of William Oliver have been recovered and traced to the possession of Edward, *alias* Robert Butler, *alias* James Charles Donnelly, who has been arrested by Detective Henderson and committed for trial.

The heifer, the property of Henry Clarke, reported as stolen from a paddock at Tokomairiro on the 31st July last, has been found wandering, not stolen.

The liver-colored retriever bitch, the property of John Fothergill, reported as stolen on the 3rd ultimo at Manuka Creek, has been recovered, not stolen.

Vide Police Gazette, 1876, page 43.

Archelius Perkins, charged on warrant with having disobeyed a summons to appear at the Justices' Court, Dunedin, on the 24th of April last to answer a charge of having refused to provide for the support of his illegitimate child, has been arrested by Constable Mckenzie, Waihola Police.

Vide Police Gazette, 1876, page 75.

Neil McPhee, charged on warrant of arrest issued at Christchurch in default of paying £28, due for the maintenance of his wife and family, has been arrested by Sergeant Daly, Balclutha Police.

EXTRACTS FROM VICTORIA POLICE GAZETTE.

From Police Gazette 26th July and 16th August, 1876.

Thomas Tweed Tindall is charged on warrant issued by the Melbourne Bench, on the 22nd iust, with embezzling the monies of the Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria. Description: Twenty-two years of age, five feet seven inches high, fair hair, pale smooth face, dresses well, wears a gold Albert, with a small dog kennel charm, is a heavy smoker, and has been a sailor. He has a brother who is master of the barque Phœnix, trading to Apolla Bay; another

brother is living at or near the same place, and is a mail contractor, or engaged in connection therewith—O. 4361, 25th July, 1876. This offender may have come to New Zealand; his photograph is in the office of the Commissioner of Police, Dunedin.

## MURDER.

## ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS on the morning of the 13th July, 1875 one Samuel Jamieson disappeared from the neighbourhood of Brighton, New Zealand, and it was generally supposed that he had been drowned accidentally in Fox's River: and whereas there is now good reason to suspect that the said Samuel Jamieson was on the date aforesaid murdered, and his body concealed: Notice is hereby given that a reward of £50 will be paid by the Provincial Government of Nelson for such information as shall lead to the discovery of the body of the said Samuel Jamieson, and an additional sum of £50 for such information as shall lead to the conviction of the murderer.

EUGENE J. O'CONOR,
Provincial Secretary.
Nelson, 23rd October, 1875.
O. 4775.

Richard Thomas Slarke is charged on warrant issued by the Sandhurst Bench with embezzling various sums amounting to the sum of £74, the moneys of the Independant Order of Oddfellows in 1875. Description: fifty years of age, five feet six inches high, slender build, slightly round shouldered, dark sickly complexion, black hair, beard, whiskers, and moustache, all turning grey, Jewish appearance, may wear dark blue pilot top coat, dark trousers, and black hat with soft crown. O. 7402, 15th August, 1876.