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By His Honor's Command,

F. E. STEWART,

Provincial Secretary.

Note.—This Gazette contains the substance of Informations received in cases of Felony and of Misdemeanors and against Receivers of stolen goods, reputed Thieves and Offenders escaped from custody, with the time, place, and circumstances of the Offence; the Names of persons known, but not in custody, who are charged with Offences, and descriptions of those who are not known, their appearance, dress, and other marks of identity; the Names of Accomplices and Accessories, with every particular which may lead to their apprehension; a description, as accurate as possible, of property that has been stolen, and a minute description of stolen horses, &c., for the purpose of tracing and recovering them.

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Stolen.

STOLEN, between 9 p.m. of the 30th, and 6 a.m 31st alt. from the person of Frederick Blackmore, Timaru, while in a state of intoxication, a brown morocco leather pocket-book, containing one £5 note and twenty eight £1 notes, Nos, or Bank unknown, some silver, two gold rings, one a keeper the other plain, six penny receipt stamps, and a memorandum of an account with his brother, James Blackmore: the pocket-book, rings, and memo of account identifiable. Two men, one known as "Sam" the other as Philip Carey are suspected, Sam having been drinking during the evening with Blackmore, and Carey having assisted him to bed. Sam is an Englishman 5 feet 8 in. high, 50 years old, grey and sandy hair mixed, whiskers ditto, chin close shaved, freckled hands, with rather a glossy skin, wears moleskin trowers, drab coloured coat, drab felt hat, and lace-up boots, sings a song called the "shearer's song or the county gaol;" said he was travelling South. Carey is an Englishman 5 feet 1 inch high, 25 years old; fair hair, no whiskers, small light moustache, full face fresh complexion, wears moleskin trowers, grey shirt, drab wide awake hat, and lace-up boots; still in the vicinity of Timaru.

STOLEN, about 8 p.m. of the 30th ult. from outside the door of a brothel in Madras Street, kept by a woman named Mitchell, a duck bag, tied round the mouth with a red and white string, containing one white single blanket, one red and one blue, two pillows with white slips on them, 2 white shirts, 7

crimean shirts of various patterns, one pair blucher and one pair elastic sided boots, the elastic on the outside of the right boot broken, the property of one Thomas Brown. A man named Joseph Rodgers alias Roach, who induced Brown into the brothel, is suspected, he is about 30 years old, 5 feet 9 inches high, stout build, sallow complexion, full face, dark brown hair, whiskers and moustache, tatooed on the arm, dressed in suit of dark tweed, and dirty brown billycock hat, is supposed to have gone north of the province.

Stolen, between 10 a.m and 6 p.m of the 23rd ult. from off a post at Mr. Courage's sheep yards, Seadown near Leithfield, a pair of field glasses medium size, new, in a plain black leather case, makers name Whitehouse, Coventry, engraved on the barrel; there had been no person but Mr. Courage's and Mr. McDonald's shepherd about the yards.

Stolen, on the 5th instant from the dwelling of Mr. Burgess, Templeton, seven £1 notes Bank and number unknown, a man named Sam Price who knew where the money was placed, is suspected; he is about 30 years old 5 feet 4 inches high, medium build, dark hair and whiskers, no moustache, thin features upper front teeth missing, a large piece of skin off the nose, dressed in a suit of grey tweed, and cap or light billycock hat, has a large grey jumper which he sometimes wears; gone towards Lyttelton or the north.

STOLEN, during the night of the 6th inst. from a POLICE GAZETTE.—Vol. V.—No. 22.