



# NEW ZEALAND POLICE GAZETTE.

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**N**OTICE.—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*.

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*.

## PERSONS WANTED.

**AUCKLAND.**—24th April last, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for forty-eight hours in default of paying 13s. fine and costs for a breach of the peace, **William Creamer**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 5½ in., sailor and labourer, native of England, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, anchor at base of right thumb.

**AUCKLAND.**—4th instant, on **warrant** for obtaining £10 from Daniel Joseph McGowan by false pretences, **Alexander Cameron**, age forty-five to fifty, height about 5 ft. 8 in., supposed native of Scotland, clean-shaved, rugged features, pale complexion, dark hair turning grey, prominent teeth, strong build, supposed identical with **Robert Mayo**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 192.) Offender represented to complainant that he was a farmer at Daisy Hill, Morrinsville, and purchased a milking plant for £240, and induced complainant to exchange cheques for £10, borrowing a blank cheque, which he altered to Hamilton bank. He has a knowledge of Southland, and stated he belonged to Centre Bush some years ago. He was recently at Hamilton and Rotorua, and has gone under the names of Campbell, Banks, and Duncan Cameron. Other charges pending.

**PAEROA.**—September and October last, that two distress **warrants** may be executed on him for £1 19s. fine and costs for refusing to quit licensed premises at Karangahake on 17th September last, and 15s. fine and costs for drunkenness, at Paeroa, on 1st October last, total £2 14s., **Peter Crosby**, age thirty-seven, height 5 ft. 7½ in., native of Ireland, brown hair, brown eyes, heavy brown moustache only, medium build; fond of drink. Supposed gone to Gisborne.

**NAPIER.**—On or about 21st May last, on **warrant** for failing to account for jewellery to the value of £245 11s. 6d., the property of Ryan Bros., jewellers and importers, Napier, **W. Hopewell Budd**, age thirty-seven, height 5 ft. 10 in., canvasser, native of England, dark complexion, dark hair turning grey, dark moustache only, blue eyes, false teeth; usually wears a dark-check coat, red vest with small white spots, riding-pants, tan leggings and boots, and hard black hat. Offender was canvasser for the above firm, and was given the jewellery to sell. He was last heard of at Waipukurau on the 21st May last. Amongst the jewellery for sale he had a ladies' 9 ct. gold open-faced watch, No. 3515; two ladies' 9 ct. gold hunting-watches, Nos. 270918 and 101275; a ladies' silver and enamel watch, No. 1876321; a gentlemen's silver open-faced English watch, No. 639921; a gentlemen's silver Waltham watch, No. 14619860; a gentlemen's silver open-faced Erhardt, No. 355788; a gentlemen's gold filled Elgin watch, No. 12748735; a gentlemen's silver hunting-lever watch, No. 98067; a gentlemen's silver hunting watch, No. 115811, Stewart and Co.; a gentlemen's gold filled Elgin watch, No. 13681387.

**STRATFORD.**—8th April last, on **warrant** for deserting his wife, Laura Eleanor Georgina Lambert, at Stratford, **Frederick Henry Lambert**, age forty-eight, height 5 ft. 10 in., baker, native of Germany, stout build, fair complexion, square shoulders, walks erect, has a V-shaped piece out of left thumb-nail. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 174.) Offender is now said to be living with a woman in Gippsland, Victoria.

**SHANNON.**—21st ultimo, on **warrant** of commitment to Palmerston North Prison for fourteen days in default of paying £3 fine and costs for a breach of the peace, **Toby Roberts**, age about twenty-six, height about 5 ft. 5 in., flax hand, thick-set stout build, clean-shaved, florid complexion, dark-brown hair, Scotch accent; fond of drink, and poses as a fighting-man.

MASTERTON.—5th instant, on **warrant** for theft of a leather handbag, containing a girl's change of clothing (recovered), the property of Ina Strang, value £2, **Thomas Christie**, age fifteen, height about 5 ft. 3 in., parcel-boy, strong robust build, rather large eyes, fresh complexion, brown hair; dressed in dark knicker suit and old boots. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, pages 85 and 446.)

WELLINGTON.—25th ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to provide for the maintenance of his illegitimate child, **Michael Farrington**, age thirty-five, height about 5 ft. 5 in., brickmaker and labourer, native of Ireland, stout build, dark complexion, dark hair turning grey, clean-shaved except dark moustache, large scar on chin. Complainant, Ellen Ryan, who is separated from her husband, and has been living with offender for the last two years.

WELLINGTON.—24th April last, that a distress **warrant** for £9 17s. may be executed on him for trespassing on the Trentham Racecourse, **Alfred Farrell**, age about twenty-six, height about 5 ft. 7 in., bookmaker's clerk, dark complexion, medium build, dark hair, clean-shaved; usually wears a navy-blue suit and hard hat.

CHRISTCHURCH.—27th ultimo, on **warrant** for forging and uttering, **Donald Hamilton**, age about thirty-seven, height about 6 ft., labourer, supposed Australian, fair complexion and hair, very fair curly moustache only, hazel eyes, nose slightly flat as if broken, strong erect build, good appearance, noticeable scar running from corner of right eye to the parting in hair; dressed in dark clothes, and will have a quantity of luggage with him. He was working for A. H. Holland, farmer, Greendale, and received a cheque for £5 6s. He subsequently obtained a blank cheque at Christchurch, and forged the name of A. H. Holland to a cheque for £6 16s., and uttered it to John Jackson, licensee Grosvenor Hotel.

