

Vide *New Zealand Gazette*, Oct. 2, 1868, No. 57.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 1st October, 1868.

ENQUIRIES having been made respecting the under-mentioned person, any one who can furnish any information respecting him, is requested to communicate the same to this office:—

Name—Charles Medex.

Age—About twenty-three years.

Former occupation—Said to be that of a Military Settler.

Usual residence before coming to the Colony—Melbourne.

When last heard of, and at what place—Three years ago, at Taranaki.

W. GISBORNE,  
Under-Secretary.

Vide *Victoria Police Gazette*, 24th September, 1868, No. 39.

INFORMATION is requested of Joseph Prout, who left Maine, U.S., thirty-five or forty years ago, and was supposed to be lost at sea. About three years ago, however, he was reported to be residing in Australia. Important family news awaits him.

Vide *New South Wales Police Gazette*, 16th September, 1868, No. 38, page 273.

INFORMATION is requested respecting Wm. Howard Galt, a native of Coleraine, County Londonderry, Ireland, who sailed from Glasgow or Greenock for

Melbourne in the month of July, 1841. He is about forty-seven years of age, middle stature, fair complexion, blue eyes, straight nose, light auburn hair; has a slight halt from having once broken his leg. Galt wrote to his friends from Melbourne in 1842; from Hobart Town in 1847; from Ballarat in 1860; and was last heard of at Yanco, Murrumbidgee, about three years ago. Information to the Inspector-General of Police.

Vide *Victoria Police Gazette*, 8th Oct. 1868, No. 41.

INFORMATION is requested respecting John Reilly, present age about forty, five feet seven inches high, dark complexion, hazel eyes, good teeth, usually wears beard and whiskers, a County Cavan man, farmer, passenger to Melbourne by Great Britain, January, 1863; last heard of at Wood's point, about September, 1865, being at that time part owner of a claim at Wood's Point jointly with Edward Lynch and Cooney. He returned thence to Melbourne with about £300. He is likely to have gone to New Zealand. 6th October, 1868.

INFORMATION is requested respecting William Lawrie, or Lowrie, per Fairlie (1834), twenty-four years old on arrival, 5 feet 8½ inches high, dark complexion, dark brown hair, brown eyes, eyebrows meeting, round scar back of lower left arm, scar back of left hand, scars back of middle and little fingers of left hand. Native of Galloway, Scotland; farm servant. Received certificate of freedom May, 1840. Information to the Inspector General of Police, Sydney.

### A P P R E H E N S I O N S .

NAME.	OFFENCE.	BY WHOM ARRESTED.	HOW DISPOSED OF.
James Burns	Wife Desertion	Sergeant Horniman, Ashburton police	
John Shepherd	Deserting his wife and family	Sergeant Scott, Waimate police	
Alexander Carmichael	Resisting the police	M. McCabe, Timaru police	Fined 20s.
John Phillips	Vagrancy	Constable Quinn, Lyttelton police	Dismissed with a caution
William Prideaux	Drunk and incapable	Constable O'Connor, Christchurch police	14 days' hard labour
Eliza Oliver	Attempted suicide	Constable Jeffrey, Christchurch police	Dismissed with a caution
Helen Pearson	Larceny, six charges	Detective Feast, Christchurch police	12 months' imprisonment
Walter Doudney	Breach of Vagrant Act, sect. 4	Detective Feast, Christchurch police	4 months' imprisonment
Catherine Gilchrist	Larceny	Detective Feast, Christchurch police	1 month's imprisonment
John Thomas Deleon	Do	Constable Jeffrey, Christchurch police	6 months' imprisonment
Thomas C. Pepperill	Manslaughter	Sergeant Felton, Bealey police	Committed for trial
Archibald Black	Violent assault	Constable Quinn, Lyttelton police	Fined £5
John Spruce	Stowaways on board the ship	Constable Quinn, Lyttelton police	14 days' imprisonment
John Donovan	Hydaspes	Constable Quinn, Lyttelton police	7 days' imprisonment
John Spruce	Larceny on board ship Hydaspes	Constable Quinn, Lyttelton police	3 months' imprisonment
Joseph Austin	Assault	Constable Quinn, Lyttelton police	3 weeks' imprisonment

R. C. SHEARMAN,

Commissioner of Police.

Christchurch, November 2, 1868.