

knickerbocker suit (pants of a lighter colour than jacket), tweed cap with earpieces fastening on top, and grey-tweed overcoat with cape. He left his mother's home on the last-mentioned date, and was seen riding an animal of the mare's description. (See next notice.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—George Murray Aynsley, Upper Riccarton, reports stolen from his stable, on the 4th or 5th ultimo, a pigskin racing-saddle, partly worn, 4lb. weight, tree broken in pommel, makers Greatrex and Son, England; and a partly-worn snaffle-bridle, single rein; value, £3. Suspicion attached to the boy, James Morrigan, described in the preceding notice.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 104.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—James Abbot Joynt's mare and cover have been found.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 104.)

LEESTON.—William Watson's mare has been found.

### Missing Friends.

JOHANNA BERGIN is inquired for by her father through the Greymouth Police. Description: A servant, eighteen years of age, about 5ft. 2in. high, stout build, fresh complexion, round features, blue eyes, dark hair, slightly lame on left leg; single. She was living with her aunt, Mrs. Delaney, at Twelve Mile, Grey Valley, and left there about eighteen months ago. She was then pregnant.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 82.)

ROBERT L. REMINGTON is employed on a bush contract near Papakura Auckland.

SARAH DARKEY is inquired for by the Dunedin Police. Description: Irish, a domestic servant, about twenty-two years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, stout build, fair complexion, dark eyes and hair; supposed single. She left her lodgings in Frederick Street, Dunedin, about four months ago, and has failed to make payments for the maintenance of her child left with Mrs. Hiscoke, Kensington. It is requested that every endeavour may be made to ascertain her whereabouts, application having been made to have the child committed to the Industrial School.

MISS GRIFFITHS (name supposed to be fictitious) is inquired for by the Dunedin Police, with the view of compelling her to support her illegitimate child, left with Mrs. Kirk, Roslyn, on the 23rd May last. Description: Supposed a factory hand, about twenty-two years of age, about 5ft. 5in. high, medium build, light-brown hair, fair complexion, good-looking; wore a long, dark waterproof jacket, and black straw hat. She gave her address as North Cumberland Street, but cannot be found there, or at any of the Dunedin factories.

GEORGE HOWARD is inquired for by the Blenheim Police, at the instance of his wife. Description: A native of the colony, a cabinetmaker, thirty years of age, 5ft. 10in. high, fresh complexion, good-looking, slightly knock-kneed and round-shouldered, sandy whiskers and moustache. He left Blenheim on the 5th ultimo for Wellington on business connected with his trade, and subsequently wrote from Danevirke, saying he was going to Napier, and would return by steamer to Wellington. He is well known to Sergeants White and Cullen, Wellington and Napier Police.

JOSEPH HEWSON is inquired for through the Milton (Otago) police. Description: Scotch (broad accent), a baker, about forty-five years of age, about 5ft. 5in. high, stout build, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair beard whiskers and moustache (worn rather long); single. He left Milton on the 28th January last, taking £200 with him, and spoke of going South, or to the diggings at Preservation Inlet. Had been drinking heavily before leaving. He is well known in most parts of Southland, and has property at Milton.

JOHN RICHARD HEFFERMAN is inquired for by Mary Anne Hefferman, 26, Townsville Road, West Kensington, London. He is described as a native of Keatingstown, Kilkenny, fifty-eight years of age, a farmer, single. Was last heard of in 1873, at a Government office, South Albertland (Auckland), but no trace of him can now be obtained in that locality. The Postmaster at Tauboa thinks that a man of the same name worked on a survey there during the year mentioned. (93/739.)

### Miscellaneous Information.

#### Appointments as Constables.

THOMAS O'GRADY, No. 649.  
JOHN JAMES HOGAN, No. 650.  
STUART TIVY EMERSON, No. 651.

#### Resignation.

CONSTABLE ARTHUR JAMES MANNING, No. 635.

#### Discharged on Compensation.

CONSTABLE RALPH SATCHWELL, No. 98.  
CONSTABLE WILLIAM BETHEL, No. 464.

#### Rewards.

CONSTABLE M. MURPHY, Wellington Police, has been awarded £5 from the Reward Fund for praiseworthy and plucky conduct in stopping a runaway horse, with express attached, on the Queen's Wharf, at considerable personal risk. (93/933.)

CONSTABLE A. E. REMER, Pembroke Police, has been awarded £2 by the Lake District Acclimatisation Society for obtaining a conviction for illegal trout-fishing in Lake Wanaka. (93/843.)

CONSTABLE A. CROZIER, Hunterville Police, has been awarded £3 for obtaining conviction for sly grog-selling at Ohingaiti in April last. (93/941.)

CONSTABLE J. T. STEELE, Otorohanga Police, has been awarded £2 for obtaining a conviction against Eugene Sullivan for sly grog-selling at Mokau. (93/948.)

CONSTABLE A. MCGILP, Russell Police, has been awarded £1 by the Marine Department for services in securing the conviction of W. R. Lawrence for illegally shipping gunpowder by the steamer "Clansman." (M93/1481.)

### Extracts from New Zealand Gazette.

(From *Gazette*, 1893, pages 967, 968, 1021, and 1048.)

#### Licensing Districts defined.

(L.S.) GLASGOW, Governor.  
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the sixth section of "The Licensing Act, 1881," it is enacted that the Governor shall from time to time define districts to be licensing districts under the said Act, and from time to time may alter and redefine the boundaries of the same: And whereas it is expedient to alter and redefine the boundaries of the Districts of Norsewood and Ruataniwha:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, alter and redefine the boundaries of the said Licensing Districts of Norsewood and Ruataniwha, which shall, from and after the first day of July, be those described in the Schedule hereto.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### NORSEWOOD.

ALL that area comprised within the Norsewood Riding of Waipawa County, as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 15, 2nd March, 1893.

##### RUATANIWAHA.

ALL that area comprised within the Waipukurau Riding of Waipawa County, as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 30, 12th May, 1887; and the Ruataniwha Riding of Waipawa County, as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 15, 2nd March, 1893.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable David, Earl of Glasgow; 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 twenty-seventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

A. J. CADMAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!