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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.

The arrest of offenders described in the *Police Gazette*, or respecting whom crime reports have been forwarded for insertion in the *Gazette*, should be promptly notified.

When notifying the arrest of persons charged with larceny, or suspected of larceny, it should be stated 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 *Gazette*.

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Incendiarism.

BETWEEN 7 and 8 p.m. on the 3rd instant a large threshing-sheet, value £2, in the farmhouse of Thomas Wilson, Pukekohe, Auckland District, was set on fire, and was almost totally destroyed when discovered. The building contained a buggy and harness, about a ton of chaff, and farming implements. The building and contents were uninsured.

On the morning of the 7th instant, at Pukekohe, Auckland District, the dwelling of Thomas Wilson, was destroyed by fire, as was also a stack of oats, value £40, which stood at some distance from the house. The house and stack were too far apart for either to have communicated fire to the other. The house contained six rooms, and was insured for £100, and the furniture for £50, in the Standard Office. The oats were not insured. Some furniture and clothing were saved from the house.

On the night of the 21st ultimo, at Wangaloa, near Kaitangata, an unoccupied four-roomed house, the property of James Hume, value £350, was destroyed by fire. At an inquest, held on the 9th instant, at Kaitangata, by J. S. Fleming, Esq., Coroner, a verdict was returned to the effect that the house was maliciously set on fire, but there was not sufficient evidence to say by whom. It was insured in the National Office for £250.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, pages 89 and 97.)

SETTING fire to six stacks of corn, at Tarras Station, Lake District, the property of Messrs. Dalgetty and Co: An inquest was held by J. S. Hickson, Esq., R.M. and Coroner, extending from the 30th ultimo until the 2nd instant, to inquire as to the cause of the origin of the fire, when the following verdict was returned: "That some person or persons, to the jurors unknown, feloniously, wilfully, and maliciously did set fire to the said six stacks of corn, the property of the said Dalgetty and Co., on the morning of the 22nd April last, past, at Tarras freehold, with intent then and there to injure." The jurors added the following rider: "That grave suspicion lays to James McKenzie, farmer, at Tarras, also to John Beaton McKenzie, his hired servant, and that every care and precaution have been displayed by Mr. John Stronach, manager of Tarras Station, against fire."

Offences Not Otherwise Described.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, pages 2, 9, 19, and 113.)

SAMUEL MCSWENEY, charged on warrant with uttering a forged cheque for £9 to Josiah Ballantyne and Co., has been arrested by Detective Austin Kirby, Timaru Police, and committed for trial.

A MAORI, name unknown, is charged, on warrant issued by the Hawera Bench, with having, on the 27th ultimo, at Okaiawa, Taranaki District, wilfully broken a pane of glass, value 15s., in one of the windows of the store of George Applegate. Description: About twenty years of age, 5ft. 8in. or 9in. high, a medium build, little if any hair on face; dressed in dark coat very much torn about the sleeves, brown trousers, and drab-felt hat with crape round it; speaks broken English. Identifiable. He is suspected of breaking into and stealing stamps from the store.

ROBERT CRAWLEY is charged, on warrant issued by the Wellington Bench, with uttering a forged cheque for £5 10s. to Robert Cate, butcher, Cuba Street, Wellington, at 7 p.m. on the 26th ultimo. Description: A native of the colony, a jockey, twenty-five years of age, 5ft. 5in. high, medium build, fair complexion, fair hair, clean-shaved except moustache; dressed in light-tweed suit. The cheque purports to be drawn by Andrew Young in favour of William Collins. He is supposed to have gone to Blenheim.

ANDREW BRETT, *alias* Fredricson, *alias* Petersen, *alias* Semb, is charged with uttering a forged cheque for £4 to Mrs. Breeze, wife of Edward Breeze, at Waiwera, near Clinton, at 6.30 p.m. on the 1st instant. Description: A Norwegian, about thirty years of age, 5ft. 6in. high, medium build, fair hair, fair sandy beard whiskers and moustache, beard and whiskers clipped short; dressed in light-grey tweed sac-suit and light-tweed stitched hat. He is identical with Andrew Petersen, charged on warrant with uttering a forged cheque to Denis Moloney, at the Kensington Hotel, near Dunedin. (See *Police Gazette*, 1888, pages 97 and 107.) The cheque is drawn on the Colonial Bank, Lawrence, and purports to be signed by James Smith and Sons, of Greenfield Station, in favour of Brett. He purchased from Mrs. Breeze a pair of balmoral boots, two pairs white-cotton socks, a pair of tweed trousers, and a light-tweed stitched hat, and in payment uttered the forged cheque. He left Clinton by the 6 a.m. train on the 2nd instant for Invercargill.

ALFRED KERR is charged, on warrant issued by the Dunedin Bench, with having, on the 23rd ultimo, obtained by false pretences from William McBeath, George Street, Dunedin, a sac-suit, a brown overcoat, two white shirts, two pairs of socks, and a pair of gloves; value £3 16s. 7d. Description: A native of the colony, a jockey, sixteen years of age, 4ft. 10in. high, medium build, fresh complexion, and brown hair; wore dark sac-suit and soft black hat. He falsely represented that he was sent for the clothing by Mr. Holmes, of Cargill Street.

FRANK GODKIN RUDKIN is charged, on warrant issued by the Hawera Bench, with having, on the 15th ultimo, at Okaiawa, Taranaki District, obtained £6 from John Murdoch by false pretences. Description: A native of England, about seventeen years of age, about 5ft. 6in. high, medium build,

fair complexion, fair hair, no hair on face; a recent arrival from Home. He left for Auckland or Onchunga on the 1st instant.

ANDREW BRETT is charged, on warrant issued by the Lawrence Bench, with uttering a forged cheque for £1 to Jonas Harrop, at Lawrence, on the 31st ultimo. Description: Supposed a German, about thirty years of age, 5ft. 6in. high, medium build, fair hair, fair sandy beard whiskers and moustache, beard and whiskers clipped short; dressed in light-tweed sac-suit and light-tweed hat; speaks with a slight foreign accent. He is no doubt identical with Andrew Brett, *alias* Fredricson, *alias* Petersen, *alias* Semb, charged with uttering a forged cheque to Mrs. Breeze, at Waimera. The cheque is drawn on the Colonial Bank, Lawrence, and purports to be signed by James Smith and Son, Greenfield Station, where offender was recently employed for a short time.

