



NEW ZEALAND POLICE GAZETTE.

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NOTICE.—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the *Police Gazette*, see *Gazette* No. 1 of this year.

When notifying the arrest of persons charged with larceny, or suspected of larceny, it should be stated in the crime report whether the property stolen, or any portion of it, has been recovered.

A description of property, supposed to be stolen, found in the possession of offenders, for which owners cannot be found, should be furnished for insertion in the *Police Gazette*.

Communications for this *Gazette* should be addressed to the Superintendent in Charge of Police, North Island, Armed Constabulary Depôt, Wellington. Official correspondence on other subjects with the Superintendent in Charge of the North Island Police should be similarly addressed.

Reward.

NOTICE is hereby given that rewards not exceeding £5 will be paid by Government to any person or persons who shall give such information to the police as will lead to the conviction of any person who shall sell, or permit or suffer to be sold, any alcoholic liquors, unless licensed so to do.

By order.

R. C. SHEARMAN,

Superintendent in Charge, North Island Police.

Superintendent's Office, Constabulary Depôt,
Wellington, 8th January, 1879.

Incendiarism.

£500 REWARD.

NOTICE is hereby given that a reward of £500 will be paid to any person who shall first give such information to the police as will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons concerned in wilfully setting fire to premises in New Zealand.

G. S. WHITMORE,

Commissioner, Armed Constabulary.

Constabulary Office,

Wellington, 15th April, 1879.

On the morning of the 7th ultimo, at Waikiwi Plains, Otago District, two stacks of oats, value £40, the property of Ephraim Simms, were maliciously set on fire, by which they were destroyed.

Offences Not Otherwise Described.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, page 95.)

F. SYMONS, charged on warrant with obtaining money by false pretences from Benjamin Bailey Johnson, at Waipawa, has been arrested by Sergeant Patrick B. Cahill, Hawera Police, and

remanded to Napier. His correct name is Edmond H. M. Symons.

JAMES DRIPE is charged, on warrant issued by the Hawera Bench, with having, on the 6th of May last, at Normanby, obtained £2 15s. from Alexander Brett by means of a valueless cheque. Description: Scotch, a sheep-drover, about forty years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, stout build, ruddy complexion, reddish hair, full beard, whiskers, and moustache; usually wears light-tweed paget coat and dark-tweed hat. He was seen at Wanganui on the 30th of May. He may have gone to Napier, where he usually stays at the Empire Hotel.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, pages 68 and 96.)

STEWART MCGREGOR, charged on warrant with obtaining goods and money from Charles O'Donnell by means of a valueless cheque, worked recently at the Maerewhenua Diggings. He was seen in Oamaru about three weeks ago, and then said he was on his way to Riverton, but he may go to Lyell Creek, Inangahua, where he has friends named James Phillips and John Evans. His correct name is said to be David Thomas Jones.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, page 86.)

RICHARD WOOD, charged on warrant with having obtained groceries, &c., value £2 6s., from George Ritchie, at Christchurch, by false pretences, has been arrested by Constable George Laurie, Wellington Police. He has been fined £5, or two months' labour, for surreptitiously obtaining a passage by the steamer "Wakatipu" from Sydney to Wellington.

HORATIO GILCHRIST is charged, on warrant issued by the Southbridge Bench, with embezzling, on the 24th of January last, at Leeston, £5 19s. 7d., the moneys of the Ellesmere Bacon Curing Company, by whom he was employed as manager. Description: A native of the North of Ireland, a bacon-curer, about twenty-eight or thirty years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, medium build, smart appearance, black hair, clean shaved except dark moustache; when last seen wore light-tweed suit and light-coloured soft-felt hat with black band. He left Leeston on the 20th of May last for Christchurch. He worked at his trade in Dunedin, and also in a brewery there.

£20 REWARD.

WHEREAS James Lyons, an important witness in the case of James and Patrick McMenamin, charged with arson, having failed to appear to give evidence at the Resident Magistrate's Court at Invercargill, on the 5th of May, 1879, and whereupon a warrant was issued for the arrest of the said James Lyons:

This is to notify that a reward of £20 is offered for such information as may be given to the police that shall lead to the arrest of the said James Lyons.

Description of James Lyons: Forty-six years of age, 5 feet 8½ inches high, stout square build, brown hair, whiskers, and moustache, grey eyes, flat nose, native of Ireland, a labourer,

has been in the army and through the Maori war. Last heard of on the 9th ultimo, about five miles from Tapanui.

Particular marks: The name "Mary Murphy," also "anchor and star," tattooed on right arm.

G. S. WHITMORE,
Commissioner, Armed Constabulary.

Armed Constabulary Office,
Wellington, 14th June, 1879.

Housebreaking, Stealing from the Person and from Dwellings.

A MAN, name unknown, is charged with having, on the 9th ultimo, stolen from the shop-door of George Quarterman, High Street, Christchurch, a pair of trousers, since recovered; value 10s. Description: Looked like a labourer, between thirty-five and forty years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, stout build, fair hair, reddish beard, whiskers, and moustache; wore dark-brown coat torn at back, dirty white moleskin trousers, and dirty drab billycock hat. He is believed to be identical with James Hoskins Chubb. (For description see *Police Gazette*, 1878, page 169.)

A MAN, name unknown, is charged with breaking into the store of Joseph Nathan and Co., at Bull's, on the 15th ultimo, and stealing two suits of clothes, two flannel shirts, six pairs of stockings, three pairs of cotton hose, four pairs of boots, five sticks of tobacco, 2 lb. of candles, three cakes of blacking, three tins of knife-polish, and three stone of pearl barley; since recovered. Description: About 5 feet 8 inches high; wore a monkey-jacket and a cap. He was detected coming from the store carrying a bag containing the stolen property, which he dropped, and made his escape.

STOLEN between the 9th and 14th ultimo, from the hut of Peter Moller, Timaru, Taranaki District, a brass-mounted purse with three compartments, containing a £10 note supposed on the Bank of New South Wales, sixteen £1 notes, and a receipt for £200 signed by Thomas Hammerton. Purse and receipt identifiable. Suspicion attached to Thomas Shaw, English, a carpenter, forty years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, dark complexion, dark-brown hair, whiskers, and moustache mixed with grey; wore dark-tweed suit and soft black-felt hat; drunken appearance. He is at present residing at Okato.

STOLEN about the 10th ultimo, from the shop of James Mulligan, High Street, Christchurch, two suits of clothes; value £5. The clothes have since been found in a water-closet at the rear of the White Hart Hotel.

STOLEN on the 14th ultimo, from the shop-door of George Brown, Princes Street, Dunedin, a blue pilot overcoat, with nap, lined with grey waterproof cloth, two pockets on right side, and three buttons on each side; size 6.

STOLEN between the 31st of May and the 2nd ultimo, from the dwelling of John Hedrington, Croydon, near Gore, a very long single-barrel gun, a small piece broken out of point of butt, breech screw loose, ramrod rusty; a single shot-pouch, and a flask of powder.

STOLEN on the 12th ultimo, from a bedroom in the Commercial Hotel, High Street, Dunedin, two £10 notes on the Bank of New Zealand, a silver lever hunting watch, "Rotherham" on dial, and a curb-pattern gold Albert guard with horse-bit in centre; the property of James Wilson; value £12. Watch and guard identifiable. Suspicion attached to William Grimer, who occupied the room with complainant. Description: A labourer, twenty-three years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, medium build, no hair on face except small dark moustache; wore blue-cloth paget coat, dark trousers, old soft black-felt hat, and brown spotted muffler. It is supposed he left Dunedin on the morning of the 12th ultimo by train for Invercargill or Timaru.

