assault and *him* the said *Patrick M. Keon*  
with a certain *knife*

which the said *Michael Feeney*  
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 *Patrick M. Keon* with intent *him* the

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said *Patrick M. Keon* then and there feloniously and willfully 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

*Michael Seemey* with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Patrick M. Keon* then and there being, willfully and feloniously, did make another assault and the said *Patrick M. Keon* with a certain *knife* which the said *Michael Seemey* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, willfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously main *him* the said *Patrick M. Keon* against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

*Daniel G. Rollins*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS, District Attorney.

*Michael Seemey*  
*Daniel G. Rollins*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS  
District Attorney.  
Part in. entry 24, 1881.  
tried & sentenced as the law  
with communication to him  
A TRUE BILL.  
*Wm. C. O'Connell*  
Clerk of Court.  
Borough  
Filed 14 day of July 1881  
Pleas  
THE PEOPLE  
31  
of June  
P  
Felonious Assault and Battery.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Fischer, Richard

**DATE:**

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

IN SENATE, FEBRUARY 17, 1881

Counsel,  
Filed 8 day of Feb 1881  
Pleads

Indictment - Larceny

THE PEOPLE

vs  
Richard Fisher

David S. Collins  
~~BENJ. K. PHILLIPS,~~

District Attorney  
Part No. 1009, 9, 1881

pleads guilty  
A True Bill.  
J. P. Maynard  
Alfred Dudley

Foreman

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Rec  
Geo Shelby

New York Jan 2<sup>d</sup> 1851  
Dear Mr Rollins, District  
Attorney of the City of  
New York in the State  
of New York, Sir  
Owing to sickness  
I am unable to attend  
the Court of  
General Sessions on  
Monday Jan 24<sup>th</sup>  
I was in Court  
yesterday when it was  
adj'd for a homicide  
being to be out, I was  
then in the hands of  
a Doctor, and have ever  
since been confined  
to my bed. Be it under-  
stood that I have

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certified to the truth  
as far as I know  
concerning James Kelly  
and my Peter-Pook  
both in the 57th St  
Court and Court  
of General Sessions  
I know nothing more  
about it and only  
wish it could be  
stopped, as it seems  
to me that I am the  
only one made to  
suffer, and at my  
own expense  
Praying you  
will excuse me

Clara Dumas  
120 W 40th St  
To His Honor

David S. Rollins

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People  
vs  
James Kelly

Indictment for Larceny from  
the Person

It is hereby stipulated and agreed  
that the testimony of Clara Thomas,  
annexed hereto and taken under  
the above indictment be re-  
ceived as and for testimony given  
on the trial of said indictment  
and be used and received in  
Court on the trial of said  
indictment with the same  
force and effect as if taken  
in open Court in the name  
of said Kelly on the trial of  
the said indictment.

Dated in New York January 24. 1880

J. Hugh Williams  
of Counsel for James  
Kelly

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People

James Kelly, My

City and County of New York. Clara  
Thomas, being duly sworn and  
examined before, testifies and  
says that she resides No. 120  
West 40<sup>th</sup> Street in this City. That  
on January 17, 1881 about 2 or 3 PM  
Jury at the corner of 59<sup>th</sup> Street and  
3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue in this City and had in  
my coat pocket a pocket book  
containing a \$2 bill one silver  
quarter of a dollar, a small  
pocket knife and <sup>other</sup> things mentioned  
in the complaint and indictment  
herein. I was standing there waiting  
for a car. A Policeman now  
present - Henry J. Tenkamp  
called to my attention to my pocket  
book having been stolen. The police-  
man then had a young man in  
custody - the prisoner here. The  
Policeman in his presence said  
my pocket had been picked. I  
do not remember whether Officer  
said who picked it. The police -

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man had in his hand my pocket book. I identified the pocket book as mine. I didn't see or feel anyone take the pocket book out of my pocket. I didn't see this young until I saw him in custody of the prison officer. I had been standing at the corner about three minutes. I had just been using the pocket book in a baker shop on 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue between 58<sup>th</sup> & 59<sup>th</sup> St. before I stood at the corner. I didn't see my pocket since I used it in the baker shop until the officer called my attention to it. I suppose there were people passing up & down 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. at that time who were standing near me at the time I left the baker shop.

My 24<sup>th</sup> day of   
January 1887  
William Leary  
A. C. Stanley  
Co

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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

*Richard Fischer*

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

*One chain of the value of ten dollars  
One locket of the value of five dollars  
One pantaloons of the value of five dollars  
One vest of the value of four dollars  
One pair of gaiters of the value of one dollar  
One pair of drawers of the value of one dollar  
One shirt of the value of one dollar  
One pocket book of the value of one dollar  
Divers coins of a number kind and de-  
nomination to the jurors aforesaid unknown  
and a more accurate description of  
which cannot now be given of the value  
of fifty dollars*

of the goods, chattels and personal property of one

*Frederick W. Grace*

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. *David S. Rollins*

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS~~, District Attorney.

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Flanagan, Owen

**DATE:**

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Filed 24 day of Feb 1851.

Plends *in* *the* *City*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

Assault and Battery.

*I.*  
*Queen's*

*Paul S. Collins*  
H. K. MAULES,

District Attorney.

*Henry*  
*James*

A True Bill.

*Henry*

*Ben: Simpson*  
Foreman.

*Subpn. to be found*  
*at 10 o'clock for 10 days*  
*from 11th.*

OR NEW YORK  
GILL AND CORNELL

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Coroner's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

Owen Flanagan being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to answer or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—Owen Flanagan

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—52 years

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—Ireland

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—1237 9<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—Hot-carrier

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

Not Guilty

Owen Flanagan

Taken before me, this 30 day of Oct. 1897

Thomas C. Kemp CORONER.

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MEMORANDUM.

AGE.			PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE, When Reported.
Years.	Months.	Days.			
56			Ireland	1237 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div.	Oct 26 80

*Bill ordered*

*Manchester*

*W. H. T.*

*W. H. T.*

*230 E 61*

*411 261 Nov 1880*

HOMICIDE.

DEPT. OF JUSTICE  
AN INQUIRY

ON THE VIEW OF THE BODY

James F. Flanagan

whereby it is found that he came to  
his death by the hands of  
James F. Flanagan by a  
blow on the head with  
a tin plate causing  
fracture of the skull of  
his head, acceleration  
by fully degeneration of  
the brain - Medical

Original taken on the 30<sup>th</sup> day  
of October 1880

John W. Flanagan & Co.  
Coroner.



*for Dec 15*

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4th 261 No 1880

# HOMICIDE.

## AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

*Amie Flanagan*

whereby it is found that she came to her Death by the hands of *Cross Flanagan* by a blow on the head with a tin pipe causing a laceration & contusion of the brain, accelerated by fully degeneration of the heart & kidneys

Inquest taken on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 1880 before *J. Marcus & Co.* Coroners.

