



# 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 theft or suspected of theft, it should be stated whether the property stolen, or any portion of it, has been recovered.

A description of property supposed to be stolen, found in the possession of offenders, for which owners cannot be found, should be furnished for insertion in the *Gazette*.

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## PERSONS WANTED

AUCKLAND.—Between 30th ultimo and 8th instant, on warrant for false pretences, **G. Ennis**, age thirty-two, height 6 ft., fresh complexion, clean-shaved, dark-brown hair, brown eyes, thick nose, athletic build, short-sighted (wears glasses); wearing dark sac suit, hard black hat. Is identical with **George Henry Ennis**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1900, page 206.) Offender obtained certain sums, amounting to £5 10s., from Peter Reilly by falsely representing that he had £150 to his credit in the National Bank of New Zealand, Auckland. Other charges pending.

AUCKLAND.—12th instant, on warrant for deserting his wife, **Gordon Heintz Hartley**, age twenty-two or twenty-three, medium height, grocer's assistant, native of England, medium build, slightly bow-legged, brown eyes, black hair, clean-shaved. Was working for a Mrs. Parkinson, Midhurst, near Stratford, during latter end of November. He is well known in New Plymouth.

AUCKLAND.—12th instant, on warrant for failing to provide for the future maintenance of his unborn legitimate child, **Dan O'Leary**, age about twenty-one, height 5 ft. 10 in. or 11 in., plumber, native of New Zealand, medium build, clean-shaved, fresh complexion, brown eyes, auburn hair. Last seen at Hamilton, six weeks ago, and was then working at the hospital. Parents reside at Wanganui or New Plymouth. He may endeavour to leave New Zealand. Complainant, Lettie McWilliams.

AUCKLAND.—13th ultimo, on warrant for failing to provide for the maintenance of his illegitimate child, **Charles**

**Palmer**, age twenty-four or twenty-five, height 5 ft. 7½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, dark complexion, black hair, very prominent blue eyes, probably dressed in dark-blue worsted suit. May go to Wanganui to work on tramway. Parents reside at Mangapai. Complainant, Ethel May Taylor.

AUCKLAND.—17th ultimo, on warrant for disobeying an order of the Court to pay 10s. per week for the maintenance of his wife, **John Henry Jones**, age twenty-eight, height about 5 ft. 9 in., carter, slight build, fair hair and complexion, blue eyes, clean-shaved, has only one front tooth in upper jaw, large projecting ears. Arrears due up to 26th October last, £2 1s.

AUCKLAND.—2nd July last, that he may be compelled to provide for the maintenance of his five children, inmates of the Auckland Industrial School, **Joseph Allen Clarke**, alias **Newland**, alias **Conn**, age forty-nine, height 5 ft. 7½ in., labourer and gum-digger, native of New Zealand, medium build, black hair, grey eyes, long thin nose, mole on back of neck. (See *Police Gazette*, 1900, page 168, and 1905, pages 1 and 133.)

ROTORUA.—20th ultimo, on warrant for theft of £3, **J. A. McCulloch**, age thirty-three, height 5 ft. 6 in. or 7 in., accountant, native of England, slight build, fresh complexion, fair moustache; dressed in dark clothes, fancy vest, soft green-felt hat with small feather in band; very fond of drink. He was agent for Frederick Hayes, carpenter, and received £3 for rent from Mrs. J. A. Laing, and has failed to account for same. Supposed to have gone to Auckland.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—25th ultimo, on warrant for false pretences, **G. H. Carvosso**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 7 in., clerk and traveller, native of New Zealand, slim build, pale complexion, fair hair, clean-shaved; was dressed in a grey suit and cap. Offender tendered a cheque for £2 drawn on the National Bank of New Zealand at Wanganui to H. W. Scott, chemist. It was returned marked "No account." His parents reside at Dunedin. Other charges pending.

WELLINGTON.—16th ultimo, on warrant for deserting his children, **Maurice Daniel Paulmeir**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 6½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark hair, fair complexion, blue eyes, fair moustache; dressed in dark clothes and hard hat. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, pages 499 and 525.) Complainant, Dorothy Paulmeir.

WELLINGTON.—13th instant, on warrant for failing to comply with an order of the Court to provide for the maintenance of his step-child, **James Malachy Sheridan**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 8½ in., carpenter, native of New Zealand, dark complexion, black hair, brown eyes, large nose, two scars on left wrist, scar on right temple, small birth-mark

on left thumb, scar on left side of head. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, pages 39, 47, 95, 156.) Arrears due up to the 12th October last, £1 4s.

WELLINGTON.—14th instant, on warrant for forgery and uttering, **Walter Rogers** (name probably fictitious), age about twenty-five, height about 5 ft. 10 in., rather slight build, clean-shaved, long sharp features, hollow cheeks, dark complexion, dark hair, looks like a labourer; dressed in shabby dark-tweed clothes, black slouch hat, soft coloured shirt with soft collar, shabby white-coloured tie. Offender forged the name of James Neave to a cheque for £20 on Bank of Australasia, Wellington, and uttered same to Horace Lloyd, jeweller. He also uttered a cheque for £16 to Walter Lewis Jenness, jeweller, Wellington, in payment for a silver hunting keyless chronograph Arosa watch, No. 131376, and may be found wearing it. He also signed the name of Jos. Marchant to another cheque. Other charges pending.

LYTTELTON.—16th instant, on warrant for deserting the s.s. "Gowanburn," being a prohibited immigrant, **Chow Sang**, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 5 in., ship's steward, native of China, stout build; was wearing clothes too large for him, has an overcoat with him; slovenly appearance. A reward of £10 will be paid for his apprehension.

CHRISTCHURCH.—7th instant, on warrant for theft of a gold neck-chain and cross, value £2 10s. 6d. (recovered), property of Mary Farrell, nurse, **J. Sturmev** (name probably fictitious), age about twenty-five, height about 5 ft. 8 in. or 9 in., medium build, dark hair and complexion, clean-shaved; wearing dark-blue coat and vest and hard hat.

CHRISTCHURCH.—11th instant, on warrant for failing to provide for the future maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child, **Ernest Yorke**, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 11 in., clerk, native of England, slight build, rather stooped, pale complexion, fair hair, large blue eyes, ginger moustache, broad dialect; dressed in dark-grey suit and hard black felt hat. His brother resides at East Oxford, Canterbury.

AKAROA.—1st instant, on warrant for false pretences, **R. J. Williams**, age about thirty, height 5 ft. 6 in., slim build, fair complexion, dressed in greyish-coloured sac suit. Offender received £3 from W. H. Henning, shipping agent, for advertising space in the Christmas number of the "Red Funnel" magazine by falsely representing that he was agent for the magazine. A man named H. Stewart was dismissed from the Red Funnel Publishing Company on 11th ultimo, and is supposed to be identical with offender.

DUNEDIN.—2nd ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Dunedin Prison for forty-eight hours in default of paying 10s. fine for disobeying an order of the Court for the maintenance of his mother, **William John Galvin**, age thirty-four, height about 5 ft. 9 in., boardinghouse-keeper and fisherman, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark hair and moustache, blue eyes; dressed in dark suit and Dr. Jim hat; fond of drink.

## APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**Corran Bridson**, theft, has been arrested by Detective F. S. Fox and Acting-Detective A. Skinner, Auckland police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 169.)