STOLEN between the 9th and 13th ultimo, from the dwelling of James Hill, Maitland Street, Dunedin, a silver Albert chain, a small silver locket with one of glasses cracked attached, a fourpenny piece, and four threepenny pieces; value £1 3s. Chain and locket identifiable.

STOLEN on the 20th ultimo, from the shop of Elizabeth Sharples, Victoria Street, Christchurch, a white-cotton shirt with linen plate down breast and linen wristbands, two white china plates with pale-blue leaf, and a novel, called "The Bee Hunter;" value 4s. 6d. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 21st ultimo, from the waiting-room of the railway station, Wanganui, a swag, consisting of a red blanket, a blue blanket, a pair of moleskin trousers, a cotton shirt, a flannel shirt, five or six pieces of leather, a few buckles, and

two saddle-straps; the property of John Munro; value £2 15s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 7th ultimo, from a bedroom in the Railway Hotel, Invercargill, an old open-faced silver Geneva watch, No. 6344, jewelled in three holes, a ladies' long gold chain with two folds of small gold wire round each link, a triangle gold seal with pale-yellow stone, stag's head on one side and JWZ in Roman letters, on another; the property of James William Lindsay; value £19. Identifiable.

STOLEN about the 11th ultimo, from the shop of Rebecca Basch, at Hawera, three £1 notes.

STOLEN on the 21st ultimo, from the Empire Dining-rooms, Lambton Quay, Wellington, a thin grey-tweed waterproof overcoat, skirt pockets slightly torn, collar lined with brown silk; the property of John Turner; value £1 5s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 23rd ultimo, from the Central Hotel, Ashburton, a dark-grey-and-black check-pattern tweed ulster overcoat, yellow thread through material, flap pockets, black-cloth buttons, lower button on right side missing; the property of P. A. Edmiston; value £3 3s. Identifiable.

ON the morning of the 17th ultimo a pane of glass was broken in the shop window of Alfred Bashford, Waimate, and a boys' pair of elastic-side boots, No. 2 size, with four rows of nails, stolen therefrom; value 11s. Identifiable.

STOLEN about the 14th ultimo, from the workshop of Frederick Crook, Te Aro Beach, Wellington, a mahogany case, about 7 inches long, 6 inches broad, and 1½ inches deep, without lock, containing two pairs of brass compasses with steel points, three pairs of steel dividers, scales, drawing pens, &c.; value £5. Identifiable. A lad, named Thomas Smith, who until recently worked in the shop, suspected.

STOLEN about the 13th ultimo, from the workshop of Henry F. Smith, Lambton Quay, Wellington, a shoemakers' hammer, a pair of pincers, a knife, a waist iron, three awl shafts, a glazing iron, handle split and mended with rivets and bound with wax-end, and a forepart iron; value 15s. Identifiable. Thomas Horrocks, who worked in the shop, suspected.

STOLEN between the beginning of March and the 18th of May last, from the hut of James Rose, Fourteen-Mile Beach, Westport, a single-barrel gun with a small brass plate on stock, a 24-hour American clock, two tin milk-dishes, and an American axe with handle; value £3. Identifiable.

BETWEEN the 1st and 5th of May last, the shop of William Saunders, Lichfield Street, Christchurch, was broken into, and the following stolen: A 25-lb. tin of Van Houten's cocoa, a 14-lb. jar of tartaric acid, and three tins of Christie's mixed lollies, about 12 lb. in each; value £3 15s. 9d.

STOLEN on the 22nd of May last, from the person of James Mazey, in the bar of the Golden Fleece Hotel, Christchurch, a glaziers' diamond, with ebony handle about 6 inches long, maker's name "Sherritt" stamped thereon, a small notch in end of handle; value £1 5s. Identifiable.

STOLEN about the 20th ultimo, from the Coach and Horses Hotel, Wanganui, a nearly-new pepper-and-salt-coloured Irish frieze ulster overcoat, with belt with a piece of white tape sewn on it, dark-tweed lining; the property of William Henry Forder; value £3 5s. Identifiable.

STOLEN between the 10th of May and 14th ultimo, from the store of Caldwell and Co., at Bull's, four pairs of black-cloth trousers, a pair of long buff-coloured leather leggings, twelve pairs of kid gloves, a piece of striped muslin, a silk umbrella, an ulster overcoat, 26 yards of dress material, two signet rings, and two tortoiseshell brushes; the property of Joseph Nathan and Co.; value £15. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to Rudolph Lowie, who was employed in the store. Description: English, a draper, 5 feet 6 inches high, dark hair, and small dark beard and moustache. He is at present residing at Sanson, near Bull's.

STOLEN on the 12th ultimo, in Ballantyne's drapery establishment, Christchurch, a brown-leather purse, 4 by 3 inches, with elastic band which has been broken and sewn together with thread, containing a £1 note and a cheque for £2 10s. drawn by Allan Makeig on the Colonial Bank, Christchurch; the property of Sarah Makeig. Purse and cheque identifiable. Suspicion attached to a woman, name unknown, supposed Irish, about fifty years of age, 4 feet 10 inches high, stout build, hair turning grey, pale complexion; wore dark-linsey

dress and black-straw hat trimmed with black ribbon; dirty dissipated appearance. Identifiable.

STOLEN between January and April last, from the dwelling of William Bayley Bray, at Opawa, a tin case containing three surveyors' boxwood scales, 12 inches long and 1 inch broad—one with thirty divisions to the inch, stamped with a crown; another with twenty divisions on one side and forty on the other side to the inch; the other with ten divisions on one side and sixty-six on the other side to the inch; and a sheet of paper with a scale marked thereon; value 15s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 16th ultimo, from the dwelling of George Slade, Aratapu, Auckland District, an open-face silver Geneva watch, No. 17928, "E. Le Maitre Amoy, J.P.," scratched on inside of case; a silver guard with key on end, and 10s. in silver; value £5 10s. Watch identifiable.

BETWEEN the 8th and 11th ultimo the dwelling of William S. Roth, Upper Queen Street, Auckland, was broken into, and the following stolen: Twenty-seven water-colour oriental pictures, about 24 by 18 inches, with gilt frames, two jack-planes, two trying-planes, two smoothing-planes, and three Crimean shirts. Identifiable.

BETWEEN 11.30 p.m. on the 19th and 8 a.m. on the 20th ultimo an attempt was made to break into the pawn office of Joseph Hart, at Auckland.

On the 16th ultimo the dwelling of George Fitness, Springbank, Ponsonby, Auckland, was broken into, and three £1 notes on the Bank of New Zealand stolen.

STOLEN during the night of the 26th of May last, from the person of Thomas Bates, while drunk in Auckland, an old open-face silver English lever watch, a portion of the hour-hand broken off, second-hand missing, a small plain-link-pattern gold Albert chain, and a gold locket with two blue horseshoes on one side, the other side plain, containing the likeness of a lady attached; a new black-cloth diagonal coat, edges braided, a brown-tweed vest, and a pair of elastic-side boots, partly worn, size 6; value £10 5s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 18th ultimo, from the Palace Hotel, Gloucester Street, Christchurch, a nearly-new light-drab fine-doeskin chesterfield overcoat, with velvet collar of same colour, buttons covered with cloth similar to the material in coat; the property of George Beatty; value £7. Identifiable.