Committed to the Prison  
Director of Health  
Date of death *Oct 26. 80*  
for No 15

*Bill on do...*

*Handwritten signature*

*Witness*  
*220 361*

AGE.	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE When Reported.
<i>37</i> Years, Months, Days.	<i>Ireland</i>	<i>220 361</i>	<i>Oct 26. 80</i>

### MEMORANDUM.

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**TESTIMONY.**

Philip A. Waller M.D. being sworn says I made an Autopsy on body of deceased and found  
A Suppurating wound two-thirds of an inch long and 3 inches above the inner edge of the right eye-brow - extending into the bone.

On removing the scalp an indentation was found in the frontal bone  $\frac{2}{16}$  of an inch deep and immediately under the wound in the scalp.

The dura-mater was adherent to Calvarium over its whole extent.

The membranes were thickened.

The vessels of the brain were engorged.

Both hemispheres of the Cerebrum were congested.

Fatty Degeneration of the Heart

Fatty Degeneration of the Kidneys

I am of the opinion that death is due to ~~Cerebral~~ fatal traumatic Meningitis and Congestion of the brain accelerated by Fatty Degeneration of the Heart and Kidneys

P. A. Waller M.D.

Sworn to before me  
this 26 day of Oct 1880

Thomas C. Brown CORONER

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MEMORANDUM.

AGE.			PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE When Reported.
Years.	Months	Days.			
56			Ireland	1237 9 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Oct 26 80

Dr. Lunn  
 " Prunnett  
 Co. Newark  
 Feb. 24  
 Keely's

K.

AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

Anna Flanagan

whereby it is found that she came to  
& Death by

Original taken on the  
of 1888  
day

THOMAS C. KNOX, Coroner.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_ 18

**AN INQUISTION**

On the VIEW of the BODY of

*Annie Flanagan*

whereby it is found that she came to  
Death by

Inquest taken on the \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ 1888  
before

THOMAS C. KNOX, Coroner.

*5745/200  
D. Sumner  
" Prunson Exp. No 6445  
Cora Trausick Hennings  
Feb. 24 1888  
Keddy's*

56	Years	Months	Days
AGE.			
Ireland			
PLACE OF NATIVITY.			
1237 @ 2nd Ave			
WHERE FOUND.			
Oct 26 88			
DATE When Reported.			

**MEMORANDUM.**

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

John D Flanagan sworn and deposed saying  
sworn says - I live at 330 17<sup>th</sup> St. I saw  
my father last before my mother got  
hurt about a week. I saw her again  
a week before she died.

I saw her and the cut on her  
head and my sister told me that  
father had struck her with a dinner  
can. I saw her the day before she died  
and stated all night she was un-  
conscious.

John D Flanagan

I have seen my mother drink beer and  
whiskey at times but never saw her drink.

Taken before me  
this 30 day of Oct 1880

Thomas C. Purp CORONER

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**TESTIMONY.**

Mary Flanagan daughter of deceased Henry sworn says. on Oct 13. Wednesday she was perfectly well but was always delicate my father was drunk up all night Tuesday, at 7 o'clock Wednesday Oct 13. There was a can of beer left. my mother told me to throw it away. he came out from the kitchen and asked me what I done with it I said I threw it out. He struck me twice with the beer can on the head my mother went to save me and he struck her. the wound bled profusely for 2 hours we fixed it up as good as we could. 2 nights after I took her to a drug store 62<sup>nd</sup> St 7<sup>th</sup> Ave and he put plaster on. Last Thursday she grew heavier. she had complaints of headache after the blow she became delirious. on Saturday it increased. Yesterday at 3 o'clock her vomiting ceased she became quiet and slept and swore she died at 2 am. Oct. 26. 1880

Mary Flanagan

Sworn before me this 26. of Oct 1880

Maggie Flanagan. Henry sworn says I have heard my sister's statement and corroborate it fully.

Maggie Flanagan

Sworn to before me  
this 26 day of Oct 1880

Thomas C. Murphy CORONER.

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**STATE OF NEW YORK.**

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

**AN INQUISITION,**

*Taken at the*  
*No.* \_\_\_\_\_ *Street, in the* \_\_\_\_\_ *Ward of the City of*

*New York, in the County of New York, this* \_\_\_\_\_ *day of*  
*in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and* \_\_\_\_\_ *before*

**THOMAS C. KNOX, Coroner,**

*of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of*

*now lying dead at*

*Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of*

*good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and*  
*sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said*  
*came to h death, do,*

*upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said*  
*came to h death by*

**In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition**  
**set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.**

**JURORS.**

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**CORONER, E. S.**

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

AN INQUISITION,

Taken at the house of No 40 E. Houston Street in the 15 Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, this 30 day of Oct. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and 80 before Thomas C. Knox Coroner,

of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of Annie Flanagan being dead at

1237 2<sup>d</sup> Ave Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of seven good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said

Annie Flanagan came to her death, do, upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said Annie Flanagan

came to her death by Meningitis and Congestion of the brain the result of a blow with a tin pail at the hands of Owen Flanagan on Oct 13 - 1880 at 1237 2<sup>d</sup> Ave. accelerated by Fatty Degeneration of the Kidneys and Heart.

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

JURORS.

Samuel Devoy
Chas. Sachs
George Brown
Louis A. Linder
Peter Bonnell
George M. Schartz

Philip Morris

Thomas C. Knox CORONER, S. S.

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The People of the State of New York, on the  
Complaint of

vs.

List of Witnesses.

Owen Alauagan

NAMES.

RESIDENCE.

John D Alauagan

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St

Mary Alauagan

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St

Maggie Alauagan

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"

"

"

J W Cronin M.D.

846 1st Av.

J E Donlin M.D.

Coroner's Office

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

Patrick W. Crenan M.D. of 846 Lexington  
Ave. being sworn says. I was called to  
see deceased a day or later past of  
last week or (1237) 2<sup>nd</sup> A.M. I found her  
sitting in a chair. her head sunk on her  
brest. her chin <sup>drooping</sup> ~~drooping~~ <sup>as if asleep</sup> ~~drooping~~ <sup>nothing particular</sup>  
about her breathing. pulse accelerated  
pupils natural or if anything <sup>contradict</sup>  
patient could be raised.

From <sup>her</sup> ~~the~~ condition I doubted whether it was  
the result of drinking not.

I was told she had taken 2 glasses  
of wine (probably Port)

I was under the impression that she  
was suffering from disease of the  
Nerves and asked for some urine for  
analysis. I did not see her again.  
I made no positive diagnosis ~~except~~  
~~Confirmation of~~ ~~the~~ ~~same~~ ~~is~~

P. W. Crenan

Taken before me,  
this 30 day of Oct 1880.

Thomas C. King CORONER

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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

*Owen Flanagan*

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, afterwards, to wit: on the *nineteenth* day of  
*October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
~~seventy eight~~ *eighty*, at the City and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon

*Annie Flanagan*  
in the peace of the People of the State then and there being, wilfully and  
feloniously did make an assault.

