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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*.

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REEFTON.—About 3 a.m. on the 9th ultimo an unoccupied house, the property of Peter McHugh, was destroyed by fire, which it is supposed was wilfully caused. It was valued at £200, and insured in the Manchester Office for £150.

WINTON.—About 11.30 p.m. on the 10th January last a threshing-mill at Hokonui, the property of William McRae, was destroyed by fire; and at an inquest, held on the 26th ultimo, a verdict of incendiarism against some person or persons unknown was returned. The mill was insured for £140, which is considered to be over its value.

Offences Not Otherwise Described.

AUCKLAND.—James Graham is charged with disobeying the terms of his release under the First Offenders' Probation Act. Description: Scotch, a cook and miner, forty-three years of age, 5ft. 9½in. high, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, dark-blue eyes, large nose, stout build, large mouth and chin, three upper front teeth out, ring on left middle finger. (See *Police Gazette*, 1894, page 151.) Well known in the Upper Waikato and Thames Districts. Is reported to have been seen at Coolgardie, Western Australia.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, page 53.)

AUCKLAND.—Frederick Stewart Bates, charged with the abduction of Jane Fletcher, has been arrested by Constable A. F. Gordon, Napier police. Remanded to Auckland, and discharged.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, page 17.)

THAMES.—George Douglas, charged with having carnal knowledge of Lavinia Henrietta Bramley, has been arrested by Constable W. A. Bailey, Auckland police, and remanded to Paeroa.

WANGANUI.—Christopher Odams is charged on warrant with the larceny as a bailee, on the 3rd December last, of £1 5s., money of his employer, William S. Dustin, baker. Offender is English, twenty-three years of age, 5ft. 10in. or 11in. high, fair hair and complexion, blue eyes, slight fair moustache only, medium build, active appearance, good-looking. He received the above sum from one of complainant's customers, and failed to account for it. [NOTE.—This is inserted in lieu of notice appearing in *Gazette* of 6th February, 1895, page 17, in which offender's name was erroneously quoted as *Christopher Adams*.]

MARTON.—William McDonald is charged on warrant with having, about the 24th February last, obtained the sum of £4 17s. 6d. from Robert Hunt, hotelkeeper, by means of a valueless cheque. Offender is identical with man of same name charged with a similar offence on Edward Ernest Aulsebrook, at Awatoto, Napier. (See *Police Gazette*, 1895, pages 28 and 53.)

HAWERA.—Robert Marr is charged on warrant that he did, on the 11th February, 1895, obtain from Joseph Scott, commission agent, Hawera, the sum of £9 15s., being a debt contracted without any reasonable or possible grounds or expectation of being able to pay the same as well as all his other debts, and that the said Robert Marr was thereafter, on the date above mentioned, adjudged a bankrupt. Offender is a horsebreaker or farmer, about thirty-eight years of age, about 5ft. 7in. high, slight build, round shoulders, rather bandy-legged, dark hair, fair moustache, medium mouth and nose, sour expression, about 11 stone weight; usually wears a grey-tweed coat and vest, strapped pants, soft-felt hat; was at one time farming in Canterbury. He left Hawera about fourteen days ago, and will no doubt endeavour to get away from the colony. He spoke of going to Calcutta with horses.

NAPIER.—Archie Hughes is charged on warrant with having, on the 26th ultimo, forged and uttered to William Prebble, fruiterer, a cheque for £17 10s., drawn on the Bank of New Zealand, Napier, and purporting to be signed by J. T. Holden, of Hampden, but which has been declared to be a forgery. Offender is supposed colonial, about twenty-two years of age, 5ft. 8in. or 9in. high, medium build, rather small eyes, dark hair, clean-shaved except dark moustache; dressed in a dark-grey tweed sac-suit, rather faded, and hard black-felt hat; had the appearance of a station-hand. He left by 4.20 p.m. train on the same day.

WAIROA (HAWKE'S BAY).—William Rollo is charged on warrant with the larceny as a bailee, on the 1st ultimo, of a saddle, value £6, the property of Alfred George Smith. Since recovered. Offender is about thirty-five years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, 9st. 7lb. weight, fair complexion, light-brown hair, rather large nose, shaved except dark moustache tinged with grey; addicted to drink; very talkative; may be wearing a grey-tweed coat and trousers and brown-felt hat; is well known to the racing community of Hawke's Bay. He obtained the loan of the saddle for the purpose of proceeding to Gisborne, and on arrival there sold it to James Brown, of Makaraka, on the above date. He left for Napier the same day.

MARTINBOROUGH.—John Lunny, George Sanders, H. Hunter, and Michael Ryan are charged, on warrant issued by the Featherston Bench, with fraud on David Hope Johnston, licensee of the Club Hotel, Martinborough, between the 13th and 18th April, 1894. Lunny is supposed colonial, a bushman, thirty-five years of age, 5ft. 10in. high, stout build, freckled complexion, red hair side whiskers and moustache; dressed in a dark-brown tweed suit. Sanders, colonial (German parentage), twenty-three years of age, 5ft. 6in. high, fair complexion, front teeth decayed; his father is a professional music-teacher, and is said to reside at Masterton. Ryan, supposed colonial, twenty-seven years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, stout build, small dark moustache; wore a dark-tweed suit. No description can be given of Hunter. Offenders obtained board, lodging, and horse-hire to the value of £1 3s. 6d. each by falsely representing that they were going to work for a well-known bush contractor at Clifton Grove Station. Complainant heard that they were at Featherston on the 5th instant, and thereupon laid an information, and obtained a warrant for their arrest.

WELLINGTON.—A man, name unknown, is charged with the theft, on the 4th instant, of a cheque for £3, drawn on the Bank of New Zealand, the property of George W. Gardner, agent, Owen Street. Offender is supposed English, about thirty-two years of age, 5ft. 4in. high, medium build, dark complexion, dark beard whiskers and moustache clipped short; wore a rough blue-serge suit, and hard black-felt hat; smart appearance; very good address. Can be identified. The cheque was lost by, or stolen from, Mr. Gardner on the above date, and during the same night offender obtained cash for it from W. Smith, boardinghouse-keeper, Willis Street. No warrant.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, page 53.)

WELLINGTON.—Walter Ugden, charged with forging the signature of C. F. Lys to a telegraphic money-order, has been arrested by Sergeant J. Cullen, Wanganui police, and remanded to Wellington.

ASHBURTON.—James Trevurza is charged on warrant with fraud under "The Chattels Transfer Act, 1889," during the month of February last. Description: Supposed colonial, twenty-five or twenty-six years of age, 5ft. 9in. high, strong wiry build, thin face, dark-brown hair, light-brown moustache, may have grown whiskers and beard, peculiar eyes as if squinting; a teamster and horsebreaker; usually wears dark-tweed clothes and soft black-felt hat. Offender was a farm-contractor, and in November, 1894, gave Mr. David Thomas, merchant, of Ashburton, a lien over his horses and plant, but sold them during February following. He is now said to be driving a wagon in the North Island. This is a private prosecution.

CHRISTCHURCH.—Mrs. J. Shand (probably a fictitious name) is charged on warrant with false pretences on Black, Beattie, and Co., drapers, on the 11th, 16th, and 20th ultimo. Description: Supposed English, about forty years of age, about 5ft. 2in. high, medium build, dark hair, clean complexion, full face, sharp chin, aquiline nose, brown eyes, small mouth, pleasant lady-like manner; dressed in a black skirt, black and white bodice, brown-plush dolman, and black bonnet with gold gimp trimming. She obtained goods to the value of £3 16s. 2d. by falsely representing that she was a visitor at Mr. John Dean's, Lower Riccarton, and had been recommended to complainants.

Housebreaking, Stealing from the Person, &c.

AUCKLAND.—James Berrill, licensee Bricklayers' Arms Hotel, reports that during the night of the 30th ultimo his premises were broken into, and the following stolen: One £5 and ten £1 notes on the Bank of New Zealand, £9 in gold and silver, three door-keys on a ring, and two small keys in a brown-leather purse.

AUCKLAND.—Henry Innes Nation, licensee Lake Hotel, Takapuna, reports that during the night of the 28th ultimo his bar was broken into, and £6 stolen.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, page 54.)

WHANGAREI.—Algar Bunyard's watch has been found.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, page 46.)