CHRISTCHURCH.—3rd ultimo, on **warrant** for theft of a fawn-coloured motor-coat, value £5 (recovered), the property of Howard James, warehouseman, **W. J. Murphy** (name supposed fictitious), age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 6 in., medium build, fresh complexion, dark hair, clean-shaved; dressed in blue-serge sac suit and black cap or straw hat. The coat was stolen from the White Hart Hotel, and sold by offender to McCormack, a second-hand dealer, for 8s. On the 7th instant offender was traced by Constable J. Clarkson to Dromore, near Ashburton, and when overtaken bolted into a plantation, leaving his swag behind. The swag contained several articles reported stolen, also a white blanket with a broad red stripe and several narrow blue stripes; a nearly new black oilcloth coat; a pair of gentlemen's brown-leather gloves; a pair of dark-tweed trousers, made by W. Johnston, Leeston. He is now dressed in a heavy navy-blue-serge coat, dark-tweed trousers, and gray cap. He has now about a week's growth of hair on face. Other charges pending. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 192.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—7th instant, on **warrant** for theft of a horse, trap, and harness (recovered), the property of John Charles McCausland, stablekeeper, Rangiora, **William Robinson**, *alias* **Robertson**, age twenty-four to twenty-six, height 5 ft. 6 in. or 7 in., labourer, clean-shaved, full features, fairly stout build, dark complexion, tattoo-marks on arms; dressed in dark coat, greyish vest and trousers, dark overcoat, and hard black hat; has the appearance of a sailor. He obtained the turn out to go to Kaiapi, but came on to Christchurch, and sold the horse, trap, and harness to Mr. Box, Montreal Street, for £15. Offender is said to have worked at stables in Timaru and Ashburton about two years ago. The photograph of **William Robertson**, *alias* **Robinson**, *alias* **Woolley**, has been identified as that of offender. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 436, and 1908, page 544.)

AMBERLEY.—5th instant, on **warrant** for theft of a cheque for £2, the property of Thomas McNaught, saddler, **William Robinson**, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, brown hair and eyes, full features, clean-shaved; dressed in dark coat, greyish trousers and vest, hard-felt hat, and dark overcoat. Offender is identical with **William Woolley**, *alias* **Robertson**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 544, and preceding paragraph.)

DUNEDIN.—22nd ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to provide for the future maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child, **William Russell**, age about twenty-four, height 5 ft. 7 in., wool-classer and carter, native of New Zealand,

slight build, dark complexion, clean-shaved. Photograph filed in the Inspector's Office, Dunedin. Complainant, Martha Gilbert Tombs, domestic, North-east Valley.

DUNEDIN.—22nd ultimo, on **warrant** for deserting his wife, Susan Wilkinson, at Dunedin, **Bertram Keith Wilkinson**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 10 in., furniture machinist, native of Victoria, rather slight build, light-brown hair, pale complexion, light-brown eyes, clean-shaved; dressed in dark suit and black hard hat. Photograph filed in the Inspector's Office, Dunedin.

OTAUTAU.—Between 15th and 24th April last, on **warrant** for theft of £3 in money and the proceeds of the sale of goods the property of Glen and Glen, drapers, **George James Sutherland**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 7 in., clerk and grocers' assistant, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair hair with reddish tinge (inclined to curl), clean-shaved, brown eyes; generally dresses in light-tweed sac suit, check cap, and tan boots. Offender was employed as hawker for the abovenamed firm, and left for the country on the 15th April, receiving £3 as change, and taking a quantity of goods for sale. He sold a quantity of the goods, and cleared out, leaving his van and horses at Te Tua. His mother and sisters reside at Caversham, Dunedin.

INVERCARGILL.—8th ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to provide for the future maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child, **Bert Vincent**, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 5 in. or 6 in., painter, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair, blue eyes, small fair moustache only, large nose and mouth. Photograph filed in Inspector's Office, Invercargill. Complainant, Lydia Tomlins.

## APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**Gertrude Meenan**, *alias* **McCauley**, failing to contribute towards the support of her child, has been located by Constable Waugh, Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 203.)

MERCER.—**Harold Vincent Harvey**, false pretences, has been arrested by Acting-Detective J. Powell, Auckland police, and committed to the Supreme Court for sentence. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, pages 223 and 236.)

NAPIER.—**John Campbell**, wife-desertion: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 192.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**John Spencer**, default of maintenance, has been found at the Omahu Maori Pa, near Fernhill. He has no money, and is unable to comply with the maintenance order. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 174.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**James Murray**, drunkennes and obscene language, has been arrested by Constable Boag, Whangarei police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 128.)

MARTINBOROUGH.—**Michael James Dalton**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount due to the Masterton police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 224.)

WELLINGTON.—**William Robinson**, *alias* **Howson**, *alias* **McKay**, forging and uttering, has been arrested by Detective Siddells and Constable Wilson, Wanganui police, on information supplied by Constable Satherley, Otaki police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1906, page 86, 1907, page 360, and 1909, pages 224 and 236.)

WELLINGTON.—**James A. Howson**, *alias* **Robinson**, *alias* **McKay**, forging and uttering, has been arrested. (See preceding paragraph, and *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 224.)

WELLINGTON.—**Adelaide Emily Larking** has written to her son. She is now in a situation at Patea. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 238.)

WELLINGTON.—**Gilbert Alexander Craig** has been located. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 238.)

MOUNT COOK.—**Arthur Robert Whitmarsh**, wife-desertion, has been arrested by Detective J. J. Cassells, Wellington police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 27.)

**BLACKBALL.**—**Rene Rosarte**, wanted that a summons may be served on him for causing a breach of the peace, is now undergoing a sentence in Lyttelton Prison for vagrancy, under the name of Leedham Sweeney. Charge of breach of the peace withdrawn. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 130.)

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—**Winnie Taylor**, default of maintenance, has been found by the Woodville police, and warrant of distress executed. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 452.)

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—**William Duffy**, default of fine, has been arrested by Constable Kidd, and lodged in Lyttelton Prison. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 214.)

