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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 by the member of the Force effecting the arrest.

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*.

Communications for this *Gazette* should be addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Wellington, and the envelope marked "For *Gazette*."

Murder.

CHARLES CHADWICK is charged, on warrant issued by Captain G. A. Preece, Resident Magistrate, and filed in the Inspector's office, Napier, with having, at about 7 a.m. on the 14th ultimo, at Rakamoana sheep-station, thirty miles from Napier, on the Taupo Road, wilfully murdered Roderick Matheson, head shepherd. Description: A native of Yorkshire, a labourer and bush-carpenter, about fifty or fifty-one years of age, 5ft. 10in. or 11in. high, medium build, slightly round-shouldered, fresh complexion, light hair, scanty on top of head, reddish beard whiskers and moustache (a few grey hairs in beard), blue eyes, white of eyes discoloured (sore appearance), medium nose; dressed, when last seen, in a striped-cotton shirt, moleskin trousers (supposed dark colour), nailed watertight boots, and light soft-felt hat. Offender had been employed on the station for about two months and a half, but has resided in the vicinity, off and on, for the past twenty years, and is married to a Maori woman, by whom he has several children. He disappeared shortly after the murder. It is stated that he has a brother, a postmaster, at some part of Natal, South Africa, and that the offender spoke some time ago of going to him.

Arson.

At 9.30 p.m. on the 17th instant an attempt was made to set on fire an unoccupied dwelling at Temuka, Oamaru district, the property of Jane Charlotte Fendall.

Offences Not Otherwise Described.

ALFRED WILLIAM CROFT is charged, on warrant issued by the Gisborne Bench, with having on the 12th December, 1889, at Gisborne, embezzled the sum of £35 8s. in the bankrupt estate of Andrew Graham. Description: English, forty-five years of age, a clerk, and lately Deputy Official Assignee in Bankruptcy, 5ft. 10in. high, slight build, sharp

long features, fair complexion, fair hair beard whiskers and moustache, bad teeth, erect walk, with slight halt, usually wears stud in collar, no necktie, wears eyeglass, and heavy long-linked-gold chain outside his coat, generally smoking cigarettes, gentlemanly appearance; supposed dressed in dark-tweed suit with blue-check in pattern. Was seen on ss. "Manapouri," at Gisborne, on the 8th instant, going north. His defalcations amount to about £400.

SYDNEY.—£500 REWARD.—Joseph R. Bradley (may assume the name of Aylett) is charged on warrant with embezzling £760 belonging to the English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank, Sydney, on the 4th November, 1889. Description: Thirty-four years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, brown hair moustache and small whiskers; late manager Devonshire Street branch of above bank. Last seen in Sydney on the 13th instant. May be accompanied by his wife and two children. The above reward is offered by the Bank for his arrest. (Special inquiry is requested in this colony.—91/329.) *Arrested see page 61*

ADELAIDE.—A Bench-warrant has been issued for the arrest of Thomas Downie for not appearing to his bail at the Supreme Court on the 18th instant to stand his trial for assaulting, with intent to maim, Charles Oatway. Description: Twenty-seven years of age, 5ft. 9in. high, strong build, fair complexion, reddish hair and moustache only, blue to hazel eyes, scar under left side of mouth, circle of tattoo dots on back of left hand; a Victorian; known to magmen as "Red Mick," and victimises the public with the purse-trick. Arrest very desirable.—(91/320.)

JOHN CULLEN is charged, on warrant issued by the Kawakawa Bench, with failing to appear in answer to a summons charging him with illegally removing kauri-gum from Crown lands at Puhipuhi, Bay of Islands, on the 29th ultimo. Description: Irish, about forty years of age, about 5ft. 5in. high, stout build, short bull neck, dark complexion, dark-hair and moustache slightly grey, has about a week's growth of beard; speaks with very noticeable accent. Is supposed to be still about Puhipuhi, but will probably leave the district.

JOHN DUNN, *alias* Ellison, is charged, on warrant issued by the Wellington Bench, with having on the 1st instant, at Wellington, assaulted Frederick Goston, with intent to do bodily harm. For description see *Police Gazette*, 1891, page 32. Supposed gone to Blenheim. He was implicated in the assault with William Crowley and Henry Poulson, who have been arrested and committed for trial.

NEIL THOMPSON is charged on warrants (two) with having, at Wellington, on the 9th and 12th ultimo respectively, libelled Mary McKenzie, of Woodville, by writing and publishing to her two letters containing false and defamatory matters. Description: A native of County Antrim, Ireland, a farmer, fifty-seven years of age, 5ft. 10in. high, medium

build, broad shoulders, right shoulder high, ruddy fresh complexion, blue eyes, dark hair turning grey, regular nose, large mouth, long uneven dirty teeth, prominent chin, walks erect, leans slightly to the left side, speaks with North of Ireland accent; when last seen wore grey clothes and soft black-felt hat.

CHRISTOPHER HENRY RUTHVEN is charged on warrant with larceny as a bailee on or about the 3rd ultimo, at Pahiataua, Wellington District, of a watch (since recovered); value £3; the property of William Syme. Description: Supposed English, a watchmaker, about thirty-five years of age, about 5ft. 6in. or 7in. high, rather large round head and face, clean-shaved except small brown moustache, brown hair, fair complexion; dressed when last seen in dark-tweed suit, hard black-felt hat with rather flat leaf; supposed now in Christchurch. Owing to a dispute concerning the amount charged for cleaning, complainant left the watch with the offender, who sold it as his own property to John McBeth for £2 10s., and left Pahiataua shortly afterwards.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1891, page 11.)

ADOLPH and CARL REISS, fraudulent bankruptcy: Photographs of these offenders are now in the Commissioner's Office. It is stated that the former was born on the 5th July, 1858, and the latter on the 21st January, 1860, both at Frankfurt. There is supposed to be very little resemblance between the two.

Housebreaking, Stealing from the Person and from Dwellings.

STOLEN at about 9 p.m. on the 5th instant, from the bedroom of Walter Exton, Alicetown, Lower Hutt, Wellington, a small wooden box containing seven £1 notes (bank and numbers unknown) and three half-sovereigns. Suspicion attached to James Turner, who formerly occupied the room, and was the only person who knew where the money was kept. Description: A Londoner, working manager, Alicetown Gut-factory, thirty years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, medium build, fair complexion and hair, small fair moustache, small eyes, speaks with short quick accent, leans forward when walking; usually dresses in dark-tweed suit. The box, minus money, was picked up about a hundred yards from complainant's house on the following morning.

BETWEEN 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. on the 24th ultimo the dwelling of Charles Brunn, Te Aroha West, Tauranga district, was broken into and about £2 in silver stolen. Entrance gained through an unfastened window.