On the 29th ultimo, at Aratapu, North Wairoa, Bay of Islands District, the testicles were maliciously cut out of a dog, value £50, the property of John Neild.

ABOUT the 29th ultimo a forged cheque for £6 8s. was uttered by a man, name unknown, of whom no description can be obtained, to Messrs. Taylor and Papps, grocers, High Street, Christchurch, in payment for goods, and received the balance in cash. The cheque is on the Bank of New Zealand, Kaiapoi, and purports to be drawn by Thomas Dickenly in favour of Fred. Lange. No such persons are known at Kaiapoi.

Housebreaking, Stealing from the Person and from Dwellings.

AN FUN is charged, on warrant issued by the Dunedin Bench, with stealing, on the 29th ultimo, from the pawnbroker's shop of Abigail Isaacs, MacLaggan Street, Dunedin, a pair of dark-grey tweed-trousers, value 10s., since recovered. Description: A Chinaman, about twenty-eight years of age, 5ft. 3in. high, slight build, black hair, long pigtail, no hair on face, pale complexion; dressed in dark sac-coat, dark-grey trousers and vest, and black soft-felt hat. Identifiable. He left Dunedin on the 3rd instant, and is supposed to have gone up country.

BETWEEN 8 a.m. on the 27th and 8 a.m. on the 28th ultimo the store of George Applegate, Okaiawa, Taranaki District, was broken into, and an envelope containing about £1 worth of shillings and sixpenny stamps stolen. Envelope identifiable. Suspicion attached to a Maori, name unknown, about twenty years of age, about 5ft 8in. or 9in. high, medium build, little if any hair on his face; dressed in dark coat, very much torn about the sleeves, brown trousers, and drab felt-hat with crape round it; speaks broken English. Identifiable. He is charged, on warrant issued by the Hawera Bench, with wilfully breaking a pane of glass, value 15s., in one of the store-windows.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 93.)

BREAKING into and stealing from the dwelling of Neil Henderson, Waikaiti Flat: Albert Edward Mawer and Henry Treen, arrested by Constable Thomas Griffith, Lumsden Police, were charged with this offence, but the charge was dismissed on account of complainant declining to swear that anything was stolen from his dwelling. Both men were committed for trial on two other charges of housebreaking.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 90.)

STEALING from the hut of Arthur William Dutton, St. Andrew, near Waimate: All the stolen property except the gold guard has been recovered. It was found secreted in a hedge near St. Andrew. Suspicion attached to Thomas Halpin, *alias* Thomas Andrew Alpine, who was seen in the locality at the time the offence was committed. (For his description, &c., see *Police Gazette*, 1884, page 186.)

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 108.)

STEALING a coppersack, containing clothing, &c., the property of Robert Sutherland, from the Railway Hotel, Invercargill. The sack, containing one pair of the new boots, the pair of old boots, the moleskin trousers, the hat, a packet of boot-preservers, and two pairs of slippers, was found, on the 25th ultimo, under a hay-stack in the Park Reserve, Invercargill.

BETWEEN 11.30 p.m. on the 6th and 6 a.m. on the 7th instant the Victoria Hotel, Abel Smith Street, Wellington, was burglariously entered, and the following stolen: Five bottles of Hennessy's brandy and a bottle of gin, value £2 1s. 6d.; 12s. in silver, and 8s. 1½d. in coppers; the property of Alexander Smith.

STOLEN on the 23rd ultimo, from the store of William Flavell, Innumia, Whangaroa, a very large silver Waltham

watch, case flowered, gold hinges, ketch to regulate hands, no glass, number not known, value £6; and a large gold chain, four-plat bar, 2in. drop, value £8. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 7th instant, from the Leviathan Temperance Hotel, Cumberland Street, Dunedin, a rather long grey-check tweed overcoat with cape, a strap of similar material on left side of collar, dark-check lining, value £8; there was a pair of brown-kid gloves, value 3s., in one of the pockets; the property of Charles Mitchelson. Identifiable.

BETWEEN 11.50 p.m. on the 16th and 8.30 a.m. on the 17th instant, the railway-station, Petone, near Wellington, was broken into, and the following stolen: An iron-safe containing about £90 in notes, gold, silver, and coppers, a cheque for £2 1s. 4d., drawn by R. Brown in favour of the New Zealand Government Insurance Department or bearer; about forty-five postal notes for the sum of £17, for various amounts from 1s. to £1; about £7 worth of postage-stamps, value from ½d. to 1s.; a post-office savings-bank book, No. 25611, issued at Featherston to G. W. Bennett; a post-office savings-bank book, No. 43292, issued at Petone to T. F. Bennett; and a cylindrical wooden case, about 15in. long by 3in. in diameter, supposed made of kauri-timber, not painted, for holding stamps, &c.; the property of the Government. Identifiable except the money. The safe was found on the morning of the 17th instant in a paddock about half a mile from the railway-station, broken open, and the contents missing, except a sovereign, £1 4s. in silver, 1s. 8d. in coppers, and 10s. worth of stamps. A large sledge-hammer was found at the place, with which the safe was broken open. A hand-truck, which was taken from the railway-station, was also found at the place, in which, no doubt, the safe was conveyed to where found.

STOLEN on the 30th ultimo, from the shop of Gordon Matheson, Laurence Street, Mornington, Dunedin, a gold shield-pin with diamond in centre; value £5. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to a man, name unknown, who was in the shop on that day. Description: Supposed English, a hawker, about thirty years of age, 5ft. 7in. or 8in. high, dark hair and whiskers; wore dark-check clothes and dark-check hat.

STOLEN on the 6th instant, from the dwelling of Thomas Johnstone, Woolcombe's Gully, near Timaru, a nearly-new brown-coloured accordion with ten keys, black-leather strap handles lined with red leather, nickel-plate ornaments at corners, well finished, and fastens with two brass slides, both considerably bent; value £1 10s. Identifiable.

STOLEN between the 24th ultimo and 6th instant, from the dwelling of John H. Hawkins, Opuia, Bay of Islands, a jewt of kauri-gum, a boat-rudder painted white, a brass ornamented rudder-yoke, two paint-brushes, a tin dish, five kauri-planks, 6 by 2, 1½ft. long, a kauri spar and sail-sprit 12ft. long; value £2 2s. 6d. Identifiable except the gum.