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—**William Nesbitt**, theft, has been arrested by Constable F. W. Chapman, Denniston police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 502.)

**LINCOLN.**—**Albert E. Sergeant**, absconding: The Education Department request that no further steps be taken to have him returned to the school. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 191.)

**DUNEDIN.**—**William Summers**, default of maintenance, has been served with a summons by Detective A. Ward, Dunedin police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 255.)

**CAPE TOWN.**—**Conrade Stephanus Kotze** has been arrested by Detectives Williams and Kemp, Wellington police, on charges of false pretences and forgery, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 192.)

### PROPERTY STOLEN.

**PUKEKOHE.**—29th ultimo, from the hotel stable at Pukekohe, property of **JAMES REGAN**, farmer, a very dark-bay gelding, 15½ hands high, rising five years, shod all round, no brand, value £16; also saddle and bridle, much worn, nickel-mounted irons and bit, value £2 10s. Identifiable.

**FRANKTON.**—26th ultimo, from the dwelling of **GEORGE EDGECOMBE**, farmer, a £1 note and some silver; a ladies' greenstone brooch, gold fern-leaf in centre, chased-gold ends, value £1 10s.; a ladies' silver open-faced watch, fastened to crocodile-skin bracelet by two chased-silver clasps, fancy gold hands, minutes marked by gold dots, figure "XII" in red, fancy scroll on face, glass broken, stem-winder, maker and number unknown, value £2 10s.; total value, about £5 10s. Watch only identifiable.

**GISBORNE.**—1st ultimo, from Gladstone Road, property of **ADAIR BROS.**, drapers, a gentlemen's Hauriki bicycle, 22 in. frame, seven new spokes in front wheel, new cover on back wheel, rusty handles, no grips; value, £3 10s. Identifiable.

**GISBORNE.**—Between 12th and 14th March last, on s.s. "Waikare," between Dunedin and Wellington, the property of **LORA BENZAL**, a small celluloid trinket-box, with "Trinkets" stamped thereon, containing an old-fashioned small-linked gold neck-chain, 18 in. to 20 in. long; a round gold locket, with "Mizpah" stamped on front; a 15 ct. gold curb chain bangle, with padlock attached; a string of imitation pearls, with an imitation-diamond fastener: total value, £6. Identifiable.

**NEW PLYMOUTH.**—18th ultimo, from the farm of **WILLIAM BROCK**, Frankley Road, a yellow and black cattle-dog, eighteen months old, front tooth broken, answers to the name of "Tiger"; value, £10. Complainant offers a reward of £3 for recovery of the dog and conviction of thief.

**RICCARTON.**—23rd ultimo, from the stable of **DORA ROBINSON**, Riccarton Road, a set of spring-cart harness, black leather (except reins, which are brown-faced), strap of blinkers tied with string, one strap missing from collar, harness in use about six years; value, £5. Identifiable.

**SHEFFIELD.**—31st ultimo, from the dwelling of **HENRY DENHAM**, labourer, Springfield, an 18 ct. gold ring, "H. E.," on shield, value £5; and an 18 ct. gold shield ring, value £5. Identifiable.

**OAMARU.**—22nd ultimo, from a first-class carriage in the train from Elderslie to Oamaru, property of **JAMES B. REID**, runholder, a pair of Zeiss field glasses, in yellow-leather case, "J. B. R." on cover; value, £10. Identifiable.

**DUNEDIN.**—April last, from luggage-room of the Leviathan Hotel, Dunedin, the property of **ERIC FARIS**, student, a box about 2 ft. square, containing the skins of birds as follows: two tuis, three wekas (one North and two South Island), two landrail, one rifleman, and two morepork. The skins were packed in wadding and camphor; value, £5. Identifiable.

### PROPERTY RECOVERED.

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—**JOHN STEWART WAUCHOP'S** locket has been recovered, and **John Burns** arrested for the offence by Detective Mitchell and Acting-Detective Thomson, Dunedin police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 47.)

**ST. BATHAN'S.**—**JANE GARTY'S** jewellery has been found: not stolen. Suspicion no longer attached to **David Hutton**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 183.)

**DUNEDIN.**—**CHARLES STONE'S** dwelling broken into: **Frederick Matthews**, alias **William May**, alias **William Martin**, arrested for offence by Detective Hunt and Acting-Detective Lilley, Dunedin police. Boots only recovered. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 226.)

**DUNEDIN.**—**ARTHUR SMITH'S** dwelling broken into: **Frederick Matthews**, alias **William May**, alias **William Martin**, has been arrested for the offence by Detective Hunt and Acting-Detective Lilley, Dunedin police. Engagement-ring and neck-chain only recovered. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 119.)

### PROPERTY FOUND.

**GISBORNE.**—The property obtained by the Gisborne police, and traced to the possession of **Joseph Johnston**, alias **Wesley Yulett**, sentenced to twelve months in September, 1908, not having been claimed, has been returned to the person from whom received. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 511.)

### DESERTERS FROM HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

*From H.M.S. "Pioneer."*

**AUCKLAND.**—**William Morrison**, age twenty-seven, height 6 ft., native of New Zealand, dark hair, brown eyes, dark complexion, "V" on right forearm, anchor on left forearm, right thumb crushed.

**Harold G. Conway**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 6 in., A.B., native of Auckland, brown hair, blue eyes, fair complexion.

**William R. Riley**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 6½ in., stoker, native of Auckland, black hair, brown eyes, dark complexion, woman on bull and clasped hands on right forearm.

A reward of £3 will be paid for the apprehension of each.

*From H.M.S. "Pioneer."*

**WELLINGTON.**—**Percival George Cavey**, age twenty-three, height 5 ft. 4 in., seaman, native of New Zealand, brown hair, grey eyes, fresh complexion, flags, bracelet, and star tattooed on right arm, bracelet and star on left wrist. Deserted 9th instant.