STOLEN on the 28th ultimo, at 5 p.m., from the doorway of William McCulloch's drapery-shop, Queen Street, Auckland, a brass hand-bell, 4lb. weight, dark-brown stained wooden handle; value 7s. 6d.; the property of Thomas Gibbons, Franklin Road, who left it alongside some goods while making a purchase. Identifiable.

STOLEN between 4 p.m. on the 29th and 9 a.m. on the 30th ultimo, from the front tap-room of the Britomart Hotel, Custom Street East, Auckland, a sailor's bag containing a black-cloth sac-suit, a pair of moleskin trousers, a white blanket, a hair pillow-slip, three white shirts, five coloured crimean shirts, two pairs of men's drawers, a table knife fork and spoon, a pair of old blucher boots, and a piece of green-muslin bed-curtain, all rather worn; value £3; the property of Samuel Cameron, a seaman, who left Auckland on the 4th instant on board the ship "Oamaru" for Napier en route to England. Identifiable.

A WARRANT has been issued by the Bench at Rakaia, Christchurch district, for the arrest of a man, name unknown, for having between 3 and 3.30 p.m. on the 6th instant, at Methven, stolen a cheque for £8 6s. 7d. (since recovered), the property of James Brown. Offender presented the cheque on the following day at Mr. Alcorn's shop, Ashburton, in payment for a cardigan jacket and red-and-white cotton shirt, and received the balance in change. He is believed to be identical with Patrick Harkin, who was in complainant's company when the cheque was missed. Harkin is a native of Derry, Ireland, a labourer, 5ft. 9in. or 10in. high, medium build, thin features, fresh complexion, brown hair beard whiskers and moustache, long front teeth; dressed in dark coat, brown-tweed trousers, broad soft black-felt hat, black-and-brown check woollen scarf with fringe at each end; may be wearing the cardigan jacket (black or dark-brown) purchased as above. Said he was going from Ashburton to Timaru by express on the 7th instant. Complainant resides at Rakaia.

STOLEN at 6.30 p.m. on the 11th instant, from a handbag in the dwelling of Mary Rendall, Frederick Street, Dunedin, a yellow leather purse, 4in. by 2½in., containing three jubilee

sovereigns, 16s. in silver, a Chinese coin, and a ticket for a watch and chain pawned at Isaac's, Dunedin; purse and pawn-ticket identifiable. Suspicion attached to Bella McKenzie and Mary Jane Parks, who were in the house at the time. Description: First, about eighteen years of age, medium size and build, fair hair and complexion, rather good looking; second, about the same age as McKenzie, rather tall, slender build, dark hair and complexion. Both still in Dunedin.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1891, page 27.)

THE saddle reported stolen from Walter Milmott Madden's premises, Tauranga, has been found, not stolen.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1891, page 26.)

LARCENY of a ring from Nottingham Cottage, Herbert Street, Wellington, the property of Ella Escott: Eliza Hose has been arrested for this offence by Detective Herbert, Wellington Police, and remanded; ring found in her possession.

STOLEN on the 13th instant, between 8 p.m. and 10 p.m., from Bernard Meenan, at Wellington, a silver hunting English lever watch, maker Hurlston, number unknown, B.M. on outside of case; value £5. Identifiable. Also about £7 in £1 bank notes. Complainant was drunk at the time, and can give no further particulars.

STOLEN between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. on the 11th instant, from a bedroom in Quoi's restaurant, Queen Street, Auckland, a light-grey mackintosh, with buttons of same colour, no cape, full size, and nearly new; value £1 15s.; the property of Henry Pomeroy, a Maori. Identifiable.

STOLEN between 5 p.m. and 6 p.m. on the 11th instant, from outside the shop of Joseph Fitzsimons, clothier, Queen Street, Auckland, a boy's suit of Mosgiel grey-check tweed, size 8, five buttons in front of coat, new; value 14s. 6d. Identifiable.

STOLEN between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. on the 3rd instant from the shop-door of Herbert Short, draper, Queen Street, Auckland, a knitted fawn-coloured silk scarf, with heavy fringe; value 15s. 6d. Supposed identifiable.

BETWEEN 3 p.m. on the 29th and 8 a.m. on the 30th ultimo, the store of Edward Phillips, Waiharekeke, near Waihi, Tauranga district, was broken into, and the following stolen: A brown blanket with yellow black and red stripes, two pairs white pants, a half-gallon billy, half a dozen pocket-knives, one dozen tins jam, 1lb. tea, a quantity of sugar and lollies, 2lb. candles, one dozen boxes matches, three tins of coffee, a pair of scissors, two knives and forks, and two shirts; value £3 2s. 6d. Blanket identifiable. Suspicion attached to John Rae, a native of Scotland or North of Ireland, a gum-digger, about fifty years of age, about 5ft. 4in. high, medium build, white beard whiskers and moustache, shuts one eye while speaking, stoops slightly; knocks about with Maoris; generally dressed in white linen jacket, cord trousers, flannel shirt, and billycock hat; dirty appearance. He obtained credit from complainant to start gum-digging, but cleared out of the district at about above time. Is in the habit of victimising storekeepers.

LOST or stolen from the Empire Hotel, Willis Street, Wellington, between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. on the 16th instant, a ladies' gold open-faced keyless geneva watch, AD on outside of case, white dial, number and maker unknown, with a very short albert chain of two plies, one imitation gold the other platinum, and small links attached; value £5; the property of Miss Ada Dillon, whose next address will be Star Hotel, Auckland. Identifiable.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1891, page 26.)

LARCENY from the dwelling of W. R. E. Brown, Tinakori Road, Wellington: The kettle has been found, and complainant now states he has no reason to believe that any of the property was stolen.

STOLEN between the 8th ultimo and the 4th instant, from a bedroom in the dwelling of T. K. Weldon, McBride Street, South Dunedin, a ladies' open-faced gold geneva watch, small size, blue enamel in centre of back, No. 50995, gold dial, a small brown mark or flaw on edge; and part of an old-fashioned English-made necklet with plain round links attached; value £5; the property of Miss Amy Weldon. Identifiable.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1890, page 133.)

THE dress-material stolen from the shop of Joseph Waite, Colombo Street, Sydenham, has been recovered from the house of Paul Pearson, who, with his wife Elizabeth, were

arrested by Chief Detective M. O'Connor and Acting-Detective R. Marsack, Christchurch Police. The male prisoner was acquitted, and the female committed for trial. She was also sentenced to one month's labour on each of three charges of larceny.