And that he the said *Owen Flanagan*

*her* the said *Annie Flanagan*  
with a certain *tin pail*  
which *he* the said *Owen Flanagan*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held *her*  
the said *Annie Flanagan* in and upon the *head*  
of *her* the said *Annie Flanagan*  
then and there wilfully and feloniously, did strike, stab, cut and wound, giving  
unto *her* the said *Annie Flanagan*  
then and there with the *tin pail*

aforesaid, in and upon the *head*  
of *her* the said *Annie Flanagan* one mortal wound of  
the breadth of *one* inch and of the depth of *two* inches of which  
said mortal wound *she* the said *Annie Flanagan*  
at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, from the day first aforesaid, in the year  
aforesaid, until the *twenty sixth* day of *October*  
~~in the same year~~ aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, and on which  
~~twenty sixth~~ day of *October*  
in the year aforesaid, the said *Annie Flanagan* at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, of the said mortal wound did die.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say that *he* the said

*Owen Flanagan* *her*

the said *Annie Flanagan* in the manner and form, and by  
the means aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, on the day and the  
year aforesaid, wilfully and feloniously, did kill and slay against the form of the  
Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the  
State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,  
District Attorney.

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*NY Herald Tribune*

Counsel, W. C. Mullan

Filed 9 day of Feb 1887

Pleads, at New York 11.

THE PEOPLE

vs.

*P*

*Owen Flanagan*

Homicide of the degree of

*Murder in the 1st degree*

DANIEL G. ROLLINS

District Attorney.

*Advised to Court by Clerk  
Jennings*

A True Bill. *W. C. Mullan*

*W. C. Mullan*

Foreman.

*H. P. F.*

*Spauld & Postley*

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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

*Owen Flanagan*

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

*Daniel S. Rollins*

**BENJ. W. HELPE** District Attorney.

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THE PEOPLE

*vs.*  
*145 C. No*  
*plimley*

*P*

Felony Assault and Battery.

*Henry Flavin*  
*Daniel G. Rollins*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS,

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Henry C. [unclear]*  
*Feb 9 1881* Foreman

*He was guilty on*  
*Grand Jury*

*W. H. C. Jones S.P.*  
*FS*

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY } ss.  
OF NEW YORK, }

Henry Blavin being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law, on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Henry Blavin

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 21 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. New York

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 145 East 40<sup>th</sup> St

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. Plumber

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

Answer. I dont remember anything  
about it  
Henry Blavin

*[Signature]*  
Taken before me this 21 day of January 1911  
*[Signature]*  
Police Justice

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Police Court Fourth District.  
STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Robert Farrell

of No. 306 East 45<sup>th</sup>

on Friday the 31<sup>st</sup> being duly sworn, deposes and says, that  
in the year 1890 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Street,  
day of December

and feloniously  
he was violently ASSAULTED and BEATEN by Henry Glavin,  
(murderer), who cut and stabbed  
deponent on the nose and forehead  
with a knife then and then held in  
the hand of him the said Glavin

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 bound to answer  
for the above assault, &c., and be dealt with according to law.

Sworn before me, this 31<sup>st</sup> day  
of January 1890

Robt. J. Farrell.

Wm. Murray  
Police Justice.

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Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Robert Daniel  
306 E. 45th St.

AMDAVIS, A. & R.  
PETITIONERS.



Witness  
Jesse J. [unclear] 1897

H. M. Magistrate.

Booker Officer. 19

Witness,

Jos. [unclear]

207 E. 45th St.

G. J. Kelly

844 2 Ave.

1000 [unclear]

Com

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
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 Flavin

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the  
thirty first day of December in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and eighty with force and arms, at the City and  
County aforesaid, in and upon the body of Robert F. Farrell  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously did make an assault  
and him the said Robert F. Farrell  
with a certain knife which the said  
Henry Flavin

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  
with intent him the said Robert F. Farrell  
then and there, feloniously and willfully to kill, against the form of the Statute  
in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of  
New York and their dignity.

SECOND COUNT.

And the 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 Henry Flavin Robert F. Farrell  
with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said  
then and there being, willfully and feloniously did make an  
assault and him the said Robert F. Farrell  
with a certain knife which the said  
Henry Flavin

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 Robert F. Farrell  
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 afore-  
said, the said Henry Flavin Robert F. Farrell

with force and arms, in and upon the body of  
in the peace of the said people then and there being, feloniously, did make another  
assault and him the said Robert F. Farrell  
with a certain knife  
which the said Henry Flavin

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 Robert F. Farrell with intent him the

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said *Robert F. Farrell* then and there feloniously and willfully 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 *Henry Flavin*

with force and arms, in and upon the body of the said *Robert F. Farrell* then and there being, willfully and feloniously, did make another assault and the said *Robert F. Farrell* with a certain *knife* which the said *Henry Flavin* in *his* right hand then and there had and held, the same being then and there a deadly weapon, willfully and feloniously did then and there beat, strike, stab, cut and wound, with intent to then and there willfully and feloniously maim *him* the said *Robert F. Farrell* against the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

*Daniel G. Collins*

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

Filed 8 day of *July* 1881  
Pleas

THE PEOPLE

Felony Assault and Battery.

*Henry Flavin*  
*Daniel G. Collins*  
BENJ. K. PHELPS  
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*Henry Flavin*  
*Daniel G. Collins*  
Foreman  
*Heads guilty on*  
*Henry Flavin*

*W. H. B. Mason*  
*DP*

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Flynn, Thomas

**DATE:**

02/14/81



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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

IN SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Day of Trial  
Counsel  
Filed 24 day of July 1887  
Pleads

BURGLARY-THIRD DEGREE.  
NOTHING STOLEN.

THE PEOPLE

vs  
149534  
08.

Francis Flynn

David S. Collins  
District Attorney

District Attorney

Part No 127 N. 1887

Reads an attach.

A TRUE BILL.

Wm. D. King

Foreman.

City Prison 30 days.

THE RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

0589

City and County  
of New York

Anna Steindamp of No 523  
Pearl Street being sworn say  
that the ringing of an alarm  
bell which was attached to the  
door of the aforesaid Cellar  
attracted her attention and going  
towards the cellar she saw  
the prisoner coming therefrom  
and found the fastening of  
the cellar door freed open

Anna Steindamp  
Sworn to before me this  
29<sup>th</sup> day of January 1871  
J. H. Rogers  
Police Justice

0590

Police Office, First District.