AUCKLAND.—**Samuel Cornelius Deane**, disobeying order of Court; Warrant cancelled. Offender died at Auckland on the 3rd ultimo. (See *Police Gazette*, 1907, page 155.)

HAMILTON.—**Florence Marks**, false pretences, has been arrested by Detective J. W. Hollis and Acting-Detective E. Scott, Auckland police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 519.)

WELLINGTON.—**Walter Durkin** has been found by Detective A. Ward, Dunedin police, and promised to pay arrears. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 520.)

WELLINGTON.—**Catherine McDonald Burton**, default of maintenance; Warrant executed by Constable Abbott, Wellington police, and amount paid. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 452.)

HOKITIKA.—**Frederic Arthur Boyes** has returned to his home. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 522.)

## PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—11th August last, **IRAEL SOLOMON** was assaulted and robbed of the following articles: A gentlemen's silver-hunting keyless Rotherham watch; an 18 ct. single gold chain, long and short links; a plain black chamois-leather purse containing nine sovereigns and £1 note: total value, £16. Offender is described as about 5 ft. 6 in. high, stout build, dark hair, clean-shaved; dressed in dark clothes and black hard hat. Not identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between 8th and 30th ultimo, from a cellar in Hall's Boardinghouse, Wynyard Street, property of **HERBERT BROWN**, clerk, a gentlemen's Austral path-racing bicycle, B.S.A. parts, 22 in. frame, wooden rims, painted yellow; value, £12. Identifiable.

ONEHUNGA.—21st ultimo, from the whare of **GEORGE POYSER**, farm labourer, Mangere, an old-fashioned black-leather purse, 4 in. long, clip catch, centre compartment torn, containing three sovereigns, a half-sovereign, and two two-shilling pieces, purse only identifiable; total value, £3 14s. Suspicion attached to **Alfred Louis**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 9 in., farm labourer, native of England, medium build, fair complexion, fair hair, brown eyes, clean-shaved; dressed in a dark coat, grey pants, and putties. He was dismissed by his employer for dishonesty, and was seen in Poyser's whare on the morning of theft. Supposed gone to Rotorua.

ROTORUA.—14th or 15th instant, from the bedroom of **WILLIAM CULPAN**, Brent's Boardinghouse, a gentlemen's gold keyless Waltham watch, plain case, white dial; an 18 ct. double gold albert, with long square links, small round links between; a white-metal sovereign-case, containing five sovereigns; a round gold medal, "Presented by Auckland Bowling Club to W. Culpan," engraved thereon: total value, £18. Identifiable, except money.

OPOTIKI.—About 30th October last, from the tent of **F. DONNELLY** and **W. SANDERSON**, road-men, Motu Road, two cheques, Nos. 724466 and 724467, for £1 7s. each, payable to F. Donnelly and W. Sanderson, on Bank of New Zealand at Opotiki, signed by Donaldson, of Roads Department; also a silk gold-mounted watch-guard, a gold heart, and charm, and silver match-box ("Kia Ora" on heart and match-box). Identifiable. Suspicion attached to **Patrick McGuire**, age about twenty-six, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer and sailor, native of England, medium build, fair complexion, very small moustache, right little finger missing.

ORMONDVILLE.—19th ultimo, from outside the Takapanu Hotel, property of **JAMES EGAN**, labourer, Pahiatua, a blanket swag, fastened with two leather straps, containing two blankets with black, red, and blue stripes; one pair of brown-cloth trousers; a pair of grey-dungaree trousers; an Altano razor; a Torey's razor-strop; a Turkish coloured towel, and a white towel; a pillow; a pair of shears; a sharpening-stone; and sundry other articles: total value, £3 10s. Identifiable.

HUNTERVILLE.—1st instant, from the Argyle Hotel, property of **GEORGE KNOPP**, pedlar and travelling jeweller, Wellington, a ladies' 18 ct. gold dress-ring, supposed set with three sapphires and two diamonds, or three rubies and two diamonds; value, £5. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to **John Dwyer**, age twenty-two, height 5 ft. 6 in., groom, native of New Zealand, smart active appearance, dark complexion, dark hair, dark eyes; usually dressed in light-grey tweed coat and vest, riding-pants, and brown soft-felt hat.

OTAKI.—30th ultimo, from the vest-pocket of **JAMES CAROLAN**, labourer, a brown-leather purse (three or four pockets), fastened by elastic band, containing three £5 notes and a £1 note, also three or four brass tokens of the Roman Catholic Church. Purse and tokens only identifiable. Suspicion strongly attached to **Herbert Solomon**, age about twenty, height about 5 ft., medium build, clean-shaved, small scar on bridge of nose, lower lip deformed, speaks very slowly; dressed in dark-grey suit and cap. Was formerly working on the Foxton Wharf.

WELLINGTON.—17th instant, the dwelling of **ARTHUR CARMAN**, Britomart Street, was broken into, and the following stolen: Six electro-plated dessert-spoons; Harrison Bros. and Kowson, makers, value 17s. 6d.; 6 electro-plated dinner-forks, Sheffield mark, value 17s. 6d.; 6 electro-plated dessert-forks, value 12s. 6d.; 6 electro-plated table-spoons, brand "H. B." and "H. S.," value 12s. 6d.; 6 electro-plated afternoon-tea spoons, in black morocco case, value £2 5s.; 6 electro-plated tea-spoons, shell-pattern, in black case, value £1 5s.; 2 electro-plated bread-forks, value 12s.; 2 electro-plated butter-knives, value 5s.; a silver tea-pot, fluted, straight sides, oval-shape shield on the side, value



£2; a small silver tea-pot, sloping sides, oval shape, value £1 10s.; a silver egg-cruet, to hold four eggs, inscribed "Miss Crosbie, from her Fellow Employees, December, 1906," value £2; 2 heavy silver-backed oval-shaped hair-brushes, engraved, value £4; a case of carvers, horn handles, silver-mounted at ends, in brown-leather case, value £1 17s. 6d.; 2 serviette-rings (silver), about 1½ in. wide, "B. C." on one, and "A. O." on other; a silver sugar-bowl, shape of a tulip, standing on four legs, flower at top of each leg, also on sides where handle fastens, value £1 17s. 6d.; 2 black-backed clothes-brushes, white bristles, attached to a polished piece of wood with an oblong mirror in the centre, value £1; a silver breakfast-cruet stand, with three cut-glass bottles, value £1 10s.; a new suit, navy-blue serge, Osborne, tailor, Cuba Street, value £5; a red-serge dressing-gown, cream lace round the neck, well worn, value 15s.; a new pair of ladies' tan shoes, straps and small buckle in front, size 4, value 14s.; an old suit of clothes, navy-blue coat and vest, dark trousers, value £2; a very fine damask table-cloth, flower border, about 7 ft. by 7 ft., "P. B. Carman" stamped on it; a table-centre, pale-green sateen, heliotrope ribbon on edge, sprays of violets and storks, value 5s.; a black-serge skirt, value 15s.; 6 serviettes, flower border resembling lilies (6 petals), "P. B. Carman" in centre, value 10s.; 6 dessert and 6 table knives, Christopher Johnston, maker, value 17s. Only egg-cruet, serviette-rings, serviettes, skirt, and table-cloth identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—12th instant, from the dwelling of FRANCIS WELLS, Boundary Road, a ladies' gold ring, set with two diamonds and four pearls (one diamond on either side of pearl), value £2 10s.; a gold ring, set with four brilliants and three rubies, old-fashioned, value £1 10s.; a gold ring, set with emeralds, rubies, and pearls, old-fashioned, value £2; a heavy gold ring, engraved, value £2; a gold tie-pin, set with two sapphire stones in bar, value £1 5s.; old-fashioned gold filigree brooch made of ear-rings, good size, with large stone in centre, of brownish-yellow colour, value £2; a gold locket and chain, consisting of three fine chains in one with clasp, value £2 5s.; a gold watch-chain, value £1 5s.; a gold locket with tracing of fern-leaf on one side in black, value 10s.; a gold-coloured casket, worked in pale blue, stands on four legs, value 7s. 6d. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—31st October last, from Colombo Street, property of ROBERT CRIGHLINGTON, 324 Oxford Terrace, a ladies' bicycle (not a gentlemen's as previously reported), No. 22755, 22 in. frame, free wheel, two brakes, Royal saddle; value, £12. Identifiable. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 511.)