STOLEN between the 20th and 22nd ultimo, from the shop of Richard Proudford, Taupo Quay, Wanganui, a double-breasted blue-serge tight-fitting sac-coat, edges bound with black mohair, two outside pockets with flaps, and an inside left-breast-pocket; value £2 15s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 6th ultimo, from the drill-shed at Auckland, a black ulster overcoat; the property of Edward Waddington; value 15s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 18th ultimo, from the school at Wellesley Street East, Auckland, a boys' new dark-blue cloth ulster overcoat, two pieces of dark-grey waterproof cloth sewn on the inside of shoulders; the property of George McElwain; value 17s. 6d. Identifiable.

Stealing Otherwise than from the Person or from Dwellings.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, page 79.)

ROBERT JONES, charged on warrant with stealing a coat, &c., at Bull's, the property of James McIntosh, has been arrested by Constable Charles Brunskill, Featherston Police.

DAVID MASON is charged, on warrant issued by the Oxford Bench, with the larceny as a bailee, at Oxford, on the 15th ultimo, of a double-barrel muzzle-loading gun, with leather sling, "Manton, London," engraved on locks, and "Ruben" on barrels in brass letters, locks and hammers very bright; the property of James Inglis; value £5. Description: English, a sailor, twenty-nine years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high, slight build, pale complexion, dark hair, dark-brown beard and moustache, cheeks shaved, bow-legged; wore moleskin or shepherds' plaid trousers and old dark-cloth sac-coat; dissipated appearance, and fond of drink. He went towards Malvern.

A LETTER posted at Featherston, on the 31st of May last, addressed to the Manager of the Union Bank, Wellington, has not reached its destination, and it is supposed has been stolen. It contained two crossed Government cheques, one for £25 on the Bank of New Zealand, Greytown, No. 1835, the other for

£41 13s. 4d. on the Bank of New Zealand, Featherston, No. 616, both signed by J. Holmes, and countersigned by Herbert S. Wardell, and two £5 notes; the property of Herbert Samuel Wardell. Cheques identifiable.

STOLEN about the 14th ultimo, from the meat-safe of George Hewitt, Majoribank Street, Wellington, a leg and loin of mutton, a leg of pork, and about 14lb. of beef; value 10s.

STOLEN on the 9th ultimo, at Ashburton, eight fowls; the property of George Kidd; value £1 5s. One identifiable.

STOLEN about the 2nd ultimo, from a clothes-line at Green Island, two common linen table-cloths, two large twill sheets, a bath towel, a swansdown under shirt, a small white blanket with blue-and-yellow stripes at ends, a plain night-dress, and three calico pillow-slips, the property of William C. Norman, value £1 18s., identifiable; and a night-dress with fancy-work on neck and breast, and two pairs of white-cotton stockings, the property of Jane E. Shand, value 9s., identifiable.

STOLEN between the 30th of May and 3rd ultimo, from Wyndham Street, Auckland, a pickaxe, newly laid with steel, OJ stamped on iron, and a nearly-new shovel, HN marked on flat part of head; the property of Joseph Neylon; value 15s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 13th ultimo, on board the steamer "Albion," at Wellington, a double-breasted rough black overcoat, two side pockets with flaps, and an inside left-breast pocket, red-and-black woollen lining, and black-cloth buttons; the property of Thomas Dennard; value £2. Identifiable.

STOLEN about the 27th of March last, from Herbert, a yellow bull-and-mastiff dog, with a piece out of right ear, answers to the name "Boatswain;" the property of Richard Donaldson; value £5. Identifiable. On the 19th of May a dog answering the description was seen tied up at a woolshed which was being built near the Pigroot Hotel.

STOLEN on the 10th ultimo, from the cart of Selwyn Davies, at Christchurch, a nearly-new carters' whip, brown leather lash about 3 feet 6 inches long, handle 3 feet 9 inches long, covered with brown leather, with six or seven white-metal rings thereon; value 12s. 6d. Identifiable.

STOLEN about the 11th ultimo, at Wanganui, twenty-nine fathoms of fishing-net rope, with a quantity of cork and lead attached; the property of John Lenois; value £1 2s. Lead identifiable.

STOLEN about the 19th ultimo, from a clothes-line in Durham Street, Christchurch, five cotton coloured shirts, a black-and-white Crimean shirt, two black-and-white boys' Crimean shirts, a white-flannel singlet, and a red-flannel petticoat; the property of Henry Scrimshaw; value £3. Identification doubtful.

STOLEN about the 19th ultimo, from the clothes-line of Ellen Russell, at Wanganui, a blue serge trousers, a flannel shirt, and a coloured shirt; value £1 6s. 6d. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 17th ultimo, on board the steamer "Tui," at Picton, a black-morocco-leather pocketbook, two leaves torn out of centre, containing six £10 notes, a £5 note, two £1 notes, and a half-sovereign with a hole in it; the property of Maurice O'Shea. Pocketbook identifiable.

STOLEN on the 18th ultimo, from the fowlhouse of Elizabeth Sharples, Victoria Street, Christchurch, a black-and-white speckled hen; value 2s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 5th ultimo, at Hawera, four double-strap gate hinges, about 12 inches long, 2 inches wide, and a ¼ inch thick, with two bolts and nuts for each hinge; the property of Mrs. Harkness. Identification doubtful. The hinges were stolen off a gate, which was broken in removing them.

STOLEN about the 16th ultimo, from a shed in the yard of Walter Johnson, St. Asaph Street, Christchurch, a nearly-new pair of lace boots, kid uppers, double soles without nails, a lace only in one; value £1 4s. Identifiable.

STOLEN during the night of the 5th ultimo, from the garden of Thomas Quaile, at Blueskin, five apple trees, three years old; value £25. Identifiable.

STOLEN between the 10th of May and 18th ultimo, from near a new building in Wellington Street, Auckland, about 400 feet of timber, consisting of scantling and boards for building; the property of John William Hewson; value £2 10s.

STOLEN about the 19th ultimo, from a clothes-line at Ngaurawahia, a pair of light-tweed trousers, faded, a rent about an inch long in right side of seat which has been mended; the property of Thomas Cleaver; value £1. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 16th ultimo, from the billiard-room of the Provincial Hotel, Auckland, seven billiard balls; the property of George Weightman; value £3 10s.

STOLEN during the past twelve months, from the railway line at Auckland and Ohaupo, eight railway tarpaulins, numbered respectively 22, 52, 109, 158, 167, 193, 194, and 195; the property of the Government. Identifiable.

Horse and Cattle Stealing.

STOLEN about the middle of January last, from Matakanaui Run, near Black's, a bay mare, six years old, 15 hands high, black points, branded O on near shoulder; the property of William T. Sams; value £20. Identifiable.

HENRY FOSTER is charged, on warrant issued by the Auckland Bench, with stealing, on or about the middle of May last, at Hellier's Creek, near Auckland, a red bullock, branded BM, ear split; the property of Matthew Phillips. Description: A native of Cumberland, England, twenty-eight years of age, short stature, dark-brown hair, and small whiskers, chin shaved. It is supposed he has gone to Waikato, Whangarei, or Kawakawa, to seek employment in the coal mines. Foster, with two other men at present in custody, killed the bullock, and stole the carcass.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, page 109.)