THREE men, names unknown, supposed labourers, are charged with attempting to rob Basil Latham and Albert Gough, with violence, about 9.30 p.m. on the 16th instant, on the Masterton and Carterton Road. Description: First, about forty years of age, about 5ft. 10in. high, long thin features, full dark beard whiskers and moustache; wore dark overcoat and trousers, and dark slouched hat. Second, about twenty-seven years of age, about 6ft. high, stout build, clean-shaved except dark moustache; wore dark suit and dark broad brimmed hat. Third, about thirty-six years of age, about 5ft. 6in. or 7in. high, stoutish build, bushy beard; wore dark-tweed coat and vest, white or light-coloured mole-skin trousers, and dark slouched hat. Identification doubtful. Complainants were riding in company towards Masterton, and when passing a clump of trees the offenders ran from under the trees in front of their horses, ordering them to stop; two of them caught hold of Latham and his horse, and endeavoured to unseat him, but he succeeded in making his escape from them, accompanied by Gough. Mr. Latham, who carries on butchering business, &c., at Waingata, is in the habit of bringing large sums of money into Masterton on Saturdays, and had a considerable amount in his possession at the time.

Stealing Otherwise than from the Person or from Dwellings.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1887, page 171, and 1888, page 113.)

DANIEL TIDEX, charged on warrant with stealing money, &c., at Swanson, the property of James Patterson Sinclair, has been arrested by Constable John Ryan, Danvirke Police, and remanded to Auckland.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1886, page 171.)

STEALING a letter containing a cheque for £50, the property of William Judd: C. W. Smith, who presented the stolen

cheque at Beath and Co.'s draper's shop, Nelson, is charged, on warrant issued by the Westport Bench, with this offence. He was at Nelson in April last.

JOHN BICKNELL is charged, on warrant issued by the Hawera Bench, with the larceny, as a copartner, on the 22nd ultimo, at Stratford, of the sum of £66 13s. 6d.; the property of Peter Hunter and Richard Rogers. Description: A native of England, a labourer, about thirty-eight years of age, about 5ft. high, medium build, fair complexion, fair hair, fair beard whiskers and moustache inclined to red, beard worn rather long for a man of his size; dressed in grey-tweed suit, black soft-felt hat, and lace-up boots. He left Stratford by train on the morning of the 22nd ultimo, and is supposed to have gone to Halcombe or Rangitikei, where he is well known. He was a partner of complainant's in a contract for fencing land at Stratford for a Mr. Manson, and on completing the work received a cheque for the sum of £66 13s. 6d., being the balance of the amount due. He cashed the cheque on the 19th ultimo, and has failed to divide the amount with complainants. He passed through Feilding on the 22nd ultimo in the 4.20 p.m. train, supposed for Wellington.

CHARLES WARREN and Frederick Padgham are charged, on warrant issued by the Marton Bench, with stealing, on the 31st ultimo, from the fowlhouse of Emma Ann Stubbs, Turakina, two hens and a rooster, value 10s., since recovered. Description: Warren is fifty years of age, 5ft. 8in. high, stout build, fresh complexion, pockpitted, brown beard whiskers and moustache, lobe of both ears cut off; dressed in brown-tweed coat, moleskin trousers, and dark-tweed hat. Padgham is forty years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, medium build, dark complexion, very full dark-brown eyes, large nose (broken), large nostrils, dark-brown whiskers and moustache; wore dark-brown tweed coat (collar generally turned up), moleskin trousers, and black-felt hat; usually employed as a cook. He left Turakina on the 1st instant for Wanganui on foot.

STOLEN between the 4th ultimo and the 9th instant, from St. Mark's Parsonage, Wellington, a copper boiler, value £1 5s; two tin teapots, value 3s. each; and two earthenware jugs, value 1s. each; the property of the Rev. Richard Coffey.

STOLEN on the 7th or 8th instant, from Polhill Gully, Wellington, three chisel and diamond-pointed picks with handles, "Brogden" marked on iron of one, WB on iron of another, and WB on the handle of the third, value 10s.; a shovel, the brand on each side of the handle near the blade has been cut out, value 5s.; and a chisel and diamond-pointed crowbar, 5ft. long, value 7s; the property of Samuel Ash. Identifiable except crowbar.

STOLEN on the 2nd or 3rd instant, from a bread-cart in the entrance to Godber's bakery-yard, Cuba Street, Wellington, a white shirt, buttons at back, "James Meston" written on breast; a grey crimean shirt with JM on breast, a white cotton singlet, a pair of merino drawers, two white-linen collars turned down in front, marked "James Meston," and a white-linen handkerchief; the property of James Meston; value 9s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 30th or 31st ultimo, from Hanson Street, Wellington, a copper boiler, 24in. in diameter and 24in. deep, tar had been recently boiled in it; the property of George Henry Baylis; value £1 5s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 30th ultimo, on board the barque "G. M. Tucker," at Greymouth, a gold hunting Waltham watch, a dent in corner of case, value £3 15s.; and a silver Waltham hunting-watch with three small marks on inside of case, value £1; the property of John Smith. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to David Jacobs, a Jew, nineteen or twenty years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, dark brown-hair, no hair on face, large dark eyes, large prominent nose; dressed in blue-serge jacket and vest with New Zealand Shipping Company's silver buttons, greenish trousers with white stripes, and a sailor's cap with peak.

SUPPOSED stolen about the end of May, 1887, from off a horse at Feilding, a saddle with hogskin seat, large knee-pads, near pad worn, a slit in flaps for sureingle, new girth; a very strong hand-sewn single-rein bridle, made similar to a head-stall, steel bit with a small ring in centre, reins fastened to bit with small spring hooks instead of buckles; the property of Henry Ashworth; value £4 10s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on or about the 21st April last, from the railway-station, Walton, Waikato, a parcel containing a ladies' velvet dress; the property of Charles N. Murray; value £5.

STOLEN on the 10th or 11th ultimo, from the railway-station, Eltham, Taranaki District, a small jar covered with wickerwork, containing 2 gallons of whiskey; the property of Arnold Berg; value £2 18s. 6d. Identification doubtful.