**William A. Marshall**, age twenty, height 6 ft., stoker, native of New Zealand, dark complexion and hair, brown eyes. Deserted 8th instant.

A reward of £3 each will be paid for their apprehension.

*From H.M.S. "Encounter."*

**SYDNEY.**—**Percy L. Cobb**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 5 in., A.B., native of England, dark-brown hair, brown eyes, dark complexion. Deserted 28th ultimo. A reward not exceeding £3 will be paid for his apprehension.



From H.M.S. "Psyche."

SYDNEY.—**John Batist Petiquin**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 3½ in., light-brown hair, blue eyes, fresh complexion, native of Jersey, tattooed on both forearms, scar on left shoulder. Deserted 21st ultimo. A reward not exceeding £3 will be paid for his apprehension.

### MISSING.

WELLINGTON.—Since 2nd instant, **Ethel Muir**, age fifteen (tall for age), dark complexion and hair; dressed in grey skirt, white blouse, black hat trimmed with green velvet. She is supposed to have gone to Christchurch with a man, only known by Christian name of Frank. Her parents, who have a farm at Porirua, are anxious to have her traced, that she may be committed to an industrial school.

### INQUIRIES, ETC., FROM OUTSIDE NEW ZEALAND.

SYDNEY.—Inquiry requested for **Henry Jerger**, age thirty-five to forty, height 5 ft. 7 in., watchmaker and jeweller, native of South Australia, medium build, sallow complexion, dark-brown hair, dark-brown moustache only. Was last heard six years ago at Kalgoorlie, Western Australia. Now supposed to be working at his trade or in business for himself in New Zealand. Inquiry by E. Nesbit, 10 Kensington Chambers, 1 Moore Street, Sydney. (09/1327.)

### MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION.

#### Appointments as Constables.

9th June, 1909.

- No. 1528.—Dally, Edward Augustus.  
No. 1529.—Falconbridge, Augustus.

#### Dismissal.

- No. 1483.—Constable Mills, Frederick, 7th June, 1909.

#### Death.

- No. 509.—Sergeant Gough, Patrick, 8th June, 1909.

#### Station formed.

- Wellsford, Auckland District, 12th June, 1909. (P. 08/1029.)

#### Station closed.

- Port Albert, Auckland District, 12th June, 1909. (P. 08/1029.)

#### Rewards.

AUCKLAND.—Constable J. A. Mathew, No. 831, has been awarded £6, and Constables D. C. Fraser, No. 787, and J. Fitzgerald, No. 741, £3 each, for services in connection with convictions obtained for keeping liquor for sale, receiving liquor for sale, &c., at Te Kuiti. (09/696.)

INVERCARGILL.—Constable J. I. Melville, No. 854, has been awarded £1 by the Customs Department for services in connection with the conviction of Low Lum, at Arrowtown, for smoking opium. (09/65.)

INVERCARGILL.—Detective A. Cameron, No. 794, has been awarded £10, and Sergeant P. McGrath, No. 193, £5, by the Customs Department for services in connection with the smuggling of boots from the s.s. "Opawa," at the Bluff. (09/65.)

INVERCARGILL.—Constable W. H. Barrett, No. 436, has been awarded £14 10s. by the Customs Department for services in connection with the conviction of Kong Sue, at Lumsden, for having opium in his possession. (09/65.)

#### Sittings of Supreme Court appointed.

(See New Zealand Police Gazette, 1909, page 1579.)

WE, five of the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by "The Judicature Act, 1908," hereby make the following additional rules respecting the places and times for holding sittings of the Supreme Court and sittings in Chambers, in the Judicial District of Westland, for the year 1909:—

Sittings for the trial of criminal and civil cases, and of causes under "The Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act,

1908," will be held at the Courthouse, GREYMOUTH, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m.:—

Monday, 28th June.  
Tuesday, 21st September.  
Wednesday, 8th December;

And at the Courthouse, WESTPORT, to commence on the following days, at 11 a.m.:—

Monday, 5th July.  
Saturday, 25th September.  
Wednesday, 15th December.

Business in Chambers may be disposed of in the course of these sittings, on such days and at such hours as the Judge may appoint.

If any of the days above appointed for sittings should be a public holiday, the sittings will commence on the first day after the day so appointed which is not a holiday.

Given under our hands, this eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOSHUA STRANGE WILLIAMS,  
Acting Chief Justice.

J. E. DENNISTON, J.  
W. B. EDWARDS, J.  
THEO. COOPER, J.  
FREDK. R. CHAPMAN, J.

Approved in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

### LAW REPORT.

("Times Law Reports," Vol. xxv, page 440.)

[K.B. DIV. (LORD ALVERSONE, C.J., DARLING AND JELF, JJ.)—23RD MARCH, 1909.]

REX v. THE GOVERNOR OF H.M. PRISON AT STAFFORD  
(*ex parte* EMERY).

*Criminal Law—Deaf-mute—Inability to plead or understand Proceedings—Detention under 39 and 40 Geo. III, c. 94, s. 2.*

At the trial of a prisoner, who was stone deaf and was unable to read or write, the jury found that he was mute by the visitation of God, and that he was incapable of pleading to, or taking his trial upon, the indictment, or of understanding and following the proceedings by reason of his inability to communicate with, or be communicated with by, others. Thereupon the Judge ordered that the prisoner should be treated as non-sane, and be kept in custody until His Majesty's pleasure should be known.

*Held*, That the order was right.

In this case a rule *nisi* for Habeas Corpus directed to the Governor of Stafford Gaol has been obtained on behalf of one F. Emery. The circumstances in which the rule was granted were stated in *The Times* for 10th March.

Mr. Rowlatt appeared to show cause, and Mr. Bosanquet appeared to support the rule.