THE pony, the property of John Alfred Chadwick, reported stolen from a stable at Tauranga, has been recovered.

STOLEN between the 15th of April last and the 15th ultimo, from the farm of Phillip Collin Trelkeld, Oxford Tram Road, Eyreton District, sixty long-woolled sheep, mixed ages, branded P on top of inverted T in red on near loin, snip in the under point of near ear. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to William Barnard, who is charged on warrant with stealing sheep, the property of William Senior White. (For his description see *Gazette*, 1879, page 98.) He had been a sailor.

STOLEN between the 10th and 14th ultimo, from the farm of Pridcaux Tancred, Taratahi East, a half-bred wether, branded O on rump, two slits in one of ears; value 18s. Identifiable.

SUPPOSED stolen during the past fifteen months, at Waitotara, a thorough-bred chestnut filly (by the thorough-bred horse "Gladiator"), now rising two years old, hind fetlocks white; the property of B. Ferris; value £20. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to John McKenzie, a farmer residing at Waitotara, with whose horses the filly and her mother were running.

Escaped Prisoner.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, pages 163, 173, and 179.)

JOHN HENNIGAN, escaped prisoner: A man answering Hennigan's description worked at Captain Birche's woolshed, Patea, and left there about the 15th of April last, supposed for Motau. He was known at the woolshed as "The Infant," and "Uncle." He represented that he had been recently discharged from the Armed Constabulary.

Deserting Wives and Families, &c.

WILLIAM STARK is charged, on warrant issued by the Ashburton Bench, with refusing to support his illegitimate child, by Hester McFeters, at Ashburton, since about the 18th of January last. Description: A native of the North of Ireland, a farmer, thirty-one years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, medium build, fair complexion, fair hair, beard, whiskers, and moustache, good-looking. He was seen in New Plymouth in April last, where he went by the name of William Jones, but it is supposed he has left there and gone to Wanganui. John McKeown, farmer, Palmerston North, is his brother-in-law.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, page 98.)

EDMUND BUXTON, charged on warrant with disobeying a summons to answer a charge of damaging property, has been arrested by Constable Denis Black, Hurunui Police, and ordered to pay £8 1s., fine and costs.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, page 88.)

WILLIAM HUNT, charged on warrant with deserting his wife and family at Kumara, has been arrested by Constable Tapp, Inglewood Police, fined 1s., and ordered to pay 15s. per week towards the maintenance of his family.

Deserters from Her Majesty's Service.

CHARLES A. ARNEY is charged with deserting, on the 11th ultimo, from Her Majesty's ship "Sandfly," at Auckland. Description: English, twenty years of age, 5 feet 9 inches high, brown hair, blue eyes, and fair complexion. A reward of £3 is offered for his arrest.

CHARLES LYNE is charged with deserting, on the 18th ultimo, from Her Majesty's ship "Emerald," at Auckland. Description: Scotch, a seaman, nineteen years of age, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair and dark-blue eyes. A reward of £3 is offered for his arrest.

Deserters from Merchant Vessels.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1879, page 70.)

DAVID GIBSON, who deserted from the ship "Alastor," at Auckland, has been arrested by Constable Richard Stapleton, Thames Police.

Missing Friends.

INFORMATION is requested respecting the whereabouts of Frederick Hemming, if living, or, if dead, the particulars of his death. Description: A hosiery commercial traveller, thirty-one years of age, 6 feet 1 inch high, slight build, very pale, small grey eyes, dark hair, bald, scar on forehead. He deserted his wife and family at Blackfriars Road, London, in February, 1877, and it is supposed came to this colony. His wife has been informed that he died in January, year not stated, and is buried in Nelson. Inquiry is made for him at the request of his wife, Emily Ann Hemming, 31, Jeffreys Road, Clapham, S.W.

INFORMATION is requested respecting the whereabouts of Edward Vaughan Arbuckle, forty-eight years of age, about 5 feet 10 inches high, red hair and moustache, no beard or whiskers, and no front teeth. He left Gravesend in October, 1873, by the ship "Agnes Winn," for Otago, and was heard of at Dunedin in September last. Inquiry is made for him at the request of Major Arbuckle, Craigend, Bonnington, Edinburgh.

INFORMATION is requested respecting the whereabouts of Edward Valentine Gillmer, a grocer and agriculturist, thirty-one years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high, stout build, fresh complexion, dark hair. He has married since he came to the colony. He directed his letters to be addressed to the Christchurch Post Office. Inquiry is made for him at the request of A. W. Gillmer, Kingsland, Herefordshire.

Miscellaneous Information.

Appointments as Constables.

Charles Harry Turst, No. 1255.
Walter White, No. 1256.
Elias Warhurst, No. 1257.
William Anderson, No. 1258.
Thomas Edward Bryce, No. 1259.
William Davis, No. 1260.
James Edward Evans, No. 1261.
Richard Frost, No. 1262.
Victor Falkner, No. 1263.
Peter Jansen, No. 1264.
William Lester, No. 1265.
Robert Arthur Moller, No. 1266.
Harry Page, No. 1267.
John Ryan, No. 1268.
Thomas Augustus Swaysland, No. 1269.
Henry Edward Muis, No. 1270.
Booth Doria, No. 1271.
Leonard Hora, No. 1272.
Joseph Thompson, No. 1273.
Robert Beattie, No. 1274.
James Breen, No. 1275.
Thomas Cantell, No. 1276.
William Coleman, No. 1277.
Thomas Hamblyn, No. 1278.
Thomas Herlihy, No. 1279.
John Mauritz Levin, No. 1280.
William Alfred Lightford, No. 1281.
August Lehmann, No. 1282.
William Frederick Stonestreet, No. 1283.
Oliver Scott, No. 1284.
Henry Sorensen, No. 1285.
Frederick Whitney, No. 1286.
Richard Welham, No. 1287.
Albert York, No. 1288.
Cornelius William O'Reilly, No. 1289.
John Stanhope Bernard, No. 1290.
Owen Ormsby Irwin, No. 1291.
Frederick James Brabant, No. 1292.

Richard Bulling, No. 1293.
 Alexander Barclay Campbell, No. 1294.
 John Dunn, No. 1295.
 James Gormley, No. 1296.
 James Hague, No. 1297.
 Daniel Murphy, No. 1298.
 Thomas Henry S. Warner, No. 1299.

Resignations.

Constable Robert Young, No. 375.
 Constable Edwin Charles Hughes, No. 682.
 Constable Thomas Ollivier, No. 760.
 Constable Harry Kennedy, No. 799.

Discharges

Second-class Sergeant Patrick Barry, No. 33 (on compensation).
 Constable James George Blake, No. 596.

Dismissals.

Constable James Grant Fitzgerald, No. 398.
 Constable Thomas Fennessy, No. 972.
 Constable Robert Ferguson, No. 999.

Rewards.

THE sum of £5 has been awarded from the Reward Fund to Constable Michael Quirke, Dunganville Police, in recognition of zeal and perseverance shown by him in the detection and prosecution of Sarah McQuinty, fined £15 and costs for sly grog-selling.