ON the morning of the 10th instant the coffee-stall of John Ross, Victoria Street, Wellington, was broken open, and the following stolen: A nearly-new wickerwork-basket, 2ft. long, 18in. wide, and 11in. deep, containing seven white-handled dessert-knives, seven metal forks, nine metal teaspoons, three white teacups with red band, a saucer, two plates, a dark-brown teapot (holds about three pints), a large loaf of bread, a packet of sugar, some butter, and saveloys; value £1. Identifiable except eatables.

STOLEN on the 2nd instant, from off a horse at Masterton, two new bridle-reins and a rather old and worn breast-plate with fancy-work down the shoulder-piece and breast-piece; the property of George Bannister; value £1 5s. Breast-plate identifiable; identification of reins doubtful.

STOLEN on the 2nd or 3rd instant, from the cabin of the steam-launch "Picton," at Picton, a light-coloured overcoat, "Taylor, Little Bourke Street, Melbourne," marked on inside of collar; a Chinese fancy cabinet-box, 14in. x 8in., varnished black, with filigree-work interspersed with golden flowers, containing title-deeds of property in Germany; an engineer's certificate, with indentures, from Woolwich Dockyard; a certificate as chief engineer of the refrigerating department of the steamer "Doric," a colonial certificate of engineering, an engineer's discharge from the steamer "Omahere," a Seamen's Union book, an 18-carat gold snake-ring, with diamonds for eyes, "Charles Delberg" engraved on inside; a common 9-carat gold ring, and two nuggets of Kimberley gold, one oval and the other like a Chinese shoe; the property of Charles Delberg; value £19. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 23rd ultimo, from the porch of the school-house at Waikaiti, a boys' grey-tweed waterproof-overcoat, with yellow-striped blue-tweed lining; the property of Thomas Taylor; value £1. Identifiable.

LOST or stolen between the 24th and 27th ultimo, of Blue-skin, a ladies' silver Geneva hunting-watch, case flowered, makers J. and T. Young, Dunedin, No. 23726, attached was a silver chain, very small-link pattern; the property of Delia Hastings; value £7. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 14th instant, at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, a nearly-new bullock-hide saddle, very soft high knee-pads, seat torn at back and fastened with a tack, tree easily felt through seat, new stirrup-leathers, rusty square stirrup-irons, and blue-and-white-cotton girth, value £2 10s.; and a single-rein bridle, with black forehead-band and rusty bit, value 4s.; the property of James G. Watson. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 29th ultimo, from a case in the Museum, Wellington, four photographs of Egyptian mummies taken on white paper, three in full length with arms crossed on breast, the fourth lying on one side in order to show the effect of defective embalming. There is a full account on this subject written on the back of the photograph; the property of James Hector. Identifiable.

Horse- and Cattle-Stealing.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 109.)

THE mare, the property of Richard Stark, reported stolen from Drain Road, near Rangiora, has been recovered; not stolen.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 99.)

THE mare, the property of James Drake, stolen from Dome Valley, has been recovered. She was sold at Auckland on the 7th April last to Mr. Crowther, livery-stable-keeper, by a man who gave his name as John Armitage, for whose arrest for stealing her a warrant has been issued by the Warkworth Bench. Description: English, between twenty-five and thirty years of age, 5ft. 6in. high, stout build, dark complexion, dark beard whiskers and moustache; wore dark-tweed suit; respectable appearance. Identifiable.

STOLEN between 10.30 p.m. on the 26th and 8 a.m. on the 27th ultimo, from the Red House Hotel Stables, New Plymouth, a dapple-grey gelding, hack-breed, about nine years old, 15½ hands high, mark from wire from near shoulder extending nearly across breast, which is noticeable through being of a dark colour, value £10; a small cow-hide saddle, "H. Waite" written in ink under flap, nickel-silver stirrup-irons, and a single-rein bridle with silver bit and iron buckles, end of reins split, value £8; the property of Henry Waite. Identifiable.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 91.)

THE horse, the property of Edmund Osborne, supposed stolen from Foxton, has been recovered. The saddle and bridle have not been recovered.

STOLEN on the 3rd or 4th instant, from a paddock at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, a chestnut gelding, hack-breed, four years old, 14 hands high, silver mane and tail, shod all round, branded JG on near shoulder; the property of James Grant Sutherland; value £7. Identifiable.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 109.)

THE grey gelding, the property of Aristodemo Frandi, reported stolen from a paddock at the Wellington and Manawatu Railway-station, Wellington, has been recovered; not stolen.

Deserting Wives and Families, &c.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 109.)

JOHN DIGNAN, *alias* Ginger, charged on warrant of commitment to gaol for one month's labour, in default of paying £5 6s., fine and costs, for unlawfully taking rock-oysters, has been arrested by Constable Edward Mackey, Auckland Police. Fine and costs paid.

JOHN INGLEBY, *alias* Matthews, is charged, on warrant issued by the Christchurch Bench, with failing to provide his wife with adequate means of support, at Sydenham, near Christchurch, since about June, 1886. Description: A native of Yorkshire, an iron-smelter and labourer, fifty-seven years of age, 6ft. 1in. high, stout build, light-blue eyes, brown hair beard whiskers and moustache turning grey, turns right foot slightly in when walking; slovenly appearance, fond of drink. He is a great agitator at meetings of the unemployed. He was at Brisbane in December last.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 109.)

JOHN THORNBURN, charged on warrant of commitment to gaol for two months' labour, in default of paying £10, fine and costs, for assaulting Rapaeta Tamati, has been arrested by Constable E. C. Hughes, Kawakawa Police.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1887, pages 173 and 183, and 1888, page 113.)

CHARLES OCEAN THOMPSON, charged on warrants of commitment to gaol in default of paying fines and costs for allowing his horse to be at large at Napier, paid the amount due, on the 21st February last, to Sergeant Adam Bissett, Wanganui Police.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, pages 64 and 84.)

MICHAEL COYLE, charged on warrant of commitment to Napier Gaol for two months' labour for maliciously damaging property belonging to Elizabeth Burton, has been arrested at Auckland by Constable E. J. Lawliss, Napier Police.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, pages 64 and 84.)

OLA HOFF, *alias* Laurence Hoff, charged on warrants of commitment to gaol for two months' labour for maliciously damaging property belonging to Elizabeth Burton, to three months' labour for using obscene language, and to one month's labour in default of paying £6 6s., fine and costs, for insulting behaviour, has been arrested at Auckland by Constable E. J. Lawliss, Napier Police.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 32.)

