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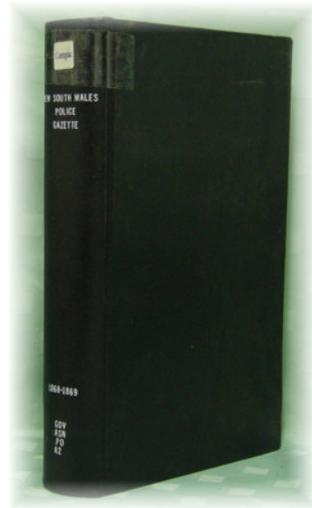
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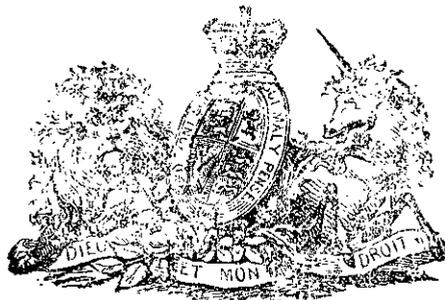
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*Police Station,*

NEW SOUTH WALES

POLICE



GAZETTE,

AND

WEEKLY RECORD OF CRIME.

CONTAINING the substance of Informations received in cases of Felony and Misdemeanors with description of Offenders, &c. and every particular which may lead to their apprehension.

Compiled in the Detective Office, and published at the Office of the Inspector General, every Wednesday, for transmission to all Police Stations within the Colony of New South Wales, and the principal Police Stations in the adjacent Colonies.

No. 1.]

WEDNESDAY, 1 JANUARY.

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*Communications for this Gazette must be addressed to the "INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE, Sydney," prepaid. Officers in charge of Stations are requested to report to the Inspector General every instance of the non-delivery of the GAZETTE; and Officers, in visiting Stations, are to report every instance in which the files of the POLICE GAZETTE are incomplete.*

*No REPORT OF CRIME will be inserted in this publication, unless signed by some Member of the Force.*

*No REWARD offered for the apprehension of offenders, &c., will be noticed, unless the name of the person making such offer be stated in the Report sent to this Office.*

*No HORSES or CATTLE will be entered in this Gazette, unless there are reasonable grounds to suppose that the same have been stolen.*

*PREVIOUS REFERENCES.—It is requested that all reports respecting cases already Gazetted, should state the date and page of the POLICE GAZETTE in which the previous notice has appeared; and, in reporting arrests, to state by whom effected.*

*MEMBERS of the Force are directed to notify promptly, to the Inspector General's Office, all arrests made for offences which have previously been reported for insertion in the POLICE GAZETTE, or would have been so reported had the arrest not been made at the time.*

NOTICE.

It is particularly desired that all claims against the Police Department, up to the close of last year, may be rendered with the least possible delay. The Inspector General cannot hold himself responsible for subsequent delay in payment, if such accounts be not promptly sent in.

Members of the Force are instructed to use every means in their power to facilitate prompt payment of claims against the Department.

*Vide Government Gazette, 31st December, 1867.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sydney, 26th December, 1867.

WILFUL MURDER—ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS, on the 15th instant, the body of a man, with the skull fractured and otherwise mutilated, was found about fifty yards from the road leading from Moama to Deniliquin, and about five miles from the

former place: And whereas, at an inquest held on the 17th instant, at Moama, before the District Coroner, a verdict of Wilful Murder, against some person or persons unknown, was returned: Notice is hereby given, that a reward of Twenty-five Pounds will be paid by the Government for such information as shall lead to the identification of the murdered man; and a further reward of Seventy-five Pounds will be paid to any person giving such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the guilty party or parties.

HENRY PARKES.

PARTICULARS TO AID IDENTIFICATION AND DETECTION.

Description:—From 35 to 40 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches high, stout build, fresh complexion, short sandy beard and moustache, the former worn all round, brown hair, teeth ordinary size and regular, nose rather small and pointed, large bunion on big toe of right foot; dressed in red Crimean shirt with black spots, brown tweed shirt, dark tweed trousers, brown felt hat, and belt with "All England Eleven" on brass buckle. A black and tan coolie dog, with white face and breast, and a quilted rug (one side green, the other brown), was found near the body.

Police Department,  
Inspector General's Office,  
Sydney, 28th December, 1867.

INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.

BY virtue of an authority vested in me by an order of His Excellency the Governor, in Council, under the 37th clause of the Constitution Act, I have appointed the undermentioned member of the Police Force Inspector of Slaughter-houses and of Cattle intended to be slaughtered:—

District.	Name.	Rank.	Station.
Western .....	McEvoy Lewis .....	Senior Constable.	Two Mile Flat.

N.B.—Although the Station is named above, the Inspector of Slaughter-houses has power to act anywhere in the District, on transfer, &c.