BETWEEN the 5th and 15th instant the sitting-room in the dwelling of Cecilia Jacobsen, Palmerston North, was broken into, and the following stolen: A carving-knife and -fork, bone handles, deer-foot shape, in case; a plated fish-knife and -fork, in case; a silver napkin-ring, engraved DH (or GH); a plated jam-spoon; and a dessert-knife and -fork in case: value £4 17s. 6d. Identifiable. Entrance gained by forcing the window-catch

STOLEN between 8 p.m. and 5 p.m. on the 17th instant, from the dwelling of Alfred Theodore Childs, at Turnbull and Co.'s Station, Ohariu Valley, near Wellington, a silver Geneva half-hunting watch, number unknown, with silver Albert attached; value £5. Watch identifiable. Suspicion attached to a man known as "Sam," who called at complainant's house seeking employment, and afterwards went towards Wellington. Description: Supposed English, about eighteen years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, slight build, dark hair and complexion, no hair on face; dressed in dark-blue serge suit and blue-cloth cap with peak. Identifiable.

BETWEEN 11.30 p.m. on the 4th and 8 a.m. on the 5th instant a patched pane of glass in the shop-window of Hood and Rice, Tainui Street, Greymouth, was broken, and the following stolen: Four imitation-silver brooches, an inch-tape, red, and small pin-cushion, both on ivory stands; two small bottles of scent, an electroplated napkin-ring with sunflowers engraved thereon, two small fancy cups and a saucer; value 16s. Identifiable. Evidently the work of a boy. *M. S. Kelly arrived, page 134.*

STOLEN on the 17th instant, between 7 and 10 p.m., from a bedroom in the Imperial Hotel, Greymouth, a brown-striped velveteen plain jacket-body, buttons up front, nearly new; value 15s.; the property of Jane Evans; also a black-velveteen skirt, plain make, with marks where trimming has been taken off, half-worn, value £1; and a silver bracelet about 3/4 in. wide, gold-gilding in shape of diamond on top, marks of eye on each side of fastening where chain has been attached, value 10s.; the property of Eliza Purcell. All identifiable. Suspicion attached to Margaret Taylor, about twenty years of age, very stout build, and dark complexion. She was formerly employed in the hotel, and is now in service with Mrs. Cooper, Herbert Street, Greymouth, whose house was searched without effect. *removed page 46*

STOLEN on the 14th instant, from a whare at Puketotara, Kerikeri, Bay of Islands, a £1 note, number unknown, 14s. 3d. in silver; a pair of cloth trousers, brownish colour, with small dark faded stripe down legs, front-flap buttons from left side instead of right, waist lined with dungaree; a pair of white-and-red-striped woollen drawers, and a white-cotton flannellette; value in all £8 9s.; the property of William Hansen. Identifiable except money.

STOLEN between 11 a.m. and 2.45 p.m. on the 17th instant from a desk in the shop of John Edwards, College Road, Ponsonby, Auckland, a dark-yellow cash-box, 12in. by 7in., containing £53 in single notes, bank and numbers unknown; £5 to £10 in sovereigns and half-sovereigns, a ladies' 15-carat gold watch-chain, small links, value £8; a ladies' gold locket with photo of Mrs. Edwards, and anchor on one side and heart on the other, value £1; a ladies' gold open-faced watch, gold dial and hands, chased on back, glass broken, and works loose, value £3; an old-fashioned double-cased silver watch, J.E. on outside case, value 10s.; a jewel-case, containing two ladies' gold rings, one set with a topaz and the other with six sapphires and six pearls, and a pair of circular-shaped gold earrings, value of case and contents £3 10s.; a broad silver bracelet, chased on outside, value 15s.; and a plain gold cross, value 10s. Cash-box, jewellery, and jewel-case identifiable. Suspicion attached to Margaret Turner, who was employed sewing in an adjoining room. Description: A New Zealand half-caste, a music-teacher, about twenty-six years of age, about 5ft. 4in. high, medium build, black hair and eyes; dresses very well. Still in College Road, Ponsonby. *Arrested page 33, 1892.*

STOLEN at about 1.30 a.m., from the dwelling of George Haslem, Hardy Street, Nelson, a silver lever hunting-watch, maker Rotherham, No. 39226, "Littlejohn and Son, Wellington," in half circle on face; and a silver chain, with Foresters' gold medal, A.O.F. and Foresters' arms thereon, attached; value £3 5s. Identifiable. Stolen while complainant's dwelling was on fire.

Stealing Otherwise than from the Person or from Dwellings.

STOLEN between the 1st April last and 28th ultimo, from a whare on Rangitoto Island, Auckland, an anvil, two iron handles belonging to a crane, a blacksmith's hammer, pair of tongs, an iron sling-chain, sixteen sheets of galvanised iron about 10ft. long, and a portion of the wood frame of a whare; value £12; the property of Robert Liddle, Mount Eden Road, Auckland. Blacksmith's tools identifiable.

STOLEN on the 6th or 7th instant, from an outhouse at the Ferry Hotel, Wairoa, Napier district, a side-saddle, half-worn, new piece on off side of cantle, and new patch on quilted part of near flap, girth-straps pulled away and saddle-strap used instead; value £3; the property of Georgina Howell. Identifiable.

STOLEN between the 26th ultimo and 1st instant, from the dairy of Louis C. Pharaazyn, Lowlands, Taurikenuikau, Wellington District, 8lb. bacon, a quarter of lamb, and a hair-broom; also from complainant's orchard a quantity of plums: total value 11s.

(See Police Gazette, 1890, pages 36, 45, and 55.)

HUGH McKEOWN, charged with larceny as a bailee at Christchurch, has been arrested by Constable P. Ryan, Little River Police, and discharged on a technical point.

STOLEN on the 12th or 13th ultimo, from the yacht "Foam," in the yard of the owner, George Carr, Custom Street West, Auckland, six sheets of copper about 4ft. by 1ft.; value £1 5s.

STOLEN on the 6th or 7th instant, from the stable of Samuel Alexander Tilley, fruiterer, Karangahape Road, Auckland, a leather back-band belonging to the saddle of a spring-cart harness, with tugs attached, brass buckles and rings, stitching of one of the tugs ripped; value £1. Identifiable.

STOLEN between 4 p.m. on the 28th and 2 a.m. on the 29th ultimo, from the stables of the Ballarat Hotel, St. Bathans, Oamaru, a double-reined bridle, not much worn, reins secured by metal studs in place of buckles, one rein chafed and apparently bitten, plain forehead-band with blue stripes, and a nickel-silver bit; value £1 2s. 6d.; the property of Robert Clarke, farmer. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 5th or 6th instant, from the Kaukapakapa Railway-station, Auckland District, a timber jack, with a home-made stock split on the back and secured by a bolt through the top; the property of Cecil H. Clinkard, Makarau; value £5 10s. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 9th instant, from a tree near the Wairoa-Gisborne Road, at Springhill, Frasertown, a riding-saddle, stamped WB on small flap over gullet-plate, small tear on knee-pad, nickel-silver stirrup-irons; also a single-rein bridle with nickel-silver bit, horseshoe-pattern buckles, and double cheek-straps; value £5; the property of Albert Beckett. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to a spieler named "Paddy," who left Wairoa on above date for Gisborne riding a bay horse barebacked, but on passing through Marumaru, it is said, had a saddle and bridle. He is described as a colonial, twenty to twenty-three years of age, clean-shaved except small moustache; dressed in light-tweed suit and hard black-felt hat. Can be identified.