ALBERT MARSH, charged on warrant of commitment to gaol for one month's imprisonment for a breach of the Destitute Persons Act, has been arrested by Constable Robert Darby, Carterton Police.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1887, page 32, and 1888, page 113.)

THOMAS CHANDLER, charged on warrant with deserting his wife and children, has been arrested by Constable John Ryan, Danevirke Police, and remanded to Wellington.

Deserters from Her Majesty's Service.

WILLIAM NELSON is charged on warrant with deserting from Her Majesty's ship "Nelson," at Auckland, on the 29th December last. Description: A native of St. Olaves, Surrey, England, an ordinary-seaman, twenty years of age, 5ft. 4½in. high, brown hair, grey eyes, ruddy complexion. A reward of £3 is offered for his arrest, in addition to £5 reward offered by the Colonial Government.

HENRY S. C. JACKSON is charged with deserting from Her Majesty's ship "Opal," at Auckland, on the 17th February last. Description: A native of Saintfield, County Down, Ireland, an ordinary-seaman, nineteen years of age, 5ft. 9in. high, fair complexion, blue eyes, brown hair, scar on left fore-

finger, tattoo-marks on both hands. A reward of £3 is offered for his arrest, in addition to £5 reward offered by the Colonial Government.

JAMES BAILEY is charged on warrant with deserting from Her Majesty's ship "Nelson," at Auckland, on the 14th March last. Description: A native of Edgbaston, Birmingham, an ordinary-seaman, nineteen years of age, 5ft. 3in. high, fresh complexion, brown hair and eyes, bracelet tattooed on right forearm. A reward of £3 is offered for his arrest, in addition to £5 reward offered by the Colonial Government.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 85.)

JOHN MILLER, charged with deserting from Her Majesty's ship "Diamond," has been arrested by the Hobart Municipal Police.

Escaped Prisoners.

TE ROIPIHA, *alias* Piha, *alias* Tohi, who was sentenced on the 5th March last, at Maketu, to three months' labour for larceny, escaped on the following day from the custody of Constable McCuskey, Maketu Police. Description: A Maori, a labourer, twenty-eight years of age, 5ft. 5½in. high, black hair and brown eyes, two blue dots tattooed on left arm, left little finger contracted. He is identical with the man of the same name who was sentenced at Auckland on the 3rd April, 1882, to five years' penal servitude for horse-stealing. (See *Police Gazette*, 1886, page 26.)

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, pages 92 and 99.)

JONATHAN ROBERTS, who escaped from the gaol at Timaru, was arrested on the 31st ultimo by Constable W. J. Simpson, Leeston Police, and sentenced to twelve months' labour, to commence at the expiration of his previous sentences. He escaped again on the 8th instant from the prison-gang at Ripa Island, Lyttelton.

JONATHAN ROBERTS is charged, on warrant issued by the Lyttelton Bench, with escaping, between noon and 1 p.m. on the 8th instant, from the prison-gang, at Ripa Island, Lyttelton. Description: A native of Cornwall, England, a clerk, twenty-seven years of age, 5ft. 11½in. high, medium build, fresh complexion, brown eyes, large nose, brown hair, clean-shaved except small moustache, which is cut short, smart active appearance, formerly a clerk in the Bank of New Zealand; dressed in prison clothes, the jacket that he wore has since been found. He was undergoing sentences of five years' penal servitude for horse-stealing, two years' labour for larceny, and twelve months' labour for escaping from gaol. He is identical with Jonathan Roberts, who was sentenced at Christchurch, on the 4th October, 1886, to twelve months' labour for forgery. (See *Police Gazette*, 1887, page 165.) He has numerous friends in South Canterbury.

Missing Friends.

INFORMATION is requested respecting Edward James Ellis, a native of England, a labourer and general station-hand, thirty-four years of age, 5ft. 11in. high, rather stout build, square shoulders, red face, hazel eyes, brown hair, clean-shaved except brown moustache. He was shearing at Morven Hills Station, near Cromwell, in 1887. He is inquired for in order to compel him to pay arrears due for the support of his two children in the Burnham Industrial School. On the 16th April last £12 16s. was owing.

SPECIAL inquiry is requested to be made for Thomas Norton, a native of Ireland, a labourer, about thirty-two years of age, 5ft. 6in. or 7in. high, medium build, dark complexion, black hair and moustache; wore dirty grey-tweed suit and soft-felt hat. He is the principal witness in the case of the Queen v. Dore and Morgan, robbery with violence, and it is important that his whereabouts should be ascertained, so that his attendance may be insured at the trial. He left Oamaru on the 2nd ultimo.

WILLIAM JAMESON is missing from near Gore since the 3rd April last, and it is feared has been drowned in the Mataura River, as he was last seen going towards the river, and his coat and hat were subsequently found on the river-bank. Description: A native of Scotland, a ploughman and labourer, twenty-eight years of age, about 6ft. high, stout build, square shoulders, fresh complexion, one eye blue and the other black and blue, fair hair, clean-shaved except small dark moustache; dressed in dark-check tweed trousers and vest, and elastic-side boots with toe-caps; fond of drink. His mother resides with a Mr. Henderson, at Corner Bush, Merton, Dunedin District.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 54.)

ALFRED GEORGE TUNESON has been found at Big Bay.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 100.)

JOSEPH LIGGINS has been found. He lives at Longburn, near Palmerston North, and is a partner in Buick and Co.'s butter- and cheese-factory, Longburn.

INFORMATION is requested respecting Patrick Begley, a native of the North of Ireland, a labourer, thirty years of age, 5ft. 6½in. high, stout build, sandy complexion, brown hair, mark of cut between nose and forehead. He was found guilty of larceny at the Supreme Court, Oamaru, on the 6th September last, and released on probation for six months, and ordered to pay 5s. per week to the Probation Officer at Oamaru towards the cost of the prosecution, but he has failed to pay the amount, and now owes the sum of £3 10s., and has also failed to report himself. He was seen about eight weeks ago at St. Andrew, and is supposed to have gone towards Timaru. If found, please inform the Inspector of Police, Oamaru, of his whereabouts.