THE sum of £1 each has been awarded to Sergeants Richard Gamble and Andrew Clarke, and Constable William McClellan, and the sum of 10s. each to Sergeant Henry Martin, Constables J. S. Kelly, Jonas A. Abrams, and — Walker, Auckland Police, for the arrest of five stragglers from Her Majesty's ship "Emerald."

THE sum of £5 has been awarded from the Reward Fund to Constable William Rowse, Ashburton Police, in recognition of zeal and tact shown by him in the detection and prosecution of Richard Riordan, fined £20 for sly grog-selling.

DURING the night of the 6th ultimo, at Opawa Station, a horse, the property of J. S. Rutherford, was maliciously stabbed in the chest with a sharp instrument, from the effects of which he died.

Extract from New Zealand Gazette.

(From *Gazette*, 1879, page 813.)

CHILDREN TO BE DEALT WITH UNDER "THE NEGLECTED AND CRIMINAL CHILDREN ACT, 1867," IN THE PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF HAWKE'S BAY, TO BE SENT TO REFORMATORY SCHOOL, CAVERSHAM.

HERCULES ROBINSON, Governor.

WHEREAS no school established pursuant to "The Neglected and Criminal Children Act, 1867," for convicted children, by that Act provided for, exists in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay:

Now, therefore, I, Hercules George Robert Robinson, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, do hereby order and arrange that the Reformatory School at Caversham, in the Provincial District of Otago, shall and may be used in common for convicted children required to be dealt with under the provisions of the said Act in the Provincial Dis-

trict of Hawke's Bay, as well as of convicted children requiring to be dealt with by virtue of the said Act in the said Provincial District of Otago.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

G. S. WHITMORE,
 (for the Minister of Justice.)

Extract from Victoria Police Gazette.

(From *Gazette*, 1879, page 147.)

(See *Government Gazette*, 10th April, 1879, page 817; *Police Gazette*, 1879, pages 63, 81, 89, and 119.)

**MURDER AT MURPHY'S CREEK, NEAR ORVILLE.
 £100 REWARD.**

WHEREAS on Tuesday, the 11th of March last, a man named John Scott was found dead in his hut at Murphy's Creek, near Orville, and, from the evidence adduced at the inquest held on the body, there is not the least doubt but that the deceased was murdered: Notice is hereby given that a reward of £100 will be paid by the Government for such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons by whom the said John Scott was murdered.

BRYAN O'LOGHLEN,

Chief Secretary's Office, Acting Chief Secretary.
 Melbourne, 8th April, 1879.

Particulars: John Scott, herdsman of Murphy's Flat Common, near Tarnagulla, was found murdered in his hut about 8 p.m. on the 11th instant, with three wounds on the head, such as might have been inflicted with a hammer. He was last seen alive at 5 p.m. on the 10th instant. It is believed deceased had in his hut a sum of money amounting to about £20, which cannot now be found. A pair of strong elastic-side boots, half-soled, but worn a good deal since being soled, and a pair of blucher boots with iron tips on heels, sprigs in centre-piece, and hobnails in soles, are also missing from the hut. Information is requested of a man, name unknown, who on the day of the murder was begging for food and seeking work in the neighbourhood of Murphy's Flat, and went towards Wedderburn. Description: Irish, twenty-six or twenty-seven years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, a labourer, fresh complexion, brown beard, whiskers, and moustache, dark-brown hair, has one eye sore or it is blind; dressed in brown coat, dirty moleskin trousers, light billycock hat, heavy boots, one of them sewn with twine at toe; carried a small swag with canvas wrapper. It is highly important that this man should be found. The man described above is believed to be James Burke, better known as "Cranky Jim," a miner and farm labourer, native of County Waterford, Ireland.—O. 1551.—24th May, 1879.

South Australia.

£100 REWARD.

MYLES CAVANAGH, late of Woodside, disappeared in Adelaide on the 2nd of January, 1877. Inquiries have been made for him in this and the neighbouring colonies without success, and suspicions are entertained that he has met with foul-play.

The above reward will be paid to any one giving such information as will lead to the discovery and conviction of any person or persons who may have been concerned in the murder of the said Myles Cavanagh, and, in addition to the above reward, a free pardon will be granted to any accomplice, not being the actual murderer.

Information to Detective Office, Adelaide.

WM. MORGAN,
 Chief Secretary.

RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE FORTNIGHT ENDED 7TH JUNE, 1879—continued from last Gazette.

Gaol.	Name.	Where Tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Mouth.	Chin.	Remarks and Previous Convictions.
Oamaru	Edward Williams	Oamaru	May 1, 1879	larceny	1 month's labour	Wales	labourer	1845	5 6	sallow	dark	brown	medium	medium	medium	
Oamaru	Thomas Dawson	Oamaru	May 2, 1879	larceny	28 days' labour	Scotland	labourer	1849	5 4	red	sandy	grey	medium	medium	medium	Three previous convictions.
Oamaru	Mary M'Gon	Oamaru	May 22, 1879	larceny	4 days' labour	England	servant	1848	5 3	black	brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Three scars on right shoulder.
Auckland	Anna Russell	Auckland	April 26, 1879	larceny	3 months' labour	America	cook	1860	4 9	black	black	brown	medium	medium	medium	Three previous convictions.
Auckland	William Burton	Auckland	May 19, 1879	breach of Municipal Police Act	7 days' labour	England	shoemaker	1849	5 6	fresh	brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Ten previous convictions.
Auckland	Wm. John McKeown	Auckland	May 19, 1879	breach of Municipal Police Act	7 days' labour	Ireland	labourer	1836	5 6	sallow	dark brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Eleven previous convictions. Pock-pitted.
Auckland	Frederick Mayo	Hamilton	May 13, 1879	damaging property	14 days' labour	England	labourer	1846	5 8	fresh	light brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Paid fine.
Auckland	Mary Robinson	Auckland	Aug. 8, 1878	vagrancy	12 months' labour	Ireland	bushman	1833	5 0	sallow	grey	brown	medium	medium	medium	Fifty previous convictions.
Auckland	Thomas Dixon	Auckland	Mar. 3, 1879	vagrancy from the person	3 months' labour	England	...	1859	5 6	fresh	red	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Bracelet on back of left wrist.
Auckland	Patrick O'Brien	Auckland	Mar. 11, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	12 weeks' labour	N.S. Wales	sailor	1861	5 3	fresh	dark brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction.
Auckland	Mary Storey	Onehunga	May 27, 1879	damaging property	14 days' labour	N.S. Wales	butchers' assistant	1854	5 2	fresh	light brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Nineteen previous convictions. Seven blue dots on left arm.
Auckland	Peter Harris	Auckland	May 27, 1879	larceny	8 days' labour	N. Zealand	...	1864	4 5	sallow	light brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction.
Auckland	John Doyle	Auckland	May 27, 1879	larceny	8 days' labour	N. Zealand	...	1865	4 5	sallow	dark brown	dark	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction.
Auckland	William Hogzard	Auckland	May 27, 1879	larceny	8 days' labour	N. Zealand	...	1866	4 4	sallow	brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Two previous convictions. Pockpitted.
Auckland	Robert Stevenson	Auckland	May 5, 1879	vagrancy	1 month's labour	Ireland	labourer	1835	5 7	sallow	grey	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Twenty previous convictions.
Auckland	Arthur Drainsfield	Auckland	May 22, 1879	vagrancy	14 days' labour	England	painter	1833	5 2	sallow	brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Two previous convictions. Pockpitted.
Auckland	Hugh Alexander	Auckland	Dec. 20, 1878	larceny	24 weeks' labour	Ireland	Presby-terian	1818	5 8	fresh	brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Twenty previous convictions.
Auckland	Rewiri Paru	Russell	May 6, 1879	larceny	1 month's labour	N. Zealand	clergyman	1819	5 8	copper	grey	brown	brown	medium	medium	Face tattooed; TAURAU on left arm.
Auckland	Thomas Joy	Auckland	May 9, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	4 weeks' labour	America	sailor	1853	5 5	swarthy	brown	dark	medium	medium	medium	Anchor on right arm.
Auckland	Antoni Roz	Auckland	May 9, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	4 weeks' labour	France	sailor	1857	5 4	swarthy	dark brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	AR on right arm.
Auckland	Charles Hewitt	Auckland	May 13, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	4 weeks' labour	England	sailor	1855	5 3	swarthy	dark brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Brig, rose, &c., on left arm.

RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE FORTNIGHT ENDED 21ST JUNE, 1879.

Gaol.	Name.	Where Tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Mouth.	Chin.	Remarks and Previous Convictions.
Wellington	William Harris	Wellington	April 15, 1879	assault	8 weeks' labour	N. Zealand	labourer	1857	5 6	fair	brown	blue	large	small	small	Four previous convictions. W on right arm; MAY HARRIS and cross on forehead on left wrist.
Wellington	John McCarthy	Wellington	May 27, 1879	assaulting police	14 days' labour	England	labourer	1856	5 2	fresh	dark brown	grey	small	medium	medium	One previous conviction. Cruxifix, side of nose; anchor on left arm.
Wellington	William, alias Walter Palmer	Wellington	May 27, 1879	resisting and obstructing police	14 days' labour	England	sailor	1853	5 4	fresh	brown	grey	large	large	large	WT, drummer-boy, and cross-guns on right arm; woman on left arm.
Wellington	John Clarke	Wellington	May 27, 1879	resisting and obstructing police	14 days' labour	England	labourer	1859	5 5	fresh	dark brown	hazel	large	medium	medium	Small cross on left arm.
Wellington	Arthur Lennox Swete	Wellington	Jan. 6, 1879	forgery	6 months' labour	Ireland	clerk	1837	5 5	fresh	dark, turning grey	hazel	large	medium	medium	Anchor and coat-of-arms on left arm.
Wellington	George, alias Wm. Williams	Wellington	Mar. 26, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	12 weeks' labour	England	sailor	1846	5 7	fair	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Two dots on back of left hand and ring round second finger.
Wellington	William Haller, alias Robt. Hally, alias Hall	Wellington	June 13, 1879	breach of the peace	7 days' labour	Scotland	sailor	1853	5 6	fair	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction. Cruxifix, IHS, &c., on left arm; sailor, union-jack, &c., on right arm.
Wellington	William Benge	Greytown	April 21, 1879	larceny	2 months' labour	England	labourer	1856	5 9	fair	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Extensive tattoo-marks on left arm.
Wellington	Richard Aldridge	Wellington	May 23, 1879	larceny	1 month's labour	Ireland	butcher	1844	5 7	fresh	dark brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	FO and "Fanny Oliver" on left arm; MH on right arm.
Wanganui	Andrew Anderson	Wanganui	May 12, 1879	illegally on premises	7 days' labour	Scotland	labourer	1856	5 7	dark	black	brown	medium	medium	small	Two previous convictions. Scar under left eye.
Wanganui	John Smith	Wanganui	June 3, 1879	illegally on premises	7 days' labour	England	malster	1811	5 5	fresh	grey	blue	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction. Bald.
Pictou	William Bond	Blenheim	June 11, 1879	scaling from a dwelling	acquitted at Supreme Court	Isle of Man	labourer	1850	6 4	fresh	grey	blue	short	small	pointed	One conviction for vagrancy.
Nelson	Eliza Martin	Lytell	Mar. 12, 1879	indecent behaviour	3 months' labour	Ireland	clerk	1844	4 11	fair	brown, mixed with grey	blue	large	medium	round	Fourth finger of right hand contracted.
Napier	George Morley	Napier	June 11, 1879	larceny	bill ignored	England	clerk	1836	5 6	dark	brown	dark	large	medium	medium	Once convicted.
Napier	Richard Winter	Napier	June 14, 1879	burglary	acquitted at Supreme Court	England	clerk	1853	5 9	dark	dark brown	light	medium	medium	medium	

RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED, ETC.—continued.