TUKAIRANGI MOHI is charged, on warrant issued by the Whakatane Bench, with having on the 7th January, 1890, broken into a stable at Puketari, Taupo, and stolen therefrom twenty sticks of tobacco, ten dozen boxes of matches, a pair of woollen trousers and waistcoat, a native mat of dressed flax covered with feathers, a red-and-white shawl, a black-and-white shawl, a red-and-white-spotted shirt, and a white-silk handkerchief with two coloured corners; value £11 14s. 6d.; the property of Arama Karaka, of Atemuri. Identifiable except tobacco and matches. Offender is eighteen or nineteen years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, very fair for a Maori, and rather good looking. Supposed to be near Te Teko, Whakatane.

E. Koson and C. McLellan are charged, on warrant issued by the Wellington Bench, with having, on the 8th instant, at Crofton, stolen a tent, 6ft. by 8ft., and fly; value 16s. 6d.; the property of Thomas Curtis and William Parker. Identifiable. Description: Koson is a Russian Fin, a seaman or labourer, 5ft. 2in. or 3in. high, medium build, sallow complexion, pock-marked, very like a Chinaman; dressed in old tweed coat, moleskin trousers, soft black-felt hat, and elastic-side boots. McLellan is a native of Nova Scotia or Norway, a seaman, 5ft. 7in. high, medium build, fair complexion,

slight sandy moustache and side whiskers, shaved on chin; dressed in old dark coat and vest, blue-dungaree trousers, old black soft-felt hat, and blucher boots. Offenders had the use of the tent while working for complainants, and cleared out on the 8th instant, taking it with them. They went in the direction of Silverstream, and said they had a job with Mr. Thompson, sawmiller, there.

STOLEN on the 4th instant, from Tinakori Road, Wellington, a black-and-tan sheep-dog pup, about six months old, short hair; the property of Henry Hume. Identifiable.

Horse- and Cattle-Stealing.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1891, page 27.)

BENJAMIN MORRIS's horse, saddle, and bridle, supposed stolen at Eketahuna, have been found. The dog is still missing.

SUPPOSED stolen between January and November, 1890, at Kahutara, Lower Valley, Wairarapa, a chesnut gelding, hack breed, two years off, blaze on face, branded H near shoulder; value £20; the property of William Levin, Featherston. Identifiable.

STOLEN on the 6th or 7th instant, from a paddock at Manaia, Taranaki district, eight weaned crossbred Lincoln lambs, wethers slit on back of right ear, and ewes on left, marked blue down back; value 5s. 11d. each; the property of William Ralston Wright, Rahotu. Identifiable.

Deserting Wives and Families, &c.

EDWARD WILLIAM ELLWOOD is charged, on warrant issued by the Christchurch Bench, with disobeying an order of the Court to pay 7s. 6d. per week towards the support of his illegitimate child named Edward Anderson. Description: A native of the colony, a porter, twenty-three years of age, 5ft. 5½ in. high, slight build, pale complexion, long thin face, dark curly hair, small dark moustache, pock-marked on forehead, anchor on right arm. (See *Police Gazette*, 1890, page 187, and 1891, page 22.) Supposed gone to Sheffield, and may proceed to West Coast. He was £7 10s. in arrears on the 28th ultimo.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1889, page 203.)

JOHN BAXTER LESTER, wife-desertion: This warrant has been cancelled.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1890, page 202.)

GEORGE DEW, wife-desertion: Offender has been arrested by Constable A. Crozier, Wanganui Police, and remanded to Carterton.

Deserters from Her Majesty's Service.

MICHAEL HARRINGTON is charged on warrant with deserting from Her Majesty's ship "Curaçoa," at Port Chalmers, on the 12th ultimo. Description: A private of marines, a native of Plymouth, twenty-two years of age, 5ft. 7 in. high, brown hair, hazel eyes, fresh complexion. Supposed to have left Dunedin the same evening in the s.s. "Penguin" for Lyttelton. A reward of £3 is offered for his arrest, in addition to £5 offered by the Colonial Government.

JOSEPH BURNS is charged on warrant with deserting from Her Majesty's ship "Cordelia," at Hobart, on the 15th ultimo. Description: An ordinary-seaman, a native of Lincoln, Nebraska, nineteen years of age, 5ft. 5 in. high, dark-brown hair, grey eyes, "Fair Woman" tattooed on left arm. A reward of £3 is offered for his arrest, in addition to £5 offered by the Colonial Government.

Deserters from Merchant Vessels.

FROM German barque "Rialto," at Timaru, on the night of the 19th instant: Antony Olsen and Olaf Hansen, A.B.s. Description: 1st, twenty-one years of age, about 5ft. 8 in. high, thin build, fair complexion, light hair, none on face; dressed in dark suit and brown soft-felt hat. 2nd, twenty-one years of age, about 5ft. 4 in. high, stout build, fair complexion, light hair, none on face; dressed in brown coat, dark trousers, and brown soft-felt hat. Both speak English slightly. A reward of £2 10s. is offered for each, and expenses paid. Vessel will remain in port for about a week. No warrant.

Missing Friends.

INQUIRY is requested for Malcolm Fraser, a native of Aberdeen, a bootmaker or station-hand, twenty-three years of age, about 5ft. high, stout build, fair complexion, fair hair, no hair on face when last seen about three years ago, single.

Was at McDonald and Munro's Loch Tenver Station, Napier, on 11th May, 1889, and then thought of going to sea if he could get to Auckland. His mother, Elizabeth Fraser, Tasman Street, Wellington, is anxious to hear of his whereabouts.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1890, page 241.)

FRANK MANNING, charged with absconding from the service of Augustus Peterson, Midhurst, Taranaki, has been arrested by Constable A. M. Moon, Marton Police, and ordered to be sent back.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1890, page 28.)

WILLIAM HENRY CLEGG has been found and committed to Timaru Gaol for fourteen days in default of paying the fine, &c., referred to.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1888, page 153.)

ALBERT PEATTIE has been arrested by Constable W. Fouhy, Roxburgh Police, for refusing to support his illegitimate child, and remanded to Oamaru.

Miscellaneous Information.

Station reopened.

UPPER HUTT, Wellington District.

Rewards.

MESSRS. MASON, STRUTHERS, AND CO., Christchurch, have presented to Chief Detective M. O'Connor a pair of nickel-plated handcuffs and a pocket-knife, with his name engraved thereon, in recognition of the detective's arrest of John Allen, sentenced to twelve months' labour for breaking into their warehouse. (91/298.)

