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DESCRIPTION:

Petersen, Rudolph

DATE:

06/22/87



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Witnesses:

Counsel,
A. L. Long,
Filed, 27 day of June 1887
Pleads, *Not guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
R
Rudolph Peterson
allegedly
Sent to the Court of Special Sessions for trial, by request of Counsel for Defendant.

VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.
(Keeping Open on Sunday.)
(III Rev. Stat. (7th Edition), page 1889, Sec. 51.)

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
District Attorney.

A True Bill.

F. J. Kauder
Foreman.

**POOR QUALITY
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Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

against

Rudolph Petersen

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment
accuse *Rudolph Petersen* —

of the CRIME OF KEEPING OPEN ON SUNDAY a place licensed for the SALE OF STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, WINES, ALE AND BEER, committed as follows:

The said *Rudolph Petersen,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *eight*
day of *May*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-*seven*, the same being the first day of the week, commonly called and known as
Sunday, being then and there in charge of, and having the control of a certain place there
situate which was then duly licensed as a place for the sale of strong and spirituous liquors,
wines, ale and beer, with force and arms, at the City and County aforesaid, the said place, so
licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did not close, and keep closed, and on the said day, the said
place so licensed as aforesaid, unlawfully did open, and cause and procure, and suffer and
permit, to be open, and to remain open; 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

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DESCRIPTION:

Peterson, Louis

DATE:

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J.C. & N. Campbell

Counsel,

Filed 30 day of June 1887

Pleads Guilty July 18

Witnesses:

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VIOLATION OF EXCISE LAW.
[III, R. S., (7 Ed.), page 1961, § 13, and Laws of 1883, Chap. 840, § 5].

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Louis Peterson

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

Per July 29/88 District Attorney.

Responded to a y. of S. for trial
A TRUE BILL. by Constitution

F. C. ...

Foreman.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0222

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

AGAINST

Samuel Peterson

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment accuse

Samuel Peterson

(III. Revised Statutes, [7th edition] p. 1931 Section 13).

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS AND WINES WITHOUT A LICENSE, committed as follows:

The said *Samuel Peterson,*

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *fourth* day of *June*, - in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty *seven* -, at the City and County aforesaid, certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain wines, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell, in quantity less than five gallons at a time, to *James M. Rodman, and to* - certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, without having a license therefor, as required by law, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the People of the State of New York.

(Laws of 1883, chapter 340, section 5.)

SECOND COUNT:

And the Grand Jury aforesaid, by this indictment further accuse the s. id

Samuel Peterson

of the CRIME OF SELLING STRONG AND SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, ALES, WINE AND BEER WITHOUT A LICENSE, to be drank upon the premises, committed as follows:

The said *Samuel Peterson,*

late of the City and County aforesaid, afterwards to wit: on the day and in the year aforesaid, at the City and County aforesaid, and at the premises there situate ~~known as number~~ *to wit: in and toward of a certain street called the "Shenandoah" between the* - certain strong and spirituous liquors, and certain ales, wines and beer, to wit: one gill of wine, one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whiskey, one gill of cordial, one gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully did sell to *James M. Rodman, and to* - certain *other* persons whose names are to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, to be drank upon the premises aforesaid, without having a license therefor, as required by law, 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.

Handwritten signature
District Attorney.

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Plunkitt, Peter

DATE:

06/20/87



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Counsel, *[Signature]*
Filed, *24* day of *June* 1887
Pleads, *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE
vs.
[Signature]
Grand Larceny, *second* degree
[Sections 528, 531 : (FROM THE PERSON), Penal Code]

Peter Plunkitt

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
July 5th by District Attorney.
Speed of Court

A True Bill.
[Signature]
24.06 Foreman
[Signature]
[Signature]