METHVEN.—Between 1st and 28th October last, from a paddock, property of HUGH CULLEN, ninety ewes, "□" in black on back, oblong-shaped hole punched on near ears; total value, £100. Identifiable.

### ABSCONDING FROM BURNHAM INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

LINCOLN.—Joseph Talke, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 7 in., farm labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, thin pale face, fair hair and complexion, slightly freckled, sharp features; dressed in blue jersey, brown-cord trousers, and blue-dungaree coat. Absconded on 24th ultimo. Committed from Marton for theft. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 345.)

John Arthur Willis, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 6½ in., engine-driver, stoker, and farm hand, medium build, dark-brown hair, dark complexion, brown eyes, long nose, scar over left eye, mole on left breast; dressed in brown cord trousers, grey-tweed coat, and cap. Committed from Napier for theft. His mother resides at Hastings. Absconded on 24th ultimo.

Charles Henry Willoughby, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 9 in., farm labourer, fresh ruddy complexion, brown eyes, dark-brown hair, takes a long stride when walking; dressed in dark-tweed suit and large straw hat. Committed from Napier. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 226.) Absconded on 30th ultimo.

Walter Rowe, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., farm labourer, well built, brown hair, fair freckled complexion, snub nose; dressed in dark-grey tweed suit. Absconded 30th ultimo. (See *Police Gazette*, 1906, page 141.)

Percival Oliver Clark, age seventeen, height about 5 ft. 8 in., strong build, a quarter caste Maori, thick black curly hair, brown eyes, pleasant manner; dressed in grey-tweed coat and vest and darker-grey tweed trousers, tweed cap. Committed from New Plymouth in 1904 for theft.

Alexander Third, age thirteen, height 4 ft. 10 in., medium build, dark complexion, brown hair and eyes, rather determined appearance, thin cheeks; dressed in dark-grey

saddle-tweed knickers, blue jersey, Eton collar, black stockings, and cap. Committed from Gisborne for theft. Absconded on 18th ultimo.

Albert William Foote, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 9 in., farm hand, well built, brown hair and eyes, fresh freckled complexion; dressed in dark-tweed suit. Committed from Dannevirke for breaking and entering and theft. Parents reside at Gisborne. Absconded 29th ultimo.

Thomas Henry Moody, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., groom and farm hand, medium build, light-brown hair, blue eyes, fair complexion, large nose, thin features, scar over left eye; dressed in dark-tweed suit. Committed from Christchurch in 1906 for theft.

George Frederick Mathie, age sixteen, height about 5 ft., brown hair, weak chin, large ears, medium build, bluish complexion and hand (caused through acute heart-disease). Committed from Dunedin 23rd January last. Absconded from care of Mrs. Mary McPhee, New Brighton Road. Arrest urgently desired.

### DESERTERS FROM HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

SYDNEY.—W. Thompson, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 4½ in., A. B., native of Scotland, dark-brown hair, brown eyes, fresh complexion. Deserted 19th ultimo.

S. Atkins, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 2½ in., stoker, native of England, brown hair, blue eyes, fresh complexion. Deserted 20th ultimo.

A reward will be paid for their arrest.

### MISSING.

RAWENE.—Since 5th instant, Thomas Joseph Danaher, age sixty, height 5 ft. 9 in., retired Native School teacher, native of New Zealand, medium build, slightly round-shouldered, fair moustache only, sharp features, flushed complexion, speaks with broad Irish accent, walks as though he had sore feet; dressed in grey-tweed coat and vest, blue-serge trousers, and grey cap. Was last seen at his home, Motukaraka, on above date. Inquiry by his wife, Mary C. Danaher.

PAHIATUA.—Since 10th instant, Andrew Hart, age sixteen, height about 5 ft. 5 in., gardener, native of New Zealand, slim build, dark hair and complexion; dressed in dark-tweed knicker working-suit, dark cap, black stockings, and lace-up nailed boots. His parents reside at Mosgiel. He may have shipped on a vessel from some of the ports, as he talked of going to sea. Last seen at Woodville Races on 10th instant. Inquiry by his uncle, Henry Dunn, sheep-farmer, Pahiatua, as the boy has been living with him since January last.

### MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION.

#### Appointments as Constables.

23rd December, 1908.

- No. 1486.—Marshall, Frank.
- No. 1487.—Quayle, Edward.
- No. 1488.—McAuliffe, John.
- No. 1489.—Gilligan, William Patrick.
- No. 1490.—Fischer, Johann Friedrich Rudolf.
- No. 1491.—McKenzie, Duncan.
- No. 1492.—Johnson, John Wright.
- No. 1493.—Hall, Sydney Grainger.
- No. 1494.—Laybourn, Robert Elliott.
- No. 1495.—Gibb, Robert Calderwood.

#### Resignations.

- No. 1417.—Constable Starrett, James, 22nd December, 1908.
- No. 1385.—Constable Cameron, J. S., 23rd December, 1908.

#### Rewards.

AUCKLAND.—Constable J. A. Mathew, No. 831, Te Kuiti police, has been awarded £7 10s. for services in obtaining convictions against six men for keeping liquor for sale in a prohibited district. (08/2725.)

AUCKLAND.—Constables J. A. Mathew, No. 831, and J. F. Murphy, No. 1086, have been awarded £1 each for services in obtaining the conviction of John McGilton for bringing liquor into a prohibited district without being labelled. (08/2726.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—Constable J. J. O'Grady, No. 1160, has been awarded £1 for services in connection with the conviction of D. Turnbull and Company for sending liquor into a prohibited district without being properly labelled. (08/2708.)