THE sum of £5 has been awarded to Sergeant M. D. Staggpole, Kawakawa Police, for the tact and zeal he displayed in obtaining six convictions for sly grog-selling against W. N. Clark, of Hukerenui. (91/312.)

THE sum of £1 10s. each has been awarded to Constables E. Mackay and L. McDonnell, Auckland Police, for arresting three stragglers from H.M.S. "Curaçoa." (91/325.)

Instructions as to Keeping Summons-books.

THE Commissioner's attention having been called to the want of uniformity in keeping the summons-books in the different districts, it is notified for general information and guidance that, for the future, the same rule is to be adopted in the department as regards these books as at present exists in the offices of the Resident Magistrates, and two process books will be kept at police-stations, one to be used exclusively for summonses belonging to the station in which the police of such station were complainants, the other for all summonses received at the station for service other than those entered in the first-mentioned book. By this system a correct record of all summonses received for service will be kept, and the criminal statistics more easily compiled.

A. HUME,

Commissioner of Police.

Wellington, 20th February, 1891. (91/317.)

Extracts from New Zealand Gazette.

(From *Gazette*, 1891, pages 227, 229, 232, 233, and 241.)

Licensing District abolished and redefined.

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ONSLOW, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Licensing Act, 1881," and "The Licensing Act Amendment Act, 1882," it is enacted that the Governor shall from time to time define districts to be licensing districts under the said Acts, and from time to time may alter and redefine the boundaries of the same, and may abolish any district:

Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Acts, do hereby abolish, from and after the thirteenth day of February instant, the Licensing District of Gordon; and do hereby alter and redefine the boundaries of the Gore Licensing District, which shall, from and after the said thirteenth day of February instant, be those described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

GORE LICENSING DISTRICT.

ALL that area known as the Borough of Gore, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 63, 8th November, 1890.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley,

of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

W. P. REEVES.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Licensing Districts abolished and defined.

(L.S.)

ONSLow, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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Now, therefore, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Acts, do hereby abolish, from and after the thirteenth day of February instant, the Licensing Districts of Ngaire and Waitara, and do hereby alter and redefine the boundaries of the Licensing Districts of Moa, Waimate, Hawera, and Waverley, which shall, from and after the said thirteenth day of February instant, be those described in the First Schedule hereto; and do hereby proclaim and define the part of the colony mentioned and described in the Second Schedule hereto to be, from and after the said thirteenth day of February instant, ordinary licensing districts for the purposes of the said Act.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

MOA LICENSING DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the County of Taranaki bounded towards the north-west by the sea; towards the north-east by the Town District of Raleigh (Waitara) and the County of Clifton; towards the south and the south-east by the County of Stratford; and towards the west generally by the Omata Riding of the said Taranaki County.

WAIMATE LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Riding of Waimate, in the County of Hawera, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, 22nd November, 1890, exclusive of the Town District of Manaia.

HAWERA LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Riding of Hawera, in the County of Hawera, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 60, 30th October, 1890, exclusive of the Town District of Normanby.

WAVERLEY LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area in the County of Patea bounded towards the north by the County of Stratford; towards the east and the south-east by the County of Waitotara; towards the south-west by the sea; and towards the west generally by the Patea River.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TIKORANGI LICENSING DISTRICT.

ALL that area known as the Riding of Tikorangi, in the County of Clifton, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 4, 9th January, 1885.

MOKAU LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Ridings of Mokau and Ngati-maru, in the County of Clifton, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 45, 18th July, 1889.

RALEIGH LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Town District of Raleigh (Waitara), as established under "The Town Districts Act, 1881," and mentioned in the First Schedule thereto.

MANAIA LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Town District of Manaia, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 50, 25th May, 1882.

NORMANBY LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Town District of Normanby, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 27, 16th March, 1882.

ELTHAM LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Ridings of Eltham and Mokoia, in the County of Hawera, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 60, 30th October, 1890.

STRATFORD NORTH LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Ridings of North and East, in the County of Stratford, as the same are described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, 22nd November, 1890.

STRATFORD SOUTH LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as South Riding of the County of Stratford, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, 22nd November, 1890.

STRATFORD WEST LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as West Riding of the County of Stratford, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, 22nd November, 1890.

STRATFORD TOWN LICENSING DISTRICT.

All that area known as the Town District of Stratford, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 68, 3rd December, 1885.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop; Viscount Cranley, of Cranley in the County of Surrey; Baron Onslow, of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West Clandon in the County of Surrey; Baron Cranley, of Imbercourt; Baronet; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Napier, this eleventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

W. P. REEVES.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Shooting Season for Native Game to commence 1st April.

ONSLow, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that Native game, excepting tuis, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the said colony—except on or around Lake Takapuna, in the County of Waitemata; in the Borough of Greymouth; on or around the Wairau Lagoons and Grassmere Lake, in the County of Marlborough; and on the Lyell Creek, County of Kaikoura, between Lyell Bridge and the sea—from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, both days inclusive.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Fixing Shooting Season for Deer, License-fee, &c., Wairarapa.

ONSLow, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and "The Animals Protection Act Amendment Act, 1881," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that red deer (stags only) may be taken or killed within the Counties of Wairarapa North and Wairarapa South, from the twentieth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, to the thirtieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, both inclusive (subject, nevertheless, to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned); and I do further notify that licenses to take or kill such game within the said district shall be issued on the payment of the sum of twenty shillings each, and that licenses to sell such game shall be issued on payment of five pounds each; and the Chief Postmaster at Wellington, and the Postmasters at Masterton, Carterton, Greytown, and Featherston are hereby appointed to issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Fixing Shooting Season for Deer, License-fee, &c., Nelson District.

ONSLOW, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and "The Animals Protection Act Amendment Act, 1881," I, William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that deer (bucks or stags only) may be taken or killed within the Nelson District, comprising the Counties of Waimea, Buller, and Collingwood, from the twenty-first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, both inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned); and I do further notify that licenses to take or kill such game within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of twenty shillings each, and that licenses to sell such game shall be issued on payment of five pounds each; and the Chief Postmaster at Nelson and the Postmaster at Westport are hereby appointed to issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Clerk of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 3rd February, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable WILLIAM BULFORD

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Whangape and Pirongia.

W. P. REEVES.

Clerks of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th February, 1891.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant WILLIAM HENRY SCOTT

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Oxford, and

Constable THOMAS NESTOR

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Amberley, vice M. Lynskey, from the 16th instant.

W. P. REEVES.

Despatch.—Inquiry for the Heirs of the late James Randall.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 10th February, 1891.

THE following despatch, received from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, is published as requested therein.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

(New Zealand.—No. 63.)

London, Downing Street,
26th December, 1890.

My LORD,—I have the honour to transmit to you, for communication to your Government, a copy of a note which has been received from the Mexican Charge d'Affaires respecting the estate of the late James Randall, a British subject, who has died intestate in Lower California.