Witnesses:
John Mahan
403 East 13th St.
Officer
Thomas Gillbride
18th Precinct

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has been a
pleaser. Man's
mother for
ten years out
down him & the
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The People } Court of General Sessions. Part I
Peter Plunkitt } Before Recorder Smyth. July 5. 1887.
Indictment for grand larceny in the 2nd degree.
John Thaler, sworn and examined,
testified. I live 403 East Fifteenth st. I saw the
prisoner on the 13th of June right beside the
stable where we keep our horse between First
Avenue and Avenue A.; it was half past
one o'clock. I was going round to buy a lock
to put on the stable through Eighteenth st. I
met a young man I knew and he said,
"Shake hands with me," I was shaking hands
with him and Plunkitt came over and
grabbed one hand and ~~put~~ the other in my
vest pocket and took the money out - two
ten cent pieces and four pennies. The
prisoner did not do anything after that; he
just stood there, I thought he was fooling. I
said, "Give it to me;" he said, "I aint got it."
I said, "I will go and tell my father and
he will make you give it to me. I asked
him for it again and he said, "Here is
13 cents." I said, "Thirteen cents will not buy
the lock; give it all to me, I want take no
less." He would not give it to me. I went
down and saw this officer corner of
Avenue A and I told the officer about
it and he arrested him. I know the defendant

for two years, since we kept our horse there.
I know him from seeing him walk up and
down. Cross Examined. The name of the friend
I was talking to was Crowley, he is not in court
I don't know where he is now, I did not give
his name to the District Attorney because
he did not take the money. I was speaking
to Crowley who was sitting down and the pris-
oner came along. My friend did not make
any attempt to stop the defendant when he
seized me; he thought he was fooling. I got a
25 cent piece from my mother about twelve
o'clock just after eating my dinner. I came
around Eighteenth st. to look at the horse to
see that he did not get out of the stable,
and one of the fellows asked me for a
chew of tobacco. I went over and bought
it for a cent. That is how he came to
see the money. Crowley is not in prison,
I don't know where he is, he lives in the block.

Thomas Gillbride sworn and exam-
ined, testified. I am a police officer belonging
to the Eighteenth precinct. I recollect the day
of this occurrence, I was in Avenue A
on post. I saw this young boy Thaler, it
was about 1.30 when I made the arrest.
I had a conversation with the boy and in

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consequence of it I arrested Plunkitt. On Monday June 13 at 1.30 the boy came to me on Avenue A and said that he was robbed. I took the prisoner to the station house and then to the Court. I searched him and found 24 cents on him, two ten cent pieces and four pennies. I did not take the money from him.

Peter Plunkitt, sworn and examined, testified in his own behalf. I live in Second Avenue near Twenty Third St. I came out of the house on the 13th of June about 9 o'clock that morning and got 50 cents off my mother and I strolled down Eighteenth St. where I used to live and this boy happened to come along and he shook hands with a man. One of the men asked for a chew of tobacco and he went and got some tobacco. I took twelve cents out of my pocket and he says, "that is my money, the 24 cents that you took from me." I says, "It is not your money, I have only twelve cents." After that the crowd disappeared and I still sat there. He went down and I saw him talking to a policeman, the policeman came up to me and said, "you took 24 cents off this boy." I said I did not, I have not 24 cents, I only have twelve cents. He arrested me and took

me to the station house; he made the charge to the Captain, he never searched me, he never put his hand in my pocket. I have never been arrested before. Cross Examined. It is three years since I worked, I have been in the hospital. I got 50 cents from my mother in the morning and I bought 3 cigars for 25 cents, a glass of beer for five cents, and a paper of tobacco for ten cents and I gave a poor woman three cents. I had 12 cents left.

John Curry sworn. I live 427 East 18th St. I know Plunkett and Thaler; on the 13th of June I saw Thaler come up to the other boy and say, "Give me the twenty four cents."

John Delaney sworn. I know Thaler and Plunkett. I heard a man ask Thaler for a chew of tobacco; he went and bought an extra penny's worth. Crowley and Plunkett shook hands with him. I heard the boys say that Plunkett took 25 cents off him. The complainant said Plunkett took 25 cents off him.

Aunt Prudy, the mother of Plunkett, testified she gave him 50 cents on the 12th of June to go to the barbers about nine o'clock. Thomas Gilbride testified that when he took the money from the pocket of the defendant in the station house that he got it for clothes that he pawned in the morning. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

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Testimony in the
case of
Peter Plunkitt
filed June
1887.