STRATFORD.—Thomas Langton Lockton's scarf-pin has been recovered, Bailey having confessed to stealing and secreting it. Offender is identical with Henry Bailey, alias Frank Morgan (*vide Police Gazette*, 1894, pages 24, 127, and 143), and is now waiting trial on other charges in Wanganui Gaol. He was going under the name of William Harrison when arrested.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—John Anderson, road contractor, Pohangina, reports stolen from him in Palmerston North, on the 31st ultimo, one £5 and three £1 notes.

DANEVIRKE.—Joseph Loney Kimbell, licensee Club Hotel, reports stolen from his bedroom, on the 10th instant, a gold watch-chain, long plain links and bar in centre; attached was a gold locket, with diamond in centre, engraved on back, "Presented to J. L. Kimbell, as a token of esteem, by the members of the W.W.M.C., Oct. 9th, 1894"; and a silver sovereign-case, containing an imitation sovereign, engraved J.L.K.: value, £23. Members of the Mostyn-Dalziel Dramatic Company suspected.

WELLINGTON.—Frederick Solomon, Cuba Street, reports stolen from his dwelling, on the 30th ultimo, a solid silver biscuit-box, birds chased thereon, bevelled edges, lion's mouth and ring at each side; value, £5.

WELLINGTON.—Walter Woodart, Oriental Hotel, reports stolen from him in Willis Street, on the 3rd instant, an American open-faced metal stop-watch, value £1 10s., a gold-plated double chain, long links, value £1, and four £1 notes.

BLENHEIM.—John Jones (probably a fictitious name) is charged on warrant with having, on the 16th or 17th ultimo, stolen from a tent at Upcot, Upper Awatere, a silver Rotherham hunting-watch, No. 74291, and 739 on outside of case; value, £6; the property of Michael Connelly. Offender is supposed English, about fifty years of age, medium build, dark complexion, beard cut short, first finger of left hand off; wore a blucher boot on the left foot, and a light boot on the right foot; thin, miserable appearance. Said to have gone towards Culverden.

OAMARU.—Donald Malcolm, labourer, reports stolen from Spring Hill Farm, between the 11th February last and 20th ultimo, a black-twill sac-coat, size 5, two outside hip-pockets and two outside breast ditto, dark lining, black-cloth buttons; a vest of same material; a pair of blue-serge trousers with cross-pockets and hip-pocket; and a pair of Bedford cord trousers with cross pockets; all nearly new: value, £3 10s. Suspicion attached to Thomas Ward, a labourer, twenty-one years of age, 5ft. 10in. high, medium build, dark hair and complexion, dark moustache only. Living with his parents at Maheno.

WYNDHAM.—Alexander McDonald, farmer, reports stolen from him, in the Railway Hotel, during the night of the 1st January last, a silver lever hunting-watch, No. 12735; makers, Wheeler and Son, London; value, £4. Suspicion attached to Thomas Burns, a professional jockey, about twenty-four years of age, 5ft. 4in. or 5in. high, slight build, dark hair and complexion, brown eyes, dark moustache only. Went to Dunedin.

Stealing Otherwise than from the Person or from Dwellings.

WARKWORTH (AUCKLAND).—Captain John Whitney, Waitera, reports stolen from the Puhoi River-bank, between the 1st February last and the 7th ultimo, four pigs of lead, each weighing 50lb., and about 12in. by 4in. by 3½in.; value, £2 8s.

AUCKLAND.—John Frank, hairdresser, Ponsonby Road, reports that during the night of the 9th instant his shop was broken into, and a razor, value 7s. 6d., and about eight pounds' worth of cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco, stolen.

NEW PLYMOUTH.—Aratapu Waitere, of Oakura, reports stolen from off his horse in New Plymouth, on the 6th instant, an old saddle with flat knee-pads, cut on off side under stirrup-leather, four-bar silver stirrups; value, £2 10s.

NEW PLYMOUTH.—Frederick Pepperell reports stolen from off his horse, on the 6th instant, an old bridle, end next to bit-ring broken and repaired, bit stamped "Perry and Ramson"; value, 17s. 6d.

WOODVILLE.—William Francis Henry Berkahn, of Mahara-hara, reports stolen from off his horse in Woodville, on the 3rd instant, a pigskin saddle, about six months in use, "Neagle, saddler, Danevirke," on flaps, flat knee-pads sewn on, two Ds on each side, holes of stirrup-leathers numbered, nickel-plated stirrups with three or four bars, split-leather girth, single-reined bridle with rings on each side, and to which the forehead band is attached, heavy iron snaffle-bit; value, £6 10s.

STRATFORD.—Adolf Ahfeld, of Ahfeld Brothers and Co., Dunedin, reports stolen from a case at the Eltham Railway-station, on the 29th or 30th ultimo, the following sample articles: Two cases, each containing three dozen gold-plated paste-diamond rings, marked 18k.; a case containing twelve wedding- and six keeper-rings, 9-carat gold; a plush photograph-album, light-grey colour, "Album" embossed on top; five gentlemen's silver albert guards, different patterns, German make; a ladies' green-snakeskin purse, 6in. by 2in., scale-marked; a ladies' crocodile-skin ditto, 5in. by 2in.; six ladies' leather purses, long patterns; about twelve purses, common patterns; a nickel alarm-clock, round, slightly dented on back of ring, inside of nickel is gilt (identifiable); a calendar alarm-clock, showing days of month; an aneroid barometer, the size of an ordinary nickel clock, glass cracked from top to bottom (identifiable); five bottles of "Crown Diamond Tan-boot Renovator"; three Turkey sponges; one dozen automatic ink-pencils; two sets of shoe-brushes; a plush-covered album, castle, knight, and swan embossed on front; three dozen steel key-rings, on cards; a No. 3 hair-clipper, Brown and Sharp's; six note-books, one very long, and covered with dark-maroon paper; a roll of cutlery, consisting of odd table- and dessert-knives, and knives and forks, cover about 24in. by 15in., and made of black leather, with blue-cloth lining (identifiable); a roll, containing a sample each of best electro-plated table, desert, and teaspoons and forks, all marked "Potosi, B. 2, E.B.," and a sample each of same things by Ashberry, all somewhat scratched; some mouth-organs, "M. Hohner" maker of two or three; six boxes of pens, some Perry's; a copy of "Bright Eyes" (a child's illustrated prize-book); four kitchen strainers, bottoms of fine-wire gauze; three chate-laines, steel, consisting of ring, short chain, and clasp for scissors, quite new in the colony: value, about £25.

WELLINGTON.—George Cochrane, crockery dealer, Cuba Street, reports stolen from his shop-door, about the 21st ultimo, a German-made barometer, medium size; value, £1 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—John Brown Lee, Styx, reports stolen from an outhouse, about the 27th ultimo, an old double-barrelled muzzle-loading gun, maker supposed Greenfield; value, £2.

CHRISTCHURCH.—James Peacock, Argyle Street, Sydenham, reports that on the 1st or 2nd instant his shop was broken into, and the following stolen: About twelve pairs of ladies' and children's goat shoes; about ten pairs of ladies' boots, calf and split; five pairs of men's bluchers and water-tights; and about twelve pairs of youths' and girls' assorted kid; all branded S.B. in a diamond: value, £16. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—George Watson reports stolen from his clothing at the Carisbrook Grounds, on the 31st ultimo, a Waterbury watch, silver chain, and small gold locket; value, £1 10s. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—John Ogg, hotelkeeper, South Dunedin, reports stolen from a washhouse, on the 27th or 28th ultimo, a double calico sheet, two single sheets, four boys' pink under-flannels, with white edging round necks; a white table-cloth, diamond pattern; a white tray-cloth, with pink border; three boys' shirts, two blue and white, the other grey; two white muslin pinafores, two pairs of children's drawers, and four plain white pillow-slips: value, £3.

GREYMOUTH.—Peter Cullen reports stolen from the railway-station, on the 25th ultimo, a swag consisting of a pair of dark-tweed trousers, two white-flannel shirts, a soft brown-felt hat, a black pilot-cloth overcoat with black-velvet collar, and two single grey blankets; value, £3.

HAVELOCK (MARLBOROUGH).—The Empire City Gold-mining Company report stolen from their battery-house at Wakamarina, between the 1st and 4th instant, a bench-vice, carpenters' square, saws, bits, and other tools; value, £5.

