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Felonies and Other Offences.

A warrant has been issued by the Invercargill Bench for the arrest of Duncan McFarlane, *alias* David Lorrell, *alias* Larrell, charged with bigamy at Auckland, on the 6th September, 1872.

Offender is a native of Olan, Argyle-shire, Scotland, a shoemaker, 40 to 45 years of age, between 5 feet 10 inches and 6 feet high, stout, able frame, good looking, dark complexion, brown hair, clean shaved except goatee, served in the New South Wales Police Force for several years, and kept a stall in the Sydney Market; he also kept a store in Maitland street, Dunedin, in 1863, and in 1866 or 1867 kept Mack's Hotel, Grey-mouth, West Coast, and in 1870 lived at Tauranga. He is known to James Kennedy, hotel-keeper, Melbourne (who kept the Robert Burns Hotel, in George street, Dunedin), to Constable Slattery, of Melbourne, to John Kennedy, of Carrington, to Webb and Booth, commission agents, Sussex street, Sydney, and to Elizabeth Norris, whom he married at Auckland in September, 1872, and who is supposed to be residing with her father, W. J. Norris, grocer, Forest Lodge Glebe, Sydney, N.S.W.

Offender left the Bluff on the 24th ultimo, by the steamer Claud Hamilton, for Melbourne, giving his name as Mr Larrell.

A warrant has been issued by the Dunedin Bench for the arrest of John Kenny, charged with deserting his wife and family, at Dunedin, on the 26th instant.

Offender is a native of Cork, Ireland, a laborer, 34 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, stout build, black hair, dark brown whiskers and moustache. He is supposed to be residing in the Tuapeka district.

A warrant has been issued by the Invercargill Bench for the arrest of David Waddle, charged with indecently assaulting a Miss Shields, at Woodlands, on the 21st instant.

Offender is a Scotchman, a carpenter, 27 years of age, 5 feet 7½ inches high, fair complexion, dark brown hair, light brown beard, whiskers and moustache, wore dark cloth coat, dark tweed trousers, cloth cap, and water-tight boots.

Warrants have been issued by the Oamaru Bench for the arrest of George White and John Buckley, charged with deserting from the hired service of the New Zealand Meat Preserving Company, at Kakanui, on the 1st instant.

White is about 17 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, fair hair, pale, sickly complexion, slightly pock-pitted, slight build, wore broad brimmed black felt hat, and colonial tweed suit.

Buckley is an Englishman, about 20 years of age, 5 feet 3 inches high, square, thick-set build, fair hair, no whiskers or moustache, wore brown tweed sac coat, and light colored trousers. It is supposed they will endeavor to get employment on board a ship going to England.

Between 9 p.m. on the 17th and 6.30 a.m. on the 18th inst., the dwelling of McDonald and Doring, butchers, George street, Dunedin, was burglariously entered, and a common tin japanned cash-box, size 6 by 3 by 2 inches, containing a £10 note, 4 £1 notes, £2 in gold, £3 in silver, a cheque on the Bank of New Zealand, Dunedin, for £29 2s 6d, signed by Bartlett and Thomson, and a cheque on the same Bank for £25 16s 6d, signed by Driver, Stewart and Co. in McDonald and