It appeared that the prisoner Emery was stone deaf, and was unable to read or write. He was brought up before Mr. Justice Channell for trial at Stafford Assizes on a criminal charge, and before the case was gone into the jury were asked to find whether he was or was not mute by the visitation of God. They found that he was so, and were then sworn a second time to find whether he was able to plead to the indictment and able to understand the proceedings. As to this they found that he was incapable of pleading to or taking his trial upon the indictment, or of understanding and following the proceedings, by reason of his inability to communicate with, or be communicated with by, others. Thereupon Mr. Justice Channell ordered that he should be treated as non-sane, and be kept in custody until His Majesty's pleasure be known.

The LORD CHIEF JUSTICE said that for himself he was glad the case had been argued, and that the Court had had the opportunity to redeclare the position of the matter in law. In his opinion, Mr. Justice Channell and Mr. Justice Jelf had taken the right course. Mr. Justice Jelf, finding that the case was coming on and the prisoner was undefended, had asked Mr. Bosanquet to defend him. When the case was actually reached it was taken before Mr. Justice Channell, the other Judge sitting at Stafford, and Mr. Bosanquet, being dissatisfied with the order made, applied to Mr. Justice Jelf, at whose request he had been acting, for advice as to what steps he ought to take, and Mr. Justice Jelf authorised him to apply to this Court. He (the Lord Chief Justice), however, did not wish to be understood to adopt the principle that because counsel was asked to defend a prisoner at assizes an obligation was involved on counsel

to take further steps in the interests of the prisoner after the trial. The important point in the case was that the jury had found the prisoner incapable of pleading or of understanding the proceedings by reason of his inability to be communicated with, and upon that Mr. Justice Channell had ordered him to be detained as non-sane. They had to consider whether that order was properly made. Mr. Bosanquet had contended that it was not, because there was no express finding of insanity; but he would be sorry to have to adopt that argument, and he could conceive of nothing more likely to cause injustice than to say that in such a case as this either the jury must find insanity or the prisoner must be released. The great weight of opinion and judicial decisions had established a practice which had prevailed for sixty years and was in accordance with common sense and should not now be overruled. It was true, as Mr. Bosanquet pointed out, that the words of the statute did not refer to inability to plead, but only to insanity; but that fact had been considered in *Rex v. Pritchard* and *Rex v. Dyson* (*supra*), and had been held to be immaterial. It was true that those cases were tried at assizes, and were not binding on this Court; but he would be unwilling in any event to upset a convenient practice which had been established for so many years, and those cases were supported by the decision of the Court of Crown Cases Reserved in *The Queen v. Berry* (*supra*). There was no question of general insanity, but only one of inability to understand the proceedings, and it was expressly held that such inability was, in point of law, insanity. Sanity therefore must include ability to follow the proceedings and to understand the accusation and the evidence; and the order in this case was made in accordance with common-sense and the proper administration of the law. The rule must therefore be discharged.

MR. JUSTICE DARLING said that he was of the same opinion. Mr. Bosanquet's point was that the prisoner had never really been found insane, but it seemed to him that the prisoner had been so found. The jury found not only that he was mute, but that he could not understand the routine of the Court or follow the proceedings or make his own views known. That was a sufficient finding of insanity to bring the case within those which had been cited.

The rule was accordingly discharged, with costs.  
[Solicitors—Treasury Solicitor; Official Solicitor.]

## EXTRACTS FROM NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

(From Gazette, 1909, page 1553.)

*Amended Notification respecting Shooting Season for Imported and Native Game, Wellington Acclimatisation District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend, in manner hereinafter provided, the notification made under "The Animals Protection Act, 1908," dated the second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifth day of the said month of April:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify that the following native game—viz., pukeko—may, from the date of the publication hereof to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, be killed in the area described in the Schedule hereto, the said area being part of the Wellington Acclimatisation District.

## SCHEDULE.

BEING an area contained within a line starting from Shannon on the Manawatu Railway line; thence following the line to Palmerston North; thence by a right line to Kairanga; thence to Glen Oroua, and thence to Carnarvon and the sea; thence along the sea boundary to the south bank of the Manawatu River; thence following the river to the bridge on the Foxton and Shannon Road; and thence to Shannon.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this tenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Land at Foxton, Wellington Land District, to be a Sanctuary for Imported and Native Game.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

PURSUANT to the powers vested in me by "The Animals Protection Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that the area described in the Schedule hereto shall be a sanctuary for the purposes of the said Animals Protection Act, and that no imported game or native game shall be taken or killed within the said area.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement about 1,500 acres, situated in Block III, Moutere Survey District, and Block IX, Mount Robinson Survey District. Bounded towards the east by the Foxton-Levin Road from the southernmost corner of Oturoa No. 3 Block to the southernmost corner of Wawa Block; thence towards the south-west by Subdivision No. 1 of Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7D Block to its northernmost corner; thence towards the south-east by Subdivisions Nos. 1 and 2 of Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7D Block to the westernmost corner of the last-mentioned subdivision; thence towards the north-east by that subdivision for a distance of 70 chains; thence again towards the south-east by a right line at right angles to the south-western boundary of the said Subdivision No. 2, running through Subdivisions Nos. 3, 4, and 5, to the north-eastern boundary of Ngawhakahiamoe Block; thence towards the south-west and south-east by the last-mentioned block to its westernmost corner; thence towards the north by Waitarere No. 1 Block to its north-western corner; thence again towards the south-east by the last-mentioned block and Subdivision 2B of Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7D Block to the north-eastern corner of Kahukura Block; thence again towards the south-west by the said Kahukura Block for a distance of 50 chains; thence towards the north-west by a right line to a point on the north-eastern boundary of Whirokino No. 2 Block, distant 70 chains from the easternmost corner of that block, and the said right line produced to a point in line with the south-western boundary of Totara No. 3 Block; thence again towards the north-east by a right line to the westernmost corner of the last-mentioned block; and thence by that block and Oturoa No. 3 Block to the Foxton-Levin Road, the place of commencement.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