Deserting Wives and Families, &c.

WANGANUI.—Edward Griggs is charged on warrant with deserting his wife and two children since the 12th February last. Description: English, a barman or waiter, about twenty-six years of age, 5ft. 7in. high, dark hair and complexion, small brown moustache. He left for Wellington to look for work, and may go to Featherston, where his sister, Mrs. Davidson, keeps a boardinghouse.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, pages 37 and 47.)

NAPIER.—William Clements, charged with deserting his wife and child, has been arrested by Sergeant A. J. Mitchell, Hastings police, and remanded to Napier.

PAHIATUA.—Thomas Hughes is charged on warrant of commitment to the Terrace Gaol, Wellington, for three months for disobeying an order of Court to maintain his children in the Burnham Industrial School. Description: English, forty to forty-five years of age, slight active build, 5ft. 6in. or 7in. high, light-brown or ginger hair beard and moustache, sometimes shaves on chin or wears moustache only, small sharp deep-set eyes, rather hollow cheeks, nose rather flat; intemperate, very talkative and quarrelsome when in drink. Last heard of at Waitotara, in January of this year, and is well known to most of the police in the Taranaki District. Amount of arrears, £97 4s.

WELLINGTON.—Edward Johnston Murdoch is charged on warrant of commitment to the Terrace (Wellington) Gaol for two months in default of paying £42 7s., costs of an appeal against an order of the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court to pay 7s. 6d. a week towards the support of his illegitimate child by M. Daly. Offender is a native of New Zealand, a police constable, has been a bootmaker, twenty-seven years of age, 5ft. 10½in. high, medium build, fair hair, fair complexion, grey eyes, clean-shaved except slight fair moustache, rather prominent nose and cheekbones, has a habit of blinking his eyes when speaking, scar over forehead, smart appearance; dressed in a dark-tweed sac-suit, and hard drab or black hat. Two further warrants have been issued for his arrest, one for commitment to the same gaol for six months for failing to find security for payment of the order, the other for deserting his illegitimate child. He absconded from the Mount Cook Police-station during the night of the 12th instant.

WELLINGTON.—George Greenwood is charged on warrant with failing to provide for his two children since the 25th ultimo. Description: English, a commercial traveller, thirty-nine years of age, 5ft. 8in. high, ruddy complexion, hair inclined to be sandy, moustache only, stout build; usually wears a dark sac-suit and hard black-felt hat.

CHRISTCHURCH.—Herbert Malcolm Scott is charged on warrant with having deserted his child since the 25th ultimo. Description: A native of Hobart, Tasmania, a blacksmith, twenty-four years of age, medium build, very dark complexion, dark-brown eyes, clean-shaved. He spoke of going to Carterton, in the Wellington District.

CHRISTCHURCH.—John Leonard is charged on warrant with disobeying an order of Court to pay 5s. a week towards the support of his wife. Description: Irish, a brewer, fifty years of age, 5ft. 8in. high, slight build, sandy beard whiskers and moustache, brown hair, fair complexion, blue eyes. He is well known in Wanganui, and is said to have gone from there to Auckland. The sum of £7 5s. was in arrears on the 20th ultimo.

CHRISTCHURCH.—Thomas Yarr is charged on warrant with having deserted his wife since about the 25th ultimo. Description: A native of Belfast, Ireland; a barman and hotel-keeper, has also been a groom and coachman, thirty-seven years of age, 5ft. 5in. high, slight build, fair complexion, blue eyes, brown hair whiskers beard and moustache, cut short; leans his head forward when walking; usually wears a good brown-tweed sac-suit. Was licensee of the Southern Cross Hotel, Addington. He was heard of at Auckland on the 25th ultimo, and will probably endeavour to leave the colony.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, page 11.)

WELLINGTON.—Henry Feilding, charged with wife-desertion, has been arrested by Constable G. Wilson, Wellington police.

SYDNEY.—George William Dover is charged on warrant with having deserted his wife and child since November, 1894. Description: A native of Victoria, a bootmaker, twenty-five years of age, about 5ft. 6in. high, medium build, sallow complexion, light-brown hair, very small fair moustache, marks of old wounds on breast caused by an accident when swimming. He appears to have been employed for

about a week in December last by Mr. William Grant, dairyman, Ellerslie, Auckland, and was then going under the name of William Henderson, but no trace of him can now be obtained. If found he should be informed that unless he makes arrangements for paying £1 per week his arrest will be demanded. Photograph and warrant at Commissioner's office. (95/190.)

Deserters from Her Majesty's Service.

From H.M.S. "Katoomba," at Auckland.

On 4th March, 1895.

GEORGE HUXTABLE, private, Royal Marines, English, twenty-three years of age, 5ft. 5½in. high, brown hair, grey eyes, fresh complexion, small mole on upper lip, scar on left wrist and on left thigh.

On 12th March, 1895.

JOB HARPER, private, Royal Marines, English, twenty-two years of age, 5ft. 6½in. high, black hair, hazel eyes, fair complexion, scar between left thumb and forefinger.

A reward of £3 is offered for the arrest of each, in addition to £5 from the Colonial Government.

Horse- and Cattle-Stealing.

RAWENE (HOKIANGA).—Michael O'Connell, Taheke, reports stolen from the Punakitere Run, about the 1st January last, a red-and-white steer, two and a half years old; and a yearling heifer, colour red with a yellow mark about the size of half-a-crown at the back of the left fore-leg: value, £4 10s. Suspicion attached to William Smith and a Maori named Ngapeka. Both working on the Taheke gumfields, and well known to the police.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, pages 37, 47, and 55.)

HAMILTON.—James Neilson, charged with stealing Charles Newton Le Quesne's gelding (recovered), is now in Mount Eden Gaol, Auckland, awaiting trial for housebreaking at Helensville.

MARTON.—Neil Jansen, carter, reports stolen on the 30th or 31st ultimo, a chestnut mare, six years old, 14 hands high, white blaze down face, branded TUA on off rump, shod all round, value £8; a new colonial saddle, small knee-pads, gullet-plate broken, two white-web girths, value £2 5s.; and a single-reined bridle, with snaffle-bit, value 2s. 6d. Suspicion attached to Frederick E. Ventz, who was until recently in complainant's employ. Description: About thirty years of age, has been a sailor in the German navy, 6ft. high, stout build, swaggering gait, dark complexion, black hair whiskers moustache and full beard; dressed in a dark suit, black overcoat, and soft drab-felt hat. He was seen in Wellington on the 1st instant.

HASTINGS.—Thomas Murphy (may be a fictitious name) is charged on warrant with having, on the 20th ultimo, stolen a horse, saddle, and bridle, value £11 10s., the property of Henry George Ulph. Since recovered. Offender is supposed Irish, a labourer or station-hand, about thirty-five years of age, about 5ft. 11in. high, spoken of as a tall, thin man, clean-shaved except dark-sandy moustache, dark hair supposed to be turning grey, longish nose of Roman type, hollow cheeks, face said to be long and thin, with a somewhat wasted and careworn look, low weak voice; when last seen was wearing a dark-grey sac-coat and vest, brown-moleskin trousers, much worn at knees, one having been recently darned, soft black-felt hat, and grey shirt; shabby appearance; carried a white-canvas swag with billy attached. He sold the property to William Boothman, at Napier, on the 28th ultimo, for £7. A man answering his description left Napier on the following day by the s.s. "Tasmania" for Auckland, and went on to Sydney in the same vessel, under the name of Smith.

Missing Friends.

FRANK JOHN WALLER, also known as Frank John Williams, and sometimes as Harry Williams, is inquired for by the Dunedin police, with the view of compelling him to provide for his wife's support. Description: English, a carpenter and joiner, twenty-nine years of age, about 5ft. 4in. high, slight build, dark hair tinged with grey, dark-reddish moustache only, blue eyes, anchor tattooed on left arm above wrist, and a ring on one left finger, but wears a gold ring over the latter. Works at his trade in mills and at bridges.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1895, page 37.)

ALFRED WALTER BLYDE was seen in Napier on the 6th ultimo, and left on the same day for Hastings. He was going under the name of Frank Bevan, and was accompanied by two men, named Hayes and Fitzgerald.

Miscellaneous Information.

Resignation.

CONSTABLE JOHN THOMAS STEEL, No. 51.

District Constable appointed.