## Return of Prisoners tried or sentenced at the Supreme and District Courts.

Name.	Offence.	Date tried or sentenced.	Sentence.
<b>AUCKLAND S.C.—</b>			
Moncur, John G., <i>alias</i> Herberton, <i>alias</i> Williams, Thomas	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 2	18 months' labour.
Wilson, Frank, <i>alias</i> Watson, <i>alias</i> Kemp, <i>alias</i> Fanning, <i>alias</i> Murray	Assault causing bodily harm	Nov. 2	2 years' labour.
Neil, Robert	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 2	1 year's labour.
North, John H.	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 2	2 years' probation, and to pay costs, £6 1s. 6d.
Long, George	Theft from a dwelling	Nov. 2	1 year's probation, and to pay costs, £3 6s. 6d.
Trask, Eliza	Bigamy	Nov. 2	5 years' labour.
Buchanan, William F.	Breaking and entering	Nov. 2	18 months' labour on each (concurrent).
Smith, James H.	Theft from a dwelling (6 charges)	Nov. 2	
	Forgery and uttering	Nov. 2	1 year's probation, and to pay costs, £5 6s. 6d.
Hallett, May, <i>alias</i> Curtin, <i>alias</i> Baker, &c.	Theft	Nov. 10	Acquitted.
Wi Tute Kingi	Horse-stealing	Nov. 10	Acquitted.
McCallum, William	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 10	12 months' labour.
Loft, William, <i>alias</i> Murphy, <i>alias</i> McLean, William R.	Attempted murder, and obscene language	Nov. 11	20 years' labour.
Keals, Norman	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 11	To come up for sentence when called, and pay costs, £11 0s. 6.
Glover, William H. C.	Forgery	Nov. 11	2 years' and 1 year's labour (concurrent).
	Sending false telegram	Nov. 11	
Donovan, Daniel	Assault causing bodily harm	Nov. 13	Fined £50, or 6 months' labour.
Reimain, Edward	Theft from a vessel	Nov. 14	Acquitted.
Ward, John, <i>alias</i> Matthews, John	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 14	18 months' probation, and to pay £13 12s. costs.
Stannard, Walter	Horse-stealing	Nov. 14	Discharged, owing to information not being indorsed.
Hirini Ngatimo Hohepa	Manslaughter	Nov. 16	10 years' labour.
Erna Hirini Ngatima Hohepa		Nov. 16	5 years' labour.
Lyons, Bertie	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 16	Acquitted.
Tihi te Peti	Manslaughter	Nov. 16	5 days' labour.
Lone Shoe Hock	Manslaughter	Nov. 18	2 years' labour.
McKay, Herbert	Indecent assault	Nov. 19	Acquitted.
Farley, John, <i>alias</i> Wilson, <i>alias</i> Failey	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 19	2 years' labour, and declared to be an habitual criminal.
Hughes, John W., <i>alias</i> Higgins			
Atkins, Henry J., <i>alias</i> Dalton, George E., <i>alias</i> Milward, N.	Breaking, entering, and theft	Nov. 19	2 years' labour, and declared to be an habitual criminal.
Ludgreen, Arthur W., <i>alias</i> Winter, A., <i>alias</i> Clarke			
Thompson, Kennedy	Housebreaking and theft (3 charges)	Nov. 20	12 months' labour.
Bryden, Robert J., <i>alias</i> Bryden, George, <i>alias</i> Woodward, Jack	Horse-stealing and theft	Nov. 20	3 years' labour on each (concurrent).
	Theft	Nov. 20	
Small, Patrick	Indecent assault	Nov. 20	Acquitted.
Rose, Frederick Raymond	Perjury	Nov. 21	Acquitted.
Fitzgeorge, Frank, <i>alias</i> Swales	Theft from a dwelling (2 charges)	Nov. 21	2 years' labour on each (concurrent).
McGregor, Frederick H.	Forgery (4 charges)	Nov. 21	12 months' labour on each (concurrent).
Martin, Thomas	Theft from a dwelling (2 charges)	Nov. 21	12 months' labour on each (concurrent).
McArthur, James	Embezzlement	Nov. 23	18 months' labour.
Menzies, Charles J.	Theft from the person	Nov. 24	Acquitted.
Kennedy, William J.	Theft from the person	Nov. 24	Acquitted.
Wilkinson, William F.	Theft of a mail-bag	Nov. 25	3 years' labour.
Wilson, George A.	Indecent assault on a male (2 charges)	Nov. 27	Acquitted.
Gibson, William T.	Carnally knowing a girl under age	Dec. 1	Acquitted.
Adamson, James William	Indecent assault	Dec. 2	3 years' labour.
Fox, Frank	Assault causing actual bodily harm	Dec. 2	3 months' labour.
Blackwood, Frank S.			
Jenkins, Albert			
Frost, Harry R.	Indecent assault	Dec. 2	2 years' labour.
Service, Reginald W.	Attempted rape	Dec. 2	7 years' labour, and two floggings of 25 lashes each.
Thompson, Henry	Wilfully and obscenely exposing himself (10 charges)	Dec. 2	2 months' labour on each (cumulative).
Gedge, Thomas J.	Indecent assault	Dec. 2	1 year's labour.
Wifanga, Daniel	Breaking, entering, and theft	Dec. 9	6 months' labour.
Winslade, John	Horse-stealing	Dec. 2	18 months' labour.
Leaver, William, <i>alias</i> Crocker	Breaking, entering, and theft	Dec. 2	12 months' labour.
Rako Patena	Horse-stealing	Dec. 9	12 months' probation.
Matthews, John, <i>alias</i> Ward	Theft from a dwelling (2 charges)	Dec. 9	2 years' labour on each (concurrent).
<b>NAPIER S.C.—</b>			
Brough, John, <i>alias</i> McRobbie, Edward	Assault and wounding with intent to cause actual bodily harm	Sept. 21	Acquitted.
	Escaping from lawful custody	Sept. 21	3 months' probation, and to pay £5 costs.
Fargher, William James	Assault causing actual bodily harm	Sept. 22	Acquitted.
Tipping, Charles	Assault causing actual bodily harm	Sept. 22	1 month without labour.
Vickers, William James	Theft	Sept. 23	Acquitted.
Mason, Alfred Ernest	Buggery	Sept. 24	14 years' labour.
Reynolds, Joseph, <i>alias</i> Moran	Theft from a dwelling	Sept. 24	2 years' labour.