City and County  
of New York,

*Henry Stearns*

of No. *328 Pearl* Street, being duly sworn,

deposes and says, that the premises No. *aforesaid*  
Street, *4<sup>th</sup>* Ward, in the City and County aforesaid, the said being a *storeroom*

and which was occupied by deponent as a *place for the*

*storage of tobacco* were BURGLARIOUSLY

entered by means *of forcing open the lock*

*on outside fastening of the door*

leading from the *street into said cellar*

on the *day* of the *29<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 18*87*

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

*A quantity of leaf tobacco*  
*of the value of sixty dollars*  
*or more*

the property of *deponent*

and deponent further says, that he has great cause to believe, and does believe, that the aforesaid

BURGLARY was committed and the aforesaid property taken, stolen and carried away by

*Thomas Lynn* now present

for the reasons following, to wit:

*That deponent is*

*informed by Annie Stearns that*

*she saw the prisoner coming out*

*of said cellar the door leading*

*thereto being open and the lock*

*applied thereto and which had been*

*previously fastened by deponent*

*forced open* *Henry Stearns*

*Sworn to before me this*  
*29<sup>th</sup> day of January 1887*  
*A. J. Morgan* Police Justice

0591

City and County  
of New York

Anna Steindamp of No 523  
Pearl Street being sworn say  
that the ringing of an alarm  
bell which was attached to the  
door of the aforesaid Cellar,  
attracted her attention and going  
towards the Cellar she saw  
the prisoner coming therefrom  
and found the fastening of  
the cellar door ~~found~~ open

Anna Steindamp  
Sworn to before me this  
29<sup>th</sup> day of January 1871  
J. J. [Signature]  
Police Justice

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POLICE COURT—FIRST DISTRICT

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK. } ss.

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

Question. What is your name?

Answer.

*Thomas Lynn*

Question. How old are you?

Answer.

*42 Years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer.

*Ireland*

Question. Where do you live?

Answer.

*419 E 13<sup>th</sup> Street*

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer.

*Dealer in bottles*

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

Answer.

*I am not guilty of the charge*  
*Thomas Lynn*

Taken before me, this

day of *July* 188*7*

POLICE JUDGE

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Form No. 1

Police Court—First District.

COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT.

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

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Amie Stencamp*  
*528 Pearl St.*  
*Amie Stencamp*



Offense, .....

*Burglary*

No. 1, by .....  
Residence .....  
No. 2, by .....  
Residence .....  
No. 3, by .....  
Residence .....

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT.

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

Date, *January 29* 18*97*  
*Miss Ant* Magistrate.  
*Clinton* 4 Officer.  
Clerk.

Witnesses, *Amie Stencamp*  
*528 Pearl St.*

No. 4, by .....  
Residence .....  
No. 5, by .....  
Residence .....  
No. 6, by .....  
Residence .....

\$ *2.00* to answer *Orin*

Sessions, .....

Received in Dist. Atty's Office,

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CITY AND COUNTY } ss. :  
OF NEW YORK,

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

That

*Thomas Flynn*

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

*Henry Steinamp*  
there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter, the said  
being then and there a building in which divers goods, merchandise, and valuable things  
were then and there kept for use, sale and deposit; the same being the goods, chattels,  
and personal property of

*Henry Steinamp*

with intent the said  
goods, merchandise and valuable things in the said *storeroom* then and there  
being then and there feloniously and burglariously to steal, take, and carry away

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

*Daniel S. Rollins*

~~BENJ. K. PHELPS~~, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Fogerty, Mary

**DATE:**

02/21/81



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Filed 21 day of Feb 1881  
No 158

Pleads

Indictment for Receiving  
Stolen Goods.  
Burg. & Theft, etc.

THE PEOPLE,

vs.

16. 63  
347-63

Mary Fogarty.  
I.

David J. Cottus  
District Attorney

District Attorney.

Part in Feb 23, 1881

pleads Not Guilty

A True Bill.

Wm. H. Conroy

Leicester S. S. S. S. S.

Foreman.

W. H. Conroy

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FOURTH DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

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

of No. 322 East 56<sup>th</sup> Street Adolph Lewin

street, being duly sworn, deposes and says,  
that on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of January 1881  
at the City of New York, in the County of New York,

deponent's premises 322 East 56<sup>th</sup> Street in the said City were feloniously and Burglariously broken open and entered. and the following described property feloniously taken (stolen) and carried away from the possession of deponent

One Brown silk dress. two Black Cashmere dresses. One pair of pantaloon. and one Vest all of the value of One Hundred and Sixty four dollars (\$164.00). deponent was informed by officer Hooker of the 19<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police, that he Hooker found the said property in the pawn shop of John Stich and Patrick Starr. and deponent identified the said property so found by said Hooker as his property. and as that so taken and stolen as aforesaid. and deponent has been informed by Mary Fogarty (nowhere) that she Fogarty had received the said property from one John Meehan and which she gave to her mother to pawn. therefore deponent charges the said Mary Fogarty with having feloniously received the said property from the said Meehan. She knowing and having a guilty knowledge that the said property was stolen deponent prays that the said Mary Fogarty may be dealt with as the law provides -

Adolph Lewin

Sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February 1881

J. J. Williams  
Police Justice

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City and County of } Anna Fogarty of 242 East 65<sup>th</sup> Street being  
 New York } duly sworn deposes and says that on  
 the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 1881, deponent received from deponent's  
 daughter Mary Fogarty, (nowhere) the property herein  
 described in the Affidavit of Adolphe Lewin, and that  
 deponent pawned the said property in the pawn  
 shops of John Stich and Patrick Starr, and deponent  
 gave the tickets and money received for the said  
 property to the said Mary, and said Mary informed  
 deponent that she gave the tickets and money to  
 John Mehan

Anna Fogarty

Sworn to before me this  
 13<sup>th</sup> day of February 1881

J. J. McNeill  
 Police Justice

City and County of } Jacob Tooker of the 19<sup>th</sup> Precinct Police  
 New York } being duly sworn deposes and says that he found  
 the property herein described in the affidavit of  
 Adolphe Lewin, and deponent was informed by  
 Mary Fogarty (nowhere) that she had  
 received the said property from John Mehan

Sworn to before me this  
 12<sup>th</sup> day of February 1881

J. J. McNeill  
 Police Justice

Police Court—Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c.,  
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF

AFIDAVIT.

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Dated

Magistrate.

Officer.

H. 170/14

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Police Court, Fourth District.

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Mary Fogarty being duly examined before the under-  
signed, according to law on the annexed charge; and being informed that he was  
at liberty to answer, or not, all or any questions put to h , states as follows, viz:

Question. What is your name?

Answer. Mary Fogarty

Question. How old are you?

Answer. 16 years

Question. Where were you born?

Answer. Ireland

Question. Where do you live?

Answer. 242 East 63'

Question. What is your occupation?

Answer. work in a tobacco factory

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

Answer. I received the property from  
John Meehan. who asked me to take  
it to a pawn office for him. I gave it to  
my mother to pawn and told her I got it  
from a lady

Mary Fogarty

Taken before me this

12 day of February 1899

Police Justice.

*[Signature]*

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Police Court--Fourth District.

THE PEOPLE, &c., v.

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

*Adolph Quenn*

*32-2*

*M. J. Fogarty*



Office, *Residing at the same*

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 *February 12* 1887

Magistrate.

Officer.

Clerk.