MORTON JOHN HARGREAVES has been sworn in as a district constable at Ohaeawai, Auckland District. (95/395.)

Dismissal.

EDWARD JOHNSTON MURDOCH, No. 610.

Transferred to Prisons Department.

CONSTABLE CHARLES PARKER, No. 520.

Rewards.

SERGEANT J. CULLEN, No. 194, and Constable J. Shearman, No. 534, Wanganui police, have been awarded £3 and £2 respectively for services in obtaining the conviction of C. Ashwin for sly grog-selling at Karioi. (95/420.)

CONSTABLE P. J. HERLIHY, No. 367, Waikaia police, has been awarded £2 for obtaining the conviction of Yong Ying, fined £10 and costs for sly grog-selling. (95/351.)

Extracts from New Zealand Gazette.

(From *Gazette*, 1895, pages 529, 554, 615, and 620.)

Inspector of Weights and Measures, County and Borough of Ashburton, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, 13th March, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable EDWARD EADE

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," and the Acts amending the same, for the County of Ashburton and for the Borough of Ashburton, *vice* Constable W. Watt, transferred.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Clerk of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,

Wellington, 14th March, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JAMES ULYSSES BROWNE

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Dargaville, from the 1st instant, *vice* Sergeant P. Black, transferred.

W. P. REEVES.

Inspectors of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,

Wellington, 20th March, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Inspectors under "The Factories Act, 1894," and to assign to them the districts set opposite their names, viz.:

| Name. | District. |
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| Constable JAMES ULYSSES BROWNE | The North Island of the Colony of New Zealand, and the islands adjacent thereto. |
| Constable EDWARD EADE | The South Island of the Colony of New Zealand, and the islands adjacent thereto. |

W. P. REEVES.

Coursing Season for Hares, and Shooting Season for Native Game, License-fee, &c., Southland District.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that hares may be taken or killed by coursing only within the Southland District, consisting of so much of the County of Southland as lies to the westward of the Mataura River, together with the Counties of Fiord, Wallace, and Stewart Island, excepting therefrom Resolution Island, off Dusky Sound, from the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to course hares within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of thirty shillings each, and that licenses to sell game and native game shall

be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Chief Postmaster at Invercargill is hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

And I do further declare that native game, excepting tui, huia, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the above-mentioned district from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both days inclusive.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this nineteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Coursing Season for Hares, and Shooting Season for Native Game, License-fee, &c., Inangahua District.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that hares may be taken or killed by coursing only within the Inangahua District, consisting of the County of Inangahua, from the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both days inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to course hares within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of ten shillings each, and that licenses to sell hares and native game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Postmaster at Reefton is hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

And I do further declare that native game, excepting tui, huia, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the above-mentioned district from the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both days inclusive.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Shooting Season for Native Game, Lake District.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that native game, excepting tui, huia, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the Lake District, consisting of the County of Lake, from the twelfth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to sell such native game within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Postmaster at Queenstown is hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Clerk of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 27th March, 1895.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable WILLIAM WATT

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Waimate, and also to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waitaki, from the 5th instant, *vice* Sergeant W. Gilbert, transferred.

W. P. REEVES.

Declaring Auckland Oyster Fishery and Subdivision within which Oysters may and may not be taken.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by section fifteen of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand,

do hereby declare the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters situated between a point on high-water mark of the sea due east of Trig. Station No. 29, on the south head of Whangaruru Harbour, to the northernmost point of the south head of Tairua Harbour, including the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters of any islands situated between the said points on the south head of Whangaruru Harbour and the south head of Tairua Harbour, excepting the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters of the Island of Kawau, to be an oyster fishery under the name of "The Auckland Oyster Fishery"; and I do hereby divide the same into three subdivisions, namely:—

1. The Whangarei Subdivision, which shall include the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters situated between the easternmost point of Bream Head and the eastern boundary-line of Section 91, Block I., Mangawai Survey District, on Bream Tail.

2. The Auckland Subdivision, which shall include the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters in the said oyster fishery between the eastern boundary-line of Section 91, Block I., Mangawai Survey District, on Bream Tail, and the northernmost point of the south head of Tairua Harbour, excepting the Great Barrier Island and the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters thereof.

3. The Great Barrier Subdivision, which shall include the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters of Great Barrier Island.

And I do hereby further declare and prescribe that it shall be lawful to take oysters, within the periods prescribed in that behalf, in the Great Barrier Subdivision aforesaid; and that it shall be unlawful to take oysters in the Whangarei and Auckland Subdivisions of the oyster fishery aforesaid. And, further, that the said oyster fishery and the several subdivisions thereof shall be marked out by distinguishing posts or marks (to be approved by the Collector of Customs at the Port of Auckland), in the manner provided by section twenty-six of the said Act, as nearly as may be.

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

W. P. REEVES.

Declaring Northern Oyster Fishery, and Subdivisions wherein Oysters may and may not be taken.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by section 15 of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters situated between a point on high-water mark due east of Trig. Station No. 29, on the South Head of Whangaruru Harbour and North Cape (including the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters of any islands situated between the said South Head of Whangaruru Harbour and North Cape), to be an oyster fishery under the name of "The Northern Oyster Fishery," and I do hereby divide the same into three subdivisions, namely:—

1. The Southern Subdivision, which shall extend from a point on high-water mark of the sea due east of Trig. Station No. 29, on the South Head of Whangaruru Harbour, to Ti Point, being the south side of the entrance to the River Waitangi, in the Bay of Islands, and shall include all the bays, estuaries, and tidal waters situated between these points.

2. The Middle Subdivision, which shall extend from Ti Point, being the south side of the entrance to the River Waitangi, in the Bay of Islands, to a point on high-water mark of the sea due east of Trig. Station No. 3, Mataka, near Cape Wiwiki, and shall include all bays, estuaries, and tidal waters situated between these points.

3. The Northern Subdivision, which shall extend from a point on high-water mark of the sea due east of Trig. Station No. 3, Mataka, near Cape Wiwiki, to North Cape, and shall include all bays, estuaries, and tidal waters situated between these points.

And I do hereby further declare and prescribe that it shall be lawful to take oysters, within the periods prescribed in that behalf, in the Middle and Northern Subdivisions aforesaid; and that it shall be unlawful to take oysters in the Southern Subdivision of the oyster fishery aforesaid. And, further, that the said oyster fishery and the several subdivisions thereof shall be marked out by distinguishing posts or marks (to be approved by the Collector or officer in charge of Customs at the Port of Russell), in the manner provided by section twenty-six of the said Act, as nearly as may be.

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

W. P. REEVES.

Shooting Season for Native Game, Kaikoura.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that native game, excepting tui, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the County of Kaikoura—except 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-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both days inclusive. And I do further notify that licenses to sell such native game within the said district shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Postmaster at Kaikoura is hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor,
this first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Shooting Season for Native Game, Westland County.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that native game, excepting tui, huia, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the Westland County (excepting Lake Mahinapua and the road reserve around the shores of the said lake, and Mahinapua Creek and the road reserves on either side of the said creek), from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both inclusive (subject nevertheless to the restrictions in the said Acts mentioned). And I do further notify that licenses to sell native game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Postmaster at Hokitika is hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor,
this first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Shooting Season for Imported and Native Game, Licensee, &c., Hawera District.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that cock pheasants and quail may be taken or killed within the Hawera District, consisting of the Counties of Hawera and Patea, from the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, 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 game and native game shall be issued on payment of the sum of five pounds each; and the Postmasters at Hawera and Patea are hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses.

And I do further declare that native game, excepting tui, huia, white heron, and crested grebe, may be taken or killed within the above-mentioned district from the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, both days inclusive.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor,
this first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

Tuatara Lizards protected under the Animals Protection Acts.