I shall be obliged if your Ministers will cause the edict which accompanies the Mexican Chargé d'Affaires' letter to be made public in the colony under your government in such a manner as they may think desirable, with the view of attracting the notice of the supposed heirs.

I have, &c.,

KNUTSFORD.

Governor the Right Hon. the Earl of Onslow.

[Translation.]

Mexican Legation, 175, Cromwell Road,
London, S.W., 10th December, 1890.

My LORD,—The English subject, James Randall, having died intestate at La Ensenada de Todos Santos, Lower California, the Civil Judge of that place has issued a summons citing the heirs of the said Mr. Randall, who are supposed to be in Australia, to appear in person or through their representatives within eight months from the 18th October, date of the summons, in order to make good their rights.

As there is no Mexican Consul in Australia, and having been instructed to obtain the publication of the summons in that British colony, I venture to address myself to your Excellency, and to ask, if there is no objection to such a course, that the accompanying copy and translation of the summons by the Judge of Lower California may be transmitted to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, in order that it may be sent by the Colonial Office, if thought right, to the proper authorities in Australia for publication, and in order that that summons may thus come to the knowledge of the heirs of the late James Randall.

With anticipated thanks, &c.,

P. M. DEL CAMPO,
Chargé d'Affaires.

His Excellency the Marquis of Salisbury.

[Translation.]

EDICT.

James Randall, a British subject, having died intestate in this city, and, as it appears from the information that he left heirs in Australia, the Judge of First Instance, Pedro Rendon, who has charge of the case, ordered, under date of the 18th October of the present year, that all persons who may consider themselves as having rights to the estate be convoked by edicts, summoning those resident in Australia to present themselves at this Court within eight months to establish their claim, with the understanding that, such not being done, procedure will follow according to law.

And for its publication the present edict is issued at La Ensenada de Todos Santos, Lower California, Republic of Mexico, the 25th October, 1890.

J. M. CADENA, Secretary.

RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE FORTNIGHT ENDED 14TH FEBRUARY, 1891.

Gaol.	Name.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Month.	Where Photographed, and Date.	Remarks and Previous Convictions.
Auckland	Albert Patterson	Auckland	Feb. 2, 1891	larceny	10s. or 48 hours' labour	Auckland	gun-digger	1870	5 3	dark	dark brown	dark br. grey	medium small	medium large	...	AI. on left forearm. Man's head on right arm; AC on left arm. Two upper front teeth out.
Auckland	Alexander Calder	Auckland	Feb. 2, 1891	larceny	10s. or 48 hours' labour	Auckland	labourer	1870	5 3	fair	dark brown	grey	medium large	medium large	...	...
Auckland	William Clarke, alias John Jos. Freeman	Whangarei	Jan. 5, 1891	no lawful means of support	1 month's labour	N. Zealand	bushman	1861	5 64	fresh	light brown	dk. grey	large	medium	...	...
Auckland	Thos. Walker Dickson, alias Thomas Sains	Aratapu	Jan. 5, 1891	drunk and disorderly	£2. or 1 month's labour	Scotland	bushman	1854	5 54	fresh	dark brown	lt. grey	medium	medium	...	1 p.c. Emblem of Britannia on right arm; banners of war on left arm. 12 p.c. Lame left leg.
Auckland	Robert Carr, alias John Harris	Auckland	Aug. 6, 1890	larceny	6 months' labour	England	labourer	1849	5 6	sallow	dark brown	blue	broad	medium	Auckland, 24.5.88	8 p.c. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1889, page 167.)
Auckland	John Brown	Dargaville	Aug. 29, 1890	drunk and disorderly	14 days' labour	England	bushman	1840	5 34	fresh	grey	...	thick, flat	medium	...	...
Auckland	John Leonard	Auckland	Aug. 29, 1890	obscene language	6 months' labour	England	labourer	1835	5 3	swarthy	dark brown	brown	crooked	medium	...	81 p.c.
Auckland	Bridget Weston	Auckland	Aug. 29, 1890	larceny	6 months' labour	Ireland	labourer	1835	5 2	fresh	dark brown	grey	medium	medium	...	38 p.c.
Auckland	Lewis Waglan	Auckland	Jan. 23, 1891	assault	14 days' labour	England	seaman	1850	5 2	fresh	light brown	brown	large	medium	...	2 p.c. Coat-of-arms on chest; ballet-girl on left arm; figure of Britannia on right arm, &c.
Auckland	John Trengrove	Auckland	Jan. 30, 1891	drunk and disorderly	7 days' labour	England	seaman	1856	5 3	fresh	dark brown	brown	medium	medium	...	Dancing-girl, JT, emblem of faith hope and charity, and sailor's head on left arm; royal arms, angel, and tree on right arm, &c.
Auckland	Eileen Lawson	Auckland	Feb. 5, 1891	obscene language	4 hours' labour	Ireland	...	1840	5 34	ruddy	dark brown	hazel	broad	medium	...	1 p.c. Top off forefinger right hand.
Auckland	John William Bible	Auckland	Jan. 7, 1891	begging	1 month's labour	England	ship's steward	1864	5 64	fresh	dark brown	blue	medium	medium	...	20 p.c.
Auckland	Joseph Reilly	Whakatane	Nov. 7, 1890	obscene language	3 months' labour	Nova Scotia	labourer	1858	5 74	sallow	black	hazel	flat	medium	...	14 p.c.
Auckland	John Symonds, alias Synons	Auckland	Sept. 1, 1890	receiving stolen property	6 months' labour	N. America	seaman	1847	5 34	swarthy	dark brown	brown	crooked	medium	Auckland, 3.2.91	Scar on bridge of nose.
Auckland	William Thompson, alias Crowther	Auckland	Sept. 1, 1890	larceny	6 months' labour	Ireland	gun-digger	1859	5 5	fresh	black	lt. grey	medium	medium	...	...
Auckland	Edward Crowther	Auckland	Jan. 30, 1891	habitual drunkenness	1 month's labour	England	blacksmith	1864	4 64	dark	black	dk. grey	medium small	medium large	...	11 p.c.
Auckland	John James Murphy	Auckland	Jan. 12, 1891	larceny (3 charges)	each (concurrent)	England	blacksmith	1837	5 3	fair	grey	blue	small	medium large	...	5 p.c.
Auckland	Josephine alias Dorothy Harkins	Auckland	Feb. 6, 1891	disorderly conduct	7 days' labour	Auckland	...	1868	4 114	pale	dark brown	blue	medium	medium	...	1 p.c.
Auckland	Barnabas Heath	Auckland	Feb. 6, 1891	disorderly conduct	7 days' labour	Auckland	labourer	1871	5 7	fresh	light brown	light br.	prominent	medium	...	D. HARKINS on upper right arm; impediment in speech.
Auckland	Joseph Reilly	Auckland	Feb. 7, 1891	damaging property	7 days' labour	Auckland	labourer	1888	5 74	sallow	black	hazel	flat	medium	...	22 p.c.
Auckland	Oswald Edward Bridges	Auckland	Jan. 14, 1891	defaulter of costs	1 month's labour	Nova Scotia	labourer	1848	5 8	pale	light brown	brown	medium	medium large	...	Left hip out of joint; lame.
Auckland	Patrick Wanganui, alias Wanganui Nolan	Auckland	Dec. 9, 1889	obscene language	18 months' labour	Ireland	labourer	1845	5 6	pale	light brown	light br.	medium	medium large	...	9 p.c.
Shortland	Albert Wignate	Thames	Jan. 30, 1891	obscene language	1 week's labour	N. Zealand	labourer	1875	4 8	fair	fair	blue	medium	medium large	...	Several p.c.
Shortland	George Turner	Thames	Jan. 24, 1891	obscene language	3 weeks' labour	N. Zealand	labourer	1851	5 24	swarthy	dark brown	blue	large	medium large	...	...
N. Plymouth	Whakaneke	N. Plymouth	April 17, 1890	larceny	12 months' labour	N. Zealand	labourer	1850	5 74	copper	black	brown	broad	medium	...	KOWAKA on right arm. KOMERE EPARAI on right arm; TIMIHI, anchor, and IP on left arm; RIKIRA on left thigh. Probably convicted. (See <i>Gazette</i> , 1889, page 45.)
N. Plymouth	Joseph Jackson, alias Warrington, alias Thomas Smith, alias Joseph Silvester	Palmerston North	Aug. 6, 1890	larceny as a bailee	3 months' labour	England	carpenter	1826	5 94	fresh	grey	grey	sharp	medium	...	Probably identical with W. Sloan. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1887, page 107.)
Wanganui	William Sloane	Wanganui	Feb. 6, 1891	drunkenness	24 hours' labour	Scotland	miner	1830	5 8	fresh	grey	blue	medium	medium	...	Wart on left side of nose. Come to Wellington.
Wanganui	Alice Kennedy	Felding	Jan. 27, 1891	vagrancy	14 days' labour	N. Zealand	matron	1870	5 2	pale	brown	grey	sharp	medium	...	...
Wairoa	Alfred John James	Wairoa	Jan. 28, 1891	having a picklock in his possession	3 months' labour	England	butcher	1845	5 74	florid	brown	blue	medium	medium large	...	Fine paid KOHOHEPA on right arm; RIKIRANGI on left breast; R on left forearm; K on left wrist; N. KIUT on back of left hand.
Napier	John Moore	Napier	Sept. 8, 1890	escaping from legal custody	6 months' labour	England	labourer	1855	5 74	fair	light	dark	large	medium	...	Middle finger left hand contracted; squints with right eye; peculiar countenance.
Napier	William Bayne	Danevirke	Jan. 30, 1891	wife-desertion	remanded	N. Zealand	butcher	1860	5 7	fresh	reddish brn.	blue, large	large	medium	...	Wart on back of neck and right temple; red and moist; slightly freckled.
Napier	George Union	Napier	Feb. 3, 1891	obscene language	7 days' labour	England	sailor	1855	5 84	dark	dark brown	hazel	medium	medium	...	Small mole on left cheek-bone.

