

gloves in the pockets, value £6; a dark claret-colored round hard felt ventilated hat, Knott, maker's name on inside, value 12s. 6d., the property of William Hannah. Identifiable.

Stolen, between the 1st and 21st ultimo, from Hanover-street, Dunedin, fourteen sheets of galvanised corrugated sheet iron, with two crowns and the letter B on each side of them, within triangle marked upon each of the sheets, the property of Alexander Miller, value £3 10.

Missing Friends.

Information is requested respecting the whereabouts of Alfred Hughes Keen, late a mining agent at Mount Ida, at which place he was married. He was heard of at the Kyburn diggings in April, 1869.

(*Vide Police Gazette, 1876, page 43.*)

Mary Ann Reekie has been found.

Information is requested respecting the whereabouts of John Sullivan, a native of Annaherag, county Tipperary, Ireland, a general and farm labourer, about twenty-five years of age, five feet eight inches high, sandy complexion, dark brown hair, quiet appearance brown eyes, a tooth wanting in the side of mouth. He left London about the 1st November last by the ship Corona for Otago, and has not since been heard of by his friends in Ireland.

Information is requested respecting the whereabouts of David Rowlands, a native of Merthyr, Tydvil, Wales, a coal miner, twenty-eight years of age, five feet nine inches high, sandy complexion, small dark hazel eyes, knock-kneed, married, but represents himself as unmarried. He left London in August, 1873, by the ship Zealandia for Otago. Was last heard of in April, 1874, from Manuka Creek, and was then employed on Railway works in that neighbourhood.

Information is requested respecting the whereabouts of Arthur W. Rogers, son of a clergyman in England, between twenty-five and twenty-eight years of age, six feet, two inches high, dark complexion black hair, aquiline nose, black moustache, no whiskers, very gentlemanly appearance. He had been in the garrison corps at Melbourne, and is commonly called the Colonel, from his military carriage. He was heard of at Dunedin in July, 1875.

Information is requested respecting the whereabouts of William Dunlop, who formerly resided at Geelong, Victoria, but who is now reported to be living on a farm near Dunedin, to be in fair circumstances and a regular attendant at a Presbyterian Church. He has left three young children in Geelong, who are now in destitute circumstances.

Information is requested respecting the whereabouts of George Rennie, who left Dunedin about two months ago, leaving his illegitimate child unprovided for. Description:—Scotch, a shoemaker, thirty years of age, five feet nine inches high, medium build, black hair, usually worn long and neatly kept, dark whiskers and moustache, shaved on chin, a piece broken off one of upper front teeth, small feet, generally wears dark coat and vest, light trousers, and hard black felt hat; smart clean appearance. See *Police Gazette* 1870, page 45.

Information is requested respecting the whereabouts of James Marshall Theobalds, a seaman, eighteen years of age, who arrived at Port Chalmers by the barque Jane Spiers, from Western Australia, on the 23rd July, 1875, in company with one Arthur Swanson. It is believed that Swanson obtained employment on Railway works in this province. Theobalds may be with him, or he may know his whereabouts.

Miscellaneous Information.

Return of appointments, etc., since the publication of last list:—

APPOINTMENTS AS CONSTABLES.

Michael Joyce, No. 799.

Michael Keenan, No. 801.

Thomas Nestor, No. 802.

RESIGNED.

Constable Henry Royston, No. 767.

The special attention of the members of the force is directed to the following description of Joseph Bryant, a dangerous member of the criminal class who was discharged on the 31st ultimo from the gaol at Dunedin. Description: English, a labourer, twenty-eight years of age, five feet six inches high, stout, compact build, auburn hair, partly bald, fair whiskers of about a month's growth, fresh complexion, a lower tooth in front of mouth wanting, a small mole on forehead over left eye, wore very light grey tweed suit, black soft billy-cock hat, and Blucher boots, scar across nose, two females under two colors and crown in centre of American flag, four stars and crescent, laurel wreath underneath, on chest, ship on belly, brig and lighthouse on right side, mermaid, flag in hand, left side, female dancing on a ball surrounded by rose, thistle, and shamrock, female bust, American banners and star on right arm, bouble bracelet and flags above right wrist, star on back of right hand, tree of LIBERTY, English banner under crucifix on left arm, tree of liberty, bird, four stars, bouquet, four fishes, double bracelet, and star on left forearm, female on left shin, flogging marks on back, can read and write. He was convicted at Auckland on the 3rd of June and 1st September, 1868, and sentenced to thirteen years penal servitude and twenty-five lashes for robbery with violence (2 charges), for attempting to choke with intent to rob (2 charges), and for being a criminal illegally at large.

Vide Police Gazette, 1876, page 78.

The dark Irish frieze overcoat, the property of James Heron, stolen on the 5th ultimo from the Glasgow Pie House, Princes-street, Dunedin, has been found by Detective Henderson in possession of the offender, Edward Butler, *alias* Charles James Donnelly, who has been sentenced to three months' labor for stealing it.

Vide Police Gazette, 1876, page 76.

The Starboard lamp stolen about the 1st ultimo at Port Moeraki, the property of Joseph R. Bremner, has been recovered.

Vide Police Gazette, 1876, page 65.

The wheelbarrow reported as stolen about the 7th of July last from the Cemetery-road, North Dunedin, the property of David Kirkwood, has been left back in the place from which it was stolen.

Vide Police Gazette, 1876, page 78.

The cornet and case stolen about the 23rd of July last from the Queen's Theatre, Dunedin, the property