July 8

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THE PEOPLE vs. ...

NEW YORK COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

he be sent to the Elmira Reformatory instead of States Prison as he feels unable to do hard work and if compelled to do so his life is endangered and also to save his aged mother from disgrace.

Sworn to before me this)

7th day of July, 1887)

Joseph ...
Notary Public
NYC

Peter X Prunty
mark

POOR QUALITY
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0235

Court

NY
General Sessions

The People vs

Plaintiff

against

Peter Plunkett

Defendant

vs

LEOPOLD TURK,

Attorney for *vs*

25 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK CITY.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0236

Police Court- District.

Affidavit-Larceny.

City and County } ss.:
of New York, }

of No 403 E 15 Street, aged 15 years,
occupation Pickler being duly sworn

deposes and says, that on the 13 day of June 1887 at the City of New York, in the County of New York, was feloniously taken, stolen and carried away from the possession of the person of deponent, in the day time, the following property viz:

Seven dollar lawful money of the United States consisting two ten cent pieces and four pennies in all of the value of twenty four cents

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 Peter Plunkitt "Bowling"

from the fact that previous to said larceny deponent had said money in his vest pocket then and there was on the person of deponent and about the hour of one thirty PM on the above date as deponent was standing in East 18th Street talking to a friend, the said Plunkitt came a long crowd sized deponent by the hand and placed his hand into deponent's vest pocket and took the above money

John Whalen

Sworn to before me, this day of June 1887
of [Signature]
Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0237

Sec. 198-200.

District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, } ss.

Peter Plunkitt being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge, and being informed that it is his right to make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to enable him if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial,

Question. What is your name?

Answer. *Peter Plunkitt*

Question. How old are you?

Answer. *26 years*

Question. Where were you born?

Answer, *New York*

Question. Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer. *392 - 2nd Ave 4 months*

Question. What is your business or profession?

Answer, *None*

Question. Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer. *I am not Guilty*

Peter Plunkitt
his
sworn

Taken before me this

13

day of *March* 188*8*

[Signature]

Police Justice.

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0238

BAILED,

No. 1, by

Residence

No. 2, by

Residence

No. 3, by

Residence

No. 4, by

Residence

Police Court-- 4 District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,

ON THE COMPLAINT OF

Sam W. Gilbert
443 G. St.
John Plunkett
Larceny from person

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Dated

June 13

1887

Magistrate

William G. ...

Precinct

Witnesses

No.

Street

No.

Street



No.

Street

\$ 500 to answer

Signature

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named

defendant

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of five Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated June 13 1887

Signature of Police Justice

Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated 1887

Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named

guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated 1887

Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0239

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Peter Brundage

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse

- Peter Brundage -

of the CRIME OF GRAND LARCENY IN THE *second* DEGREE, committed as follows :

The said *Peter Brundage*,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the *thirteenth* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-~~seven~~, at the City and County aforesaid, in the

day (time of the same day, with force and arms, *two silver coins of the United States, of the kind called dimes, of the value of ten cents each, and four coins of the United States, of the kind called cents, of the value of one cent each,*

of the goods, chattels, and personal property of one *John Whelan*, on the person of the said *John Whelan*, then and there being found, from the person of the said *John Whelan*, 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.

Richard B. Smith
District Attorney.

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FOLDER:

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DESCRIPTION:

Pund, Emma

DATE:

06/16/87



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Witnesses:

1892
11/21/87

Counsel, *W. B. Boyd*
Filed, *16* day of *June* 1887
Pleads, *Not Guilty*

THE PEOPLE

vs.

R

Emma Bond

Violation of Excise Law.
(Selling to Minor).
[III Rev. Stat. (7th Ed.) p. 1982, § 15].

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,
Chas. W. P. S. Adm.
Nov 16/87 District Attorney.

A True Bill.

F. C. Chandler
November 17/87. Probate Foreman.
True Copy of the
with a representation from
remission of the fine.
Judge's signature.
R.B.C.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0242

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

Police Court, District.