Police Department,  
Inspector General's Office,  
Sydney, 9th January, 1868.

INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.

BY virtue of an authority vested in me by an order of His Excellency the Governor, in Council, under the 37th clause of the Constitution Act, I have appointed the undermentioned member of the Police Force Inspector of Slaughter-houses and of Cattle intended to be slaughtered:—

District.	Name.	Rank.	Station.
Western .....	Cooper Charles .....	Senior Constable.	Dubbo.

N.B.—Although the Station named above, the Inspector of Slaughter-houses has power to act anywhere in the District, on transfer, &c.

It is to be understood, that the appointment of members of the Police Force as Inspectors of Slaughter-houses, will cease on their leaving the service.

JNO. M'LERIE,  
Inspector General of Police.

Circuit Courts to be Holden.

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ARMIDALE— Monday, 6 April. Monday, 5 October.	GOULBURN— Monday, 6 April. Monday, 5 October.
BATHURST— Monday, 13 April. Monday, 12 October.	MATTLAND— Monday, 20 April. Monday, 19 October.
DENILIQUIN— Monday, 13 January. Monday, 13 July.	WAGGA WAGGA— Monday, 20 April. Monday, 19 October.

Courts of Quarter Sessions to be Holden.

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ALBURY— Friday, 6 March. Friday, 19 June. Friday, 20 November.	GRAFTON— Monday, 20 April. Monday, 3 August. Monday, 30 November.
ARMIDALE— Tuesday, 24 March. Wednesday, 8 July. Tuesday, 3 November.	GUNDAGAI— Monday, 17 February. Monday, 1 June. Monday, 2 November.
BATHURST— Monday, 10 February. Monday, 25 May. Monday, 28 September.	MATTLAND— Thursday, 6 February. Thursday, 4 June. Friday, 4 September. Thursday, 10 December.
BERRIMA— Thursday, 13 February. Thursday, 9 July. Thursday, 5 November.	MUDGEE— Thursday, 19 March. Thursday, 2 July. Thursday, 5 November.
BRAIDWOOD— Monday, 16 March. Monday, 10 August. Monday, 16 November.	MURRURUNDI— Wednesday, 11 March. Saturday, 27 June. Wednesday, 21 October.
CAMPBELLTOWN— Friday, 7 February. Friday, 3 July. Friday, 30 October.	MUSWELLBROOK— Wednesday, 4 March. Monday, 22 June. Wednesday, 14 October.
COOMA— Saturday, 29 February. Saturday, 25 July. Saturday, 28 November.	ORANGE— Monday, 2 March. Monday, 15 June. Monday, 19 October.
DENILIQUIN— Monday, 16 March. Monday, 29 June. Monday, 30 November.	PARRAMATTA— Friday, 13 March. Tuesday, 7 July. Friday, 6 November.
EDEN— Monday, 13 January.	PORT MACQUARIE— Monday, 17 February. Monday, 7 September.
GOULBURN— Monday, 17 February. Monday, 13 July. Monday, 9 November.	QUEANBEYAN— Monday, 24 February. Monday, 20 July. Monday, 23 November.

SCONE—

Friday, 6 March.  
Wednesday, 24 June.  
Friday, 16 October.

SINGLETON—

Friday, 21 February.  
Friday, 19 June.  
Friday, 18 September.

SYDNEY—

Monday, 3 February.  
Wednesday, 1 April.  
Monday, 1 June.  
Monday, 5 October.  
Tuesday, 1 December.

TAMWORTH—

Tuesday, 17 March.  
Thursday, 2 July.  
Tuesday, 27 October.

TENTERFIELD—

Tuesday, 7 April.  
Tuesday, 21 July.  
Tuesday, 17 November.

WAGGA WAGGA—

Wednesday, 26 February.  
Wednesday, 10 June.  
Wednesday, 11 November

WELLINGTON—

Friday, 13 March.  
Friday, 26 June.  
Friday, 30 October.

WINDSOR—

Monday, 9 March.  
Wednesday, 1 July.  
Monday, 2 November.

WOLLONGONG—

Monday, 23 March.  
Friday, 17 July.  
Friday, 20 November.

YASS—

Monday, 3 February.  
Monday, 18 May.  
Monday, 19 October.

Arson.

On the morning of the 22nd November last, two barns, containing about 2,000 bushels of maize, the property of William Martin, Burrell Creek, Manning River, was, with its contents, destroyed by fire. At an inquest, held at Tinonee on the 30th ultimo, before B. J. Wetherell, Esq., Coroner, the following verdict was returned:—"That the two barns at "Burrell Creek, the property of Mr. William Martin, were "wilfully set on fire on the morning of the 22nd November last "past, by some person or persons unknown." A Mrs. Robert Laidlaw, a resident of the district, is suspected.