GLASGOW, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, I, David, Earl of Glasgow, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that, from and after the date hereof, the lizard known as tuatara (*Sphenodon punctatum*) shall come within the operation of the said Acts as fully and effectually as if it had been included in the Fourth Schedule to the said "Animals Protection Act, 1880."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor,
this first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

P. A. BUCKLEY.

RETURN OF PRISONERS TRIED AT THE SUPREME AND DISTRICT COURTS, 1895.

| Name. | Offence. | Where and when tried. | Sentence. |
|---|--|-----------------------------------|---|
| John Stewart Lett | Indecent assault | Dist. Court, Hawera, 19 Jan. | 9 mo's labour and 15 lashes. |
| William Ward | Housebreaking | Dist. Court, Oamaru, 17 Jan. | Acquitted. |
| Henry Knight | Shopbreaking and theft (3chgs) | Sup. Court, Timaru, 5 Feb. | 6 months' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| Alfred William Gaze | Forgery | " " " " | 9 months' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| John William Gould, <i>alias</i> Williams | Embezzlement (2 charges) } Horse-stealing and theft ... | " " " " | 6 months' probation. |
| Alfred Johnston | Thft from a dwelling | " " " " | 3 years' labour. |
| William Anderson | Sheep-stealing | " " " " | 4 years' labour. |
| James Henry Webb Robinson ... | " (2 charges) | " " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| Martin Carigg | " " " " | " " " " | 12 months' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| Frederick Schnier | Theft of wool... .. | " " " " | <i>Nolle prosequi</i> entered. |
| Jeremiah McCarthy | Murder | " " " " | Bill ignored. |
| Robert Curry | Housebreaking | " " " " | 12 months' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| Thomas Gallon, <i>alias</i> Gillon | Theft in a dwelling | " " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| Charles Jervons Pemberton ... | Attempted suicide | Sup. Court, Invercargill, 12 Feb. | Bound over to keep the peace for 6 months. |
| Joseph Henry Small | Forgery " | " " " " | 12 months' probation. |
| Peter Whitelaw | Theft | " " " " | " |
| Frank Mangan | Burglary | " " " " | 2 years' labour. |
| John Edmunds, <i>alias</i> Fitzgerald, <i>alias</i> Casey | " " " " | " " " " | Acquitted. |
| James Power | " " " " | " " " " | 2 years' labour. |
| Joseph Marisco | Indecent assault | " " " " | 12 months' probation. |
| Robert Ballantyne | Assault | " " " " | 13 Feb. |
| Charles Murdoch | Rape | " " " " | 14 Feb. |
| Joseph Thompson, <i>alias</i> McNamara | Horse-stealing and theft ... | Sup. Court, Napier, 12 Feb. | 2 years' labour (cumulative with sentence. See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1894, page 207). |
| Joseph M. Foggon, <i>alias</i> Mason ... | Housebreaking and theft (2 charges) | " " " " | 12, 13 Feb. |
| " " " " | Shopbreaking and theft ... | " " " " | " |
| " " " " | Breaking into a post-office, and theft | " " " " | " |
| James Studdon | Shopbreaking and theft ... | " " " " | <i>Nolle prosequi</i> entered. |
| " " " " | Housebreaking and theft (2 charges) | " " " " | 2 years' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| " " " " | Shopbreaking and theft ... | " " " " | <i>Nolle prosequi</i> entered. |
| John Russell, <i>alias</i> John Smith ... | " " " " | " " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| William McGregor | False pretences, attempted ... | " " " " | 12 Feb. |
| William Frederick Dennett ... | Breaking into a post-office, and theft | " " " " | 15 Feb. |
| Henry Dennett, <i>alias</i> Thomas Topping | " " " " | " " " " | Acquitted. |
| Karl Frithjof Mortensen... .. | False pretences (2 charges) ... | " " " " | 16 Feb. |
| John Restall " | Theft | " " " " | 4 mo's labour (concurrent). |
| " " " " | Attempted murder | " " " " | <i>Nolle prosequi</i> entered. |
| Watene Pohe, <i>alias</i> Renata | Horse-stealing | Sup. Court, Gisborne, 25 Feb. | 12 months' labour. |
| Wereta Woniata | " " " " | " " " " | " |
| Patrick Sheehan, <i>alias</i> Mooney ... | Housebreaking and theft (2 charges) | " " " " | 25, 26 Feb. |
| Pekama Rua, <i>alias</i> Rio Po | Forgery | " " " " | 25 Feb. |
| Richard Wallace | Housebreaking and theft ... | " " " " | 26 Feb. |
| Te Kooti Karatia | Horse-stealing | " " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| Henry James William Camp ... | " " " " | Sup. Court, Christchurch, 18 Feb. | 6 months' labour. |
| Robert John Galway, <i>alias</i> Galloway | Breaking and entering | " " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| John Charles Hamilton | " " " " | " " " " | Bill ignored. |
| William Hamilton | Horse-maiming | " " " " | " |
| Hugh Murray | " " " " | " " " " | 21 Feb. |
| Charles Langdon... .. | Attempted burglary | " " " " | 18 Feb. |
| George MacIaine... .. | Forgery and uttering (3 ch'ges) | " " " " | 12 months' probation. |
| Augustus Petersen | Theft | " " " " | 6 months' probation. |
| Albert Edward Pimm | Breaking and entering, and theft | " " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| Charles Henry Wagstaff | Wounding | " " " " | Bill ignored. |
| Peter Yansen | Forgery and uttering... .. | " " " " | 6 months' labour. |
| Frederick Schnier | Manslaughter | " " " " | 19 Feb. |
| William John Simmons, <i>alias</i> Parker, <i>alias</i> Russell | Forgery and uttering... .. | " " " " | 3 years' labour. |
| John Frederick William Bethke... .. | Cutting and wounding | " " " " | To come up when called on. |
| Charles Edwin Henry Collins ... | Theft | " " " " | 4 months' labour. |
| George Moison, <i>alias</i> Collis, <i>alias</i> Davis, <i>alias</i> Murphy | " " " " | " " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| William Langley Fowler | Sheep-stealing | " " " " | 21 Feb. |
| Charles Langdon | Shooting with intent | " " " " | 6 months' labour. |
| John Stanton | Assault | " " " " | Acquitted. |
| James Doyle | " " " " | " " " " | 3 months' labour. |
| William Hamill | Assault and robbery | " " " " | 22 Feb. |
| Joseph Wilson, <i>alias</i> J. Johnstone, <i>alias</i> Edelman, <i>alias</i> Huddleston | Breaking and entering, and theft | " " " " | Acquitted. |
| Louis Albert Elerig | Attempted suicide | Dis. Court, Wanganui, 4 Mar. | Acquitted. |
| Ah Wah | Theft | Sup. Court, Dunedin, 4 Mar. | Bill ignored. |
| John Bent | Housebreaking | " " " " | 6 months' labour. |
| George Gardiner... .. | " " " " | " " " " | 6 months' labour } cumulative. |
| " " " " | Receiving | " " " " | 3 months' labour } tive. |
| Thomas Alexander | Theft | " " " " | 12 months' probation. |
| George Henderson | Attempted suicide | " " " " | To come up when called on. |
| Alfred Smith | Housebreaking | " " " " | 2 months' labour. |
| Bella Fraser | Theft | " " " " | 6 months' probation. |
| John Blackwood Howie | Breach of trust | " " " " | 2 years' probation. |
| Charles Hoseman | Theft | " " " " | 3 months' labour. |
| Walter Dunshea | Housebreaking and theft ... | " " " " | 6 months' labour. |
| James McLaren | " " " " | " " " " | 3 years' labour. |
| Richard Green | " " " " | " " " " | 2 years' labour. |
| Daniel Joseph McGuire | " " " " | " " " " | Acquitted. |
| Robert Warrington | Assault, causing bodily harm | " " " " | 5 Mar. |
| Jacob Vanstein | Arson | " " " " | 6 Mar. |
| John Walsh | Assault with intent to rob ... | Sup. Court, Wellington, 4 Mar. | 2 months' labour. |
| Richard Brooks | " " " " | " " " " | 5 years' labour. |
| Henry McLaughlan | Attempted theft from the person | " " " " | Bill ignored. |
| Frederick Windsor, <i>alias</i> Smith, <i>alias</i> Boyd, <i>alias</i> Pudgwick | Assault with intent to rob ... | " " " " | " |
| William A. Noon | Forgery | " " " " | 4 months' labour. |
| Jeremiah Dunn | Housebreaking, breaking and entering | " " " " | 2 years' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| Harry Walters, <i>alias</i> "Dutch Harry" | Theft | " " " " | 2 years' labour. |
| Joseph Mason | " " " " | " " " " | 3 years' labour on each charge (concurrent, but cumulative on sentence now being served). |
| James Studdon | Burglary (2 charges) | " " " " | 5 Mar. |
| Joseph Mason | " " " " | " " " " | 2 years' each (concurrent with above). |
| James Studdon | Theft | " " " " | " |