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Name.	Offence.	Date tried or sentenced.	Sentence.
<b>NEW PLYMOUTH S.C.—</b>			
Morrell, Lewis .. ..	Forgery .. ..	1908. Sept. 28	To come up when called on.
Mercer, James .. ..	Assault causing bodily harm .. ..	Sept. 28	To enter into surety to come up when called on, and to keep the peace for two years.
<b>PALMERSTON NORTH S.C.—</b>			
Weller, John Cyril .. ..	Theft .. ..	Sept. 9	Acquitted.
Woods, Arthur Henry .. ..	Indecent assault .. ..	Sept. 10	7 years' labour.
McLennan, Charles, <i>alias</i> Cress ..	Breaking and entering .. ..	Oct. 9	3 years' labour.
McQuinn, Thomas .. ..	Horse-stealing .. ..	Sept. 8	6 months' labour, and to pay £10 towards cost of prosecution.
Broad, Letitia .. ..	Abandoning infant under 2 years ..	Sept. 9	To come up when called on.
Harden, Charles Edward .. ..	Theft .. ..	Sept. 12	Acquitted.
Gleeson, Thomas .. ..	Breach of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1892"	Sept. 11	14 days without labour.
Whitty, John, <i>alias</i> Craig, Michael, <i>alias</i> Walsh, <i>alias</i> Woodhouse, <i>alias</i> Hogan	Forgery .. ..	Sept. 8	4 years' labour (to run concurrent with sentence now undergoing).
<b>WELLINGTON S.C.—</b>			
Harrod, Arthur .. ..	Attempted buggery .. ..	Sept. 11	3 years' probation.
Bishop, John William, <i>alias</i> Brown	Theft from a dwelling .. ..	Sept. 11	2 years' labour.
Richter, William .. ..	Breaking, entering, and theft ..	Oct. 1	1½ years' labour.
Hughes, Edward Thomas, <i>alias</i> Saule	Forgery and uttering .. ..	Oct. 1	1 year's labour.
Carlson, William Henry, <i>alias</i> Harry	Theft from the person .. ..	Oct. 27	2 year's labour.
Mason, James, <i>alias</i> Good .. ..	Theft from a dwelling .. ..	Oct. 27	2 years' labour.
Irvine, George .. ..	House-breaking .. ..	Nov. 11	9 months' labour.
Kane, Thomas, <i>alias</i> Hayes, James	Breaking, entering, and theft ..	Nov. 11	2 years' labour.
McNeill, Archibald John, <i>alias</i> Cameron, &c.	False pretences (2 charges) ..	Nov. 11	2 years' labour.
Pine, Amine, <i>alias</i> Downs .. ..	Theft from a dwelling .. ..	Nov. 11	9 months' labour.
Christopherson, Fritz Peter .. ..	Breaking, entering, and theft ..	Nov. 11	3 years' labour.
Olsen, Frank Christian .. ..	Theft from the person .. ..	Nov. 19	1½ years' labour.
Shannahan, Robert, <i>alias</i> Shannon, Robert	Forgery (2 charges) .. ..	Nov. 19	3 year's labour.
Lawson, Alexander .. ..	Burglary .. ..	Nov. 19	Bill ignored.
Collins, John Patrick .. ..	Theft .. ..	Nov. 20	2 years' labour.
Inchey, John .. ..	Indecent assault .. ..	Nov. 20	5 years' labour.
Hayes, Alfred Herbert .. ..	Shooting with intent .. ..	Nov. 20	Fined £1.
Leech, George, <i>alias</i> Leitch, George	Forgery .. ..	Nov. 21	1½ years' labour.
Reston, Charles .. ..	Breaking, entering, and theft ..	Nov. 21	2 years' labour.
Jones, Ronald Seaforth .. ..	Breaking, entering, and theft ..	Nov. 23	1 year's labour.
Miller, Tobias .. ..	Attempted murder .. ..	Nov. 23	7 years' labour.
Keily, John, <i>alias</i> Kelly, <i>alias</i> Wilson	Bigamy .. ..	Nov. 23	7 years' labour.
Paulmeir, Maurice Daniel .. ..	Breaking and entering with intent	Nov. 23	Acquitted.
Langdon, Gilbert .. ..	Horse-stealing .. ..	Nov. 26	2 years' labour.
O'Sullivan, John .. ..	Cattle-stealing .. ..	Nov. 26	2 years' labour (concurrent).
Carr, Frank .. ..	Assault .. ..	Nov. 26	Fined £5.
Jackson, Clifford Garth .. ..	Theft .. ..	Nov. 26	Acquitted.
Reid, James .. ..	Theft .. ..	Nov. 27	Acquitted.
Parker, William Albert	Robbery .. ..	Nov. 28	6 months.
Nelson, Hugh .. ..	Theft .. ..	Nov. 30	Acquitted.
Siverson, Hans .. ..			
Anderson, Albin .. ..			
Butler, John .. ..	Assault, causing actual bodily harm	Dec. 2	3 months' labour.
Lindsay, Alister .. ..	Unnatural offence .. ..	Dec. 2	7 years' labour.
<b>NELSON S.C.—</b>			
Ryan, William James .. ..	Theft from a dwelling .. ..	Dec. 9	{ 3 years' probation. To come up for sentence when called upon.
Hayes, Robert .. ..	Breaking and entering with intent to commit a crime		
Larkins, Margaret .. ..	Attempted robbery from the person	Dec. 9	Bill ignored.
	Arson .. ..	Dec. 9	Committed to the Te Oranga Home.
<b>HOKITIKA S.C.—</b>			
Armstrong, Robert James .. ..	Carnally knowing a girl under 16 ..	Sept. 17	Acquitted.
McAuley, Charles .. ..	Theft of gold .. ..	Sept. 17	Acquitted.
Jones, David William .. ..	Theft of gold .. ..	Sept. 18	Acquitted.
Foote, Octavius .. ..	Assault and robbery .. ..	Sept. 18	Acquitted.
Connelly, William .. ..	Perjury .. ..	Sept. 29	7 years' labour.
Todd, John James Isaac			
Heenan, Frank, <i>alias</i> Healy, <i>alias</i> Walsh	Breaking, entering, and theft ..	Oct. 1	Acquitted.
<b>CHRISTCHURCH S.C.</b>			
Miller, William Russell .. ..	Forgery and uttering .. ..	Nov. 2	6 months' labour.
Richmond, Robert, <i>alias</i> McLaren, Robert	Theft from a dwelling (2 charges) ..	Nov. 2	2 years' labour on each (concurrent).
Middleton, Robert .. ..	Forgery and uttering .. ..	Nov. 2	12 months' probation, and to pay £6 by 10s. monthly instalments.
Slow, Frederick John .. ..	Forgery and uttering .. ..	Nov. 2	6 months' labour.



Return of Prisoners tried or sentenced at the Supreme and District Courts—*continued.*

Name.	Offence.	Date tried or sentenced.	Sentence.
<b>CHRISTCHURCH S.C.—<i>continued.</i></b>			
Gallagher, Bridget .. ..	False declaration and false registration of birth	1908. Nov. 3	Fined £5.
Creagher, Frederick, <i>alias</i> Creager	Breaking, entering, and theft (7 charges)	Nov. 18	5 years' labour on each (concurrent).
Potts, Edward .. ..	Breaking, entering, and theft (5 charges)	Nov. 18	2 years' labour on each (concurrent).
Kerr, Edward .. ..	Breaking, entering, and theft ..	Nov. 18	6 months' labour.
Smith, Thomas Jackson .. ..	Assault and robbery .. ..	Nov. 18	3 years' labour.
Ditford, Ernest Joseph .. ..	Indecent assault .. ..	Nov. 18	To come up for sentence next sittings of Supreme Court, Christchurch.
Gibbs, John James .. ..	Forgery .. ..	Nov. 18	18 months' probation, and to pay £1 monthly for that period.
Marck, E. G., <i>alias</i> Marsh, <i>alias</i> Marsden	Theft .. ..	Nov. 18	Two years' labour, and declared an habitual criminal.
Johnston, Alexander, <i>alias</i> Robinson	Indecent assault .. ..	Nov. 18	12 months' labour.
Dawson, Thomas William, <i>alias</i> Roberts	Indecent assault on a child ..	Nov. 19	Acquitted.
Scrimshaw, Henry .. ..	Attempted carnal knowledge ..	Nov. 19	2 years' labour.
Baxter, Robert .. ..	Indecent assault .. ..	Nov. 20	7 years' labour.
Tant, John William .. ..	Breach of the Bankruptcy Act ..	Nov. 20	3 months' labour.
Brown, John .. ..	Breaking, entering, and theft Theft from a dwelling (2 charges)	.. ..	{ Detained in lunatic asylum. To stand trial next session.
<b>DUNEDIN S.C.—</b>			
Barker, Benjamin .. ..	Indecent assault .. ..	Nov. 27	3 years' labour.
Blair, Henry .. ..	Forgery of school certificate ..	Nov. 24	6 months' probation.
McCorkindale, Adam .. ..		Nov. 27	Acquitted.
Crosswell, Mary .. ..	Procuring abortion .. ..	Nov. 27	Acquitted.
Helm, Herbert .. ..	Theft .. ..	Oct. 30	6 months' labour.
Johnston, Percy .. ..	Rape .. ..	Nov. 23	12 years' labour.
Luby, William .. ..	Rogue and vagabond .. ..	Nov. 25	Sentence deferred pending decision of Court of Appeal on law point reserved.
Smith, Charlotte Elizabeth	Cruelty to a child .. ..	Nov. 26	{ 12 months' labour. ...
Smith, George Edward .. ..		Nov. 26	{ 4 years' labour. ...
Walquist, William .. ..		Nov. 27	{ 2 years' labour. ...
Walquist, Alexander, <i>alias</i> Walquist, Valentine, <i>alias</i> Findlay, Alexander	Assault and robbery .. ..	Nov. 27	Acquitted.
Webster, John .. ..	Attempted murder .. ..	Nov. 28	Convicted of common assault, and to come up for sentence when called upon.
Woods, James .. ..	Rape .. ..	Nov. 25	Acquitted.
<b>INVERCARGILL S.C.—</b>			
Cochrane, David .. ..	Perjury .. ..	Dec. 1	Bill ignored.
Barlow, Harold .. ..	Indecent assault .. ..	Dec. 1	12 months' labour.
Day, Reginald .. ..	Fraudulently omitting to credit a certain sum of money in his cash-book	Dec. 2	12 months' labour.
Duggan, Bridget .. ..	Concealment of birth .. ..	Dec. 5	6 months' probation.