Robberies with Arms or Violence, or from the Person.

Stolen, on the 8th instant, from the person of Charles Shaw, Bradley's boarding-house, Sussex-street, whilst drunk and asleep in the "Square and Compass Hotel," George-street,—1 £5 and 3 £1 notes, Bank and Nos. unknown, 5s. in silver, and a cheque for £2, drawn by Mr. Isaacs, storekeeper, Scone, in favour of Charles Shaw. Suspicion attached to a man, about 33 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, dark complexion, thin features, long hooked nose, clean shaved; dressed in dark clothes and sou'-wester hat. He was accompanied by a female, about 45 years of age, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high; dressed in dark puce dress and black straw hat. Both can be identified. No warrant issued.

Information has been received that Mrs. Patterson's Station, Walantry, Lachlan River, was robbed, on the 4th instant, by an armed offender. Particulars not received.

About 11 a.m. on the 4th instant, James Ramage, of Armidale, was stopped on the Yarrowitch Road, about 15 miles from Armidale, by a man, hereunder described, and robbed of a chestnut horse, also, a leather purse, containing £3 Os. 6d., and 2 gold rings. Description:—About 30 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, dark complexion, dark curly hair, dark beard under chin; dressed in black California hat, light tweed coat, dark tweed trousers, and elastic-side boots; rode a dark brown horse. This offender subsequently returned the horse and money to Ramage.

About 10 p.m. on the 11th instant, the mail from Bendemeer to Moonbi, was stopped about 3 miles from Bendemeer, by two armed men, with their faces craped, and robbed of the mail-bags; £3 was also taken from Peter Brown, a passenger. One of the offenders is supposed to be identical with James Dorrington, escaped prisoner. [Vide Police Gazette, 1867, page 301.]

About 12 o'clock on the night of the 8th instant, Patrick Considine, at present residing at the "Square and Compass Inn," George-street, Sydney, was assaulted in Pitt-street, by two men, hereunder described, and robbed of a black leather purse, with steel clasp, £2 10s. in gold, and a silver patent lever watch, glass cracked, maker's name and number unknown; had steel Albert chain attached. 1st man. Described as tall; dressed in red Crimean shirt, red sash, and grey California hat. 2nd man. Short and low set; dressed in dark clothes and grey California hat. Cannot be further described. Identification very doubtful.

Stolen on the 10th instant, from the person of Edward Rennox, Morpeth, whilst drunk at the "Racehorse Inn," West Maitland,—2 £1 notes, and a white handkerchief. Not identified.

<b>MURRUMBUNDI</b> — Wednesday, 11 March. Saturday, 27 June. Wednesday, 21 October.	<b>SYDNEY</b> — Monday, 3 February. Wednesday, 1 April. Monday, 1 June. Monday, 5 October. Tuesday, 1 December.
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<b>PARRAMATTA</b> — Friday, 13 March. Tuesday, 7 July. Friday, 6 November.	<b>WAGGA WAGGA</b> — Wednesday, 26 February. Wednesday, 10 June. Wednesday, 11 November.
<b>PORT MACQUARIE</b> — Monday, 17 February. Monday, 7 September.	<b>WELLINGTON</b> — Friday, 13 March. Friday, 28 June. Friday, 30 October.
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<b>SINGLERTON</b> — Friday, 21 February. Friday, 19 June. Friday, 18 September.	<b>YASS</b> — Monday, 18 May. Monday, 19 October.

*Vide Government Gazette, 31st January, 1868.*

Police Department,  
Inspector General's Office,  
Sydney, 29th January, 1868.

**T**HE unclaimed horses and other property, hereunder described, and now in the possession of the Police, at Wagga Wagga, will (unless previously claimed) be sold by public auction, at the Police Office, Wagga Wagga, on Saturday, the 15th February proximo, at noon, in accordance with section 30 of the Police Regulations Act of 1862:—

Bay gelding, aged, branded FF over JR near shoulder, IC off shoulder, H near thigh, CW off thigh.  
Chestnut gelding, branded JJ sideways with JC over and JL under near shoulder, scar near cheek.  
One old saddle, hogskin seat.  
Two old bag leather saddles.

JNO. M'LERIE,  
Inspector General of Police.

### Robberies with Arms or Violence, or from the Person.

Stolen, on the 31st ultimo, from the person of Samuel Johnston, whilst drunk and asleep in a lane off George-street.—A blue pilot cloth double-breasted coat, two hip pockets and one inside left breast, a small piece of grey tweed sewn at the bottom of the lining.

About 1:30 a.m. on the 28th ultimo the Tamworth and Moonbi mail was stopped, about 7 miles from Tamworth, by an armed man (hereunder described) and a boy, and robbed of the mail-bags. The Rev. Mr. Stirton, a passenger, was also robbed of three half sovereigns. Description:—About 5 feet 7 inches high, sore eyes; dressed in light tweed coat and California hat; rode chestnut horse, branded like M blotched on shoulder. The boy is about 12 years old, and rode a chestnut horse.

