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Sharon Shivlall, 38, of South Ozone Park, was arraigned last night in Queens Criminal Court in Kew Gardens on the charges of second-degree murder, first-degree manslaughter and fourth-degree criminal possession of a weapon. Judge Gene Lopez, who presided at the arraignment, ordered the defendant held without bail and set a return date of April 4, 2006.

According to the criminal complaint filed in the case, it is alleged that Shivlall fatally stabbed her husband, John Shivlall, 43, in the couple's basement apartment on the evening of March 19, 2006.

It should be noted that a criminal complaint is merely an accusation and that a defendant is presumed innocent until proven guilty.

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