## Return of Persons summarily convicted at Magistrates' Courts, but not sent to Gaol

Name of Offender.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Distinguishing Marks, &c.
Tomson, William, <i>alias</i> Hanson, George Marnie, Margaret Jane	Auckland .. Auckland ..	7/12/08 theft .. 10/12/08 theft ..	.. ..	.. fined 10s. .. 12 mo's probat'n	Ireland .. N. Zealand	joiner .. domestic ..	.. 1874 .. .. 1888 ..	5 11 5 5	fresh .. fresh ..	.. brown .. .. auburn ..	.. brown .. .. blue ..	.. medium .. .. medium ..	..
De Renzi, Anita, <i>alias</i> Junita	Auckland ..	12/12/08 incorrigible rogue ..	..	.. 6 mo's in Army Home	Italy ..	prostitute ..	.. 1872 ..	5 4	fresh ..	.. brown ..	.. blue ..	.. aquiline ..	See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 524.
Bonner, Rody, <i>alias</i> Maloney	Rawene ..	9/12/08 theft (2 charges) ..	..	.. to come up if called on	N. Zealand	labourer ..	.. 1893 ..	5 6	fair ..	.. fair ..	.. blue ..	.. turned up at point	..
Arnold, Frederick Peart	Rawene ..	9/12/08 theft ..	..	.. to come up if called on	N. Zealand	schoolboy ..	.. 1898 ..	4 0	fair ..	.. ginger ..	.. blue ..	.. short ..	Freckled face.
Beagley, Robert ..	Rawene ..	9/12/08 theft ..	..	.. to come up if called on	N. Zealand	labourer ..	.. 1893 ..	5 5	copper ..	.. black ..	.. dark ..	.. short ..	A half-caste.
Kaunhoa Pita ..	Rawene ..	9/12/08 theft ..	..	.. to come up if called on	N. Zealand	labourer ..	.. 1893 ..	5 4	copper ..	.. black ..	.. dark ..	.. normal ..	A Maori.
Allan, Robert ..	Owaka ..	12/12/08 theft ..	..	.. fined 10s.	N. Zealand	labourer ..	.. 1868 ..	5 7	fresh ..	.. fair ..	.. blue ..	.. medium ..	Scar on left cheek.
Doughty, Andrew, <i>alias</i> Dempsey	Feilding ..	12/12/08 illegally on premises ..	..	.. convicted and discharged	England ..	cook ..	.. 1866 ..	5 9½	fair ..	.. brown ..	.. blue ..	.. large ..	Small heart on right forearm. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 353.)
Tapuae te Koeti ..	Otaki ..	5/12/08 theft ..	..	.. to come up if called on	N. Zealand	labourer ..	.. 1882 ..	5 6½	copper ..	.. black ..	.. brown ..	.. medium ..	Very large mouth; large rolling eyes; always looking on ground.
Cumnock, Walter Begg ..	Masterton ..	9/12/08 illegally on premises ..	..	.. to come up if called on	N. Zealand	labourer and groom ..	.. 1888 ..	5 6	fresh ..	.. brown ..	.. grey ..	.. large ..	Small scar under left foot; two scars on left arm. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 80.)
Higgins, William, <i>alias</i> Price, <i>alias</i> O'Connor	Masterton ..	9/12/08 illegally on premises ..	..	.. to come up if called on	Ireland ..	labourer ..	.. 1854 ..	5 9½	sandy ..	.. grey ..	.. brown ..	.. Roman ..	See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1907, page 214.
Shaw, Joseph, <i>alias</i> McMahon	Masterton ..	9/12/08 illegally on premises ..	..	.. to come up if called on	Scotland ..	flax-mill hand ..	.. 1888 ..	5 6	fair ..	.. brown ..	.. grey ..	.. medium ..	..
Belcher, Frank ..	Wellington ..	2/12/08 assault on police ..	..	.. fine, or 2 mo's called on	Ireland ..	plasterer ..	.. 1868 ..	5 9	fresh ..	.. dark, turning grey ..	.. grey ..	.. medium ..	Star on back of right thumb; ring on right finger.
Morgan, Sydney ..	Wellington ..	11/12/08 theft ..	..	.. to come up if called on	Victoria ..	labourer ..	.. 1891 ..	5 4	fresh ..	.. grey ..	.. grey ..	.. medium ..	..
Wynn, August ..	Wellington ..	7/12/08 false pretences ..	..	.. to come up if called on	N. Zealand	message-boy ..	.. 1894 ..	4 11	fresh ..	.. brown ..	.. grey ..	.. medium ..	..
Smith, Walter ..	Greymouth ..	5/11/08 theft ..	..	.. convicted and discharged	N. Zealand	labourer ..	.. 1890 ..	5 6	dark ..	.. dark ..	.. blue ..	.. medium ..	..
Dodsworth, Clara ..	Greymouth ..	5/11/08 damaging property ..	..	.. fined £3 convicted and discharged	Victoria ..	labourer ..	.. 1890 ..	5 6	fair ..	.. fair ..	.. blue ..	.. medium ..	..
Vernon, James David	Dunedin ..	10/12/08 no lawful means of support ..	..	.. fined £3 called on	England ..	prostitute ..	.. 1899 ..	5 0	dark ..	.. dark brown ..	.. blue ..	.. large ..	See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 253.
McCaughan, Thomas Hector	Dunedin ..	9/12/08 theft ..	..	.. 3 mo's probat'n	N. Zealand	farm hand ..	.. 1891 ..	5 6½	fresh ..	.. dark brown ..	.. hazel ..	.. medium ..	Two hearts on left forearm.
Burnett, Walter ..	Dunedin ..	9/12/08 theft ..	..	.. 3 mo's probat'n	N. Zealand	farm labourer ..	.. 1886 ..	5 4½	fresh ..	.. brown, curly ..	.. hazel ..	.. medium ..	Points of first and second fingers missing from left hand.
Hughes, Henry ..	Cromwell ..	3/12/08 false pretences ..	..	.. fined £1	Victoria ..	labourer ..	.. 1885 ..	5 7	fair ..	.. light brown ..	.. blue ..	.. large ..	..
	Invercargill ..	11/12/08 theft ..	..	.. 12 mo's probat'n	N. Zealand	railway-fire-man ..	.. 1892 ..	5 6	fair ..	.. fair ..	.. blue ..	.. medium ..	..

## RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE WEEK ENDED 12TH DECEMBER, 1908.

Sex, and Name of Prisoner.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Birth	Height	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	When discharged.	Remarks, and Previous Convictions. (F.P. indicates that finger-impresions have been taken.)
<b>Auckland</b> — Mullins, James Edward	Auckland	9/11/08	assault	1 month	N. Zealand	carter	1888 5 7½	fresh freckled	fair	grey	long	8/12/08		
Baker, Harriet	Auckland	10/9/08	rogue and vagabond	3 months	N. Zealand	prostitute	1883 5 2½	sallow	brown	brown	aquiline	9/12/08	4 p.c. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1906, page 224.)	
Johnston, Albert, Jones	Rotorua	11/9/08	theft	3 months	Australia	labourer	1879 5 0	fresh	dark brown	brown	broad	10/12/08	8 p.c. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 8/11/07. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 322.)	
McAllister, Denis	Rotorua	11/9/08	breach of prohibition order	fine, or 3 mo's	N. Zealand	labourer	1888 5 6½	swarthy	dark brown, curly	blue-grey	medium	10/12/08	2 p.c. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1907, page 333.)	
Skin, Alfred	Auckland	18/2/08	indecent exposure	12 months	England	baker	1876 5 6½	sallow	black, turn- ing grey	brown	large	10/12/08	Scar on left wrist; four upper front teeth out. F.P.	
Smith, William	Auckland	8/12/08	drunk and disorderly	fine, or 48 hours	N. Zealand	labourer	1868 5 6	fresh	black	lt. hazel	medium	10/12/08	43 p.c. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 4/8/91. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 843.)	
Dalton, William	Rotorua	12/10/08	theft (3 charges)	1 mo. on each	Tasmania	fitter	1887 5 7	fresh	black	brown	large	11/12/08	Nose crooked to left. F.P.	
Townsend, Thomas	Auckland	19/2/08	robbery under arms breaking, entering, and theft	12 months and 12 months	N. Zealand	labourer	1890 5 5½	fresh	light brown	hazel	medium	11/12/08	Scar under right jaw. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 19/2/08.	
Bryant, Richard	Auckland	28/11/08	theft	14 days	Australia	labourer	1878 5 7½	fresh	dark brown	grey	long	11/12/08	2 p.c. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 19/9/07. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1907, page 399.)	
Ryan, Roderick	Auckland	25/11/08	assault	12 months in default of surety	N. Zealand	miner	1880 5 7	fresh	black	blue	medium	10/12/08	Scar near left eye; left shoulder has been in- jured. F.P.	
Roach, James William	Auckland	14/10/08	obscene language	2 months	N. Zealand	labourer	1879 5 3½	fresh	dark brown	blue	large	12/12/08	18 p.c. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 10/7/05. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 250.)	
Williams, William	Auckland	30/10/08	drunkenness breach of prohibition order	fine, or 14 days fine, or 1 month	England	labourer	1888 5 3½	fresh	dark brown, turning grey	blue	medium	12/12/08	34 p.c. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 185.)	
McShane, John	Auckland	13/11/08	theft	1 month	Ireland	labourer	1860 5 8½	fresh	light brown	blue	medium	12/12/08	W.M.C. on right forearm. F.P.	
Bosworth, Edward Joseph Tomason (or Thomason), William	Auckland	7/12/08	breach of prohibition order	fine, or 7 days	N. Zealand	labourer	1877 5 6	sallow	dark brown	blue	medium	12/12/08	12 p.c. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 21/11/08. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 497.)	
O'Meara, Alfred Thomas	Auckland	28/11/08	theft	remanded	Ireland	joiner	1874 5 10½	fresh	dark brown	hazel	medium	7/12/08	Scar under chin and on left side of forehead.	
Beawick, Emily	Auckland	7/4/08	default of maintenance	14 days	N. Zealand	gum-digger	1876 5 4	fresh	dark brown	light br.	medium	30/11/08	1 p.c. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1901, page 8.) Fine paid. Arrested 27th November, 1908.	
Rako Patena	Auckland	4/12/08	breach of prohibition order	fine or 1 month	Scotland	matron	1879 5 3	fresh	brown	blue-grey	aquiline	12/12/08	1 p.c. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 222.) Fine paid.	
Marnie, Margaret Jane	Auckland	10/12/08	theft	12 mo. probat'n	N. Zealand	domestic	1888 5 3	fresh	red	blue	small	10/12/08	Burn-scar on back of right hand; long scar on left forearm. F.P. Right forefinger disfigured. F.P.	
<b>Waipa</b> — Goutley, Alfred Anstru- ther	Wellington	5/10/06	indecent assault (3 chgs)	3 years	Sydney	architect	1885 5 7½	dark	black	grey	long	10/12/08	Cut below left ear. F.P.	
<b>Gisborne</b> — Harling, John	Gisborne	4/12/08	theft	6 mo's probat'n	N. Zealand	labourer	1887 5 7½	fair	brown	blue	long	4/12/08	Scar on right wrist; second right finger off at second joint. F.P.	