John Swendsen, miner, Mudgee (*en route to Queensland*), has reported that, whilst encamped at Weriss Creek, on the night of the 23rd ultimo, he was assaulted by two armed men (hereunder described), and robbed of nine £1 notes, Banks and numbers unknown, and the horse No. 22 in this week's list. First man 34 years of age, 6 feet high, black hair, whiskers, and moustache; dressed in dark blue coat, light colored pants, Napoleon boots, and felt hat with red striped turban; rode a black horse, branded C near shoulder. Second man. About 38 years of age, 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, sandy hair, beard, and moustache; wore a grey coat; rode a bay horse. Both offenders were armed with revolvers. [*Doubtful case.*]

On the 30th ultimo the Tamworth mail was stopped, about 6 miles from Bendemeer, by two armed men, supposed to be Ward and Kelly, and robbed of the mail bags; one passenger was also robbed of £1 and a single barrelle-gun.

Stolen, on the 3rd instant, from the person of Mrs. Kidman, No. 9, Comber-street, Paddington, whilst in the Pavilion, Hyde Park,—A black leather purse with steel clasps, containing £1 15s. in gold and silver. Suspicion attaches to two young men who stood near Mrs. Kidman; they were respectably dressed.

*Vide Police Gazette, 1868, pages 24, 30, and 31.*

Edward Shortland, *alias* Little Ned, is reported to have assumed the name of Millard. He is now described as 5 feet 9 inches high, stooped shoulders, sallow complexion like a half-cast, black hair, black beard and moustache; dressed in boots, pants, grey coat, poncho, and cabbage-tree hat. The second man described is believed to be identical with a man named Armstrong, a native of Windsor; he is about 5 feet 7 inches high, stout build, fair hair, short and curly, reddish beard, whiskers, and moustache; speaks with a broad accent, and is fond of playing the concertina. Since the robbery of the Walgett and Narrabri mail, these offenders are believed to have made for Mudgee en route to Windsor. The cheques, &c., hereunder described, were stolen from the Walgett and Narrabri mail, by these offenders, viz.—Half cheque drawn by D. F. Mackay, on the Bank of Australasia, No. D, 3,567, in favor of No. 3,163, for £736 10s., crossed, Bank account of John C. Bagot; an order drawn by H. Clark, in favor of John Bagot, on Mr. James York, butcher, Sydney, dated 3rd January, 1868, for £44 10s.; one promissory note drawn by D. F. Mackay, in favor of John C. Bagot, at 3 months, for £736 7s.

### Burglaries, Stealing from Premises, &c.

Stolen, on the 24th ultimo, from the premises of Samuel Lyons, Lyons' buildings, George-street.—A white waterproof coat; value, £2 15s.

Stolen, on the 30th ultimo, from the premises of Robert O'Connor, New South Head Road, Rushcutter's Bay.—A silver Geneva open-faced watch, glass broken, number and maker's name at present unknown; value, £1 10s. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to two men, hereunder described.—Both about 45 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high; dressed in dark coats, dark tweed trousers, and dark California hats.

Stolen, on the night of the 28th ultimo, from Button's boarding-house, No. 39, King-street, the property of Edward Davey, a lodger.—A draft for £50 on the Australian Joint Stock Bank, Sydney, and a £1 note, bank and number unknown.

Stolen, on the night of the 29th ultimo, from a clothes-line on the premises of Henry Smith, Shepherd-street, Shepherd's Paddock.—A pair of light color tweed trousers and vest; value, 25s. Identifiable.

Stolen, on the 30th ultimo, from the premises of George Dole, chemist, No. 249, Sussex-street.—Small mahogany case, containing an enema apparatus; value, 18s. Identifiable. A case of the above description was subsequently offered for pledge at Peat's and Benjamin's pawn offices, by a man hereunder described.—About 50 years of age, slender build, dark hair turning grey, long grey beard; respectable appearance.

Stolen, on the 27th ultimo, from a hut at Ironbarks, the property of Ah Hee, Chinaman, four £5 notes, banks and numbers unknown. Joseph Smithers, a resident of Ironbarks suspected. No warrant issued.

Stolen, on the night of the 27th ultimo, from the premises of a man named Brough, at Duckmalloi, near Oberon, the property of William Rafferty, hawker, Bathurst.—An old clasp purse containing one £5 and four £1 notes, banks and numbers unknown, an order for £4, drawn by Mrs. Weeks, an invoice of goods received from Meagher & Co., Bathurst; also, about 10 yards brown tweed.