Gaol.	Name.	Where Tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Mouth.	Chin.	Remarks and Previous Convictions.
Napier	John Russell	Napier	June 14, 1879	burglary	acquitted at Supreme Court	Scotland	labourer	1847	5 10 1/2	fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Once convicted. Blind of left eye.
Napier	William Cern	Waiapawa	May 15, 1879	illegally on premises	1 month's labour	England	miner	1822	5 10 1/2	dark	dark brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction. Defective sight.
Napier	Issie Harding	Waiapawa	May 16, 1879	obscene language	acquitted at Supreme Court	England	butcher	1849	5	fresh	brown, curly	brown	medium	medium	medium	
Napier	Henry Lowe	Napier	June 10, 1879	burglary	acquitted at Supreme Court	England	butcher	1861	5	fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	
Napier	William Bishop	Napier	June 16, 1879	sheep-stealing	acquitted at Supreme Court	Denmark	butcher	1850	5 10 1/2	fair	brown	grey	large	medium	medium	
Napier	Zoekeent Skott	Napier	June 17, 1879	arson	acquitted at Supreme Court	Ireland	labourer	1851	5 9	dark	dark	grey	medium	medium	medium	
Napier	John Wheelan	Napier	May 19, 1879	illegally on premises	1 month's labour	England	carpenter	1856	5 7	fresh	brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	
Napier	Samuel Anderson	N. Plymouth	May 15, 1879	habitual drunkness	1 month's labour	Ireland	labourer	1857	5 5	fair	black	hazel	medium	medium	medium	
Napier	Richard Kelly	N. Plymouth	Feb. 10, 1879	obscene language	3 months' labour	Ireland	labourer	1832	5 8	dark	dark brown	hazel	long, sharp	large	sharp	Three previous convictions. Scars on nose and right eyebrow; little finger of left hand contracted; lame; had been in the army.
Invercargill	John McCarthy	Invercargill	Feb. 12, 1879	damaging property	1 month's labour	Ireland	labourer	1852	5 8	dark	dark brown	grey	broad	large	round	One previous conviction. TW on back of right wrist; scar on bridge of nose. Cuts on right temple and on bridge of nose; third finger of left hand deformed.
Invercargill	Thomas Williams	Invercargill	June 12, 1879	larceny as a bailee	4 months' labour	Melbourne	labourer	1830	5 5 1/2	swarthy sandy	dark brown	light brown	medium	medium	small	
Invercargill	John Thos. Elliot	Invercargill	June 11, 1879	horse-stealing	acquitted at Supreme Court	Melbourne	horse-trainer	1830	5 5 1/2	sandy	dark brown	light brown	medium	medium	small	
Invercargill	John Young	Invercargill	June 11, 1879	larceny	acquitted at Supreme Court	Edinburgh	sheemaker	1831	5 6 1/2	fresh	dark brown	dark brown	broken	medium	medium	Large mole on back of neck.
Invercargill	Nathaniel Anderson	Invercargill	April 26, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	8 weeks' imprisonment.	Sweden	sailor	1847	5 5	fresh	dark brown	blue	broad	medium	medium	Shot-wounds on right wrist.
Invercargill	F. H. F. Sortensen	Invercargill	April 26, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	8 weeks' imprisonment.	Sweden	sailor	1855	5 6	dark	fair	blue	small	small	small	Five previous convictions. A front tooth wanting.
Invercargill	John Clansen	Invercargill	April 26, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	8 weeks' imprisonment.	Denmark	sailor	1857	5 4	dark	dark brown	dark	broad	large	heavy	Four previous convictions. Blind of left eye; burn-marks on left side of face and neck.
Hokitika	Timothy Omera	Hokitika	Mar. 14, 1879	vagrancy	3 months' labour	Ireland	miner	1839	5 7 1/2	fair	fair	grey	sharp	large	medium	Scar on nose and on left thumb. Bad teeth.
Oamaru	Isabella Johnston, alias Campbell	Oamaru	June 3, 1879	vagrancy	6 days' labour	Scotland	married	1830	5 5	fresh	dark brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Seven previous convictions. Scar on forehead.
Dunedin	Charles Evans	Pt. Chalmers	June 4, 1879	vagrancy	7 days' labour	England	painter	1832	5 11 1/2	fresh	dark brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Eleven previous convictions. Came out under sentence of seven years.
Dunedin	James Duncan	Dunedin	June 4, 1879	obscene language	7 days' labour	Scotland	slater	1835	5 5 1/2	sallow	black	hazel	broad	medium	medium	Came out under sentence of seven years. Pipes, DB, and blue dots on back of left hand.
Dunedin	Ann White	Dunedin	June 4, 1879	larceny	7 days' labour	Scotland	married	1835	5 4	fresh	black	grey	medium	medium	medium	Harp on right arm; anchor and blue mark on left hand.
Dunedin	Mary Barker	Dunedin	May 28, 1879	larceny	14 days' labour	Ireland	married	1853	5 4	fresh	dark brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Thirteen previous convictions. One on the left hand. Inclined to be a habitual convict.
Dunedin	Margaret Lynch	Pt. Chalmers	Mar. 12, 1879	vagrancy	3 months' labour	Scotland	tailor	1850	5 1	fresh	light	grey	medium	medium	medium	Seven previous convictions.
Dunedin	Daniel Berry	Dunedin	June 2, 1879	obeying maintenance order	14 days' labour	England	tailor	1830	5 5	fresh	dark brown	grey	large	medium	medium	Five previous convictions.
Dunedin	Frank Power	Pt. Chalmers	June 9, 1879	larceny	7 days' labour	Ireland	seaman	1857	5 5	fresh	dark brown	grey	large	medium	medium	Two previous convictions. Scar on forehead.
Dunedin	Margaret Williams	Dunedin	Mar. 18, 1879	vagrancy	3 months' labour	England	labourer	1851	5 3	fresh	black	grey	medium	medium	medium	Scar on nose and on left thumb. Bad teeth.
Dunedin	Patrick McCusker	Oamaru	Mar. 18, 1879	vagrancy	3 months' labour	England	labourer	1837	5 4	sallow	black	grey	medium	medium	medium	Seven previous convictions.
Dunedin	Susan Phillips	Dunedin	Mar. 19, 1879	vagrancy	3 months' labour	England	married	1832	5 2	fresh	dark brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Eleven previous convictions.
Dunedin	Ellen Petherick	Dunedin	Mar. 19, 1879	larceny	3 months' labour	England	married	1832	5 3	fresh	dark brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Came out under sentence of seven years. Pipes, DB, and blue dots on back of left hand.
Dunedin	Jas. P. D. McNally	Oamaru	May 10, 1879	false pretences	40 days' labour	Ireland	clerk	1856	5 11	fresh	red	grey	medium	medium	medium	Harp on right arm; anchor and blue mark on left hand.
Dunedin	Jams Smith	Dunedin	Mar. 20, 1879	vagrancy	3 months' labour	Scotland	blacksmith	1837	5 7 1/2	fresh	light brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Thirteen previous convictions. Inclined to be a habitual convict.
Lyttelton	Robert Wm. Jones	Christchurch	April 1, 1878	larceny	18 months' labour	Wales	clerk and cheese-packer	1850	5 5 1/2	fair	dark brown	grey (red)	prominent	medium	medium	Two previous convictions. Sandy whiskers.
Lyttelton	Carl Schultz	Christchurch	Jan. 6, 1879	forgery and uttering	6 months' labour	Germany	barber	1852	5 4 1/2	fair	fair	grey	large	large	large	Blind of right eye though not apparent; decayed teeth; two upper front teeth missing.
Lyttelton	George Muff	Christchurch	Jan. 6, 1879	burglary	6 months' labour	Calcutta	cook	1838	5 3	dark	black	dark	small	small	small	Mark of scar over both eyes; thick lips; speaks good English.
Lyttelton	John Casey	Christchurch	Jan. 6, 1879	larceny	6 months' labour	Sweden, English parents	barman	1858	5 6 1/2	fresh, fair	light brown	hazel	long	small	small	Two teeth out of right upper jaw, and one out of each side of upper and lower jaws; left eye injured by kick from a horse.
Lyttelton	James Ross	Lyttelton	Mar. 20, 1879	vagrancy	3 months' labour	England	fisherman	1816	5 6 1/2	pale	grey	grey	thin, pointed	medium	medium	Mole on left side; badly ruptured.
Lyttelton	Patrick Connolly	Lyttelton	June 13, 1879	larceny	24 hours' labour	Ireland	seaman	1853	5 8	sallow	black	grey	large	small	large	Blind of left eye; mermoid on both arms; bracelets on both wrists.

RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED, ETC.—continued.

