



# NEW ZEALAND POLICE GAZETTE.

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

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*.

All communications concerning this *Gazette* should be addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Wellington, and the envelope marked "For *Gazette*." Members of the Force in charge of out-stations will forward them *direct*.

### Arson.

**WAIPAWA.**—About 1 a.m. on the 26th ultimo a shed, the property of Dr. R. von Mirbach, was set on fire and damaged to the extent of £3, and at an inquest held on the 4th instant a verdict was returned to the effect that the fire was wilfully caused by some person unknown.

### Offences Not Otherwise Described.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 109.)

**AUCKLAND.**—Adolph F. S. Prien, for larceny as a bailee of Percy Arthur Hadley's picture, has been arrested by Constable T. McCoy, Dargaville Police, and remanded to Auckland.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 109.)

**PUKEKOHE.**—James McAllister, for forging and uttering a cheque to Thomas Kinsey, Patumahoe: A warrant has been issued by the Auckland Bench for offender's arrest.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 109.)

**WAVERLEY.**—James Walker, charged with forging and uttering a cheque to W. H. Southcombe: It has been ascertained that this offender is identical with *Duncan Calvert Monteith*, alias *H. M. Brandon*, wanted for obtaining money by means of a valueless cheque from Robert T. Batley, Moawhanga, on the 21st December last. (See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 2.) Amended description: Scotch, a wool-classer, about sixty years of age, 5ft. 5in. high, slight build, grey hair, florid complexion, dark-brown side-whiskers and moustache, chin shaved, small face, lips and mouth disfigured, teeth gone, except a few front ones, which are very black; dressed in a brown-tweed suit, black slouch hat, Zealandia shooting-boots (new), with nails. (See also *Police Gazette*, 1891, page 99, and 1889, page 191.) He is further charged with having forged and uttered a cheque for £4 2s. to Thomas Ellis, of the Commercial Hotel, Waverley, on the 2nd instant. Arrest important.

**WANGANUI.**—Griffith L. Davies is charged on warrant with having, on or about the 9th instant, embezzled the sum of £2, money of his employers, Dimond and Hart, photo.-enlargers, Wellington. Description: A native of South Australia, twenty-seven years of age, 5ft. 9in. high, fair complexion, long fair hair, medium build, slight moustache only, weak eyes; dressed in a dark-tweed coat and vest, check-tweed trousers (worn at bottoms), hard black hat, and lace-up boots (worn at sides); gentlemanly appearance. He was employed to obtain orders for enlargements, it being stipulated that all moneys were to be remitted to his employers within forty-eight hours after receipt. He received the above amount from a Miss Sweeney, but has failed to account for it, and is supposed to have left for New Plymouth by train on the 22nd instant. Other charges pending.

**HAWERA.**—G. Cameron (name probably fictitious) is charged on warrant with having, on the 19th ultimo, at Normanby, uttered to George Robert Marsh, storekeeper, a forged cheque for £5 10s. Offender is about twenty-four years of age, about 5ft. 7in. high, medium build, rather heavy shoulders, full round face, dark hair and complexion, small dark moustache, very small side-whiskers; has the appearance, but not the accent, of a Scandinavian. He purchased a waterproof coat for £2 10s., receiving the balance in change. The cheque purports to be signed by H. F. Turner, but has been returned marked "Signature unknown."

(See *Police Gazette*, 1892, pages 181 and 187, and 1893, page 39.)

**PAHIATUA.**—Andrew Dawson, for default of sureties to keep the peace: This warrant has been cancelled.

**MARTINBOROUGH.**—£20 REWARD.—Thomas D. Wardlaw, teacher, reports that during the night of the 3rd instant his horse was maliciously maimed by cutting off the mane and tail. Complainant guarantees the above reward on conviction of the offender or offenders.

**WELLINGTON.**—George Kidd, a passenger per s.s. "Ma-whera" to Hokitika, reports that on the 25th ultimo the sum of £2 was obtained from him by false pretences. He was accosted by a stranger, who said he also was a passenger, and asked him to walk to the Royal Oak Hotel to see about his luggage. On their way thither they were overtaken by a man in porter's garb, who, addressing the stranger, said he had put his luggage on board, and asked for payment of the hotel bill, at the same time presenting a piece of paper. For this alleged purpose the person so addressed obtained the above amount from complainant, saying he would repay it on board, but disappeared with his confederate, the bogus porter. Offenders are supposed to be James Jefferd and John Moore, who are now said to be in Christchurch. The former is about 5ft. 5in. high, thin features, dark complexion, brown hair, squints. Moore is a native of the colony, a labourer, 5ft. 9½in. high, fair hair and complexion, blue eyes, medium nose. Complainant's address is Kaponga, Hawera. No warrant.

WESTPORT.—Wilfred Auckram is charged on warrant with having deserted his apprenticeship to George Ferguson, tailor, since the 16th instant. Description: A native of Thames, New Zealand, about twenty years of age, 5ft. 8in. high, slight build, fair hair, none on face; dressed in a dark-check suit, and hard brown-felt hat.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 109.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—Joseph Davis, for disobeying the terms of his release, has been arrested by Constable T. J. McCormack, Lyttelton Police.

### Housebreaking, Stealing from the Person and from Dwellings.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1892, page 110.)

PORT ALBERT (AUCKLAND).—Stealing from the dwelling of Thomas Walsh, Tauhoa: The I.O.U. for £21 is signed by Joseph Buckton, farmer, Tauhoa, and the one for £2 by Charles Peterson, of Wharehine.