RETURN OF PRISONERS TRIED AT THE SUPREME AND DISTRICT COURTS, 1895—*contd.*

| Name. | Offence. | Where and when tried. | Sentence. |
|--|---|-----------------------------------|---|
| Henry Graham, <i>alias</i> Goodward... | Extorting money by threats... | Sup. Court, Wellington, 1895. | Acquitted. |
| Duncan Calvert Monteith ... | Forgery (2 charges) ... | " " 5 Mar. | 1 year's labour on each charge (cumulative). |
| John Fairbairn ... | Theft ... | " " 6 Mar. | Acquitted. |
| John Cummings ... | Fraudulent bankruptcy ... | " " 8 Mar. | " |
| Thomas Shaffery and John Doyle ... | Theft from the person ... | " " " | 18 months' labour. |
| George Todd ... | Assault causing bodily harm | " " " | 6 months' labour. |
| Jeremiah Crawley ... | | " " " | 18 months' labour. |
| Jeremiah Kelly ... | | " " " | 9 months' labour. |
| Robert William Mountain ... | | " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| John Callaghan ... | | " " " | 6 months' labour. |
| David Shannon ... | Entering a dwelling with intent to commit a crime | " " 13 Mar. | Acquitted. |
| Arthur Poulson ... | | " " " | " |
| Michael Knight ... | | " " 9 Mar. | " |
| Charles Westbrook ... | | " " " | " |
| Patrick Moloney ... | Perjury ... | " " 11 Mar. | " |
| Arthur O'Connell ... | Assault, occasioning bodily harm | " " 12 Mar. | " |
| William Thomas ... | Manslaughter ... | " " 13 Mar. | " |
| Joseph Traynor ... | False pretences ... | " " " | 4 months' labour. |
| Charles Gordon Faithful ... | Theft ... | " " " | <i>Nolle prosequi</i> entered. |
| Joe Way ... | " ... | " " " | " |
| Charles Gordon Faithful ... | " ... | " " " | " |
| Kwong Wort Sam ... | " ... | " " " | " |
| Jenny Joe, <i>alias</i> Willie Sa, <i>alias</i> John Berry | False pretences (2 charges) ... | Sup. Court, Oamaru, 12 Mar. | 1 month's labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| Thomas Moses ... | Shopbreaking and theft ... | " " " | To come up when called on. |
| Richard Hodgetts, <i>alias</i> Thomas Fletcher, <i>alias</i> Thomas Wilson ... | Housebreaking ... | " " " | 18 mo's' labour (cumulative with sentence). (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1894, page 168.) |
| Robert Henry Rout ... | Theft ... | " " " | Acquitted. |
| Charles Alexander Johnston ... | Manslaughter ... | " " " | Bill ignored. |
| Michael Leahy ... | Perjury ... | Sup. Court, Blenheim, 13 Mar. | Fined £25 or 3 months' lab'r. |
| Alice Cundy ... | Attempted suicide ... | " " " | Bill ignored. |
| Victor Nordstrom ... | False pretences ... | " " " | 4 months' labour. |
| James Breen ... | Theft (2 charges) ... | Sup. Court, Nelson, 20 Mar. | 18 months' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| Albert Brown ... | Maiming sheep ... | " " " | Bill ignored. |
| Thomas Berkett ... | Housebreaking and theft ... | " " " | To come up when called on. |
| " ... | Attempted rape ... | " " " | Acquitted. |
| " ... | Common assault ... | " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| Albert Asher ... | Housebreaking and theft ... | Sup. Court, Auckland, 12 Mar. | 12 months' probation. |
| Emily Collins ... | Shopbreaking and theft ... | " " " | " |
| James McAllister ... | Uttering a forgery ... | " " " | 2 years' labour. |
| Charles Frederick Hill, <i>alias</i> D. McLeod | Theft ... | " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| Robert Thomas Williamson ... | Horse-stealing ... | " " " | 12 months' probation. |
| Elizabeth Rogers ... | Attempted suicide ... | " " " | Bound over for 12 months. |
| Haki Tukaramaene ... | Cattle-stealing ... | " " " | 9 months' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| Herbert Vinnicombe, <i>alias</i> John Smith | Forgery ... | " " " | " |
| Henry Robinson ... | Housebreaking and theft ... | " " " | 12 months' probation. |
| Joseph Clarke ... | Theft ... | " " " | 18 months' labour. |
| Robert James March ... | Housebreaking and theft (2 charges) | " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| Peita Kawau ... | Shop-breaking and theft ... | " " " | 12 months' labour on each charge (concurrent). |
| John Whorskey ... | Housebreaking and theft (2 charges) | " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| John Francis Wilson ... | Arson ... | " " " | 12 months' probation. |
| Thomas Williams ... | " ... | " " " | " |
| Henry Wilmott, <i>alias</i> Walton, <i>alias</i> Charles Jackson | Housebreaking and theft ... | " " " | Bill ignored. |
| Henry Wilson, <i>alias</i> William Wylie | Theft ... | " " 13 Mar. | 18 months' labour. |
| William Hutchison ... | " ... | " " " | Acquitted. |
| Donald McPherson ... | Uttering a forgery ... | " " " | 3 years' labour. |
| George Norman, <i>alias</i> Charles Johnston... | Forgery and uttering... | " " " | 4 years' labour. |
| John McKenzie ... | Killing a bull ... | " " 14 Mar. | Acquitted. |
| Charles Lawrence ... | Arson ... | " " 14, 15 Mar. | " |
| Peter Bailey ... | Housebreaking and theft ... | " " 15, 16 Mar. | " |
| Walter Welsh ... | " ... | " " " | (18 months' labour. |
| Paraone Pairama ... | Theft ... | " " 18, 19 Mar. | " |
| Wiremu Parone ... | " ... | " " " | 12 months' probation. |
| Frederick Edwin Good ... | Cattle-stealing ... | " " 20 Mar. | 12 months' labour. |
| Beverley Pearson ... | " ... | " " " | 8 years' labour. |
| Walter Lydiard ... | Attempted sodomy ... | " " 20, 21 Mar. | 1 year's labour. |
| John Herrington, James Hay, William Courtenay, Albert Dryland, Robert Guy, Samuel Given, Thomas Kerwin | Perjury ... | " " 21, 22 Mar. | 12 months' probation. |
| Ah Mow ... | Bestiality ... | " " 25 Mar. | 2 years' labour. |
| John Hampton, <i>alias</i> Munro, <i>alias</i> Edmondson | Theft ... | Dis. Court, Invercargill, 29 Mar. | 3 months' labour. |
| Samuel Rowling, <i>alias</i> Northey ... | False pretences ... | Sup. Court, Wanganui, 29 Mar. | 12 months' labour. |
| Charles Daniel Roberts, <i>alias</i> James Lewis, <i>alias</i> Morton, &c. | " ... | " " " | 6 months' labour. |
| Thomas Horan ... | Horse-stealing ... | " " " | 12 months' labour. |
| " Little ... | " ... | " " " | Acquitted. |
| Thomas Brooking ... | " ... | " " 30 Mar. | 12 months' labour. |
| Patrick Cockery ... | " ... | " " " | 9 months' labour. |
| " Cosgrove ... | Attempting to carnally know a girl | " " 1 April | 4 years' labour. |
| Thomas Cosgrove ... | Ditto ... | " " " | <i>Nolle prosequi.</i> |
| George Friend ... | Robbery with violence ... | " " 2 April | 2 years' labour. |
| Ferdinand William Bernecker ... | " ... | " " " | 15 months' labour. |
| Edward Vernon Jones ... | Forgery ... | Sup. Court, NewPlymouth, 3 April | 6 months' labour. |
| " ... | " ... | " " " | 12 months' labour. |

RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE FORTNIGHT ENDED 6TH APRIL, 1895.