Gaol.	Name.	Where Tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Month.	Chin.	Remarks and Previous Convictions.
Addington	John McBride	Christchurch	Mar. 12, 1879	stealing from the person	3 months' labour	Ireland	fellmonger	1832	5 7	pale	grey	blue	medium	medium	wide	Knotted-tendon on back of right hand; scar on right shin.
Addington	William Mitchell	Christchurch	Mar. 12, 1879	stealing from the person	3 months' labour	Scotland	labourer	1838	5 8	fair	light brown	blue	long	medium	pointed	Scar on ball of left thumb; had been in 94th Regiment and militia staff.
Addington	James Lowe	Christchurch	May 15, 1879	indecent exposure	1 month's labour	England	labourer	1841	5 4½	fair	light brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Cast in left eye; small scar on bridge of nose.
Addington	William Pearson, alias Ryan	Kaiapoi	Jan. 7, 1879	attempt to commit felony	6 months' labour	London	labourer & seaman	1839	5 4½	pale	dark brown	brown	thin, sharp	large	broad	Three previous convictions. Crucifix, E.H. ship, &c., on left arm; brig on right leg.
Addington	Ann Berry	Christchurch	June 3, 1879	stealing from a dwelling	14 days' labour	London	matron	1849	5 2½	pale	black	brown	medium	medium	medium	Three previous convictions.
Addington	Thomas Ryan	Christchurch	May 17, 1879	larceny	1 month's labour	Sydney	builder and architect	1843	5 11	fair	fair, curly	grey	medium	medium	bearded	Two upper front teeth wanting; two small moles on right cheek; ruptured on left side.
Addington	James Kinley	Kaiapoi	Mar. 17, 1879	habitual drunkenness	3 months' labour	Ireland	butcher	1855	5 9½	florid	dark brown, curly	blue	medium	medium	medium	A half-caste African; slight lisp in speech.
Addington	Made Bridgeman	Christchurch	June 13, 1879	stealing from a dwelling	7 days' labour	Africa	housemaid	1850	5 3½	very	dark brown	brown	long	large	short	Five previous convictions.
Addington	Catherine McDonald	Christchurch	Aug. 26, 1878	vagrancy	12 months' labour	Ireland	prostitute	1842	5 3	fresh	black	blue	medium	medium	medium	Repeatedly convicted.
Addington	Eileen Thompson	Christchurch	June 16, 1879	breach of Contagious Diseases Act	7 days' labour	England	prostitute	1835	5 0	sallow	grey	blue	large	medium	medium	Repeatedly convicted.
Timaru	William Burgess	Timaru	June 6, 1879	damaging property	6 days' labour	England	labourer	1843	5 9	fair	red	blue	medium	medium	medium	Bullet-wound on right knee.
Timaru	John Daley	Timaru	June 11, 1879	forgery and uttering	acquitted at Supreme Court	Ireland	labourer	1841	5 5	pale	dark	grey	large	medium	medium	Three previous convictions.
Timaru	Sarah Steele	Timaru	June 11, 1879	forgery (4 charges)	3 days' imprisonment	Christch., N.Z.	married	1854	5 3	fair	light	blue	medium	medium	double	Bullet-wound on right arm; only three fingers on left hand.
Timaru	Arthur J. N. Goodwyn	Timaru	June 11, 1879	fraudulent bankruptcy	bill ignored	England	storekeeper	1855	6 1	fresh	dark	blue	medium	medium	pointed	Seven previous convictions.
Timaru	Dwyn Hartney	Waimate	May 31, 1879	illegally on premises	14 days' labour	Ireland	labourer	1838	5 7½	fair	light	blue	medium	medium	medium	Heart and cross on left arm.
Timaru	Henry Ward	Waimate	May 17, 1879	exposing his person	1 month's labour	Ireland	labourer	1835	5 9	fair	light	blue	prominent	medium	medium	Eight previous convictions.
Auckland	Sarah Berryman	Auckland	May 9, 1879	vagrancy	1 month's labour	England	labourer	1834	5 3	fresh	light brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Cross, harp, and shamrock on right arm.
Auckland	Frederick Francis	Auckland	May 9, 1879	assaulting a constable	1 month's labour	Ireland	labourer	1839	5 7	sallow	light brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Twenty-one previous convictions.
Auckland	Mary Ann Steele	Auckland	Feb. 17, 1879	larceny	4 months' labour	Ireland	sailor	1833	5 2	fresh	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Crucifix on right arm.
Auckland	Robert McDonald	Auckland	May 12, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	6 weeks' labour	England	sailor	1839	5 3½	sallow	light brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Two previous convictions.
Auckland	Johanna Leasing	Auckland	Jan. 3, 1879	vagrancy	6 months' labour	N. Zealand	labourer	1853	5 0	sallow	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	R.B.M.T. in wreath on left arm.
Auckland	Patrick Kelly	Auckland	June 4, 1879	assaulting police	7 days' labour	Ireland	labourer	1857	5 4½	fresh	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Thirty-three previous convictions.
Auckland	William Hart	Auckland	April 8, 1879	vagrancy	2 months' labour	England	labourer	1839	5 7½	fresh	grey	blue	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction. Right wrist broken.
Auckland	Denis Boyle	Alexandra	Dec. 12, 1878	vagrancy	6 months' labour	Ireland	labourer	1833	5 2	fresh	light brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Twenty-one previous convictions.
Auckland	Annie Bunnath	Auckland	Aug. 20, 1878	vagrancy	12 months' labour	Ireland	labourer	1854	5 2	fresh	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Six previous convictions.
Auckland	Robert Bunnath	Auckland	May 4, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	6 weeks' labour	England	sailor	1839	5 3½	sallow	light brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Two previous convictions.
Auckland	Jane Kelly	Auckland	Aug. 21, 1878	vagrancy	12 months' labour	Ireland	labourer	1834	4 1½	fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Thirty-three previous convictions.
Auckland	David Nelson, alias Jones, alias Nesbitt	Auckland	Oct. 29, 1877	larceny	18 months' labour (cumulative)	Scotland	labourer	1843	5 5½	swarthy	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction. Right wrist broken.
Auckland	Elizabeth Dyedrick	Auckland	April 15, 1879	vagrancy	2 months' labour	Scotland	labourer	1849	5 2	fresh	light brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Twenty-one previous convictions.
Auckland	Thomas Brown	Auckland	April 18, 1879	breach of Merchant Shipping Act	4 weeks' labour	Ireland	sailor	1857	5 4½	swarthy	black	blue	medium	medium	medium	Six previous convictions.
Auckland	William Austin	Auckland	Dec. 16, 1878	larceny	6 months' labour	N. Zealand	butcher	1850	5 6½	sallow	brown	light	medium	medium	medium	T.B.B., &c., on right arm.
Auckland	Kate Clarke	Auckland	Nov. 26, 1878	vagrancy	21 days' extra	Ireland	labourer	1846	5 2½	fresh	red	grey	medium	medium	medium	Thirteen previous convictions.
Auckland	Charles Spalding	Auckland	Feb. 18, 1879	prison offences	4 months' labour	England	tin-smith	1831	5 8	swarthy	grey	brown	medium	medium	medium	Two previous convictions.
Auckland	Archibald Campbell	Auckland	May 19, 1879	vagrancy	1 month's labour	Australia	groom	1859	5 9	fresh	black	brown	medium	medium	medium	Two previous convictions.
Auckland	Mary A. Alexander	Auckland	Jan. 15, 1879	vagrancy	6 months' labour	Ireland	labourer	1852	5 7½	fresh	grey	grey	medium	medium	medium	Six previous convictions.
Auckland	Henry Huxtable	Auckland	Feb. 21, 1879	assault	4 months' labour	England	sailor	1858	5 4½	sallow	light brown	light	medium	medium	medium	Sailor, anchor, and bracelet on right arm.
Auckland	Nathaniel Fieley	Auckland	Feb. 21, 1879	assault	4 months' labour	England	sailor	1856	5 4½	sallow	brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Sailor, I.G., and cross on right arm; anchor, whistle, and bracelet on left arm.
Auckland	Elizabeth Best	Auckland	Jan. 15, 1879	vagrancy	6 months' labour	N. Zealand	painter	1856	4 10	fresh	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Sixteen previous convictions.
Russell	Cornelius Gleeson	Russell	May 21, 1879	larceny	1 month's labour	Ireland	seaman	1839	5 7½	sallow	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	H on right arm.
Russell	John Somers	Russell	June 12, 1879	vagrancy, &c.	9 days' labour	Denmark	seaman	1854	5 8	fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Two previous convictions.
Russell	Isaac Canto	Russell	June 12, 1879	vagrancy, &c.	9 days' labour	Portugal	seaman	1854	5 8	fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Top off left ear.