| Name of Offender.                                 | Where tried.        | When.   | Offence.                             | Sentence.                                | Native of     | Trade.                 | Birth.  | Height. | Complexion. | Hair.          | Eyes.    | Nose.           | Distinguishing Marks, &c.  |
|---|---------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------|------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|----------------|----------|-----------------|--|
| Moirhouse, John ..                                | Mangawai ..         | 13/5/09 | theft                                | .. fined 5s.                             | .. N. Zealand | labourer               | .. 1883 | 5 8     | .. fair     | .. brown       | .. grey  | .. broad        | .. Stoops slightly when walking; large mouth; broad nose and face.   |
| McKearney, Winifred                               | .. Auckland ..      | 31/5/09 | idle and disorderly                  | .. to come up if called on for 12 months | .. N. Zealand | domestic               | .. 1892 | 5 3     | .. fresh    | .. light brown | .. blue  | .. medium       |  |
| Wolf, Ivy ..                                      | .. Auckland ..      | 31/5/09 | insufficient lawful means of support | .. Door of Hope for 12 months called on  | .. N. Zealand | domestic               | .. 1891 | 5 3     | .. fresh    | .. brown       | .. blue  | .. medium       |  |
| Brooks, Cecil Cunningham, alias Cunningham, Cecil | .. Auckland ..      | 3/6/09  | idle and disorderly                  | .. to come up if called on               | .. England    | gardener               | .. 1857 | 5 8     | .. fresh    | .. dark        | .. grey  | .. medium       |  |
| Myers, Andrew ..                                  | .. Auckland ..      | 3/6/09  | soliciting alms                      | .. to come up if called on               | .. N. Zealand | labourer               | .. 1881 | 6 0½    | .. fresh    | .. fair        | .. blue  | .. medium       |  |
| Murphy, Adolphus Stephen                          | .. Auckland ..      | 4/6/09  | illegally on premises at night       | .. to come up if called on               | .. India      | labourer               | .. 1855 | 5 6     | .. sallow   | .. grey        | .. grey  | .. broad        |  |
| Leaing, James ..                                  | .. Waihi ..         | 27/5/09 | theft                                | .. fined £1                              | .. N. Zealand | miner                  | .. 1886 | 5 7     | .. sallow   | .. dark        | .. brown | .. thick        |  |
| Brooks, William Martin                            | .. Napier ..        | 7/6/09  | theft                                | .. to come up if called on               | .. England    | butcher                | .. 1850 | 5 7     | .. sallow   | .. grey        | .. grey  | .. medium       | .. Thin face.  |
| Gilbert, Robert ..                                | .. Inglewood ..     | 31/5/09 | theft                                | .. fined 10s.                            | .. N. Zealand | jockey                 | .. 1893 | 5 2     | .. sallow   | .. fair        | .. grey  | .. long         |  |
| Rush, Frank ..                                    | .. Palmerston N. .. | 31/5/09 | theft                                | .. committed to Weraroa                  | .. N. Zealand | schoolboy              | .. 1895 | 5 0     | .. dark     | .. dark        | .. brown | .. medium       |  |
| Juno, William ..                                  | .. Palmerston N. .. | 31/5/09 | theft                                | .. committed to Weraroa                  | .. N. Zealand | schoolboy              | .. 1895 | 4 5½    | .. fair     | .. fair        | .. grey  | .. medium       | .. Very small for age; inclined to be freckled.  |
| Sorensen, Hans Peter K.                           | .. Palmerston N. .. | 2/6/09  | attempted theft, wilful damage       | .. and fined £1 5s. 6d.                  | .. Denmark    | watchmaker             | .. 1883 | 5 3½    | .. ruddy    | .. fair        | .. blue  | .. medium       | .. F.P.  |
| Hartnell, Mary ..                                 | .. Wellington ..    | 1/6/09  | importuning                          | .. fined £2                              | .. England    | prostitute             | .. 1878 | 5 2     | .. fresh    | .. very fair   | .. blue  | .. medium       | .. Medium build.   |
| Weldon, William ..                                | .. Wellington ..    | 4/6/09  | theft                                | .. fined £5                              | .. Queensland | driver                 | .. 1877 | 5 6½    | .. fresh    | .. dark brown  | .. brown | .. medium       | .. Medium build. (See Police Gazette, 1905, page 12.)  |
| Daly, Margaret ..                                 | .. Wellington ..    | 28/5/09 | theft                                | .. to come up if called on               | .. N. Zealand | schoolgirl             | .. 1895 | 4 2     | .. dark     | .. dark        | .. brown | .. medium       | .. Slight build.   |
| McLaughlin, Susan                                 | .. Wellington ..    | 26/5/09 | illegally on premises                | .. Army Home for 3 months                | .. Australia  | prostitute             | .. 1870 | 5 2     | .. pale     | .. brown       | .. grey  | .. medium       | .. Medium build. (See Police Gazette, 1908, page 243.)   |
| Wilson, Patrick ..                                | .. Wellington ..    | 7/6/09  | insufficient support                 | .. means of to come up if called on      | .. Ireland    | electrician & labourer | .. 1860 | 5 11    | .. fresh    | .. grey        | .. blue  | .. medium       | .. Scar on nose. (See Police Gazette, 1909, page 177.)   |
| Stock, Morris ..                                  | .. Wellington ..    | 7/6/09  | illegally on premises                | .. to come up if called on               | .. N. Zealand | butcher                | .. 1886 | 5 7     | .. fresh    | .. brown       | .. blue  | .. medium       | .. Medium build; two scars on left forearm.  |
| Campbell, Oliver, Ernest, alias Searle            | .. Ashburton ..     | 14/5/09 | theft                                | .. sent back to Burnham                  | .. N. Zealand | Burnham boy            | .. 1890 | 5 8     | .. fresh    | .. dark brown  | .. blue  | .. medium       | .. Slight build; dark eyebrows. (See Police Gazette, 1908, pages 43, 190, 208, and 502.)                                       |
| Ludwig, Edward, alias Snythe, Robert, alias King  | .. Ashburton ..     | 14/5/09 | theft                                | .. sent back to Burnham                  | .. N. Zealand | Burnham boy            | .. 1888 | 5 9     | .. fair     | .. light brown | .. blue  | .. large        | .. Sharp features; sly appearance; large ears. (See Police Gazette, 1908, pages 116, 120, and 275.)                            |
| Gilbert, William ..                               | .. Dunedin ..       | 10/5/09 | theft                                | .. fine, or 1 month                      | .. Dunedin    | labourer               | .. 1885 | 5 3     | .. fair     | .. fair        | .. blue  | .. medium       | .. Small wart on back of right hand; two moles on right cheek.   |
| Arthur, William ..                                | .. Dunedin ..       | 24/5/09 | theft                                | .. fined £2                              | .. Dunedin    | storeman               | .. 1865 | 5 7     | .. fresh    | .. dark brown  | .. brown | .. medium       | .. Scar under left wrist.  |
| Jackson, Herbert ..                               | .. Dunedin ..       | 4/6/09  | theft                                | .. fine, or 14 days                      | .. London     | ship's steward         | .. 1879 | 5 7     | .. pale     | .. dark brown  | .. hazel | .. medium       | .. Scar under left eye; peacock and clasped hands on heart on right forearm; butterfly, two flags, and wreath on left forearm. |
| Schluter, Frederick William                       | .. Dunedin ..       | 31/5/09 | theft                                | .. to come up if called on               | .. Dunedin    | labourer               | .. 1889 | 5 7     | .. dark     | .. brown       | .. hazel | .. large, broad |  |