Stolen, during the last six weeks, from H. D. James' pawn office, No. 209, Castlereagh-street.—A parcel containing 1 black barege shawl, 1 Paisley shawl, 1 white shawl, 1 old fashioned blue plaid silk dress with flounces and trimmed with velvet, and 1 large old fashioned mantle.

Stolen, on the 30th ultimo, from the Oddfellow's Hall, Sussex-street, the property of David O'Brien, "Globe Tavern," Castlereagh-street.—A brown silk umbrella; value, 25s. Identifiable.

Stolen, between 10 p.m. 30th and 6 a.m. 31st ultimo, from a clothes-line on the premises of John M'Crea, No. 4, Princess-street.—2 flannel shirts and 2 flannel petticoats; value, 10s. Identifiable.

Between the hours of 2 and 4 a.m. on the 31st ultimo, the premises of Bernard M'Laughlin, "Union Inn," South Head Road, were entered and robbed of a canvas bag, containing £15 or £16 in gold and silver, £2 of which consisted of 3d. and 4d. pieces. The entrance was effected by the thief getting in through a back window. The canvas bag and one half-crown identifiable. A man named Brown suspected.

Stolen, on the night of the 25th ultimo, from the "Old House at Home," near Richmond, the property of William Stewart, railway porter.—One pair light tweed trousers with small red stripes, four £1 notes, and 8s. 6d. in silver.

Stolen, on the 29th ultimo, from the premises of William Taylor, timber merchant, Elizabeth-street,—4 towels and 3 or

[From *Government Gazette*, 5th May, 1868.]

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sydney, 1st May, 1868.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct that the name of

JAMES ANDREW TAIT, of Dubbo, Esquire,  
be substituted for

JAMES TAIT, of Dubbo, Esquire,  
in the list of Magistrates for the Colony, as notified in the *Government Gazette* of the 21st February last.

HENRY PARKES.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sydney, 2nd May, 1868.

**ATTEMPTED MURDER.—ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.**

**W**HEREAS, on the night of Tuesday, the 28th April ultimo, some person or persons fired a shot at Mr. John Gray, whilst returning from Kiama to his residence in the Longbrush: Notice is hereby given, that a Reward of One Hundred Pounds will be paid by the Government for such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the guilty person or persons, or any one of them; and, in addition to the above reward, His Excellency the Governor will be advised to extend Her Majesty's free pardon to any person concerned in the outrage (not being the offender who actually fired the shot) who shall first give the required information.

HENRY PARKES.

Police Department,  
Inspector General's Office,  
Sydney, 30th April, 1868.

**INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.**

**B**y virtue of an authority vested in me by an order of His Excellency the Governor, in Council, under the 37th clause of the Constitution Act, I have appointed the undermentioned member of the Police Force Inspector of Slaughter-houses and of Cattle intended to be slaughtered:—

District.	Name.	Rank.	Station.
South-western ...	Harper James .....	Senior Constable	Hay.

N.B.—Although the Station is named above, the Inspector of Slaughter-houses has power to act anywhere in the District, on transfer, &c.

It is to be understood, that the appointment of members of the Police Force as Inspectors of Slaughter-houses, will cease on their leaving the service.

JNO. McLERIE,  
Inspector General of Police.

Police Department,  
Inspector General's Office,  
Sydney, 29th April, 1868.

**T**HE unclaimed property, hereunder described, now in the hands of the Police at Braidwood, will, unless previously claimed, be sold by Public Auction, at the Police Office, Braidwood, on Thursday, the 14th May proximo, at noon, in accordance with section 30 of the Police Regulation Act of 1862:—

Four leather saddles (two old and much worn) with two crupper staples.

One Geneva hunting lever watch, No. 8505, in damaged condition.

One pestle and mortar.

One bullet mould.

One opossum rug.

Two pieces calico.

Three lbs. tea.

One poncho.

One pilot coat.

One pair Bedford pants, and sundry articles of wearing apparel of trifling value.

JNO. McLERIE,  
Inspector General of Police.

**Murder.**

About 9 p.m. on the 20th ultimo, King Robert (an aboriginal) was murdered at Tinoncc, Manning River, supposed by another aboriginal named Williams. Description:—About 45 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, medium build, thin features, wrinkled face, lost several front teeth, speaks English tolerably well, and belongs to the Gloucester tribe; dressed in old black suit and felt hat. Supposed to have gone to Gloucester, Barrington River, or Dungog. At an inquest, held on the body of King Robert, a verdict of "Wilful Murder," against some person or persons unknown, was returned.

*Vide Police Gazette*, 1868, pages 108, 124, and 136.