AUCKLAND.—Miss Augusta Sinclair, Richmond Road, Ponsonby, reports stolen from her bedroom, on the 7th instant, a ladies' gold open-faced watch, maker Neil, Donegal Place, Belfast, MS inside back case; a gold guard, cable-pattern, about 3ft. long; and a ladies' gold dress-ring, having the word "Regard" formed with a ruby, emerald, garnet, amethyst, ruby, and diamond, and surrounded by pearls: value, £27.

AUCKLAND.—James Wiseman Wilkie, Anchor House, Grafton Road, reports stolen from his bedroom, on the 7th instant, a silver Geneva open-faced watch, number unknown, silver dial, gilt figures; attached was a long gold chain, a gold medal of the Stirlingshire Rifle Volunteers, engraved "J. Wilkie," two small gold seals, and a brass watch-key; also a gentlemen's large gold ring, set with a large amethyst and twenty-five pearls, "J. Wilkie" and a date inside: value, £25.

AUCKLAND.—Robert Arthur Buddle, Brighton Road, Remuera, reports stolen from his dwelling, on the 7th instant, a blue morocco-leather purse, silver mountings, slightly damaged at corners; and a lady's open-faced silver watch, number unknown, gold-coloured dial and figures; attached was a short gold chain, links about 1in. long, bar in the shape of a pistol, and a 20-franc Belgian gold coin of Leopold III.: value, £8. Suspicion is attached to an elderly man of medium height, beard whiskers and moustaches turning grey, respectively dressed, who called during the afternoon. He can be identified.

AUCKLAND.—Mrs. Louis Mayer, St. Mary's Road, Ponsonby, reports stolen from her bedroom between the 7th and 14th instant, a gentlemen's gold watch-chain, round links, several bars across; a ladies' silver lever open-faced watch, maker and number unknown; a pair of gold earrings, oblong shape, fringe around ends; a gold sleeve-link; a plain gold wedding-ring, cracked; and 2s. 6d. in silver: total value, £6 10s. 6d.

AUCKLAND.—James Smallwood, at Mr. Jackson's, Vincent Street, reports stolen from him in Auckland on the 13th instant two letters bearing the postmark of San Francisco, and Oakland, California, respectively. One of them contained a draft on the Bank of New Zealand for about 300 dollars, the payment of which has been stopped.

AUCKLAND.—Robert Rew, grocer, Victoria Street, reports that, between 8.15 p.m. on the 3rd and 7.50 a.m. on the 4th instant, his shop was broken into, and a crossed cheque for £80 8s. 9d. (since found outside), and £30 17s. 4d. in notes, gold, and silver stolen from the safe. The thief first broke into complainant's dwelling at College Hill, and abstracted from his trousers-pocket a ring of five keys, one of them marked "Midland Safe Company, Birmingham, 135."

AUCKLAND.—Frederick George Clayton, commission agent, Carlton Gore Road, Newmarket, reports stolen from his dwelling on the 11th instant a gold ring, Masonic emblem on stone; a ladies' ring set with five diamonds; one ditto with three stones (one missing); a gold brooch, shell-pattern, large pearl in centre; and two ladies' gold necklets, one rather thin, chain-pattern, the other without a catch: value, £25 12s.

ARATAPU.—Dominick Stoffl, Arapohue, reports stolen from his whare, on the 13th instant, a sack of first-class scraped gum; value, £7. Sack nearly new, and branded DS.

WELLINGTON.—Charles Campbell, watchmaker, Ghuznee Street, reports that, about 2 a.m. on the 11th instant, his shutters were removed, a plate-glass window smashed, and the following watches stolen: Two gentlemen's gold

open-faced, one gentlemen's gold hunting, two ladies' gold open-faced, one ladies' gold hunting, one large English silver horizontal open-faced, maker Arnold; one silver lever hunting, makers Stewart, Dawson, and Co.; three silver Waltham hunting, and about twenty other watches which cannot be described. Each watch has the initials CC scratched inside the case. Value, £100. Suspicion is attached to William Potter and George King. Description: First, Irish, a seaman, forty-one years of age, 5ft. 6½in. high, dark complexion, dark hair turning grey, grey eyes, long thin nose, top off third right finger. Photographed at Wellington. (See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 117.) Second, a colonial, twenty-five or twenty-six years of age, 5ft. 10in. high, medium build, red hair, sandy moustache only, active appearance; wears a dark-tweed suit and soft brown-felt hat.

WELLINGTON.—Henry Toft, Wadestown, reports stolen from an unfinished house in Tinakori Road, on the 13th or 14th instant, a table-saw; hammer; four chisels (1½in., 1in., ¾in., and ½in.); a twisted bit, ¾in. (maker, Gilpin); three ditto, ¾in., ½in., and ¼in. respectively; five German ditto, various sizes; and an iron plane: value, £1 4s. Some of the tools are marked "H. Toft."

NGAHAURANGA (WELLINGTON).—George Waddington, White Horse Hotel, reports stolen from his bar, on the 18th instant, six £1 notes, four half-sovereigns, about 10s. in silver, and three silver penny-pieces with holes in each rim.

FOTXON.—Euphemia McIlwride, Manawatu Hotel, reports stolen from her bedroom, on the 3rd or 4th instant, a dark-green purse, violets on flaps, and EC scratched on clasp, containing £3 15s.

BLENHEIM.—Rose Skelly reports stolen from her room at Wong Lee's on the 5th instant a new maroon-serge dress, and a pair of drab-coloured stays, medium size; value, £3.

DUNEDIN.—Charlotte Weir, secondhand dealer, Moray Place, reports that on the 16th instant her house was broken into, and the following stolen: About £50 in gold, silver, and notes; a ladies' gold Geneva hunting-watch, maker and number unknown; two ladies' gold chains, long links; a pair of gold earrings; two ladies' gold diamond rings; and a ladies' gold ring, the stone of which is missing: total value, £65. Identifiable except cash.