*J. J. Kellner*

*Footner*

*19*

Witnesses,

*Sam Fogarty*

*342 S 63 St*

*Officer Footner*

*19 West 10th*

*1000 to answer*

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Received in District Attys Office,

*Com*

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
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

*Mary Fogerty*

late of the *nineteenth* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, aforesaid, on the *thirty-first* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy-eight~~ *eighty-one* with force and arms, about the hour of *three* o'clock in the *day* time of the same day, at the Ward, City and County aforesaid, the dwelling house of

*Adolph Lewin*

there situate, feloniously and burglariously did break into and enter ~~by means of forcibly~~

as he the said *Mary Fogerty*

then and there intending to commit some crime therein, to wit: the goods, chattels, and personal property of

*Adolph Lewin*

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

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

*Mary Fogerty*

late of the Ward, City, and County aforesaid,

*One dress of the value of fifty dollars*  
*Two other dresses of the value of fifty dollars each*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars*  
*One vest of the value of four dollars*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of the said *Adolph Lewin*

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

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CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK, } ss.

*aforsaid*  
And 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 aforsaid do further present*

That *the said Mary Fogerty*  
late of the First Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, *aforsaid,*  
on the *thirty-first* day of *January* in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and ~~seventy~~ *eighty-one* with force and arms, at the  
Ward, City and County *aforsaid,*

*One dress of the value of fifty dollars,*  
*Two other dresses of the value of fifty dollars each.*  
*One pair of pantaloons of the value of ten dollars.*  
*One nest of the value of four dollars*

of the goods, Chattels and personal property of *Adolph Rewin*  
by *a certain person or*  
and ~~certain other persons~~ *taken and carried away from the said* to the Jurors *aforsaid* unknown, then lately feloniously  
stolen ~~of the said~~ *Adolph Rewin*  
unlawfully, unjustly, ~~and for the sake of wicked gain,~~ did feloniously receive and have  
(the said

*Mary Fogerty*

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

*Daniel S. Collins*  
BENJ. W. PHILLIPS, District Attorney.

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**BOX:**

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**FOLDER:**

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**DESCRIPTION:**

Foley, William

**DATE:**

02/21/81



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Day of Trial, *Feb. 21* 1851  
Counsel, *W. C. Calverly*  
Filed *Feb. 21* day of *Feb.* 1851  
Pleads *Apr. 24* July 24.

Homicide of the degree of Manslaughter in the

THE PEOPLE

vs. *Chas. J. H. P.*

*Chas. J. H. P.*

*Chas. J. H. P.*

*William J. P.*

DANIEL C. ROLLINS,  
District Attorney.

District Attorney.

A True Bill.

*W. C. Calverly*

Foreman.

Tried and

the day of

(See endorsement)

*I am satisfied from the  
evidence in this case  
taken before the Court  
on the request that  
the shooting was entirely  
accidental. The two boys  
were laughing & joking but  
the pistols, without  
their consent & when  
they occurred from him  
handling very carelessly.  
The left pistol is one  
taken the license was  
not renewed & when  
Cochran his wish to  
be discharged if could.  
It was recommended that  
charge in this instance  
causing the death of the  
man. I think a full  
pro. should be substituted  
Dec. 9, 1851 W. C. Calverly  
C. J. H. P.*

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**POOR QUALITY  
ORIGINAL  
DOCUMENT(S)**

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THE PEOPLE, &C.,

VS.

WILLIAM FOLEY.  
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HOMICIDE OF CHARLES O'NEIL.

ASSAULT, DECEMBER 28, 1930.

DEATH, DEC. 29TH.

CAPT. JOHN SAUNDERS

O'NEIL THE DECEASED CAME INTO THE STATION HOUSE, FOLLOWED BY THE PRISONER, DECEMBER 28TH. I ASKED O'NEIL IF FOLEY WAS THE BOY THAT SHOT HIM, AND HE SAID "YES". I ASKED HIM IF HE THOUGHT HE MEANT IT, AND HE SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW. I DID NOT ASK THE PRISONER ANYTHING IN THE PRESENCE OF THE DECEASED. ON THE WAY TO THE COURT THE PRISONER SAID THAT O'NEIL WAS PEELING CARROTS, AND THAT HE THE PRISONER TOOK UP A PIECE OF CARROT AND ATE IT, AND ATTEMPTED TO TAKE ANOTHER PIECE, WHEN O'NEIL TOOK HIS PISTOL OUT AND SAID "IF YOU TAKE ANOTHER PIECE OF CARROT, I WILL SHOOT YOUR FINGER OFF", AND FOLEY SAID HE POINTED HIS PISTOL AT HIM AND IT WENT OFF. I FOUND THAT WHEN THE HAMMER OF THE PISTOL, WHICH FOLEY HAD, WAS PULLED BACK, IT WOULD NOT REMAIN BACK BUT WENT RIGHT OFF. THEY WERE BOTH VERY MUCH AGITATED WHEN THEY CAME INTO THE STATION HOUSE. I DONT THINK THAT THE PRISONER INTENTIONALLY SHOT THE DE-  
-CEASED.

EDWARD DORAN 124 GREENWICH ST.

I AM 14 YEARS OF AGE. I HAVE KNOWN THE DECEASED TWO OR THREE YEARS, AND THE PRISONER ABOUT TWO YEARS. I KNEW THEM BOTH EQUALLY WELL. I NEVER SAW ANY TROUBLE BETWEEN THEM BEFORE THIS. AT THE TIME THAT O'NEIL WAS SHOT, I WAS STANDING AT THE TABLE IN

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O'NEIL'S HOUSE, 96 WASHINGTON STREET. THERE WERE PRESENT AT THE  
THE PRISONER,  
TIME, THE MOTHER OF O'NEIL, O'NEIL'S BROTHER, THE DECEASED AND MY-  
-SELF. O'NEIL AND HIS BROTHER WERE PEELING CARROTS, AND THE  
STOOD  
PRISONER AND I ~~WAS~~ AT THE TABLE. I PICKED UP A CARROT AND FOLEY  
PICKED UP ONE, I WENT TO PICK UP ANOTHER ONE AND FOLEY PICKED UP  
ANOTHER ONE, WHEN O'NEIL PULLED OUT HIS PISTOL AND SAID HE WOULD  
'MAKE US FAT' IF WE PICKED UP ANOTHER ONE. FOLEY TOLD THE DE-  
-CEASED THERE WAS NOTHING IN HIS PISTOL, WHEN O'NEIL TOOK HIS  
PISTOL AND OPENED IT AND SHOWED THE CARTRIDGE TO FOLEY AND FOLEY  
SAID THAT THE CARTRIDGE HAD GONE OFF AND THAT IT WAS OF NO USE.  
THEN FOLEY TOOK THE PISTOL FROM O'NEIL, SHOVED THE RAM-ROD IN,  
PUSHED THE CARTRIDGE OUT, PUT IT INTO HIS POCKET AND HANDED O'NEIL  
HIS PISTOL WITH NOTHING IN IT. THEN O'NEIL WANTED HIS CARTRIDGE  
BACK AND HANDED HIS PISTOL BACK TO FOLEY, AND I WAS JUST GOING TO  
EAT A BIT OF CARROT WHEN I HEARD THE REPORT OF A PISTOL. O'NEIL  
FELL BY MY SIDE, AND FOLEY SAID 'LET ME GO AND GET A DOCTOR FOR  
GOD'S SAKE.' I DIDN'T SEE FOLEY PULL THE PISTOL. THE THREE OF  
US WERE LAUGHING. AS SOON AS FOLEY SAID THAT HE RAN OUT, AND  
RETURNED AND SAID THAT HE WENT TO THE CHAMBERS' STREET HOSPITAL AND  
THEY TOLD HIM THEY COULD DO NOTHING FOR HIM, AND THEN HE WENT TO  
THE STATION HOUSE AND GAVE HIMSELF UP. I WAS EXAMINED BEFORE THE  
CORONER. I HAD NO TALK WITH ANY ONE ABOUT WHAT I WAS GOING TO  
SAY.