The attention of the police is called to the following amended description and further particulars respecting three men suspected of being concerned in the murder of John and Louis Poulman:—First man, Robert Campbell, between 50 and 60 years of age, 6 feet high, slender build, fair complexion, sandy grey hair, neck and head stooped; has a lump or wart over one eye; dressed in light California hat, tweed vest, shepherd's plaid shirt, and brown tweed trousers; a native of County Wicklow, Ireland; an old shepherd; has lived at the American Yard station and Bandun, near Jerilderie, also, at Wangaratta, Victoria; he was also employed in the month of January, 1867, by Mr. Miller, butcher, Rutherglen or Wahgunyah. Second man, known as Old Jack. He is about 50 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, stout build, stooped shoulders, dark grizzly hair, no hair on face, a little under chin, large dark eyes, greasy looking face, repulsive countenance; has the appearance of a gipsy; an Englishman. These men were seen in the early part of last month beyond the Ten Mile Creek, going in the direction of Albury, and seeking employment. Third man, Andrew Dignam (this man is known as "Jim the Stockman.") He is about 50 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, sallow complexion, long straight dark hair, slightly mixed with grey, no hair on face, has lost some front teeth, his neck runs in a straight line with his poll which gives him a peculiar appearance, stammers, sharp looking; a native of Dublin; dressed in light felt hat, a vest over a jumper, and elastic-side boots slit up the insteps; an old hand, and has served his time with Hamilton Hume, of Yass. Supposed to have gone to Grenfell or the Lachlan; he was digging at Grenfell some time ago; has with him a black and tan sheep slut, with some grey hair on the back; also, a calico tent and blankets. Warrants have been issued by the Wagga Wagga Bench for the arrest of these offenders.

**Arson.**

On the morning of the 18th ultimo a stack of wheat, containing about 400 bushels, also, a shed, valued at £10, the property of Terence Cash, Sool's Creek, near Rockley, were destroyed by fire. Supposed to be the act of an incendiary.

On the night of the 21st ultimo a stack of wheat, containing about 100 bushels, the property of Thomas Cash, of Sool's Creek, near Rockley, was destroyed by fire (supposed to be the act of an incendiary.) From enquiries made by the Rockley Police, James and Daniel Murphy, of Campbell's River, are suspected. No warrant issued.

**Robberies with Arms or Violence, or from the Person.**

Stolen, between the hours of 7 and 8 p.m. on the 23th ultimo, from the person of William Holborow, draper, 335, George-street, whilst in the passage of the School of Arts, Pitt-street,—A brown leather purse, with steel clasp, containing 1 sovereign and 2 half-sovereigns. Purse identifiable.

Stolen, on the 28th ultimo, from the person of Charles Eates, porter, residing at Woods', York-place, off York-street, whilst drunk, locality unknown,—A silver patent lever hunting watch, maker's name, "Dent and Co., London," No. 30,576; value, £3. Identifiable.

Stolen, about 10 p.m., on the 2nd instant, from the person of George Jamison, engineer, of Paramatta, whilst drunk in M'Kay's boarding-house, George-street, Sydney,—A gold hunting English lever watch, maker's name unknown, No. 6,398; had attached a gold Albert chain and gold locket, basket pattern; value, £30. Identifiable.

Stolen, on the evening of the 2nd instant, from the person of Richard Mulock, residing at Battlin's boarding-house, Clarence-street, whilst drunk on Randwick Race-course,—Eight one pound Commercial Bank notes and 15s. in silver. Suspicion attached to two youths,—one about 17, the other 14, years of age; both dressed in dark clothes. Can be identified.

*Vide Police Gazette*, 1868, pages 71, 116, and 132.

Charles Johnston is further charged with stealing the undermentioned cheques, from Tankee, a Chinaman, residing at Tongay, North-eastern District:—One cheque, dated November 10th, 1866, No. 585,639, for £8; do., do. February 11th, 1867, No. 606,709, for £7 15s. 6d.; do., do. May 10th, 1867, No. 724,157, for £8 6s. 3d.; do., do. August 10th, 1867, 882,018, for £7 15s.; do., do. November 15th, 1867, No. 189,900, for £8 0s. 3d.—All drawn in favour of Tankee by R. M. Fitzgerald, and payable at the Commercial Bank, Sydney. Johnston is also suspected of stealing a saddle from Co Kong, and a watch and car-ring from A Chi (Chinese), at Bungellbar, on the 29th ultimo.

RETURN OF PRISONERS DISCHARGED FREE since last publication.