DUNEDIN.—James Kirkland, farmer, Saddle Hill, reports that on the 16th instant his dwelling was broken into, and a Martini-Henry rifle, number unknown, value £3 1s., stolen.

RIVERTON.—Morgan Hayes, auctioneer, reports that between the 15th and 17th instant his store was broken into, and the following stolen: Two pairs of ladies' elastic-side boots, size 3; two pairs children's ditto, size 11; a single-reined bridle, nickel-plated bit, white forehead-band; 11lb. of rabbitskins; a small five-chambered revolver; an alarm clock; pair of coloured moleskin trousers; four white-striped dungaree shirts; two leather straps; four pairs of women's stockings; a pocket-knife; one dozen braces; four wooden pipes, branded "Chumie"; a brass watch-chain; and a girl's brass neck-chain: value, £5 18s.

### Stealing Otherwise than from the Person or from Dwellings.

"ALAMEDA," S.S. (AUCKLAND).—Reginald Bennett, boat-swain, reports stolen from his room on the 10th instant, while on the voyage from Honolulu, a silver Waltham double-cased watch, "Elgin National Watch Company" inside case, number unknown; a German-silver open-faced watch, glass broken; a gold-plated albert guard, link-pattern, compass attached; a gold ring, set with five red stones and a diamond in centre; a scarf-pin (two gold pins joined by a small gold chain); and £7 13s. in coin: total value, £22 13s. Suspicion attached to William Coulter, one of the bedroom-stewards.

"MANAPOURI," S.S. (AUCKLAND).—Charles Gustave Moberg, seaman, reports stolen from his bunk, on the 11th instant, a 9-carat gold lever hunting-watch, maker Rotherham; gold-mounted twisted-hair guard and Swedish coin attached: value, £19.

ONEHUNGA.—Henry Samuel Andrews, Mangere, reports stolen from a cart-house, on the 24th May last, a double-barrelled breech-loading gun, 12 bore, "Laminated steel" on a small plate near the sight, right-hand lock out of order; value, £4.

WELLINGTON.—Mrs. Newton, 88, Taranaki Street, and others, report stolen from the ladies' room at the Working-men's Club, on the 10th instant, during a ball, a ladies' waterproof cloak with cape, small brown-and-white-check

pattern; a ladies' blue-serge cloak, no sleeves, Astrachan yoke, two metal clasps; a maroon-and-blue cloak, black-velvet yoke, lined with red, Astrachan pockets; a cardinal cloak, with grey-fur edges, dark-cardinal lining, hooks instead of buttons; a black dolman, trimmed with black lace; grey-fur boa; two brown-tweed ulsters, with large-check pattern, with capes and hoods, the latter lined with red; and a blue-serge jacket, trimmed with Astrachan and ribbon, fastens with hooks, blue-sateen lining: value, £8.

WELLINGTON.—Miss Mary McConney, servant, Workingmen's Club, reports stolen from her room, on the 18th instant, three ladies' gold rings—namely, one set with a large diamond in claw, value £10; one with three diamonds and three amethysts, set alternately, value £7 10s.; and one with white stone in centre and three blue stones at one side (three were on the other side, but have fallen out), value £4; also thirty threepenny-bits: total value, £21 17s. 6d.

MASTERTON.—David Henderson reports stolen from the parcel-room, between the 4th and 13th instant, a sack, containing two striped rugs; a set of cartridge-fillers; two suits of tweed clothes (one grey, the other small dark check); two pairs of boots, nearly new; a riding-whip; and some shirts, handkerchiefs, &c.: value, about £8.

WAIKAWA.—William Morrison is charged on warrant with having, at Takapau, on the 8th instant, stolen six sacks of oats, value £3, the property of Nepe Te Apatu; and four ditto, value £2, the property of Hori Tawhai. Description: A native of the colony, a pakeha-Maori, a labourer, supposed to have been a shoemaker, also to have been brickmaking, about thirty years of age, 5ft. 5in. or 6in. high, medium build, dark complexion and hair, shaved except dark moustache, dirty appearance; generally dressed in coloured moleskin trousers, dark sac-coat and vest, and dark-felt hat; sometimes wears a brown-cloth overcoat. Known to the Natives as "Bill." He sold the oats to Mr. Cantle, a storekeeper at Takapau, and they are now at the railway-station there. He is supposed to have left Hastings by train for Napier on the 15th instant, going under the name of William Watson.

CHRISTCHURCH.—Frederick Barette, Dun's Road, Spreydon, reports stolen from his paddock, between the 23rd and 29th ultimo, a horse-collar, two straps on top, lined with blue-and-red-check flannel, slightly worn; and a pair of light blinkers, brass mountings, smooth brass rosettes, chain brow-band, straight bar-bit: value, £1 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—Andrew Duncan, Nursery Road, Linwood, reports stolen from his buggy at Cambridge Terrace East, on the 17th instant, a large-sized, light-coloured opossum rug, lined with blue flannelette, four tails at each end, in good repair; value, £5.

CHRISTCHURCH.—James Martin, engineer, 5, Bowen Street, reports stolen from a clothes-line, on the 11th instant, a white shirt, four pairs of men's woollen socks, three pairs of white-linen drawers, and two chemises; value, £1.

REEFTON.—Agnes Davis reports stolen from a clothes-line, on the 7th or 8th instant, two pillow-slips, with crochet borders about 2½in. wide, and seven ditto of plain white calico; value, 17s.