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Gaol, and Name of Prisoner.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born	Height	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	When discharged.	Remarks, and Previous Convictions. (F.P. indicates that finger-impressions have been taken.)
<b>Napier</b> — Fencker, William	Napier	4/12/08	wife-desertion	.. remanded	Tasmania..	fitter	.. 1867 5	5 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. in.	fair	light brown	blue-gr'y	medium	7/12/08	Female on right arm; scar on top and back of head and on left cheek.
Simpson, Beck	Dannevirke	1/12/08	theft	.. remanded	N. Zealand	blacksmith..	.. 1884 5	8	dark	dark brown	grey	medium, pointed	9/12/08	Small scar over left eye.
Boult, William	Napier	9/12/08	cattle-stealing	.. remanded	N. Zealand	drover	.. 1863 5	2	sallow..	dark brown	hazel	medium	10/12/08	Right little finger crooked; scar on right wrist, on right leg, and under left knee.
Soloman, Richard	Gisborne	13/7/08	drunkenness.. breach of Licensing Act	.. 3 months 2 months	N. Zealand	blacksmith..	.. 1876 5	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	fair	brown	grey	medium	10/12/08	(See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1904, page 40.)
<b>New Plymouth</b> — Gooch, Nellie	Hawera	11/9/08	drunkenness..	.. 3 months	England	wife	.. 1865 5	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	sallow..	brown, turning grey	brown	medium	10/12/08	Two upper front teeth false. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 394.)
O'Leary, James	N. Plymouth	26/11/08	obscene language	.. 14 days	N. Zealand	labourer	.. 1885 5	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	fresh	dark brown	brown	medium	9/12/08	Mole on right side of body; boil-mark on back of neck; scar on left instep.
Macro, Frederick	N. Plymouth	26/11/08	obscene language assault	.. 14 days .. 14 days	England	seaman	.. 1879 5	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	fair	brown	blue	sharp	9/12/08	Anchor, crossed flags, and clasped hands on left arm; crossed flags, crown, ship, and wreath on right arm.
Baxter, Percy Gordon	N. Plymouth	4/12/08	lunacy	.. committed to Peruria	England	none	.. 1888 4	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	fair	brown	lt. blue	broken	7/12/08	Nose has been broken; mouth sunken; scar on upper lip.
<b>Wanganui</b> — Wright, Esca R.	Palmerston N.	12/10/08	theft	.. 2 months	Capetown	labourer	.. 1890 5	8	fresh	brown	grey	medium	11/12/08	Saddle, horse's head, and N.V. on left arm; scars on palm of right hand, on right forefinger, on back of right wrist, and on calf of right leg. F.P. Photographed at Wanganui, 21/11/08. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 467.)
Forest, Alexander James	Marton	12/11/08	obscene language	.. 1 month	Scotland	carpenter	.. 1878 5	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	fair	fair	blue	medium	11/12/08	Small mole on back of neck; small stab-mark under left eye. F.P. Photographed at Wanganui, 11/12/08.
Neagle, Thomas William	Marton	3/11/08	illegal detention of school committee books	.. 1 month	N. Zealand	blacksmith..	.. 1863 5	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	pale	dark	hazel	medium	11/12/08	Scar on bridge of nose.
<b>Wellington</b> — Anderson, Christian	Wellington	24/11/08	theft (2 charges)	.. fine, or 14 days on each	Germany	canvasser	.. 1866 5	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	fresh	brown	lt. blue	long	7/12/08	Bald; short-sighted; prominent ears; burn-mark on left side of nose. F.P.
Williamson, Frank	Napier	4/9/05	arson (2 charges)	.. 4 years on each	England	bricklayer	.. 1879 5	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	fair	light brown	blue	large	7/12/08	2 p.c. L. over V. on left arm; wound on calf of left leg. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1905, page 208.)
Williams, Samuel	Wellington	27/11/08	obscene language	.. 14 days	N. Zealand	driver	.. 1858 5	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	fair	auburn, curly	blue	oblique	10/12/08	JANE in a scroll and clasped hands on right arm; scar over right eye. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1907, page 277.)
Sturt, George	Wellington	11/9/08	theft (6 charges)	.. 3 mo's on each	England	driver	.. 1890 5	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	fair	light brown	lt. hazel	medium	10/12/08	Scar on knuckle of right middle finger, on right thumb, on abdomen, and on left groin. F.P.
Peohugin, John	Wellington	9/12/08	assault causing bodily harm	.. com'd for trial	Russia	engineer	.. 1885 5	9	dark	dark brown	dark br.	medium	10/12/08	Pock-pitted; vaccination-mark on left buttock; mole on back. F.P. Bailed.
Nickelsen, Stephen Ferdinand	Wellington	9/12/08	assault causing bodily harm	.. com'd for trial	Switzerland	carpenter	.. 1878 5	4	fair	fair	light br.	medium	11/12/08	C.M., N.K.K., &c., on left hand, CTEPAN and anchor on right wrist; hair thin on top of head. F.P. Bailed.
Sharkey, Phillip	Wellington	12/11/08	drunkenness..	.. 1 month	England	seaman	.. 1858 5	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	dark	brown	brown	medium	11/12/08	32 p.c. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 23.)
McNab, Robert	Wellington	12/6/08	vagrancy consorting with thieves	.. 3 months .. 3 months	N. Zealand	bootmaker	.. 1870 5	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	fresh	dark brown	hazel	medium	11/12/08	3 p.c. Scar on left cheek; top off left forefinger. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 251.)

## RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE WEEK ENDED 12TH DECEMBER, 1908—continued.

Sex, and Name of Prisoner.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	When discharged.	Remarks, and Previous Convictions. (F.P. indicates that finger-impresions have been taken.)
<b>Picton</b> — McGregor, Donald, <i>alias</i> McRae	Picton	26/11/08	theft	..	Scotland	labourer	1883 5 6½	ft. in. 5 6½	fresh ..	dark, turning grey	brown ..	medium	9/12/08	English coat of arms on left arm; anchor, heart, and cross on right arm. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1904, page 84.)
Cooke, Rotherham Forth	Blenheim	9/12/08	theft	..	Australia	labourer	1887 5 8	8	fresh ..	dark	grey ..	medium	9/12/08	Scar on palm of right hand; front upper teeth inclined inwards.
<b>Lyttelton</b> — Cassion, William, <i>alias</i> Cassion	Christchurch	9/11/08	drunkenness breach of prohibition order	..	N. Zealand	platelayer	1860 5 6	6	fresh ..	brown	blue ..	crooked ..	8/12/08	F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 215.)
Williams, Alfred	Christchurch	11/11/08	theft	..	Tasmania	jockey	1870 5 2½	2½	fresh ..	grey	grey ..	medium	10/12/08	F.P. Photographed at Lyttelton, 2/12/08. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1906, page 405.)
Massey, Arthur, <i>alias</i> Shand, John	Christchurch	12/11/08	false pretences	..	N. Zealand	labourer	1884 5 10	10	fresh ..	brown	blue ..	medium	11/12/08	Scar on right cheek and on nose. F.P. Photographed at Lyttelton, 2/12/08.
Burneale, Alfred, <i>alias</i> Pearce, <i>alias</i> Barnicle	Lyttelton	26/11/08	ship-desertion disobeying commands..	..	England	seaman	1874 5 4	4	fresh ..	dark	blue ..	broad ..	11/12/08	F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1907, page 53.)
Chadwick, John William	Christchurch	12/9/08	theft (2 charges)	..	England	cordial- manufacturer	1859 5 11½	11½	fresh ..	grey	hazel ..	medium	11/12/08	F.P. Photographed at Lyttelton, 2/12/08. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 249.)
Reynolds, Charles	Lyttelton	10/12/08	disobeying commands..	..	England	fireman	1865 5 6	6	dark ..	dark	grey ..	medium	11/12/08	Scar on left arm; A.D. on left wrist; scar on back of head. F.P.
Parkinson, Ellen, <i>alias</i> Danby	Christchurch	12/10/08	drunkenness ..	..	Ireland	prostitute	1850 5 2	2	fresh ..	grey	blue ..	medium	11/12/08	See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 459.
Barclay, Mary	Christchurch	14/9/08	theft	..	N. Zealand	prostitute	1880 5 6	6	fresh ..	brown	brown ..	small ..	12/12/08	F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 345.)
<b>Dunedin</b> — Rayner, Charles	Dunedin	20/8/06	breaking and entering (3 charges)	..	N. Zealand	labourer	1890 5 2½	2½	dark ..	brown	brown ..	large ..	7/12/08	Mole on right cheekbone; C.R. and four dots on left arm; cross and three dots on left hand. F.P. Photographed at Dunedin, 30/11/08. Sent to Burnham Industrial School.
Woolley, William, <i>alias</i> Robertson	Dunedin	1/7/08	theft	..	N. Zealand	groom	1888 5 4½	4½	fresh ..	brown	brown ..	medium	9/12/08	F.P. Photographed at Lyttelton, 23/8/07. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 160.)
<b>Invercargill</b> — Anderson, James Henry	Invercargill	21/10/08	slv-grog selling	..	N. Zealand	baker	1876 5 3½	3½	fresh ..	dark brown	grey ..	medium	7/12/08	Lame in right leg. F.P. Discharged by order of Supreme Court. Conviction bad.
Hurley, Martin	Invercargill	4/7/08	breach of prohibition order breach of prohibition order breach of prohibition order	..	N. Zealand	labourer	1881 5 3	3	fresh ..	light brown	grey ..	medium	8/12/08	3 p.c. Scar on third right finger. F.P. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 88.) Sentences cumulative.