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

Gaol.	Name.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Mouth.	Where Photographed, and Date.	Remarks and Previous Convictions.
Wellington	John Neill	Masterton	Jan. 30, 1891	no lawful means of support	7 days' labour	England	labourer	1837	fresh	grey	brown	crooked	medium	..	2 dots on left arm; nose broken.
Wellington	Philip Jno	Masterton	Jan. 30, 1891	obscene language	7 days' labour	Jersey	blacksmith	1850	5 4 dark	brown	grey	medium	medium	..	Deep cut on end of middle finger right hand
Wellington	Arthur Robinson	Wellington	Sept. 1, 1890	robbery with violence	6 months' labour	Wellington	labourer	1872	5 7 pale	brown	brown	small	small	Well'n, 0.8.90	2 p.c. A on right arm.
Wellington	Timothy Horan, alias Moran	Carterton	Sept. 2, 1890	drunkenness, being a rogue and a common drunkard	48 hours' labour	Ireland	labourer	1850	5 6 sandy	brown	blue	medium	medium	..	Several p.c. Scars on nose and forehead.
Wellington	John Thomas Mitchell	Wellington	Jan. 9, 1891	larceny (2 charges)	1 month's labour on each (concurrent)	Dublin	fireman	1861	5 9 fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	..	Anchor on right arm; scar on right shoulder; A on left arm; anchor, cross, and heart on left shoulder.
Wellington	James Fairweather	Wellington	Feb. 3, 1891	obstructing police	7 days' labour	Aberdeen	sailor	1857	5 6 dark	dark	brown	small	large	..	Little finger of left hand frosted; basket of flowers and coat-of-arms on left arm; anchor on back of left hand; bust of female, flowers, sailor dancing on right arm; anchor on right arm.
Wellington	Robert Ewart	Eketahuna	Jan. 12, 1891	larceny	1 month's labour	Napier	labourer	1871	5 7 fair and dark	red	brown	medium	medium	..	First joint of left thumb knotted.
Wellington	Thomas Baldwin	Wellington	Jan. 17, 1891	disobedience of orders on board ship	4 weeks' labour	Waterford	fireman	1849	5 7 dark	brown	blue	large	medium	..	2 cuts on forehead; TB on back of left thumb.
Wellington	W. G. Zoest	Wellington	Jan. 17, 1891	disobedience of orders on board ship	4 weeks' labour	Rotterdam	fireman	1858	5 9 fair	brown	grey	small	small	..	Cut under left eye; scar close to left ear; crown over heart on right arm.
Wellington	James Robertson	Wellington	Jan. 17, 1891	disobedience of orders on board ship	4 weeks' labour	Rotterdam	fireman	1855	5 6 fresh	brown	blue	large	large	..	Wart over left eye.
Wellington	Carl Schiel	Wellington	Jan. 17, 1891	disobedience of orders on board ship	4 weeks' labour	Germany	fireman	1859	5 7 fair	light	grey	medium	large	..	Cut under left eye; wart on middle finger right hand; 1873, anchor, and 1 p.c. See right arm.
Nelson	Thomas Bray	Nelson	Aug. 30, 1890	larceny	6 months' labour	N. Zealand	labourer	1867	5 7 sallow	black	dark br	large	medium	Nelson, 24.9.90	Repeatedly convicted. Scar on forehead and on right cheek; 2 toes of right foot off; small wart on right eyelid; lame.
Nelson	William Thomas Chapman, alias William Chapman	Nelson	Jan. 27, 1891	unlawfully in a dwelling by night	14 days' labour	England	labourer	1853	5 6 dark	dark brown	dk. hazel	straight	medium	..	3 p.c.
Westport	Mathew Brown	Westport	Jan. 8, 1891	drunkenness	1 month's labour	America	bushman	1858	5 10 dark	grey	blue	large	medium	..	Half-caste negro. Woman, harp, shamrock, and KERN CUPACH on left arm. TOLUSA MEARS on upper right arm.
Okarito	Joseph Warnebold	Okarito	Jan. 5, 1891	drunkenness (2 charges)	30 days' labour and 14 days' labour (concurrent)	Victoria	labourer	1874	5 6 fresh	dark brown	grey	medium	medium	..	3 p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1889, page 190.)
Lyttelton	Henry Francis Ford	Lyttelton	Jan. 5, 1891	combining to neglect duty on board ship	30 days' labour	London	fireman	1867	5 3 dark	black, curly	dark	medium	medium	Lyttelton, 7.1.90	..
Lyttelton	Ellen Parkinson, alias Danby	Christchurch	Jan. 5, 1891	habitual drunkenness	1 month's labour	Co. Kerry	prostitute	1850	5 2 fresh	black	dk. blue	medium	medium	Lyttelton, 18.9.89	..
Lyttelton	Frederick Porter, alias Hurren	Christchurch	Jan. 21, 1891	drunkenness obstructing police	24 hours' labour and 7 days' labour	Kent	labourer	1855	5 8 fresh	dark brown	blue	long	medium	..	..