DUNEDIN.—Alfred William Cuthbertson, Frederick Street, reports stolen from his clothing at the Corporation Quarries, Woodhaugh, on the 13th instant, a silver Waltham hunting-watch, three-quarter plate, No. 1429940, \*20515 on case; value, £2 10s.

#### Deserting Wives and Families, &c.

WESTPORT.—George Tinker is charged on warrant with disobeying an order of Court, made on the 23rd March last, to pay 10s. a week towards the support of his wife. Description: English, a coal-miner, about thirty years of age, 5ft. 6in. or 7in. high, medium build, square shoulders, black hair, small dark moustache only, dark eyes and complexion, very few front teeth; dressed in a dark suit and hard felt hat. Has a married sister at Nightcaps, Dunedin district, and may go there.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 66.)

TIMARU.—John Fraser, for wife-desertion, has been arrested by Constable Gordon, Hastings Police, on information supplied by Detective Kirby, of Napier, and remanded.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 111.)

ASHBURTON.—Thomas Bird, charged with deserting his wife and children, has been arrested by Constable Hunt, and remanded to Timaru.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, pages 103 and 111.)

WELLINGTON.—Sophia Isaacs, *alias* Taylor, for child-desertion, has been arrested by Sergeant J. Duffin, New Plymouth Police, and remanded.

NORMANBY (TARANAKI).—Edward Oldham Crawford deserted his wife, Anne, about four months ago. Description: A colonial, a brewer by trade, thirty-five years of age, 5ft. 11in. high, fair complexion, reddish-brown beard turning grey, hair darker, slight build, round lump on forehead; wore a dark suit and hard black hat. Complainant last heard from him at the Panama Hotel, Wellington, about the end of March, and he then said he was going South. May be working at Christchurch. He has been a sailor, and may work his passage to Australia. His brother, Linsey Crawford, is manager for Goldsborough, Mort, and Co.'s Victoria River Cattle-station, Port Darwin. No warrant.

#### Deserters from Her Majesty's Service.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 111.)

WILLIAM HENRY POWELL, deserter from "Katoomba," at Auckland: The following is a more detailed description of this offender—A Welshman, stoker, twenty-two years of age, 5ft. 4½in. high, fair hair and complexion, brown eyes, cut on under-lip, clean-shaved, slightly bow-legged, has a peculiarity of laughing when spoken to or during conversation. It is supposed that he has gone to one of the gum-fields.

From H.M.S. "*Goldfinch*," at Brisbane.

On 27th June, 1893.

WALTER EDWYN MYNARD, ordinary seaman, a native of Devon, nineteen years of age, 5ft. 3½in. in height, brown hair and eyes, fair complexion. A reward of £3 is offered for his arrest.

From H.M.S. "*Lizard*," at Hobart.

On 1st July, 1893.

RICHARD HURRELL, ship's steward assistant, a native of Devon, twenty-three years of age, 5ft. 5in. high, brown hair, steel-grey eyes, fresh complexion, scar on left groin, tattooed on finger right hand.

On 9th July, 1893.

FRANK E. JOHNS, bugler, R.M.L.I., eighteen years of age, born at Landport, Portsmouth, 5ft. 7½in. high, brown hair, grey eyes, fresh complexion, mole on left eye and right cheek-bone, scar on left wrist. A reward not exceeding £3 is offered for the arrest of each of these men.

#### Escaped Prisoner.

WANGANUI.—George Harper escaped from the hard-labour gang employed at the Museum, Queen's Park, at 3.45 p.m. on the 19th ultimo. Description: Irish, a gardener, an ex-constable, forty-three years of age, looks younger, 5ft. 11½in. high, medium build, fair curly hair, fresh complexion, light-brown eyes. (See *Police Gazette*, 1893, pages 24 and 99.) Photographed at Auckland on 27th December, 1892. He was undergoing a sentence of six months, and has been repeatedly convicted. Last heard of as having been at Poverty Flat, Wanganni, at 9 p.m. on the above date. A later report states that he is supposed to have been seen about the 14th instant between Karioi and Tokaanu, making towards the latter place. He has no front teeth, and was close-clipped at the time of his escape.

#### Horse and Cattle-Stealing.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, pages 111 and 112.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—Stealing Frederick Charles Hack's mare, and George Murray Aynsley's saddle and bridle: The suspect, James Morrigan, has been arrested for these offences by Constable Patrick Costin, Rangiora Police, and committed by the Christchurch Bench to St. Mary's Industrial School, Nelson.

PAHIATUA.—E. Wallis, Tutaeakara, reports stolen during October last a black gelding, three years old, about 15 hands high, white star on forehead, hind legs white (more white on the off than the near one), unbranded; value, £12.

#### Missing Friends.

JOSEPH HENRY BORLASE left his home at Sawyer's Bay, Port Chalmers, on the 16th ultimo, and is inquired for by his father. Description: Thirteen and a half years of age, about 5ft. high, medium build, brown hair; wore a blue skull-cap, dark-tweed jacket with a hole at one elbow, new dark-tweed knickerbockers, black stockings, and lace-up boots. He was seen about 11 p.m. of the same date on the Dunedin Railway-platform, in company with another boy named John Campbell, *alias* McDonald, who is of bad character. They may seek employment at some farm.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 112.)

JOHANNA BERGIN is at present staying with her brother-in-law, Captain Lambert, Tinakori Road, Wellington.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 30.)

WILLIAM HENRY EDWARDS: This missing friend left Home in the s.s. "Arawa" about the 22nd May, 1886, and was supposed to have landed at Wellington, but cannot now be traced there. Further inquiries are requested. (C.S.93/2004.)