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

| Name of Offender.  | Where tried. | When.      | Offence. | Sentence.                   | Native of     | Trade.                    | Born.    | Height.   | Complexion. | Hair.    | Eyes.    | Nose.     | Distinguishing Marks, &c. |
|--------------------|--------------|------------|----------|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|----------|----------|-----------|---------------------------|
| McIntyre, Francis  | .. Bluff     | .. 27/4/09 | theft    | .. fined 5s.                | .. N. Zealand | engineer's apprentice     | 1894 5 4 | ft. in. 4 | .. fair     | .. black | .. hazel | ..        | Large hooked nose.        |
| Macdonald, Kenneth | .. Bluff     | .. 27/4/09 | theft    | .. fined 5s.                | .. N. Zealand | engineer's apprentice     | 1895 5 1 | ..        | .. fair     | .. fair  | .. blue  | .. medium |                           |
| Ryan, Richard      | .. Bluff     | .. 27/4/09 | theft    | .. convicted and discharged | .. N. Zealand | schoolboy                 | 1900 4 6 | ..        | .. dark     | .. black | .. brown | .. medium | Half-caste Maori.         |
| Bradshaw, Charles  | .. Bluff     | .. 27/4/09 | theft    | .. convicted and discharged | .. N. Zealand | schoolboy                 | 1903 4 1 | ..        | .. dark     | .. black | .. brown | .. medium | Half-caste Maori.         |
| Adam, James        | .. Bluff     | .. 27/4/09 | theft    | .. 6 strokes of birch       | .. N. Zealand | schoolboy                 | 1894 5 2 | ..        | .. fair     | .. fair  | .. blue  | .. medium |                           |
| Macdonald, Allen   | .. Bluff     | .. 27/4/09 | theft    | .. 12 strokes of birch      | .. N. Zealand | schoolboy                 | 1893 5 0 | ..        | .. fair     | .. fair  | .. blue  | .. medium |                           |
| Nixey, Francis     | .. Bluff     | .. 27/4/09 | theft    | .. convicted and discharged | .. N. Zealand | schoolboy                 | 1900 4 6 | ..        | .. fair     | .. fair  | .. blue  | .. medium |                           |
|                    |              | .. 25/5/09 | theft    | .. convicted and discharged | .. N. Zealand | sent to industrial school |          |           |             |          |          |           |                           |





RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE WEEK ENDED 5TH JUNE, 1909—continued.

