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Hall

Verdict

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State of Illinois, } ss
McHenry County, }

Of the January Term of the
McHenry County Circuit
Court, in the year of our Lord,
one thousand Eight hundred
and eighty -

The Grand Jurors chosen, selected and sworn, in
and for the said County of McHenry, in the
name and by the authority of the People of
the State of Illinois, upon their oaths present:
That James Hall, alias James Burroughs,
alias Blime Jim, late of the County of McHenry
and State of Illinois, on the fifth day of
November in the year of our Lord one thousand
Eight hundred and seventy nine, at and in
the County of McHenry aforesaid, the building
owned, occupied and used as a store and ware-house
by Robert J. Marshall, Philip E. Saunders
and Thomas P. Marshall, then situated,
wilfully, maliciously, forcibly, feloniously
and burglariously did break and enter,
with intent the goods, chattels and personal
property of the said Robert J. Marshall,
Philip E. Saunders and Thomas P. Marshall,
in the said building, then and there being,
then and there feloniously and burglariously
to steal, take and carry away, Contrary
to the form of the Statute in such case made
and provided, and against the peace and
dignity of the same People of the State of
Illinois.

And the Grand Jurors aforesaid,
chosen, selected and sworn, in and for the

County of McHenry, aforesaid, in the name
and by the authority of the People of the State
aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid,
do further present, that the said
James Hall, alias James Burroughs,
alias Slim Jim, late of the County of
McHenry and State aforesaid, on the
fifth day of November, in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and
seventy nine, at and in the County of
McHenry aforesaid, did attempt to
commit an offense prohibited by law,
to wit: the building owned, occupied and
used by Robert J. Marshall, Philip E. Saunders,
and Thomas P. Marshall as a store ~~and~~
~~ware house~~, there situated, wilfully,
maliciously, forcibly, feloniously and
burglariously, did attempt to break and enter,
with intent of him said James Hall, alias James
Burroughs, alias Slim Jim, the goods chatties
and personal property of said Robert J. Marshall,
Philip E. Saunders and Thomas P. Marshall, in
the said building then and there being, then
and there feloniously and burglariously to steal,
take and carry away, that being an offense
prohibited by law, ^{in the said James Hall, alias James Burroughs alias Slim Jim} and in such an attempt, did
then and there do and commit certain overt
acts towards the commission of said offense,
to wit: did then and there with force and
arms, feloniously and with intent aforesaid,
then and there, break the bars and fastenings of
the door to said building and use force and pressure
against the door of said building and try to

open the same, without the knowledge and
against the will of the said Robert J. Marshall,
Philip E. Saunders and Thomas P. Marshall,
but the said James Hall, alias James Burroughs
alias Slim Jim did then and there
fail in the perpetration of said offense
and was then and there intercepted in
and prevented from the execution of the same.
Whereby and by force of the Statute in such
case made and provided the said James
Hall, alias James Burroughs, alias Slim Jim,
is deemed to have attempted to commit
the crime of burglary, contrary to the
form of the Statute in such case made and
provided and against the peace and
dignity of the same People of the State of Illinois.

Irak. Curtis
State Attorney in and for
said Missouri
County

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The People of the State of Illinois

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James Hall

Indictment for Burglary
and Attempt to Commit
Burglary —

✓ True Bill

W. H. Wallbridge
 Chairman of Board of Directors

Wittneches

John Reagan

1608. Marshall

Therapy & art

Richard M. Washburn

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George Irving

Archib. Davidson

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Accepted

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People's Catechism

The jury are instructed as a matter of law
that the intent of the Defendant
may be inferred from his acts
and doings and the circumstances
connected with the offense ^{charged} as
proven by the evidence ~~in this case~~
Hence in this case, if the jury
believe from the evidence, beyond
a reasonable doubt, that the
Defendant broke and entered
the said building, ^{described in the indictment} on or about the
5th day of November last, in the night
time at a late and unseasonable
hour, that fact is strong presumptive
evidence that the Defendant did
so with intent ^{as charged} ~~to steal and the~~
~~jury shall find the Defendant~~
~~guilty of burglary and return~~
~~in that fact of the indictment~~

People's
James Hall
Jury

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Instructions for the People

If the jury believe from the evidence beyond a reasonable ^{doubt} that the Defendant on or about the Fifth day of November last, ^{putting himself in a position to forcibly} broke and entered the building described in the indictment as charged in the first Count of the indictment ^{with the intent and for the purpose set forth in the indictment} then you should find the Defendant guilty of burglary as charged in said Count and fix his punishment, ~~which is of~~ ^{which is} imprisonment in the penitentiary for not less than one nor more than twenty years.

Given

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The Court instruct the Jury as Matter of Law,
that a reasonable doubt is one arising
from a candid and impartial investigation
of all the evidence, and is such a doubt as,
in the graver transactions of life, would
cause a reasonable and prudent man to
hesitate and pause. and is not a mere fanciful
or possible doubt. And if after considering
all the evidence in the case, you can say, that
you have an abiding conviction of the
truth of the charge, then you are satisfied
beyond a reasonable doubt.

Leave

The jury are instructed
as a matter of law that
a prisoner may be convicted
of a crime upon the uncorroborated
evidence of an accomplice
if the jury, weighing the probability
of the testimony of such accomplices
think their worthy of belief

very much

For the Defendant
The Court instruct the Jury as a
Matter of Law that any person
Charged with the Commission
of Crime is presumed to be
guilty, and in this case before the Jury
can convict the Defendant of the same
Charged in the indictment, the Defendant
must ~~show~~ establish the fact of the
Defendants guilt beyond all reasonable
doubt.

True

We The Jury, find the Defendant not Guilty

Charles C Colby

Foreman

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
ss.
County of Cook,

In Circuit Court,

Term, 1880

NOTICE

Wm. G. Thompson being duly sworn, deposes and saith that

he attended said Court as a witness

days at this

Term, in a case between

James Hall

Plaintiff,

and

Defendant,

at the instance of

Deft resides in *Harvard*

and has traveled

12 miles.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

21

day of *July*

A. D. 1880

Wm. G. Thompson Clerk.

Wm. G. Thompson

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESS