

Brooklyn's Gerardo Valjean

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-- all thanks to Isak

Mousy man

back from head

peeked out lovely

house

1st post COVID

trip took to only open

local bodega where top

security

guard stares, stops,

accuses me being crook

stole single loaf of *pain*.

Stunned

we show you bag

containing our receipt --

they *nada* let us leave *sans*

guillotine.