JULIA S ARSFIELD 96 WASHINGTON STREET.

I AM THE MOTHER OF THE DECEASED O'NEIL. FOLEY IS 18 YEARS OF  
AGE, AND I HAVE KNOWN HIM SINCE HE WAS BORN. MY BOY WAS 15 YEARS

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AND FIVE MONTHS OLD AT THE TIME OF HIS DEATH. THEY NEVER HAD ANY TROUBLE BEFORE THIS SHOOTING. AT THE TIME OF THE SHOOTING, I WAS IN THE ROOM WITH MY BOY WILLIE O'NEIL, DORAN AND CHARLIE O'NEIL AND THE PRISONER WILLIE FOLEY THE DECEASED. THEY WERE STANDING AROUND THE TABLE CUTTING SOUP VEGETABLES. WILLIE AND CHARLIE WERE CUTTING SOUP VEGETABLES. FODIE DORAN AND WILLIE FOLEY WERE STANDING TOGETHER BY THE TABLE AND THEY TOOK UP SOME CARROTS THAT MY BOYS HAD CUT, AND CHARLIE SAID "PUT THEM DOWN OR I WILL MAKE YOU FAT." "OH", SAID FOLEY, "YOU AINT GOT ANYTHING." "YES, I HAVE" SAID CHARLIE, "HERE IT IS FOR YOU." AND FOLEY TOOK THE BULLET OUT AND PUT IT IN HIS OWN PISTOL. I DID NOT SEE HIM PUT IT IN HIS PISTOL. I DID NOT SEE THE PISTOL WITH FOLEY AT THAT TIME. I DIDN'T SEE MY BOY TAKE OUT HIS PISTOL. I DIDN'T SEE HIM HAND THE PISTOL TO FOLEY, BUT I SAW THE PISTOL FALL OUT OF HIS HAND AFTER MY BOY FELL TO THE FLOOR. THERE WERE NO ANGRY WORDS BETWEEN THEM. CHARLIE WAS LAUGHING. I HEARD MY BOY SAY "LOOK OUT POTTER" TO FOLEY, THEN I HEARD THE REPORT AND LOOKED AROUND AND SAW MY BOY FALL TO THE FLOOR, AND THE PISTOL FALL OUT OF HIS HAND. THEN I FELL ON THE SOFA AND FOLEY CAME OVER TO ME AND SAID "MRS FOLEY, I DIDN'T MEAN IT, SHALL I GO FOR THE DOCTOR?" THEN HE WENT OUT FOR THE DOCTOR. THERE WAS NO QUARRELING THERE BETWEEN THEM. I DIDN'T KNOW THAT MY BOY CARRIED A PISTOL. MY BOY HAD NEVER BEEN ARRESTED. FOLEY HAD BEEN TWO OR THREE YEARS IN THE HOUSE OF REFUGE FOR LARCENY. FOLEY IS A BAD BOY HIS BROTHER SERVED THREE YEARS FOR SOME OFFENSE. MY SON WAS SHOT DECEMBER 28TH AND DIED DEC. 29TH. I ASKED MY BOY IF HE GAVE FOLEY ANY BULLET AND HE SAID NO. HE SAID "IS HE OUT", I SAID "NO", AND HE SAID "IT IS GOOD FOR HIM; HE HAD NO RIGHT TO SHOOT ME." AND HE SAID "GOOD BYE, MOTHER, I AM GONE" AND HE DIED.

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THIS WAS TEN O'CLOCK AT NIGHT. HE HAD HIS SENSES UNTIL THE VERY LAST MOMENT. AFTER WILLIE AND JOHNNIE PICKED HIM UP AND HE CAME TO HIMSELF, THE FIRST WORDS HE UTTERED WERE "OH, I AM GONE, I KNOW I AM." WHEN HE WAS IN THE HOSPITAL HE SAID TO ME "GOD BYE MOTHER" THREE TIMES. THIS WAS AT THE TIME HE MADE THE STATEMENT ABOUT FOLEY SHOOTING HIM.

WILLIAM O'NEIL 96 WASHINGTON ST.

I AM THE SON OF THE LAST WITNESS; AND AM 13 GOING ON 14 YEARS OF AGE. I WAS IN THE ROOM WHEN THE SHOOTING TOOK PLACE. MY MOTHER ASKED US IF WE WOULD PEEL SOME SOUP VEGETABLES, AND MY BROTHER AND I SAID YES, AND WE GOT THE CARROTS AND PEELER THEM. THEN EDDIE DORAN PICKED UP ONE AND FOLEY PICKED UP A COUPLE OF THEM, AND FOLEY DID NOT WANT TO PUT THEM DOWN, AND MY BROTHER SAID TO HIM "PUT THEM DOWN" TWO OR THREE TIMES, BUT HE WOULD NOT. AND MY BROTHER SAID "I WILL MAKE YOU FAT." FOLEY HAD HIS PISTOL IN HIS POCKET AND CHARLIE HAD HIS OUT. THEN FOLEY TOOK THE RAM-ROD OUT OF HIS PISTOL AND TOOK OUT THE BULLET FROM MY BROTHER'S PISTOL, AND TOOK THE BULLET AND PLACED IT IN HIS OWN PISTOL. MY BROTHER ASKED HIM TO RETURN IT TO HIM, BUT HE WOULD NOT. THEN FOLEY POINTED THE PISTOL AT MY BROTHER AND MY BROTHER SAID "LOOK OUT, POTTER", AND THE PISTOL WENT OFF. FOLEY DID NOT SAY ANYTHING WHEN HE POINTED THE PISTOL. AS SOON AS IT WENT OFF HE SAID "I AM SORRY FOR IT." NEITHER OF THEM WAS ANGRY. AFTER HE SHOT MY BROTHER HE STARTED TO RUN OUT, AND I CAUGHT HIM AT THE KITCHEN DOOR AND I SAID "YOU WON'T RUN OUT, NOT UNTIL YOU GET ARRESTED." MY BROTHER JOHN, WHO WAS SICK AND LYING ON THE SOFA WITH HIS FACE TOWARDS THE BACK OF

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The People, v.c.

vs.