INFORMATION is requested respecting Joseph Smith Gostick or Gostwick, a native of Keighley, Yorkshire, a builder or cabinet-maker, forty-five years of age, 5ft. 8in. or 9in. high, strongly built, fair complexion, blue eyes, light-coloured hair, and light-coloured spare beard whiskers and moustache. In 1858 he ran away from home, and worked his passage to Australia. He returned to England in 1863, and remained with his family for about three months, and again went to Australia as a sailor, it is believed, in the ship "Light of the Age." He was subsequently heard of from Waimate, Lake Wakatipu, Timaru, and Dunedin. He was last heard of from Dunedin in 1873, and stated that he was then working as a joiner, cabinet-maker, and shop-fitter, and was also engaged in the erection and fitting-up of stores. He also stated that he married, and had one child, but that both died. He is entitled to a small reversionary interest by the death of his mother, which took place in June, 1887. He is inquired for by Mr. Alfred Platts, solicitor, 7, Queen Street, Bingley, Yorkshire. Photograph in Commissioner's office.

INFORMATION is requested respecting Frederick Fountain, a clerk and messenger, &c., twenty-eight years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, medium build, 131lb. weight, fresh complexion, brown hair and eyes. He was convicted of stealing from the person at the Supreme Court, Wellington, on the 4th April, 1887, and was released on twelve months' probation, and ordered to pay £10 costs. He went to Napier on the 16th April, 1887, and to Woodville on the 1st July following, where he was employed as a cook at Weeks's boarding-house. He left Woodville on the 1st October last for Wellington, without reporting himself to the Probation Officer, and has not since been seen or heard of.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 65.)

JAMES GRAY, missing from Teviot Station, was found drowned, on the 12th ultimo, in the Clutha River, eight miles below Beaumont.

Miscellaneous Information.

Appointment as Constable on Transfer from the Permanent Militia.

THOMAS JOHN JOHNSTON, No. 522.

Rewards.

THE sum of £1 10s. has been awarded by the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society to Constable David Strickland, Wairoa Police, in recognition of his services in connection with the prosecution of Robert McKain, fined 5s. and costs for shooting game without being licensed.

THE sum of £2 10s. each has been awarded by the Wellington Acclimatisation Society to Constables Patrick L. Harnett and Patrick Leahy, Lower Hutt and Petone Police, in recognition of their services in connection with the detection and prosecution of Henry Wiseman, fined £3 and costs for illegally fishing with a net in the Hutt River.

THE sum of £1 has been awarded by Mr. Frederick Mitchell, Wellington, to Detective William L. Chrystal, Wellington Police, in recognition of his services in recovering the sum of £94, which Mr. Mitchell supposed he had lost.

Extracts from New Zealand Gazette.

(From *Gazette*, 1888, pages 661, 662, and 678.)

Starlings and Australian Magpies protected.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same,

I, William Francis Drummond Jervois, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that from and after the date hereof English starlings (*Sturnus vulgaris*) and Australian magpies (*Gymnorhina tibicen*) shall come within the operation of the said Acts as fully and effectually as if they had been included in the Third Schedule to the said "Animals Protection Act, 1880."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

T. W. HISLOP.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 6th June, 1888.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JAMES WILLIAM MOAR to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Mongonui, *vice* W. Gillo, deceased.

THOS. FERGUS.

Notice to Chemists and Others respecting Preparation known as "Get there."

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th May, 1888.

THE attention of all persons who sell, or keep open shops for retailing, dispensing, or compounding, poisons is called to the fact that the preparation commonly known as "Get there" contains arsenic, or consists of coloured or prepared arsenic, and is therefore a poison within the terms of Part I. of the First Schedule to "The Sale of Poisons Act, 1871."

Attention is also called to the provisions of section 12 of that Act, which prescribes the regulations to be observed in the sale of poisons, as there is reason to believe that these regulations are not always strictly carried out as respects the poison above referred to.

T. W. HISLOP.

Clerk of Resident Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th June, 1888.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JOHN McIVOR to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Stratford.

THOS. FERGUS.

Police Gaoler appointed at Greymouth.

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),
Wellington, 7th June, 1888.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant WILLIAM HANLON to be Gaoler of the Police Gaol at Greymouth, *vice* McArdle, transferred.

THOS. FERGUS.

Forest Rangers, Southland District, appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Forests Branch, Wellington, 13th June, 1888.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned police constables as Forest Rangers in the Southland District, under section 12 of "The New Zealand State Forests Act, 1885:"—

Daniel Bogue, Wyndham.
Patrick Maher, Wakaia.
Thomas Griffith, Lumsden.
Hugh Mulholland, Winton.
George Sinclair, Otautau.
John Ferguson, Riverton.
Joseph Keaney, Orepuki.
Angus Ewen Livingstone, Stewart Island.

G. F. RICHARDSON,
Commissioner of State Forests.

RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE FORTNIGHT ENDED 9TH JUNE, 1888.