| Gaol. | Name. | Where tried. | When. | Offence. | Sentence. | Native of | Trade. | Born. | Complexion. | Hair. | Eyes. | Nose. | Photographed, and Date. | Remarks, and Previous Convictions. |
|-------------|---|---------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------|-------|----------------|---------------------------|----------|-----------------|-------------------------|---|
| Auckland | Thomas McDonald | Auckland | Aug. 28, 1893 | wounding | 2 years | Ireland | porter | 1840 | fair, freckled | light brown, turning grey | blue | long | Auckl'd, 25-3-95 | 2 p.c. Arms and hands freckled. (See Police Gazette, 1891, page 80.) |
| Auckland | William Francis Goodison | Auckland | Feb. 26, 1893 | theft | 1 month | N. Zealand | labourer | 1868 | fair | black | grey | medium | Auckl'd, 25-3-95 | An athlete; scar right side of chin; mole on left shoulder. |
| Auckland | Reuben Teddy | Auckland | Mar. 19, 1893 | default of maintenance | 6 months, or sur'ties | America | jockey | 1872 | fresh | light brown | dk. blue | medium | ... | Scar back of head. Sureties found. |
| Auckland | Kerei Kaihau | Auckland | June 4, 1894 | obstructing police | 12 months | N. Zealand | ... | 1840 | lt. copper | black | brown | broad | ... | 3 p.c. KEREL on left arm. (See Police Gazette, 1893, page 50.) |
| Auckland | Wharau Rapata | Auckland | June 4, 1894 | cattle-stealing | 12 months | N. Zealand | labourer | 1872 | lt. copper | black | dark br. | long | Auckl'd, 27-3-95 | Three-quarter-caste Maori; RAPATA on left arm; burn-scar on throat. |
| Auckland | James Moore | Auckland | June 4, 1894 | breaking and entering, and receiving | 12 months | Ireland | ... | 1862 | swarthy | dark brown | brown | crooked | Auckl'd, 25-3-95 | 4 p.c. Two upper front teeth out; flesh-lump at left side of neck. (See Police Gazette, 1888, page 106.) |
| Auckland | David Healey | Auckland | Mar. 16, 1895 | false pretence | 14 days | Auckland | fish-curer | 1864 | fresh | dark brown | dk. grey | small | ... | 6 p.c. Cross on right arm; HBB, &c., on left arm; scar on nose; two upper front teeth. |
| Auckland | William John Paine | Auckland | June 4, 1894 | forging and uttering (charges) | 12 months | India | commission agent | 1863 | fresh | black | brown | medium | Auckl'd, 28-12-03 | 3 p.c. Large mouth; two tattoo-marks on left arm. |
| Auckland | Leopold Ackland Christian | Mangonui | June 19, 1893 | theft (6 charges) false pretence | 9 months | Norfolk Is. | seaman | 1864 | dark | black | blue | large | Auckl'd, 2-4-95 | Slender build; star, pierced heart, &c., on right arm; L. A. Christian, &c., on left arm; anchor on each leg. |
| Auckland | Paul Charlton Purchase | Auckland | Aug. 28, 1893 | larceny as a bailee | 2 years | Africa | porter | 1861 | fresh | black | grey | medium | ... | 3 p.c. Right hand off. Arrested 21st March, 1895. |
| Auckland | James Henry Williams | Opotiki | Jan. 5, 1895 | theft | 3 months | Scotland | bushman and seaman | 1868 | fresh | black | hazel | medium | Auckl'd, 2-4-95 | Scar on left wrist; four dots on left hand; scout build. |
| N. Plymouth | Mary McKirdy | Hawera | Dec. 29, 1894 | vagrancy | 3 months | Scotland | prostitute | 1865 | fresh | light brown | brown | medium | ... | 1 p.c. |
| N. Plymouth | Annie Hope Lloyd | Hawera | Mar. 8, 1895 | drunkenness | 24 hours | N. Zealand | prostitute | 1854 | fair | brown | grey | medium | ... | Left little finger crooked. |
| Napier | Robert Harkness | Napier | Mar. 5, 1895 | habitual drunkenness | 3 weeks | Ireland | labourer | 1840 | dark | grey | hazel | large, broken | ... | Repeatedly convicted. Bald; scar on forehead. |
| Napier | John Curran, alias Daniel Curran | Danvirke | Feb. 27, 1895 | resisting police | 1 month | Ireland | labourer | 1860 | fresh, sandy | light sandy | grey | thick | ... | Previously convicted. Wide mouth; right thumb-joint injured. |
| Napier | Frederick Stuart Bates | Napier | Mar. 25, 1895 | drunkenness | 14 days | N. Zealand | labourer | 1871 | fair | light brown, thin | grey | thick, straight | ... | Scar on left arm; bolt-mark at back of neck. |
| Napier | John, alias Andrew Anderson, alias Strain, alias Cameron, &c. | Woodville | Mar. 20, 1895 | abduction | 14 days | Scotland | tailor | 1834 | dark | black, turning grey | brown | large, bent | N. Ply'th, 23-1-92 | Repeatedly convicted. Wide mouth; pointed chin. |
| Wanganui | Carrie Hope | Wanganui | Jan. 3, 1895 | vagrancy | 3 months | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | See Police Gazette, 1895, page 7. |
| Wanganui | John Thomas West | Palmerston N. | Feb. 22, 1895 | trespass | 1 month | England | labourer | 1871 | fresh | sandy | grey | pointed | ... | JH on right arm. |
| Wanganui | David McKerras | Wanganui | Mar. 25, 1895 | theft | 14 days | Auckland | carpenter | 1872 | fresh | brown | grey | pointed | ... | Repeatedly convicted. (See Police Gazette, 1895, page 7.) |
| Wanganui | John Casey | Palmerston N. | Mar. 26, 1895 | habitual drunkenness | 7 days | Ireland | labourer | 1863 | sallow | black | brown | broken | ... | 2 p.c. PT on left arm; scar on right temple. (See Police Gazette, 1889, page 120.) |
| Wanganui | Robert Newman | Palmerston N. | Mar. 26, 1895 | breach of by-laws | 48 hours | England | labourer | 1841 | fresh | light brown | grey | medium | ... | Gone to Sydney. See Police Gazette, 1894, page 200. |
| Wanganui | Charles Brooks, alias John Hunter, alias George Kossor | Wanganui | Dec. 31, 1894 | vagrancy | 3 months | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Two anchors on left arm. |
| Wellington | James Anderson | Oamaru | Sept. 10, 1889 | shopbreaking & theft | 7 years | England | sailor | 1869 | florid | dark brown | brown | large | Well'n, 4-2-93 | Anchor on right wrist; cast on right eye. Sureties found. |
| Wellington | John Dixon | Wellington | Dec. 26, 1894 | vagrancy | 3 months | England | labourer | 1822 | sallow | grey | grey | medium | ... | 3 p.c. Bullet wounds on left side and ankle. |
| Wellington | George Simes | Wellington | Jan. 31, 1895 | assault | 2 months | England | ... | 1874 | dark | dark | brown | medium | ... | 1895, page 172.) |
| Wellington | William Johnston | Wellington | Mar. 20, 1895 | insulting language | 6 months, or sur'ties | England | plumber | 1855 | dark | dark | grey | medium | ... | Scar on nose. (See Police Gazette, 1889, page 59.) |
| Wellington | John Bright | Wellington | Mar. 4, 1895 | theft | 1 month | N. Zealand | carpenter | 1841 | dark | brown | grey | medium | ... | Blue mark on right thumb; scar on left arm; large burn on belly. |
| Wellington | John Knox Purvis | Wellington | Mar. 4, 1895 | habitual drunkenness | 1 month | Scotland | labourer | 1853 | fair | light brown | grey | large | ... | Ballet-scar on right arm; cut-mark on head. |
| Wellington | Alexander Ross | Wellington | Mar. 23, 1895 | drunkenness | 24 hours | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | A Maori. |
| Wellington | Angus Black | Wellington | Mar. 27, 1895 | obscene language | fine, or 7 days | Scotland | bootmaker | 1876 | fresh | brown | brown | medium | ... | |
| Wellington | Peter Moreoney | Wellington | Mar. 27, 1895 | theft | fine, or 7 days | N. Zealand | labourer | 18-8 | fair | fair, curly | grey | medium | ... | |
| Wellington | Jack Warren | Wellington | Mar. 27, 1895 | obscene language | 7 days | N. Zealand | labourer | 1837 | dark | black and grey | brown | flat | ... | |