William Foley

Witnesses:

Capt. John Saunders 1.

Edward Doran 1.

Julia Sansfield 2.

William O'Neil 4.

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Coroner's Office,

CITY AND COUNTY }  
OF NEW YORK } ss.

\_\_\_\_\_ being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that he was at liberty to answer or not, all or any questions put to him, states as follows, viz.:

Question.—What is your name?

Answer.—

Question.—How old are you?

Answer.—

Question.—Where were you born?

Answer.—

Question.—Where do you live?

Answer.—

Question.—What is your occupation?

Answer.—

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

Taken before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

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CORONER.

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MEMORANDUM.

AGE.	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE, When Reported.
15 Years. ← Months. ← Days. S. —	New York	Chambers St. N.Y.	Dec 30/87

448  
936  
10/11/1880  
HOMICIDE.

AN INQUISITION

the VIEW of the BODY of

Charles McNeil

whenever it is found that he came to

his death by the hands of

Richard

Neer

J. M. McNeil

Inquest taken on the 17th day

of January 1888

by Henry Ellinger

Committed to the  
 State  
 Discharged

Date of death Nov 29/1887



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Set 936 NY 1880

# HOMICIDE &

## AN INQUIRY

into the VIEW of the BODY of

Charles O'Neil

whereby it is found that he came to

his Death by the hands of

Robert Stewart

near the house of

J. Williams, Jr.

Engaged upon on the 17th day

of January 1880

by

Henry Edgerton

Coroner.

Committed

to Jail

Discharged



Date of death Nov 29 1880

### MEMORANDUM.

AGE	15 Years Months Days
PLACE OF NATIVITY	Mass
WHERE FOUND	Chamberlain Mass
DATE WHEN REPORTED	Dec 29 1880

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TESTIMONY.

Dr. J. G. Schmedeman being sworn  
I have made a careful examination on the body  
of deceased Charles Steel at Chambers  
St. Hospital and I have been shot by the  
accidental discharge of a pistol - found  
a pistol shot wound in the forehead  
about midway between from above downwards &  
half an inch to the left of the median line -  
The ball & some fragments of skull having  
been removed. On removing the skull  
a large meningeal hemorrhage was found  
Death was caused by compression of the brain  
due to extravasation of blood from a pistol  
shot wound of the head - The ball had pene-  
trated the skull, but did not enter the brain  
& lodged between the skull & dura mater  
where it was said to have been extracted.

Dr. J. G. Schmedeman

Sworn to before me  
this 30 day of December 18 80, *Wm. J. ...*  
CORONER.

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MEMORANDUM

AGE.			PLACE OF NATIVITY.	WHERE FOUND.	DATE When Reported.
Years.	Months	Days.			
16			<i>Germany</i>	<i>Chandlers Way</i>	<i>Dec 27 1885</i>

*Received  
of the Washington  
- 1/2 1/2 1/2  
Merrill Henry  
center of the  
Merrill Henry*

E.

On the  
View of the BODY of  
.....  
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AN INQUISITION

On the VIEW of the BODY of

*Charles W. H. S.*

whereby it is found that he came to  
to death by

*David John  
Merrill Henry  
forehand*

Inquest taken on the  
of  
1885  
MORITZ ELLINGER, Coroner

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CP No. ....  
Date. .... 18

**AN INQUISTION**

On the VIEW of the BODY of

*Charles O'Neil*

whereby it is found that he came to  
his Death by

*Several sharp  
wounds of  
forehead*

Inquest taken on the ... day  
of ... 1887  
before

MORITZ ELLINGER, Coroner.

*Henry  
of Washington  
1/2" to 1 1/2"  
inches under  
center of the forehead  
Municipal Hospital*

DATE When Reported.	WHERE FOUND	PLACE OF NATIVITY.	AGE. Years. Months. Days.
<i>March 18 1887</i>	<i>Washington</i>	<i>Washington</i>	<i>16</i>

**MEMORANDUM**

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, SS.

AN INQUISITION,

Taken at the house of Coroner's Office No. 48 E Houston Street in the 15th Ward of the City of New York, in the County of New York, this 17th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and 81 before Moritz Ellinger Coroner,

of the City and County aforesaid, on view of the Body of Charles O'Neil Chamber St. N.Y. lying dead at six Upon the Oaths and Affirmations of good and lawful men of the State of New York, duly chosen and sworn, or affirmed and charged to inquire, on behalf of said people, how and in what manner the said Charles O'Neil came to his death, do upon their Oaths and Affirmations, say: That the said Charles O'Neil came to his death by

Pistol shot wound of the Head at the hands of William Foley on the 28th day of December 1880, at 9th Washington St.

In Witness Whereof, We, the said Jurors, as well as the CORONER, have to this Inquisition set our hands and seals, on the day and place aforesaid.

JURORS.

Thomas M. Robinson, Gust Voss, William Oroscher, Gerald Spruce, A. Fischer, Hannah Hartmann, P. M. Gure, C. S. Moore

Moritz Ellinger CORONER, E. S.

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The People of the State of New York, on the  
Complaint of

vs.

*John Foley*

List of Witnesses.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
✓ <i>John Neil</i>	<i>96 Washington St</i>
✓ <i>Julia Sansfield</i>	" " "
✓ <i>Edward Doran</i>	<i>124 Greenwich</i>
✓ <i>Heinrich Goldschmidt</i>	<i>Coroner's office</i>
✓ <i>Capt. Samson</i>	<i>27 Street</i>
<i>Mrs Horvagan</i>	<i>96 Washington St</i>

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

Edward Doran of 124 Greenwich  
 being 14 years old & sworn seaman  
 I have known deceased Doran  
 present when he was shot  
 by Wm Foley - It happened in  
 O'Neil's Room - his brother was  
 there & his mother also - Deceased  
 & his brother were peeling Carrots -  
 we were talking & sitting together -  
 then deceased took out a pistol  
 & said first to one & then to another  
 also to Foley - that he would ~~kill~~  
 him - Foley said that he did  
 not believe there was anything in it  
 O'Neil then opened the pistol & showed  
 him what was in it - Foley then  
 took a ram rod out of his pocket  
 & took a cartridge out & put it  
 in his (Foley's) own pocket & then  
 gave the pistol back to O'Neil with  
 nothing in it - Then O'Neil de-  
 manded the Cartridge back of  
 Foley - then Foley took the pistol  
 from O'Neil & put the Cartridge back  
 & then I heard a report & when I  
 turned round I saw O'Neil fall -  
 There were no angry words at home  
 between them & they were always good  
 friends. Edward Doran

Taken before me,  
 this 17 day of January 1881. *Wm. H. [Signature]*  
 CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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Julia Sarsfield of Washington  
being sworn says she is  
the mother of deceased -  
I was in the room when  
deceased was injured - I was  
sitting down at the time when  
I heard a report - they were  
looking before - Charley, my son,  
was pointing a pistol at Foley  
in fun & says that he would fallow  
him - but he had nothing in his  
pistol - then Foley took out his  
pistol & the next I heard was the  
report & then I saw Charles fall  
- Foley then says, that he was sorry  
for it, & that he did not mean it -  
I never knew Charles carries a  
pistol - My son told me at the Hospital  
where he was, that Foley pointed the  
pistol at him & he called to Foley  
"look out" but he shot at him  
at that instant - He asked me  
whether Foley was out & I said no -  
she says it's good from him - he  
had no business to shoot him -  
Julia Sarsfield

Taken before me,

this 17 day of January 1881.

