

The Policeman's Song

The Sergeant's air with chorus from *The Pirates of Penzance; or, The Slave of Duty* (bass)

Text by *Sir William Schwenck Gilbert* (1839-1911) [Br]

Set by *Sir Arthur Seymour Sullivan* (1842-1900) [Br]

When a felon's not engaged in his employment,
[ˌmɛn ʌ ˈfɛl.ənz nɒt ɪ(ɛ)n.ˈɡeɪdʒd ɪn hɪz ɪm.ˈplɔɪ.mənt]

Or maturing his felonious little plan,
[ɔɹ mə.ˈtʃʊr.ɪŋ hɪz fə.ˈloʊ.ni.əs ˈlɪt.əl plæn]

His capacity for innocent enjoyment,
Is just as great as any honest man.