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| Wellington | John Stacy, <i>alias</i> Tracey | Wellington | April 1, 1895 | assault | ... fine | ... Ireland | labourer and baker | 1860 | ft. in. 5 5 1/2 | sallow | brown | grey | medium | ... | Left little finger contracted. |
| Wellington | Annie Sherwin | Wellington | Mar. 19, 1895 | obscene language | ... 14 days | ... Australia | ... | 1849 | 5 2 | fair | brown & grey | brown | small | Well'n, 15-7-93 | ... |
| Nelson | James Collins, <i>alias</i> Kearney | Wellington | Aug. 28, 1893 | assault and robbery | ... 2 years | ... Victoria | labourer | 1850 | 5 7 | fresh | dark brown and grey | grey | medium | ... | Several p.c. Anchor on right arm; mole on left cheek; cut on right arm. 3 p.c. Scald on breast. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1893, page 188.) |
| Pictou | Henry James Worthy-lake | Blenheim | Feb. 27, 1895 | assault | ... fine, or 1 month | ... England | gardener | 1847 | 5 6 1/2 | sandy | fair and grey | brown | large | ... | Blue spot on right eyebrow; large mouth; slight build. Scar below left knee. |
| Pictou | James Andrell | Blenheim | Mar. 7, 1895 | assault | ... fine, or 1 month | ... England | miner | 1837 | 5 8 | fresh | dark brown, turning grey | brown | medium | ... | Slight build; scar on nose. |
| Pictou | James Meach | Blenheim | April 4, 1895 | drunkenness (2 chgs) | ... fine, or 24 hours | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1873 | 5 7 1/2 | fresh | dark | brown | medium | ... | Maltose cross, heart, &c., on right wrist; anchor on left hand; emblem on left hand; tattooing on each arm. |
| Westport | Margaret Lamplough | Westport | Feb. 18, 1895 | obscene language | ... 48 hours | ... Ireland | wife | 1867 | 5 5 | fresh | fair | hazel | medium | ... | 6 p.c. Small mole under right jaw; scar on left cheek; dimple on chin; H.O.G. on left wrist; Nettie on right arm. |
| Lytelton | Thomas White | Ashburton | Mar. 25, 1895 | drunkenness | ... 1 month | ... Victoria | labourer | 1873 | 5 7 | fresh | brown | blue | medium | ... | Three indistinct tattoo-marks on left arm. Has been an inmate of Sunnyside Asylum. |
| Lytelton | James Monteith | Christchurch | Mar. 26, 1895 | assault and robbery | ... discharged | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1876 | 5 7 1/2 | fair | auburn | blue | small | ... | Second left fingernail broken; scar on bridge of nose. Dark speck on left eye. |
| Lytelton | Arthur Frederick Stuart, <i>alias</i> Henry Percy Fisher, <i>alias</i> Harry Osborn Gilbert, &c. | Christchurch | May 30, 1892 | forgery and uttering (2 charges) | ... 4 years | ... England | labourer | 1865 | 5 5 1/2 | fair | light brown | grey | medium | ... | See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1890, page 171. |
| Lytelton | Herbert Williams | Christchurch | Jan. 28, 1895 | default of maintenance | ... 2 months | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1871 | 5 5 1/2 | fresh | brown | grey | medium | ... | 3 p.c. |
| Lytelton | Charles Stock | Timaru | Dec. 31, 1894 | vagrancy | ... 3 months | ... England | tinplate-worker | 1852 | 5 7 1/2 | fresh | dark brown | blue | medium | ... | 7 p.c. |
| Lytelton | Walter Jesson | Akaroa | Jan. 4, 1895 | indecent exposure | ... 3 months | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1862 | 5 5 1/2 | fresh | brown | blue | long | ... | Right leg paralysed. |
| Lytelton | Alfred Hunter, <i>alias</i> Haynes | Christchurch | Feb. 25, 1895 | false pretences (3 chs) | ... 42 days | ... N. Zealand | gardener | 1862 | 5 6 1/2 | fair | dark brown | lt. grey | medium | ... | See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1895, page 31. |
| Timaru | John Heelan | Timaru | Mar. 16, 1895 | resisting police | ... 14 days | ... Ireland | labourer | 1859 | 5 5 1/2 | dark | black | grey | broad | ... | Front teeth out. |
| Dunedin | William McMurray, <i>alias</i> Murray | Oamaru | Dec. 27, 1894 | vagrancy | ... 3 months | ... Ireland | cook | 1838 | 5 4 | fresh | grey | blue | medium | ... | Face and nose very blotchy. |
| Dunedin | Elizabeth Johnston | Dunedin | Jan. 4, 1895 | drunkenness | ... 3 months | ... England | prostitute | 1858 | 5 1 | dark | black | dark br. | large | ... | Large mouth. |
| Dunedin | George A. Strike | Oamaru | Jan. 24, 1895 | assault | ... fine, or 2 months | ... Guernsey | cordial-maker | 1842 | 5 6 1/2 | fresh | dark, turning grey | brown | large | ... | Thick lips. |
| Dunedin | William McNab | Dunedin | Mar. 2, 1895 | drunkenness | ... 1 month | | ... | 1842 | 5 6 1/2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Ship on breast; MSDJSF on left arm. |
| Dunedin | John Lewis | Dunedin | Mar. 13, 1895 | larceny (2 charges) | ... 14 days | ... England | cook | 1838 | 5 7 1/2 | fresh | grey | hazel | large | ... | Pockmarked. |
| Dunedin | William Archibald | Dunedin | Mar. 19, 1895 | larceny | ... 14 days | ... England | draper | 1876 | 5 8 1/2 | sallow | brown | lt. blue | large | ... | Large mouth; two scars on forehead. |
| Dunedin | John A. Docherty | Dunedin | Mar. 25, 1895 | larceny of money | ... discharged | ... N. Zealand | milkmán | 1872 | 5 2 1/2 | fresh | brown | blue | medium | ... | Large mouth; scar on left eye and on left thumb. |
| Dunedin | Edward Edwards | Dunedin | Mar. 26, 1895 | breach of the peace | ... fine, or 7 days | ... America | labourer | 1858 | 5 7 1/2 | fresh | light brown | hazel | medium | ... | Broad chin; small scar on left cheek. |
| Dunedin | Charles Eveson | Dunedin | Mar. 29, 1895 | larceny | ... 3 months probation | ... Norway | seaman | 1863 | 5 3 | fresh | brown | blue | large | ... | Part of left third finger off. |
| Invercargill | William O'Brien | Gore | Feb. 28, 1895 | assault | ... fine, or 1 month | ... Ireland | farmer | 1849 | 5 3 | fresh | grey | blue | broad | ... | T.L. on left arm. |
| Invercargill | John McCann | Invercargill | April 1, 1895 | disorderly behaviour | ... fine and costs | ... Ireland | labourer | 1855 | 5 6 | fair | fair to grey | blue | medium | ... | Fine paid. |
| Invercargill | Martin Murray | Invercargill | April 2, 1895 | larceny | ... 24 hours to come up when called on | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1878 | 5 3 1/2 | fresh | dark brown | brown | medium | ... | ... |
| Invercargill | Thomas Keating | Invercargill | April 2, 1895 | larceny | ... to come up when called on | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1877 | 5 4 | dark | dark | grey | medium | ... | ... |
| Shortland | William Bridson | Thames | Mar. 21, 1895 | indecentcy | ... 7 days | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1877 | 5 5 1/2 | fresh | dark | grey | medium | ... | ... |
| Shortland | Thomas Woods | Thames | Mar. 21, 1895 | indecentcy | ... 7 days | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1878 | 5 4 1/2 | sallow | dark | grey | medium | ... | ... |
| Shortland | Arthur Lomas | Thames | Mar. 25, 1895 | theft | ... 7 days | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1877 | 5 8 1/2 | fresh | dark | brown | medium | ... | ... |
| Gisborne | John Whitcombe | Gisborne | April 2, 1895 | lunacy from drink | ... discharged | ... England | commercial traveller | 1859 | 5 5 1/2 | dark | dark brown | grey | medium | ... | ... |
| Gisborne | Hoeana Porourangi | Gisborne | Mar. 27, 1895 | theft | ... 6 months' probation | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1877 | 5 6 1/2 | copper | black | brown | large, flat | ... | ... |
| Gisborne | Take Kerekere | Gisborne | April 15, 1895 | assault | ... fine, or 7 days | ... N. Zealand | labourer | 1860 | 5 6 | copper | black | brown | flat | ... | ... |