Wm. H. [Signature]  
CORONER

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

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William O'Keefe 96 Washington St  
 being 13 yrs old says on  
 Jan a brother & business I was  
 peeling carrots with my brother  
 Thomas Foley - grabbed a hand  
 full - then Charlie said to Foley  
 put them down - and he did  
 not put them down - then he told  
 them again put them down - then  
 Charlie took a pistol, but there  
 was nothing in it - Foley examined  
 it & gave it back to Charlie - then  
 I heard Charlie say & look up  
 & then he was shot - I saw Foley  
 pointing the pistol at Charlie  
 & the trigger snapped - the pistol  
 on the table is Foley's pistol &  
 I do not know Charlie carried  
 a pistol - Wm O'Keefe  
 Wm O'Keefe

Taken before me,  
 this 17 day of January 1881.

*Wm O'Keefe*  
 CORONER.

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Coroner's Office.

TESTIMONY.

Wm Foley being informed of his  
 rights to answer or not answer  
 the questions put to him  
 being sworn upon oaths  
 16 1/2 Downing St. I am 15 yrs  
 old, born in N York, do all kinds  
 of work - have known Deceased  
 about 8 years - always been friends  
 with him - The pistol on the table is  
 mine - I had carried it five weeks -  
 On the day mentioned I called on  
 him & ~~was~~ waited for him to come  
 out - Charley's mother asked him to  
 peel carrots & he was slicing them up -  
 Each of us took a piece, when Charley said  
 he would blow our heads off & pointed  
 a pistol at us - I then took the pistol  
 from Charley - saw there was a cartridge  
 & gave it back to him - I was then  
 about taking my pistol out, which was  
 in my outside pocket on the right side  
 - when the pistol went off before it  
 was half out of my pocket - I did  
~~not~~ not mean to shoot him -

William Foley

Taken before me.

this

day of

January 1881

Wm. W. W. W.

CORONER.

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From Chambers St Hospital.

New York, Dec 29 1880

To Caracas Ellinger

Sir:

Please hold an Inquest on the body of

Name: Chas. O'Neil Residence: 96 Washington  
 Age: 15 years 0 months 0 days. Admitted Tuesday day, December  
 Nativity U.S.; of Father Irish 28th 1880, at 249 o'clock P.M.  
 Mother Irish By Ambulance A  
 in U.S., in City. From 27<sup>th</sup> Precinct B  
 Civil Cond.: None Occup.: None Examined by Dr. W. H. W. W.  
 Suffering from symptoms of Pituitary gland wound C  
of head, Penetrating

Said Injuries said to have been received at 96 Washington St  
14 Ave before, through accidental  
discharge of pistol in the hands  
of Mr. Foley E

Death took place Wednesday, December 29th 1880 at 945 o'clock P.M.  
 The Autopsy revealed F

Remarks: Ball & several bones G  
fragments of bones removed.  
They died very suddenly  
W. H. W. W. M.D.

HOUSE SURGEON PHYSICIAN.

- Ad I. State the day of the week.
- Ad A. State whether by Ambulance or Friends.
- Ad B. State whether from a Precinct or a Residence and give the same.
- Ad C. State whether from Natural Causes or from Shock (conscious or unconscious) due to Injuries, and if so, give name, place, date, number, character and Extent of Injuries, always stating, where indicated, whether right or left.
- Ad D. State when, where, how, by what means or persons received, also whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal; in falls, the distance, location and place; in Burns and Scalds the circumstances attending the same; in various cases the line of Street Car, Railroad or Conspires; in Weapons the character of the same, &c., &c., always giving such information as will lead to an accurate knowledge of the case and facilitate judicial inquiry and justice.
- Ad E. State name, date, place, character and results of any operation or amputation performed.
- Ad F. Give a short résumé of the Autopsy with the Pathological Diagnosis and the Cause of Death at the End.
- Ad G. State here any important facts not embodied in the above statements.

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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

*William Foley*

late of the *First* Ward of the City of New York, in the County of  
New York, aforesaid, on the *twenty eighth* day of *December*  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *seventy eight* at the City  
and County aforesaid, with force and arms, in and upon one *Charles O'Neil*  
in the peace of the People of the State then and there being, wilfully and feloniously  
did make an assault, and that *he* the said *William Foley*

a certain *pistol* then and there charged and loaded  
with gunpowder and one leaden bullet, which said *pistol*  
the said *William Foley*

in *his* right hand then and there had and held to, at, against, and upon *him*  
the said *Charles O'Neil* then and there feloniously and wilfully  
did shoot off and discharge, and that *he* the said *William Foley*

with the leaden bullet aforesaid, out of the *pistol* aforesaid, then and there, by  
force of the gunpowder aforesaid, shot off, sent forth, and discharged, as aforesaid,  
the said *pistol* in and upon the *head*  
of *him* the said *Charles O'Neil* then and there  
feloniously and wilfully did strike, penetrate, and wound, giving to *him*  
the said *Charles O'Neil* then and there,  
with the leaden bullet aforesaid, so as aforesaid discharged, sent forth, and shot out  
of the *pistol* aforesaid, by *him* the said *William Foley*

*Charles O'Neil* in and upon the *head* of *him* the said  
one mortal wound of the breadth of *one* inch  
and of the depth of *three* inches of which said mortal wound *he* the  
said *Charles O'Neil* at the Ward, City, and County  
aforesaid, from the day first aforesaid  
in the year aforesaid, until the *twenty ninth day of December*  
in the same year aforesaid, did languish, and languishing did live, and on which  
*Said twenty ninth* day of *December*  
in the year aforesaid, the said *Charles O'Neil* at the Ward,  
City and County aforesaid, of the said mortal wound did die.

And so the Jurors aforesaid, upon their oath aforesaid, do say, that *he* the said  
*William Foley* *him*  
the said *Charles O'Neil* in the manner and form, and by  
the means aforesaid, at the Ward, City, and County aforesaid, on the day aforesaid,  
and in the year aforesaid, wilfully and feloniously, did kill and slay, against the  
form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace of the  
People of the State of New York, and their dignity.

DANIEL C ROLLINS,  
~~REPRESENTATIVE~~ DISTRICT ATTORNEY.