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THE HUE AND CRY.

NOTICE.—Any person giving information leading to the apprehension of an offender, or to the discovery of stolen property, may be rewarded on the recommendation of the Inspector-General of Police. Any person found in possession of stolen articles advertised in the "Hue and Cry" is liable to prosecution. Applications for rewards for the capture of escaped convicts should be addressed to the Inspector-General of Prisons.

OFFENDERS.

WANTED BY THE POLICE.

SARAWANA ; charged with theft on August 7, 1891, at Kurunegala ; is a Tamil cooly ; age, 35 years ; height, 5 ft. 8 in. ; make, thin ; complexion, dark brown ; hair, tied in a knot ; wears slight moustaches ; has an ulcer

on left leg ; birthplace, Batticotta ; general residence, Batalagodawewa ; is known to Mr. Bulner, Medical Officer, Batalagodawewa.

PROPERTY LOST. STOLEN, &c.

STOLEN.

ON August 7, 1891, at Jail store, Cotton garden, Galle : 1 black coat, 1 serge coat, 1 pair blue serge trousers, 1 pair black serge trousers, 2 pairs American drill trousers, 1 banian, 1 English Bible with "Lieut. Karunaratna with Major's compliments" written on one side and on the other "H. E. de Zilva," some printed forms belonging to the Prisons Department. Owner, H. E. de Zilva, jail overseer.

On August 8, 1891, at Campbell street, Cinnamon gardens : 1 gold stud, 2 Jaffna earrings made into a brooch, 1 silver jubilee brooch, 1 silver bangle. Owner, Miss Wright.

On August 9, 1891, at Maddema lane : 1 silver teaspoon, 2 tweed waistcoats, and 1 black coat belonging to Mr. Johnson ; also a tin box containing 1 gold necklace, 10 pearls, 1 hairpin, and 1 bank book. Owner, Babahamy.

On August 10, 1891, at Somerset estate : 1 large white blanket with three blue stripes on each side, 2 red striped flannel shirts, 1 tennis banian. Owner, Mr. G. D. Barnston.

On August 12, 1891, at Agrapatana, from a shop : 1 whitecoat, 1 brown woollen coat, 1 black alpaca coat, 1 wooden pipe, 3 bottles beer, and Rs. 15 in cash. Mr. G. G. Abesingha offers a reward for the recovery of the articles and for the conviction of the thief or thieves.

On August 13, 1891, at Kowlahena estate, Lindula : 4 bushels parchment coffee. Owner, Mr. A. H. Dansmere.

On August 21, 1891, at Skinner's road south : a lever watch (No. 19,400) in case, and Rs. 8 in cash ; also a white pup with black patches. Owner, Alvino Silva.

LOST.

ON August 14, 1891, between Madukkele and Galpihilla : a nickel-plated star watch. Owner, A. H. Thomas.

On August 22, 1891, at "Frances House" : a silver card tray. Owner, Dr. J. D. Macdonald.

FOUND.

ON August 19, 1891, at the racecourse : a lady's sun-shade. Apply to the Inspector of Police, Slave Island.

MISSING.

SINCE August 17, 1891, at Second Division, Maradana : a Sinhalese boy named William ; is a native of Borella ; age, about 14 years ; height, 4 ft. 3 in. ; complexion, dark brown. Information is requested by Mr. R. Hoole as to the whereabouts of this boy.

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