Gaol.	Name.	Offence.	Sentence.	When and where Tried.	Native Place.	Trade.	Year of Birth.	Ht. in.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Month.	Chin.	Remarks, and Ship (if known).
Bathurst	Terence Rowe	Uttering a forgery	12 months hard labor	23 May, 1867, Orange Q.S.	Ireland	Laborer	1829	5	fresh	dark brown	hazel				"Jane."
"	Donald McDonald	Assault	18 months hard labor	22 May, 1867, Bathurst Q.S.	Scotland	Stonecutter	1812	5	fresh	brown	blue				"John Mitchell," 1849.
Berrima	Edmund Law	Embezzlement	19 months labor	23 May, 1867, Sydney Q.S.	England	Laborer	1839	5 9/16	fair	fair	blue	large	large	small	"Emigrant."
"	William Jenkins	Horse-stealing & larceny	5 years roads	31 Mar., 1864, Sydney C.O.	Manchester	Cardener	1812	5 3/4	ruddy	grey	grey	long	large	round	"Kate."
"	John McKay	Larceny	12 months imprisonment	31 May, 1867, Berrima Q.S.	Edinburgh	Laborer	1833	5 3	fresh	grey	grey	small	large	small	
East Maitland	James Garvey	Assault	2 months imprisonment	24 Mar., 1868, Newcastle	Ireland	Laborer	1818	5 6	dark	dark	grey				
Goulburn	Thomas Wall	Housebreaking	18 months hard labor	25 Feb., 1867, Yass Q.S.	Ireland	Tinker	1817	5 8	fresh	black	blue	medium pro.	medium pro.	pro.	"Triton," 1837.
"	David Simpson	Larceny	do	do	London	Baker	1827	5 3/4	sallow	black	black	long	medium pro.	medium pro.	"King Stateley," 1835.
"	Samuel Horkey	Assault	Fined £5, or 2 months	18 May, 1867, Goulburn Bench	England	Farmer	1831	5 4 1/2	fresh	brown to gr.	hazel	medium pro.	medium pro.	round	"Portland," 1841.
Pt. Macquarie	Thomas Danford	Embezzlement	3 years labor	20 Nov., 1865, Sydney Q.S.	Chatham	Clerk	1843	6 6 1/2	sallow	light brown	grey				"Dawston," 1856.

Prisoners to be Discharged Free.

RETURN of Prisoners to be discharged from H.M. Gaol, Darlinghurst, during the month of June, 1868:—

Geo. Williams *alias* Thrower, Hugh Thompson *alias* Mc'Mahon, Maria Emerson, Henry Rain, Robt. Cummings, John O'Grady, Michl. Neilly, Edward Parker, Mary A. Wilkie, Ellen Ryan, Mary Gregg, James Johnstone, David O'Brien, Thomas Hart, Bridget Bramble, Mary A. Brown, Thomas O'Brien, Mary A. Jeffrey, John Moran, Elizabeth Iffgraves, Jane Carroll, Emily Colquhoun, Mary Korn, John Kennedy, Mary A. Riely, Susan Graham, Ellen O'Meara, Andrew Kennedy, James Graham, William Jarrett, John Mc'Grath, Mary Whittington, Martin Hogan, Mary Ryan, Ellen Webb, Wm. Wade, Maria Monke, Mary A. Cusack, Cath. Robinson, Elizabeth Spencer, Richd. Carroll, Sidwell Prandergast, [Mary A. Morehead, Mary A. Rice, and John Sullivan.

RETURN of Prisoners to be discharged from H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, during the month of June, 1868:—

William Elton, *alias* Possum Jack, John Boland, Patrick Dillon, George King, and Bernard Hildebrand.

Convict Illegally at Large.

The undermentioned Imperial Convict absconded from the Invalid Depot, at Parramatta, on the 26th ultimo, and is still at large:—

James Brandon, per ship "Atlas" (3), 1816; was convicted at Buckingham Assizes, 10th July, 1815; sentence, life; about 70 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, stout build, fair complexion, grey hair, small grey whiskers; a native of Buckinghamshire, England; dressed in blue monkey jacket, blue trousers, blue cloth waistcoat, and drab felt hat; clothing marked "F" and "Invalid Asylum, Parramatta" inside breast of monkey jacket. Supposed to have gone to Brisbane Water.

Apprehensions.

Edward Mc'Evoey and John Dempsey (boys), charged with breaking into the hut of Jeremiah Connor, and stealing therefrom a quantity of soap and other articles, have been arrested by Sergeant Lyons and Constable Warrington, Wyagdon Police. Mc'Evoey remanded to the Industrial school ship "Vernon," Dempsey fined 20s.

James Ambrose, charged, on warrant, with rescuing a mob of fat cattle, from the lawful custody of Henry Berry, of Mooki, has been arrested by Senior Constable Malarkey and Constable Hassard, Merriwa Police. Remanded to Murrurundi to be dealt with.

James Byrne, charged with carnally knowing his own daughter, Elizabeth Harriet Byrne (7 years old), has been arrested by Senior Sergeant Duffy and Constable Deacy, Braidwood Police. Committed for trial at the next Circuit Court to be holden at Goulburn. Bail allowed.