Gaol.	Name.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Hgh. in ft.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Mouth.	Chin.	Remarks and Previous Convictions.
Lytelton ...	Michael Fannor	Lytelton ...	Mar. 29, 1888	larceny	2 months' labour	Western Australia	seaman ...	1866	5 10 1/2	fresh	dark	grey	medium	small	small	Stroke and dot tattooed on right arm.
Lytelton ...	Thomas Reesby	Southbridge	April 5, 1888	assaulting police obscene language	1 month's labour 1 month's labour (cumulative)	{ North- ampton- shire Dublin ...	labourer ...	1845	5 3 1/2	dark	dark	hazel	medium	medium	medium	One previous conviction.
Lytelton ...	John Freeman	Christchurch	May 21, 1888	habitual drunkenness	14 days' labour	Co. Cork ...	whip- maker labourer ...	1838	5 7	pale	grey	grey	prominent	large	broad	Repeatedly convicted.
Lytelton ...	Michael Sheehan	Christchurch	April 4, 1887	stealing from the per- son	18 months' labour	Tasmania	labourer ...	1860	5 10 1/2	fresh	fair	grey	medium	medium	long	An old offender.
Lytelton ...	Edward Clarkson, alias Iverson	Christchurch	May 28, 1888	obscene language	14 days' labour	London ...	labourer ...	1830	6 0 1/2	sallow	black	hazel	medium	medium	long, drooped	An old offender.
Addington	Martha French	Christchurch	May 1, 1888	receiving stolen pro- perty	1 month's labour	London ...	matron ...	1837	5 4 1/2	ruddy	brown	grey	medium	medium	sharp	Medium
Addington	Flora Montgomery	Christchurch	May 30, 1888	obscene language	7 days' labour	Hokitika ...	prostitute	1866	5 1 1/2	dark	black	dark br.	medium	medium	large	Medium
Addington	Laurence Jacobs	Lytelton ...	June 1, 1888	obscene language	48 hours' labour	Hokitika ...	school-boy	1879	4 1 1/2	sallow	brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Medium
Addington	John Black	Lytelton ...	June 1, 1888	larceny	3 months' labour	Scotland ...	school-boy	1880	3 9 1/2	fresh	brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Medium
Timaru ...	Walter Heigh	Timaru ...	Mar. 7, 1888	larceny (3 charges)	3 months' labour	England ...	printer ...	1861	5 0 1/2	fair	light brown	hazel	medium	large	medium	Medium
Nelson ...	Margaret Burgess, alias William	Nelson ...	Mar. 25, 1888	larceny	14 days' labour	Scotland	1883	4 5 1/2	fair	brown	hazel	short	medium	medium	Medium
Napier ...	William Eddie	Hastings	May 4, 1888	larceny	1 month's labour	Scotland ...	draper ...	1826	5 6	fresh	grey	grey	medium	medium	medium	Medium
Napier ...	Edward Marson	Ormondville	May 7, 1888	obscene language	1 month's labour	England ...	bushman ...	1820	5 8 1/2	fresh	grey	grey	medium	medium	medium	Medium
Napier ...	James Nolan	Napier ...	May 25, 1888	breach of the peace...	14 days' labour	Ireland ...	labourer ...	1851	5 7	fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	medium	Medium
N. Plymouth	Richard Clarke	N. Plymouth	May 30, 1888	indecent language	7 days' labour	Germany ...	plumber ...	1854	5 4 1/2	fresh	light brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Medium
Wellington	Richard Hemkin, alias Hunkin	Christchurch	Jan. 2, 1888	larceny	6 months' labour	Germany ...	labourer ...	1843	5 5 1/2	fresh	brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Medium
Wellington	Joseph Dotson, alias Joseph Gravelock, alias Cooper	Blenheim	Feb. 1, 1888	larceny	4 months' labour	England ...	tailor and jockey	1870	3 3 1/2	fair	fair	grey	large	large	medium	Medium
Wellington	Lawrence Ledwidge ...	Wellington	May 26, 1888	larceny	7 days' labour	Ireland ...	express- driver	1863	5 3 1/2	ruddy	red	blue	pug	large	large	Scar over left temple.
Wellington	Annie Hayward	Wellington	April 21, 1888	larceny	6 weeks' labour	England ...	servant ...	1871	5 5	sallow	dark brown	hazel	pug	small	small	Mole on right cheek; scar on chin.
Wellington	George Frederick Har- ney	Blenheim ...	Oct. 27, 1886	horse-stealing	2 years' labour	{ New Zealand Ireland ... India ... (British parentage)	labourer ...	1855	5 10	dark	dark	lt. hazel	small,	large	medium	Scars on left thumb, on right wrist, and on right side of upper lip.
Wellington	Ellen Henley	Wellington	May 23, 1888	obscene language	14 days' labour	Ireland ...	prostitute	1885	5 0	dark	dark	brown	pug	large	medium	Scars on left thumb, on right wrist, and on right side of upper lip.
Wellington	William Hedges	Wellington	May 29, 1888	cruelty to a cow	7 days' labour	India ... (British parentage)	labourer ...	1871	5 3	dark	brown	brown	small	large	medium	Medium
Wellington	Matthew Edward Pie- kering	Wellington	Mar. 9, 1888	failing to support his wife and family	3 months' labour	Tasmania	carpenter	1848	5 5	fresh	brown	brown	medium	medium	medium	Scar on right shin.
Wellington	Thomas Hogan, alias Jones	Lower Hutt	Mar. 9, 1888	wilful damage	3 months' labour	Ireland ...	labourer ...	1855	6 2	fresh	brown	blue	medium	medium	medium	Several previous convictions. Left arm amputated below elbow.
Wellington	Henry Richmond, alias Joseph Carruth, alias William Conberry	Blenheim ...	April 30, 1888	obscene language	6 weeks' labour	England ...	sailor ...	1830	5 6	fresh	dark brown	grey	broad	small	full	One previous conviction. Emblem of Queen's army and navy with HOPE underneath tattooed on left arm; black mark on right hand and black mark on back of left hand and anchor on right hand.
Wanganui	Charles Lee Wildbore	Wanganui	Oct. 25, 1887	assault	9 months' labour	England ...	blacksmith	1835	5 2 1/2	fresh	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Medium
Wanganui	William Hackett	Palmerston North	May 8, 1888	larceny	1 month's labour	Wellington	labourer ...	1809	5 5 1/2	fresh	fair	blue	large	medium	medium	Medium
Wanganui	Thomas Hackett	Palmerston North	May 8, 1888	larceny	1 month's labour	Wellington	labourer ...	1862	5 10	freckled	fair	blue	medium	medium	medium	Medium
Dunedin ...	John Clark	Dunedin ...	April 28, 1888	resisting police ... damaging property...	fined £5, or 1 month's labour fined £5, or 7 days' labour	Scotland ...	butcher ...	1862	5 4 1/2	fresh	black	hazel	thick	medium	medium	Medium
Dunedin ...	Robert Mahone	Oamaru ...	Mar. 8, 1888	larceny	3 months' labour	Scotland ...	labourer ...	1835	5 11	fresh	grey	grey	large	medium	medium	Medium