FELIX MCCARTHY is inquired for by his father, Deeds Office, Wellington. Description: Thirteen years of age, medium height, smart appearance, fresh complexion, rather stout build, dark hair, blue eyes, small scar on cheek and large one on crown of head. He was employed in the Telegraph Department, Wellington, and cleared out on the 23rd of January last. Was seen at Johnsonville the following day, but nothing further has been heard of him, although inquiries have been made in most parts of the district.

FREDERICK JÜLCOSEKEY, better known as Fred. Coskey, is inquired for through the Geraldine (Canterbury) Police. Description: A German, a labourer, twenty-eight years of age, about 5ft. 4in. high, stout build, fair complexion, round features, light-brown hair. He left his father's home at Woodbury, near Geraldine, in 1889, and is said to have been seen on the St. Andrew's railway-platform during August last.

### Miscellaneous Information.

#### *Appointments as Constables.*

EDWARD THOMAS BOSWORTH, No. 652.  
WILLIAM JOHN QUINN, No. 653.

#### *Rewards.*

CONSTABLE JOHN KENNEDY, Clive Police, has been awarded £12 by the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society for obtaining five convictions for selling native game without licenses. (93/1000.)

CONSTABLE C. STANYER, Auckland Police, has been awarded £2 for arresting two stragglers from H.M.S. "Orlando." (93/1040.)

SERGEANT A. CLARKE and Constable T. Howell, Auckland Police, have been awarded £1 10s. each for arresting an absentee from H.M.S. "Ringdove." (93/1054.)

ACTING-SERGEANT E. MACRAY, Auckland Police, has been awarded £1 for arresting a straggler from H.M.S. "Ringdove." (93/1006.)

#### *Life Insurance Policies.*

(Circular No. 15/93.)

WITH reference to Circular No. 14, of 28th ultimo (see *Police Gazette*, 1893, page 104), it is notified for general information and guidance that in each case the policy must be handed over to the Inspector in charge, and is to be forwarded with the constable to any other district to which he may be transferred; it being retained so long as the constable remains in the Force.

A. HUME,

Commissioner of Police.

Wellington, 20th July, 1893. (93/679.)

#### *Cleaning-gear for Mounted Constables.*

(Circular No. 16/93.)

IN future, the under-mentioned articles will be supplied to each mounted constable annually, free of cost, viz.:

In town stations: One curry-comb, one mane-comb, two sponges, two dandriff-brushes, two body-brushes, two water-brushes, a chamois-leather, and 4lb. of soft-soap.

In country stations: One curry-comb, one mane-comb, two dandriff-brushes, two body-brushes, one sponge, a chamois-leather, and 2lb. of soft-soap.

This circular will take effect from the 1st instant, and Inspectors in charge of districts will take the necessary steps for the issues to be made from the Defence Stores, Wellington, in the usual manner.

A. HUME,

Commissioner of Police.

Wellington, 20th July, 1893. (93/1031.)

#### *Returns Discontinued.*

THE return of wine and spirit licenses cancelled (Form No. 39A), and general quarterly report (Form No. 7), are no longer required.

### Extracts from New Zealand Gazette.

(From *Gazette*, 1893, pages 1092 and 1116.)

*Inspector of Weights and Measures, Southland, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 12th July, 1893.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable MICHAEL GREENE

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures, under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," and the Acts amending the same, for the Counties of Southland, Wallace, Fiord, and Stewart Island, and for all boroughs therein, *vice* Sergeant E. Macdonnell.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

*Extending Time for Shooting Native Game, Inangahua District.*

GLASGOW, Governor.

WHEREAS by a warrant made under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," dated the ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, it is, amongst other things, notified that native game, with certain exceptions, may be taken or killed in the Inangahua District from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three: And whereas it is expedient to extend the time during which the said native game may be taken or killed in the aforesaid district:

Now, therefore, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers vested in me by the said "Animals Protection Act, 1880," do hereby declare that native game, excepting tui, huia, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed in the aforesaid Inangahua District, consisting of the County of Inangahua, until the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

### Extract from Victoria Police Gazette.

(From *Gazette*, 1893, page 194.)

HORACE JAMES AVIS is charged, on warrant, with larceny as a bailee of a quantity of jewellery, value £70—viz., 19 gold brooches; 4 gold brooches, set with opals; 20 silver brooches; 12 silver letter-brooches; 2 silver cuff-brooches; 2 jet brooches; 14 gold pins; 3 enamel pins; 3 pearl pins; 5 silver pins; 3 Canadian imitation-gold sovereign-purses; 4 Canadian imitation-gold medals; 4 Canadian imitation-gold lockets; 2 Canadian imitation-gold seals; 3 Canadian imitation-gold ladies' alberts; 2 Canadian imitation-gold curb-chain bangles; 2 Canadian imitation-gold tandem alberts; a dozen Canadian imitation-gold single alberts; 4 Canadian imitation-gold double alberts; 2 Canadian imitation-gold swivels; 5 also imitation-silver medals; 2 also imitation-silver lockets; 5 also imitation-silver alberts; an also imitation-silver ladies' albert; 4 also imitation-silver swivels; 2 pairs of silver sleeve-links; 5 silver Birch keys for watches; 2 silver thimbles; 2 silver alberts; a silver necklet, about 3/4 in. wide, and locket, engraved; a ladies' silver albert; 2 pairs of gold sleeve-links; 7 gold rings (three signet and four ladies' dress-rings); 2 Triomphe nickel watches, Nos. 67187 and 56608; a silver open-faced Rotherham watch, No. 61447; an open-faced ladies' silver watch, No. 5923; a ladies' silver hunting Geneva watch, No. 28869; a ladies' gold hunting watch, No. 63353; a gold necklet, about 3/4 in. wide; a ladies' gold albert; a gold locket, with sapphires and pearls; a gold bracelet, set with two amethyst stones; a bunch of rings for fitting; 31 gold, silver, pearl, and carbon studs; a morocco-leather travelling-case, with four drawers, one false; and a bracelet-case—the property of John Nicholls, insurance agent, 279, Bourke-street, Melbourne, at Beac, on the 1st instant. Description: English, about twenty-four years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, pale face, light-brown hair, no hair on face; wore light Chesterfield overcoat with light-brown velvet collar, dark coat and vest, light slate-coloured pants, and light-brown boxer hat. Left Colac on the 1st instant for Melbourne, called at the George Hotel, St. Kilda, on the 3rd instant, and went away with a young man named Charles Patworth, who was employed at the hotel. They may go up country hawking the stolen jewellery. He may go to New Zealand.—O.5882. 8th July, 1893.

RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE FORTNIGHT ENDED 15TH JULY, 1893.

Gaol.	Name.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	ft. in.	Comp-plexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Where Photographed, and Date.	Remarks, and Previous Convictions.
Auckland	Michael Kiely	Auckland	June 26, 1893	drunkenness resisting police	fine, or 48 hours	Ireland	blacksmith	1859	5 8 1/2	sallow	black	dark br.	broad	Auckl'd, 21.9.89	6 p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1893, page 71.) Lame right leg; pupil of left eye enlarged.
Auckland	Albert Johansen	Huntly	June 27, 1893	larceny	fine, or 14 days	Sweden	ploughman	1860	5 6 1/2	fair	light brown	blue	broad	"	"
Auckland	Henry Arthur Hull	Auckland	May 11, 1893	begging	2 months	Melbourne	clerk	1855	5 6 1/2	pale	black	dk. grey	medium	"	"
Auckland	George Crow	Auckland	July 10, 1893	illegally on premises...	24 hours	England	labourer	1837	5 6 1/2	fresh	dark brown, turning grey	brown, large	Roman	"	Astigmatic; birth-mark on upper lip; scar on lower lip.
Auckland	John Jones	Auckland	June 13, 1893	assault	1 month	Auckland	labourer	1877	5 5 1/2	fair	light brown	brown	medium	"	2 p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1893, page 191.)
Auckland	James Nagle	Auckland	Nov. 28, 1892	wounding	9 months	Ireland	bootmaker	1838	5 6 1/2	fresh	grey	grey	medium	"	3 p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1893, page 45.) Right little finger crooked; mole on left wrist.
Auckland	Joseph Winter	Auckland	April 17, 1893	drunkenness assaulting police	fine, or 24 hours	Auckland	labourer	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 60.
Auckland	Henry Keegan	Auckland	April 17, 1893	assaulting police	3 months	Auckland	labourer	1874	5 7	fresh	black	brown	sm 'll, sh'rp	"	2 p.c. Fine paid. (See Police Gazette, 1891, page 23.)
Auckland	Letitia Hughes	Auckland	April 17, 1893	damaging uniform	fine, or 1 month	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 24.
N.Plymouth	Robert Carson	Hawera	Mar. 21, 1893	habitual drunkenness	3 months	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Several p.c. Wants on back; scar on right hand and each thigh.
N.Plymouth	John Payne	Hawera	April 15, 1893	larceny	4 months	England	labourer	1848	5 6 1/2	dark	black	hazel	broken	"	Previously convicted. Tattoo-mark on right hand; scar on left shoulder; various veins in both legs.
N.Plymouth	F. Stewart, alias Stewart Gill, alias Donald, &c.	Manaia	April 15, 1893	larceny	3 months	Ireland	butcher	1837	5 5 1/2	fresh	brown	grey	medium	"	Burn-marks on left arm, right leg, and left shin.
Napier	Robert Grant Brown	Napier	June 5, 1893	disobeying a maintenance order	1 month	Scotland	housepainter	1861	5 2	fresh	black	brown	small	"	Flush on face, and hands; one upper tooth out. Bailed.
Napier	George Ashworth	Napier	July 3, 1893	assaulting his wife	3 months imprisonment, or surerities	England	shoemaker	1854	5 9 1/2	dark	dark brown	hazel	large	"	Diamond on left arm; anchor and scar on right hand; mole on throat.
Napier	Charles Botchall, alias Iharara Waikato	Napier	June 8, 1893	larceny	1 month	Prussia	groom	1860	5 4 1/2	fair	fair	brown	large, drooping	"	Cuts on eyebrows; dark spot on left cheek-bone.
Napier	Alexander Wilson	Napier	Jan. 31, 1893	illegally on premises...	6 months	N. Zealand	labourer	1853	5 6 1/2	dark	black	dark br.	flat	"	6 p.c. Fishes on left arm; star on left hand; EBHB on right arm; slightly Ecompted.
Napier	William Rhodes	Napier	July 6, 1893	indecenty	48 hours	Finland	sailor	1841	5 8 1/2	dark	brown	blue, small	large broken	"	EBHB on face and body; scar near left eye; upper teeth irregular.
Napier	Charles Farrar	Woodville	April 11, 1893	vagrancy	3 months	England	labourer	1869	5 10	pale	brown	brown	thick	Napier, 10.5.93	Frazled hair; mole on neck; C and moles on left arm.
Napier	George Osmann, alias Williams	Hastings	June 30, 1893	vagrancy	14 days	N. Zealand	jockey	1872	5 3 1/2	dark	dark brown	grey	thick, pug	"	Scald-mark on stomach.
Wanganui	Michael Morgan	Wanganui	May 10, 1893	larceny	2 months	N. Zealand	jockey	1878	5 2 1/2	fresh	brown	blue	medium	"	3 p.c. Ring on second finger of left hand.
Wellington	John McMillan	Oamaru	Sept. 10, 1889	shop-breaking and stealing (3 charges)	5 years' p.s.	Ireland	labourer	1826	5 6 1/2	florid	grey	hazel	sharp	Well'n, 4.2.93	2 p.c. Ruse and dancingspit on left arm; female and ship on breast.
Wellington	John Goldridge	Wellington	April 5, 1893	larceny	3 months	England	sailor	1855	5 4 1/2	fresh	brown	dk. blue	medium	Well'n, 25.5.93	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 90.
Wellington	George Hyde	Wellington	June 8, 1893	habitual drunkenness	1 month	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Cut on right forefinger; moles on right shoulder and on back. Sentence remitted.
Wellington	William Wakefield	Wellington	July 6, 1893	default of maintenance	2 months	England	labourer	1868	5 8 1/2	fair	fair	brown	large	"	Scar on back of left hand. Remanded to Dunedin.
Wellington	Alfred Miller	Wellington	Feb. 7, 1893	false pretences	6 months	England	labourer	1852	5 3 1/2	fair	brown	blue	medium	"	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 41.
Wellington	William Creswell	Wellington	April 17, 1893	larceny	3 months	Christch'ch N. Zealand	labourer	1872	5 7 1/2	fair	brown	grey	medium	Well'n, 4.2.93	"
Wellington	John William Crabtree	Wellington	July 7, 1893	conspiring to defraud	discharged at S.C.	England	baker	1860	5 6	fair	fair curly	grey	medium	Well'n, 26.11.93	7 p.c. Abcess-mark on left side of face; cuts over right eye.
Wellington	George H. Goode	Wellington	July 7, 1893	conspiring to defraud	discharged at S.C.	Ireland	storekeeper	1866	5 11 1/2	fresh	brown	lt. blue	large, straight	Well'n, 1.5.93	Bolt-mark on left side of neck; veins swollen in both legs.
Wellington	Michael Hanratty	Featherston	June 20, 1893	assault	14 days	Ireland	surgeon	1836	5 6 1/2	fair	brown, turning grey	blue	oblique	"	Several p.c. Scars on throat, arms, and leg on right palm; impediment in speech. Charge dismissed.
Wellington	Louis Albert Sanderson	Wellington	July 12, 1893	murder	remand	N. Zealand	clerk	1850	4 7	fresh	grey	blue	small	"	5 p.c.
Wellington	Lucy Ludlow	Wellington	Jan. 26, 1893	larceny	6 months	England	"	"	"	"	grey	blue	small	"	Several p.c.
Wellington	Mary, alias Hannah, Brown	Wellington	April 12, 1893	drunkenness obscuring language	7 days	Ireland	"	"	"	"	brown	blue	pug	"	3 p.c.
Wellington	Maud Estall	Wellington	April 12, 1893	illegally on premises...	3 months	N. Zealand	prostitute	1856	5 5	fresh	black	dk. blue	thin	"	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 99.
Nelson	Selina Brown	Nelson	July 5, 1893	vagrancy sacrilege	3 months	N. Zealand	"	1868	5 0	dark	black	dk. blue	thin	"	"