Lyttelton	Charles Hall	Lyttelton	Jan. 22, 1891	stowaway	£2 ss., or 14 days' labour	London	ship's cook	1862	5 7 dark	black	blue	medium	medium	..	Woman, kangaroo, and sugar-cane on right arm.
Lyttelton	Charles Wilson	Lyttelton	Jan. 23, 1891	larceny	1 month's labour	Melbourne	seaman	1871	5 3 dark	black, woolly	dark	broad, flat	large	..	Negro. Scars on left hand.
Lyttelton	Agnes Slater, alias Porter	Christchurch	Jan. 21, 1891	drunkenness assaulting police	7 days' labour	Corwall	prostitute	1835	5 3 ruddy	dark brown	brown	medium	large	..	6 p.c. Scar on upper lip.
Lyttelton	Robert Johnston	Christchurch	Nov. 10, 1890	assault	48 hours' labour (cumulative)	County Fermanagh	labourer	1867	5 5 fair	fair	blue	medium	medium	Lyttelton, 17.9.90	6 p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1889, page 157.)
Lyttelton	Neil McNeil	Ashburton	Jan. 25, 1891	obscene language	1 month's labour (cumulative)	Scotland	labourer	1851	5 7 fresh	dark brown	blue	large, crooked	medium	..	1 p.c. Varicose veins on right leg.
Lyttelton	Thomas Wood	Timaru	Jan. 10, 1891	escaping from custody	7 days' labour	Scotland	labourer	1849	5 6 fresh	dark	blue	medium	medium	..	Several p.c.
Lyttelton	John Patrick	Timaru	Jan. 20, 1891	habitual drunkenness	21 days' labour	England	bricklayer	1831	5 6 fresh	dark	grey	medium	medium	..	Several p.c.
Lyttelton	Patrick Shea	Timaru	Jan. 28, 1891	illegally on premises	14 days' labour	Scotland	baker	1855	5 5 fair	grey	blue	medium	medium	..	..
Lyttelton	James Liddell	Timaru	Jan. 12, 1891	breach of the peace	14 days' labour	Co. Kerry	labourer	1863	5 9 fresh	dark	grey	medium	medium	..	..
Lyttelton	John Twitthick	Timaru	Jan. 12, 1891	gross indecency	1 month's labour	Scotland	seaman	1842	5 0 fresh	light brown	dark	large	medium	..	..
Oamaru	John Dawson	Oamaru	Jan. 30, 1891	vagrancy	7 days' labour	Scotland	labourer	1851	5 7 dark	dark	dark	medium	medium	..	..
Dunedin	William Watson	Dunedin	Feb. 5, 1891	drunkenness breach of the peace	24 hours' labour and 48 hours' labour (cumulative)	England	seaman	1869	5 7 fresh	dark brown	blue	medium	medium	..	Scar over right eye; anchor on right wrist; heart and wreath on right arm.
Dunedin	James Ruthven	Mosgiel	Feb. 11, 1891	breach of the Railway by-laws	5s., or 48 hours' imprisonment	N. Zealand	farm-labourer	1874	5 3 fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	..	3 p.c. Mole on right loin.
Dunedin	Henry Poppelton	Mosgiel	Feb. 11, 1891	breach of the Railway by-laws	5s., or 48 hours' imprisonment	N. Zealand	jockey	1873	5 9 fresh	brown	grey	medium	medium	..	6 p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1887, page 170.)
Dunedin	William Tipson	Invercargill	Dec. 11, 1888	larceny	3 years' penal servitude	England	labourer	1861	5 6 fresh	dark brown	grey	medium	medium	..	2 anchors on left arm; cast in right eye.
Dunedin	Edward Simcot	Dunedin	Sept. 1, 1890	breaking into and stealing in a shop	6 months' labour	Ireland	labourer	1870	5 4 dark	dark brown	hazel	medium	small	..	..

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

Gaol.	Name.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	ft. in.	Com- plexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Mouth.	Where Photographed, and Date.	Remarks and Previous Convictions.
Dunedin ...	Myra Smith	Dunedin ...	Nov. 6, 1890	ill-treating and neglecting children (2 charges)	3 months' labour on each (concurrent)	England ...	baby-farming	1844	4 3	sallow	black, turning grey	brown	large	medium	...	15 p.c. Crooked neck.
Dunedin ...	Jessie Harvey,	Dunedin ...	Nov. 15, 1890	riotous behaviour	3 months' labour	Scotland ...	prostitute	1865	5 0	fresh	black	hazel	flat	large	...	Several p.c. Scar on right cheek-bone.
Lawrence ..	Peter Bain	Lawrence ...	Jan. 26, 1891	obscene language	14 days' labour	Scotland ...	miner	1840	5 2½	fresh	black, curly, turning grey	hazel	long	medium	...	Scar on left shin, right knee, back of head, under left eye, and near right cheek-bone.
Lawrence ...	John Fleming	Lawrence ...	Feb. 3, 1891	obscene language	7 days' labour	Newfound-land	labourer	1857	5 8	fresh	brown	grey	long	medium	...	2 p.c. Scar on left shoulder; several scars on shins.
Invercargill	John Williams	Invercargill	Dec. 13, 1890	destroying property	2 months' labour	Ceylon ...	labourer	1860	5 7½	black	black	dark br.	broad	medium	...	