Dunedin ...	Margaret Williams, alias Oplum Mag	Dunedin ...	Mar. 5, 1888	insufficient means of support	3 months' labour	England ...	prostitute	1853	5 3	dark	black	grey	medium	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.
Dunedin	William Roach	Dunedin	Feb. 25, 1888	insufficient lawful means of support	3 months' labour	Wales	labourer	1823	5 3	dark	dark	brown	medium	medium	medium	Twenty-one previous convictions. Upper front teeth out, and back teeth out of both jaws.
Dunedin	William Johnston	Dunedin	April 11, 1888	habitual drunkenness	14 days' labour (cumulative)	Scotland	labourer	1851	5 7	fresh	black	brown	large	medium	medium	High cheek-bones; slightly pockpitted.
Dunedin	Amy Bock	Dunedin	April 11, 1888	false pretences	2 months' labour	Victoria	teacher	1862	5 1	sallow	dark brown	brown	Grecian	medium	medium	One previous conviction.
Dunedin	Frederick Boyd	Dunedin	April 11, 1888	insufficient lawful means of support	1 month's labour	N. Zealand	groom	1869	5 6	fresh	fair	hazel	medium	medium	medium	An upper front tooth out.
Invercargill	Elizabeth McGirry	Invercargill	May 21, 1888	insulting language	3 months' imprisonment in default of	Ireland	married	1851	5 3 1/2	fair	brown	blue	large	medium	broad	Scar on nose.
Invercargill	Bridget Hogan	Riverton	May 22, 1888	abusive language	7 days' labour	Ireland	married	1842	5 1	sallow	brown	brown	long	large	medium	Pockpitted; scar on forehead.
Clyde	Charles Clarke	Cromwell	April 30, 1888	larceny	1 month's labour	England	rabBIT	1875	5 2 1/2	dark	brown	brown	long	medium	medium	High cheek-bones; wreath, anchor, and rabbit badly tattooed on left wrist.
Auckland	Joseph William Malmberg	Warkworth	Mar. 31, 1888	obscene language	2 months' labour	Finland	farmer	1856	5 6 1/2	swarthy	light brown	lt. blue	broad	large	medium	Scar under right eye and on left cheek.
Auckland	Edward Walter Gotch	Tauranga	Feb. 3, 1888	larceny (2 charges)	4 months' labour	Auckland	bootmaker	1867	5 9 1/2	fresh	dark brown	blue	thick set	medium	medium	Scar on left forearm and mole on left breast.
Auckland	John Allen	Tauranga	Feb. 3, 1888	larceny (2 charges)	4 months' labour	England	labourer	1867	5 3 1/2	fresh	dark brown	brown	medium	large	medium	Three moles on upper right arm; tattooed right forearm; scar on calf of right leg.
Auckland	John Mickle	Auckland	Mar. 2, 1888	having no visible means of support	3 months' imprisonment	East Indies	...	1841	5 4 1/2	black	grey	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Eleven previous convictions.
Auckland	Happy	Auckland	April 4, 1888	stealing from the person	2 months' labour	Melbourne	labourer	1859	5 9 1/2	pale	dark brown	blue	crooked, inclined to left	medium	medium	
Auckland	Charles Hammond	Auckland	April 4, 1888	stealing from the person	2 months' labour	Melbourne	labourer	1859	5 9 1/2	pale	dark brown	blue	crooked, inclined to left	medium	medium	
Auckland	John O'Brien	Auckland	May 9, 1888	disobedience of orders on board ship	4 weeks' labour	Ireland	fireman	1855	5 9 1/2	fresh	dark brown	lt. grey	large	medium	medium	Banners of war tattooed on breast; bracelet on each wrist; godness of liberty and truth on right arm; and P.H.C. and figure representing Nelson on left forearm.
Auckland	John Smith	Auckland	Mar. 7, 1888	having no visible means of support	3 months' labour	England	labourer	1840	5 4 1/2	fresh	grey	blue	large, prominent	medium	medium	Defective sight.
Auckland	Richard Morrow	Auckland	Dec. 7, 1887	disobeying a maintenance order	6 months' imprisonment in default of sureties	Ireland	surveyor	1846	6 3	fresh	black, turning grey	grey	large	medium	medium	Two scars at left knee-cap; varicose veins in left leg; two moles on left forearm; several small scars on left hand.
Auckland	Thomas Kennedy	Cambridge	May 11, 1888	horse-stealing	committed for trial	N. Zealand	labourer	1870	5 6 1/2	fresh	dark brown	grey	flat	large	medium	Four previous convictions. Admitted to bail.
Auckland	John James Knapman	Auckland	June 4, 1888	breach of the peace	7 days' labour	England	carter	1857	5 4 1/2	sallow	black	grey	hooked	medium	medium	Large burn-scar on right forearm; joint of right thumb swollen; left leg ulcerated; one tooth out of lower jaw.
Auckland	Henry Mayo	Auckland	Feb. 2, 1888	larceny (3 charges)	3 months' labour	United States	labourer	1837	5 7	fresh	dark brown	grey	long	medium	medium	Eight previous convictions. Crucifix tattooed on right forearm; upper front teeth out; lips firmly set; three scars on left arm.
Auckland	Edward Lyssaght	Auckland	Jan. 27, 1888	larceny (2 charges)	42 days' labour (cumulative)	Ireland	labourer	1849	5 8	sallow	dark brown	hazel	large	medium	medium	Seven previous convictions.
Auckland	John Shiers	Auckland	Jan. 27, 1888	larceny (3 charges)	42 days' labour (cumulative)	England	labourer	1859	5 9	swarthy	grey	brown	large	large	large	Banners of war tattooed on upper right arm and female on right forearm; scar on bridge of nose and mole on right side of nose.
Auckland	Louis Britton	Auckland	May 11, 1888	having no visible means of support	1 month's labour	England	labourer	1863	5 5	fresh	fair	brown	large	medium	medium	Scar on left groin.
Gisborne	James McCarthy	Gisborne	May 5, 1888	drunkenness	30 days' labour	Ireland	labourer	1834	5 4	sallow	brown	hazel	medium	medium	medium	Four previous convictions. Pockpitted.
Hokitika	William Bradley	Greymouth	Mar. 27, 1888	obscene language	2 months' labour	England	jockey	1865	5 5 1/2	fresh	light brown	blue	medium	medium	round	Scar over right eye.
Hokitika	Thomas McLuskey	Greymouth	Mar. 27, 1888	obscene language	2 months' labour	Scotland	jockey	1867	5 3 1/2	pale	fair	light br. grey,	medium	medium	medium	Several previous convictions. A wart over and one under left eyebrow; two females tattooed on right arm; man and woman holding two flags on left arm, and an unfinished boat and ship on left forearm.
Hokitika	Matthew Brown	Westport	April 2, 1888	habitual drunkenness	2 months' labour	America	seaman	1835	5 9	dark	grey	grey,	medium	medium	medium	Scar over right eyebrow.
Auckland	George Jones	Ahaura	April 9, 1888	larceny	2 months' labour	N. Zealand	labourer	1863	5 6 1/2	pale	brown	blue	medium	small	medium	