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

Gaol.	Name.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Where Photographed, and Date.	Remarks, and Previous Convictions.
Nelson	Violet Jane Brown	Nelson	July 5, 1893	larceny	2 years' prob'n	N. Zealand	servant	1877	5 2	fresh	brown	grey	medium	...	Round features; moles on right cheek, and one on left temple.
Nelson	Hans Fanzelow	Nelson	July 12, 1893	sheep-stealing	remanded	Germany	sheep-farmer	1840	5 5 1/2	fresh	brown, thin	brown	medium	...	Cut on left hand; false teeth. Bailed. (See Police Gazette, 1893, page 221.)
Westport	Patrick Durke	Westport	July 2, 1893	larceny	1 month's prob'n	N. Zealand	labourer	1868	5 10	dark	black	blue	large	...	3 p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1891, page 32.) Fine paid. See Police Gazette, 1893, page 117.
Greymouth	John Smith, alias Thos. Williams, alias Young George Coburn	Greymouth	July 10, 1893	larceny	fine, or 14 days	England	labourer	1831	5 8 1/2	sallow	grey	blue	Roman	...	1 p.c. Left hip out; bald.
Hokitika	Nanno Drake	Greymouth	June 16, 1893	breach of the Dog Act	14 days	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 p.c. Left eye defective.
Hokitika	George Contessa	Greymouth	June 12, 1893	larceny	1 month	Ireland	servant	1864	5 6	fresh	black	dk. grey	large	...	Crucifix on left forearm; compass and square on right wrist.
Hokitika	Ellen Flanagan	Westport	May 15, 1893	default of maintenance	2 months	Italy	fruiterer	1843	5 14	dark	black	brown	long, thin	...	Cross and 1883, on right wrist; ring on second finger of right hand.
Lytelton	John Donovan	Ashburton	April 4, 1893	obscene language	2 months	Ireland	...	1845	5 5 1/2	fresh	black, turning grey	blue	long	...	M.K. and emblem on right arm; anchor and three fishes on right hand; star on left hand.
Lytelton	John Weir	Geraldine	April 4, 1893	wilful damage	3 months	Ireland	ship's cook	1848	5 6 1/2	dark	dark brown	blue	medium	...	Anchor on right arm; spots on each hand. Large ears.
Lytelton	Martin Elliott	Lytelton	July 1, 1893	disobedience of orders on board ship	48 hours	England	labourer	1858	5 7 1/2	dark	dark brown	lt. brown	medium	...	Shin, stars on head, and arrows on right arm; S on back; anchor on left wrist; wreath on left hand; English arms on breast.
Lytelton	John Horan	Lytelton	July 1, 1893	disobedience of orders on board ship	48 hours	England	seaman	1863	5 4 1/2	fair	light brown	lt. grey	medium	...	J. TATE and American arms on right arm; star on left hand.
Lytelton	George Orwell	Lytelton	July 1, 1893	disobedience of orders on board ship	48 hours	London	freeman	1866	5 7 1/2	fresh	dark brown	grey	medium	...	Anchor on right arm and left hand. See Police Gazette, 1893, page 25.
Lytelton	John Smith	Lytelton	June 21, 1893	neglect of duty on board ship	14 days	Scotland	seaman	1870	5 4 1/2	fair	fair	grey	medium	...	3 p.c. Crucifix on left arm.
Lytelton	James Tait	Lytelton	June 21, 1893	neglect of duty on board ship	14 days	Ireland	seaman	1860	5 5 1/2	fresh	brown	grey	medium	...	Several p.c. Pike on left arm; scar on left cheek. See Police Gazette, 1893, page 61.
Lytelton	Charles McGarrigle	Lytelton	June 21, 1893	neglect of duty on board ship	14 days	Scotland	seaman	1860	5 4 1/2	fresh	brown	blue	broad	...	Woman, flag, and A.G.P. on right arm; wreath on left arm. See Police Gazette, 1893, page 14.
Lytelton	William Warner, alias Alfred Gregory, &c.	Christchurch	Jan. 28, 1893	larceny	6 months	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Part of flag on right arm; three spots on left hand; large scar on left leg. 2 p.c.