Thomas Lee, charged with stealing a purse, containing £2 18s., the property of William Branigan, has been arrested by Constable Donohoe, Aberdaen Police. Committed for trial at the next Quarter Sessions to be holden at Scone.

Walter Curry, charged, on warrant, with stealing a horse (recovered), the property of William Robb, has been arrested by Senior Sergeant Johnston, Kiama Police. Remanded to Berrima to be dealt with.

William Gill, charged on warrant with feloniously burning a stack of straw, the property of Owen O'Neil, on the 17th ultimo, has been arrested by Sergeant Cranmer and Constable Kelly, Goulburn Police. Committed for trial at the next Circuit Court to be holden at Goulburn. Bail allowed.

Michael M'Manus, charged with obtaining wearing apparel from Mr. Hill, storekeeper, Gunnedah, by means of false pretences, has been arrested by Constable Davidson, Gunnedah Police. Remanded. This offender has served a sentence of three months in Tamworth Gaol for vagrancy.

Patrick Farrell and Michael Callaghan, charged with stealing a Crimean shirt (recovered), the property of John Q. Carter, draper, South Head Road, have been arrested by Constable Dogget, Sydney Police. Sentenced to six months imprisonment in Darlinghurst Gaol.

John Jones *alias* Denham, and George Lee, charged with stealing a pair of boots (recovered), the property of M. Crego, George-street, have been arrested by Constable Mulqueeney, Sydney Police. Sentenced to six months imprisonment in Darlinghurst Gaol.

James Kiloh, charged on warrant with stealing a box, containing money and wearing-apparel, the property of Elizabeth Salmon, Paddington (box and wearing-apparel recovered), has been arrested by Constable Corrigan, Sydney Police. Committed for trial.

William Samuel Hazeldine, charged with stealing a silver lever hunting watch, No. supposed to be 1756, maker's name, "Thompson, Sloane-street, London," "H. B." engraved on outside case, and "Henry Bethell" on cap; a silver gilt Geneva

# Getting around this CD

## NAVIGATING ARCHIVE CD BOOKS CDs

All Archive CD Books products can be navigated easily using the handy bookmarks on each CD. The table of contents in most original books, and the original book index where it exists, can provide additional ways of finding the information required.

## SEARCHING TEXT ON ARCHIVE CD BOOKS AUSTRALIA CDs

Optical Character Recognition (OCR) technology has been developing over the years as a useful mechanism to convert images (as Archive CD Books pages are) into text which can be searched.

The quality of the OCR can still vary, and hence the searchability can vary. Around 95% or 99% of the words in books with good type are searchable—or even higher with very good type.

*OCR is now a wonderful searching aid in many instances  
but there is still no substitute for reading the book!*

## DIFFERENT VERSIONS OF ADOBE ACROBAT READER

Adobe Acrobat Reader 4 or later should be used. Adobe Reader 6 (as it is now named) in fact has considerably better searching options and is recommended.

- **Acrobat Reader v4** has both a "Find" and a "Search" tool. Those tools are two \*totally\* different things. Our CDs (that are searchable) work with the \*FIND\* tool
- **Acrobat Reader v5** has only a "Find" tool (not a "search" tool). Our CDs (that are searchable) work with the \*FIND\* tool.
- **Adobe Reader v6** has only a "Search" tool (not a tool labelled "Find")  
HOWEVER — what is called "Search" is the same as the tool that used to be called "Find" Our CDs (that are searchable) work with the \*SEARCH\* tool

## TIPS FOR SEARCHING AND GETTING MORE FROM THE CD BOOKS

- update to Adobe Reader 6 for more versatile searching options, including the ability to bring up a list of all instances of the word you are searching for — across multiple files on a single CD in a single search request.
- enter the MINIMUM number of characters needed to bring up the search results required.
- use Adobe Reader 6 to do some trial searches to try to identify the characters that may be misread. These can show up in the extra text in the search results list (Adobe 6 only). A few minutes trial will help you to avoid using characters that are more prone to being misread, e.g. try entering "rederi" if you want "Frederick", but find that the letters "F" "c" and "k" are sometimes misread.
- use the "Match whole word" option to eliminate unnecessary items in your results list, e.g. to eliminate all the blacksmiths and tinsmiths etc when you only want the name Smith
- use the "Match case" option when you want to eliminate all the occupations "smith" if you only want the name "Smith"
- Don't just search for names. Search the book for other names, places and subjects of interest:
  - look for others of the same name
  - look for others who lived in the same place or street
  - who was the postmaster or police officer in the town?
  - how often and at what time did the coach arrive in town?
  - what churches were there and what time were services held?
  - what other activities were there in the community?
  - look for others who had the same occupation or other interests
- All of this and more may be available in a seemingly mundane book such as a directory. You could learn or write much of the background of life at the time, even if your ancestor is not listed there.

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