Michael Brady.
of No. 34th Precinct Police Street, being duly sworn, deposes and
says, that on the 18th day of May, 1887.

at the City of New York, in the County of New York, Emma Fund.

(Now here) did unlawfully, at
premises No 1615 North 3rd Street
sell a quantity of Lager Beer
being spirituous liquor to one Charles
McGrity now present. The said
Charles McGrity being then and
there a minor under the age of
fourteen years to wit of the age of
nine years - and that the said
Emma Fund then and there
knew the or had reason to believe
that such minor was under the
age of fourteen years - dependent
Lager. The said Emma Fund
sell to the said McGrity a
quantity of Lager Beer and
receive Eight Cents in payment.
In said Beer from said McGrity
violation of Chapter 470 Laws
1887. Statute New York -

Subscribed before me
this 19th day of May 1887
M. H. Hilde

Michael Brady
Police Justice

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Sec. 108-200

5 District Police Court.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss

Emma Puni being duly examined before the undersigned, according to law, on the annexed charge: and being informed that it is his right to make a statement in relation to the charge against him; that the statement is designed to enable him if he see fit to answer the charge and explain the facts alleged against him that he is at liberty to waive making a statement, and that his waiver cannot be used against him on the trial.

Question What is your name?

Answer Emma Puni

Question How old are you?

Answer 33 Years -

Question Where were you born?

Answer Germany -

Question Where do you live, and how long have you resided there?

Answer 1615 - North 3rd Avenue - N. Y. -

Question What is your business or profession?

Answer Married

Question Give any explanation you may think proper of the circumstances appearing in the testimony against you, and state any facts which you think will tend to your exculpation?

Answer I am not guilty and demand a trial by jury -
Emma Puni

I taken before me this

day of Sept 1888

Walter Police Justice.

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

0244

BAILED,
 No. 1, by Henry J. Kelly
 Residence 1385 4th Ave
 No. 3, by Henry J. Kelly
 Residence 1385 4th Ave
 No. 4, by _____
 Residence _____

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 Police Court District

THE PEOPLE, &c.,
 ON THE COMPLAINT OF
Michael J. Kelly
34th St
Comm. Murd
 Dated May 19 1887
 Magistrate
 Officer
 Precinct

Witnesses
 No. 1 1612 2nd Ave
 No. 2 1612 2nd Ave
 No. 3 1612 2nd Ave
 No. 4 1612 2nd Ave
 to answer Barber

It appearing to me by the within depositions and statements that the crime therein mentioned has been committed, and that there is sufficient cause to believe the within named _____

guilty thereof, I order that he be held to answer the same and he be admitted to bail in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, and be committed to the Warden and Keeper of the City Prison of the City of New York, until he give such bail.

Dated May 19 1887 _____ Police Justice.

I have admitted the above-named Defendant to bail to answer by the undertaking hereto annexed.

Dated May 19 1887 _____ Police Justice.

There being no sufficient cause to believe the within named _____ guilty of the offence within mentioned, I order he to be discharged.

Dated _____ 1887 _____ Police Justice.

**POOR QUALITY
ORIGINAL**

0245

Court of General Sessions of the Peace

OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
against

Emma Pund

The Grand Jury of the City and County of New York, by this indictment, accuse

Emma Pund -

of a MISDEMEANOR, committed as follows:

The said

Emma Pund,

late of the City of New York, in the County of New York aforesaid, on the
eighteenth day of *May* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*seven*, at the City and County aforesaid,
certain strong and spirituous liquor and certain wine, ale and beer, to wit: One gill of wine,
one gill of brandy, one gill of rum, one gill of gin, one gill of whisky, one gill of cordial, one
gill of bitters, one gill of ale, one gill of porter, one gill of beer, one gill of lager beer, and one
gill of a certain strong and spirituous liquor to the Grand Jury aforesaid unknown, unlawfully
did sell to one *Charles McFiggley*, who was then and there a minor
under the age of fourteen years, to wit: of the age of *nine* years, as *she* the said
Emma Pund, then and there well knew and had
reason to believe; 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.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE,

District Attorney.