Lytelton	John Maher	Timaru	April 6, 1893	vagrancy	3 months	Ireland	labourer	1840	5 4 1/2	sandy	brown, turning grey	blue	thick	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 107.
Lytelton	William O'Brien, alias John Lynn	Ashburton	June 6, 1893	drunkenness	fine, or 1 month	Ireland	shoemaker	1848	5 6 1/2	fresh	dark brown	lt. blue	broad	...	Jewish parentage. See Police Gazette, 1893, page 107.
Lytelton	Jesse Halliburton	Christchurch	June 26, 1893	soliciting prostitution	14 days	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 107. Sent to Seacliff Asylum. Bailed.
Lytelton	Alfred Priaux	Lytelton	July 10, 1893	obscene language	24 hours	Guernsey	seaman	1863	5 8	dark	black	dark br.	medium	...	8 p.c. Special remission. See Police Gazette, 1893, page 8.
Lytelton	John Leary	Timaru	April 13, 1893	vagrancy	3 months	Jersey	labourer	1848	5 7 1/2	dark	dark brown	lt. brown	large	...	Several p.c. Vartecose veins in both legs. 6 p.c.
Lytelton	John Gubbins, alias Gibbons	Lytelton	May 13, 1893	larceny	fine, or 2 months	Ireland	seaman	1872	5 4 1/2	fair	light brown	hazel	medium	...	4 p.c. Scar on forehead; tombstone, &c., on left arm. Fine paid. Showwound and I.R. on left p.c. See Police Gazette, 1893, page 102.
Lytelton	Annie Fraser	Christchurch	July 10, 1893	drunkenness	48 hours	Scotland	servant	1866	5 2	dark	dark	brown	medium	...	Cross on right arm; two scars on right leg.
Timaru	Frederick Smith, alias Seabright	Timaru	June 22, 1893	drunkenness	fine, or 5 days	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 102.
Timaru	George Morris	Timaru	July 8, 1893	lunacy	discharged	Germany	agent	1860	5 3 1/2	dark	black, curly	...	long	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 107.
Oamaru	John Slattery, alias Shater	Oamaru	July 6, 1893	vagrancy	1 month	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 107. Sent to Seacliff Asylum. Bailed.
Oamaru	Jeremiah Daly	Oamaru	July 5, 6, 1893	assault (3 charges)	committed for trial	Ireland	labourer	1860	5 8	fresh	brown	blue	medium	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 107. Sent to Seacliff Asylum. Bailed.
Dunedin	Alfred Forrest	Dunedin	Nov. 14, 1893	abusive and threatening language	12 months or sur'ties	England	carpenter	1839	5 8	fresh	light	grey	large	...	8 p.c. Special remission. See Police Gazette, 1893, page 8.
Dunedin	William McPhee	Dunedin	April 12, 1893	larceny	3 months	Ireland	labourer	1854	5 6	fair	brown	lt. blue	large	...	Several p.c. Vartecose veins in both legs. 6 p.c.
Dunedin	James Brown	Pt. Chalmers	April 15, 1893	indecent exposure	3 months	Ireland	labourer	1852	5 0	fresh	light brown	grey	medium	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 8.
Dunedin	Mary McIlroy	Dunedin	June 29, 1893	neglecting children	14 days	Scotland	prostitute	1874	5 4 1/2	fresh	dark brown	brown	medium	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 102.
Dunedin	Alexander Allen	Dunedin	July 11, 1893	breach of the peace	fine, or 14 days	England	labourer	1847	5 4	dark	dark, turning grey	grey	large	...	Cross on right arm; two scars on right leg.
Invercargill	Richard Lee, alias Cassidy, alias Joseph Gough, &c.	Gore	April 5, 1893	vagrancy	3 months	England	labourer	1847	5 4	dark	dark, turning grey	grey	large	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 102.
Invercargill	Thomas King	Gore	June 22, 1893	obscene language	14 days	England	labourer	1865	5 7 1/2	fresh	brown	hazel	sharp	...	See Police Gazette, 1893, page 102.