| Geol. and Name of Prisoner.                        | Where tried.         | When.    | Offence.                   | Sentence.                 | Native of     | Trade.                | Height.           | Complexion. | Hair.          | Eyes.    | Nose.           | When discharged. | Remarks, and Previous Convictions.<br>(F.P. indicates that finger-impressions have been taken.)   |
|--|----------------------|----------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------|----------------|----------|-----------------|------------------|---|
| <b>Napier</b> —continued.<br>Rhodes, James         | .. Napier M.C.       | 29/5/09  | no means of support        | .. remanded               | .. England    | .. bootmaker          | 5 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ | sallow      | .. grey        | .. brown | .. large        | 31/5/09          | See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1909, page 188.   |
| Poole, Albert                                      | .. Wairoa M.C.       | 28/5/09  | theft                      | .. remanded               | .. Tasmania   | .. labourer           | 5 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | dark        | .. brown       | .. brown | .. broken       | 31/5/09          | Scar on right side of forehead; two scars on first left finger; scar on right leg.  |
| Jones, James                                       | .. Hastings M.C.     | 28/5/09  | threatening behaviour      | 7 days                    | .. N. Zealand | .. labourer           | 5 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | dark        | .. light brown | .. hazel | .. straight     | 3/6/09           | Several p.c.  |
| <b>New Plymouth</b> —<br>Hodgson, Herbert          | .. Wanganui S.C.     | 2/3/09   | theft                      | .. 3 months               | .. N. Zealand | .. painter            | 5 6               | fresh       | .. light brown | .. blue  | .. medium       | 1/6/09           | Anchor and two dots on right forearm; man's head on left arm. F.P. Photographed at New Plymouth, 31/5/09.   |
| <b>Wanganui</b> —<br>McManus, Bernard              | .. Wanganui M.C.     | 26/5/09  | breach of Licensing Act    | 7 days                    | .. Ireland    | .. labourer and baker | 5 6               | fresh       | .. grey        | .. hazel | .. medium       | 1/6/09           | Nose and right arm have been broken.  |
| Brown, John  | .. Marton M.C.       | 3/5/09   | obscene exposure           | .. 48 hours               | .. Sydney     | .. labourer           | 5 9               | fair        | .. ginger      | .. grey  | .. medium       | 2/6/09           | Nose to left; scar on top of forehead; two burn-marks on right leg. F.P. Photographed at Wanganui, 29/5/09.   |
| Philip, Daniel                                     | .. Wanganui M.C.     | 8/3/09   | rogue and vagabond         | .. 1 month                | .. N. Zealand | .. butcher            | 5 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | fair        | .. auburn      | .. blue  | .. medium       | 8/3/09           | Case reheard, and charge dismissed. The conviction, therefore, against him (page 114, current <i>Gazette</i> ) not to be recorded.                          |
| <b>Hammer Springs</b> —<br>Gray, Edwin             | .. Wellington S.C.   | 23/11/03 | breaking and entering      | .. 8 years                | .. England    | .. labourer           | 5 10              | reddish     | .. auburn      | .. grey  | .. straight     | 8/6/09           | Ring on left ring-finger; scar on right eye and across shirt.   |
| <b>Lyttelton</b> —<br>Voss, Frank, alias John-ston | .. Napier S.C.       | 9/2/05   | theft                      | .. 2 years                | .. Germany    | .. fireman            | 5 7               | fresh       | .. brown       | .. blue  | .. medium       | 1/6/09           | F.P. Photographed at Lyttelton, 20/4/09. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1904, page 264.)  |
| Robson, Ernest                                     | .. Christchurch M.C. | 29/12/08 | theft                      | .. 6 months               | .. N. Zealand | .. carpenter          | 5 2               | fresh       | .. brown       | .. blue  | .. medium       | 5/6/09           | F.P. Photographed at Lyttelton, 24/5/09. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1906, page 342.)  |
| <b>Oamaru</b> —<br>McTier, William                 | .. Oamaru M.C.       | 2/6/09   | forgery                    | .. com'd for trial        | .. Scotland   | .. labourer           | 5 11              | fresh       | .. light brown | .. grey  | .. medium       | 2/6/09           | Bailed. F.P.  |
| <b>Dunedin</b> —<br>McCluskey, Francis             | .. Dunedin M.C.      | 5/4/09   | theft                      | .. fine, or 2 mo's        | .. N. Zealand | .. dealer             | 5 3               | fresh       | .. brown       | .. hazel | .. large        | 4/6/09           | See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1908, page 490.   |
| Burns, John  | .. Dunedin M.C.      | 2/6/09   | theft                      | .. remanded               | .. Scotland   | .. steward            | 5 7               | fresh       | .. grey        | .. grey  | .. large        | 4/6/09           | Two hearts, dagger, J.B., and AMELIA on inside of left forearm; second left finger deformed.  |
| Jackson, Herbert                                   | .. Dunedin M.C.      | 31/5/09  | theft                      | .. remanded               | .. England    | .. steward            | 5 6               | sallow      | .. brown       | .. grey  | .. long         | 4/6/09           | Peacock on right forearm; two flags, scroll, butterfly, &c., on left forearm; dots on fingers of each hand; scar under left eye.                            |
| Summers, Alexander                                 | .. Dunedin M.C.      | 6/2/09   | obscene language           | .. 3 months               | .. Norway     | .. painter            | 5 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ | fresh       | .. grey        | .. grey  | .. medium       | 5/6/09           | Scar on left arm. F.P.  |
| Blackwell, Reginald Guy Fawkes                     | .. Dunedin M.C.      | 1/6/09   | obscene language           | .. fine, or 6 days        | .. Tasmania   | .. seaman             | 5 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | sallow      | .. brown       | .. grey  | .. large        | 5/6/09           | Scar on left thigh. F.P.  |
| <b>Invercargill</b> —<br>Buchanan, David           | .. Invercargill S.C. | 2/3/09   | assault                    | .. 3 months               | .. N. Zealand | .. labourer           | 5 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | fresh       | .. light brown | .. blue  | .. prominent    | 1/6/09           | Heart on right wrist; scar on left forefinger and on right foot. Impediment in speech. F.P.   |
| Connor, Denis, alias Ken-edy, alias O'Brien, &c.   | .. Riverton M.C.     | 27/5/09  | obscene language           | .. fine, or 7 days        | .. N. Zealand | .. labourer           | 5 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | fresh       | .. dark brown  | .. hazel | .. thick        | 2/6/09           | 4 p.c. Nail of left middle finger disfigured; scar on right shin. F.P. Photographed at Invercargill, 31/5/09. (See <i>Police Gazette</i> , 1909, page 244.) |
| Sue Kong   | .. Lumsden M.C.      | 26/5/09  | having opium in possession | .. in his fine, or 6 mo's | .. China      | .. digger             | 5 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | sallow      | .. black       | .. brown | .. flat, broken | 2/6/09           | Nose has been broken; left little finger partially stiff. F.P. Fine paid.   |

