

## Cases of Historical Interest In the Southern District of New York

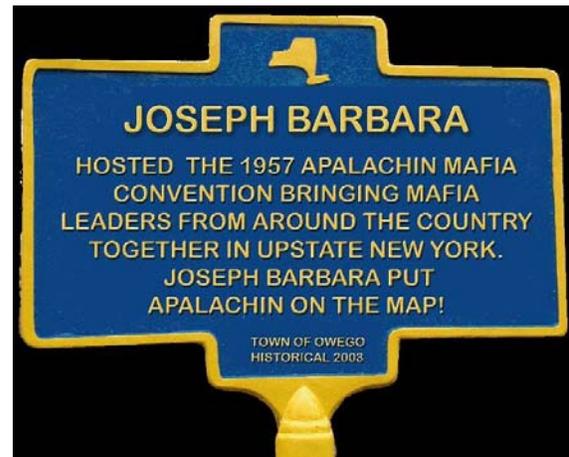
### United States v. Bonanno (The Apalachin Meeting Trial) Judge Irving R. Kaufman

Twenty defendants were convicted for conspiring to obstruct justice and commit perjury by giving false and evasive testimony regarding a gathering attended by them and at least 39 others at the home of Joseph Barbara, Sr., in Apalachin, New York, on November 14, 1957. The convictions were reversed on appeal on several grounds, including because there was insufficient evidence to support a finding that the defendants knew or should have known that there would be any formal investigation under oath.

177 F.Supp. 106 (S.D.N.Y. 1959)

180 F.Supp. 71 (S.D.N.Y. 1960)

United States v. Bufalino, 285 F. 2d 408 (2d Cir. 1960)



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