ROBBERIES ATTRIBUTED TO THE CLARKE BUSHRANGERS.

Robberies with a Judicial Decision. Warrant but no Court Case. No Warrant, No Court Case.
Accused by police, newspapers, authors.

Gang members are **Bold.**
** Discussed in the book.

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Warrant totals No Warrant	Date Stolen or Reported	Court Cases, including Judical decisions related to warrants Warrant only No Warrants.	Suspected Perpetrators	Result	Source/s & Comment
Number of warrants **1.1**	24 Jul.1856	**1.** White V Lynch – problems with the sale of a horse	Thomas Benett, **Patrick O'Connell** & Michael Conan.	Bound to sureties to appear when called at the Court House. No further appearances.	Bench Books on Microfilm, NSWSR.
	14 Nov.1856	Bell V Berryman	Berryman assaulted Bell at Thomas Keevil's because of argument with John Connell.	Berryman fined £5	NSWSR, Bench Books on Microfilm, 4/5517.
1.2	23 Feb. 1857	**2.** Unlawfully rescuing cattle	John & **Tom O'Connell,** John Keevil	Fined £5 each and £3 cost	*Goulburn Herald and County of Argyle Advertiser,* 21 Mar.1857
1.3	July 1857	**3.** Horse stealing	**Tom O'Connell**	Dismissed. No case to answer in Dec. 1857, as the horse was sold, not stolen.	NSWSR Braidwood Magistrates 4/5518
	1 Aug. 1858	Horse stolen from William Hennessy.	Bill Berriman	Not Guilty.	Goulburn Circuit Court, 28 March 1859.
	Aug. 1858	Stealing Superintendent Zouch's horse and selling it	Bill Berriman	6 years hard labour. Goulburn circuit Court, 28 March 1859	
	Reports of Crime 27 Sept. 1858	Two horses stolen – from Edward Smith & Henry Potter	Bill Berriman, Thomas Lawless.		*Reports of Crime,* 27 Sept.1858
	1 Nov. 1858	Stealing Thomas Coles horse	Joseph Berriman		Reports of Crime 1 Nov.1858
1.4 **1.5**	** Feb. 1859	**4.** Cattle Stealing, Moruya 1859.	**Tom & Pat O'Connell** Tom was arrested 1 Jul 1859, and faced the preliminary hearing in August 1859 and full hearing in Braidwood, 5 Dec. 1859.	Tom was convicted, but gained an early release from gaol as the trial was deemed a mis-trial. See full discussion in book.	*Illawarra Mercury,* 8 Aug. 1859 & 12 Dec.1859 *Reports of Crime* 7 Jul.1859 When Pat was captured 11 Dec.1861 his case was dismissed due to lack of ID.
Untested Warrants **2.1** **2.2** **2.3**	7 Jul 1859	**1.** Stealing Thomas Coles horse near Nithsdale. Pat also charged with **2.** stealing 25 head of cattle from Broulee.	**Pat & Tom** - horse. **Pat** - cattle.	No further information on Thomas Coles' horse. Presumably the warrant was cancelled.	*Reports of Crime.* 7 Jul. 1859. The *GH&C* 6 Jul. 1859 reports on the Broulee charge, stating Tom was the culprit - *selling* cattle to a butcher in Broulee. However not mentioned in court in August or December so it appears this story is false.
1.6	18 Jul.1859	**5.** Two bullocks, property of Michael O'Connell	**Tom O'Connell** – brother of Michael O'Connell.	Michael lived on a farm of Mr Powell's, at Bungendore, some years since.	*Reports of Crime.* 18 July 1859 states that Tom was arrested, but no conviction. Dismissed.
1.7	Jul. 1859	**6.** Tom charged with theft of horse from Thomas Fairhurst.	**Tom O'Connell.**	Case dismissed – Fairhurst did not arrive at the court.	Too much time had elapsed since animal reported missing. *Reports of Crime.*
	30 Jul.1860	**3.1.** Horse stolen from Michael Carew, Bergalia Run.	**Pat** suspected.		*Reports of Crime,* 30 Jul.1860.
1.8	** 14 May 1861	**7.** Horse stealing from Hugh Wallace	**Tommy Clarke** – his first warrant at 21 years old.	Not Guilty.	*SMH* 12 Jun. 1861
	1861	**3.2** Fifty head of Hugh Wallace's cattle stolen	Jingera mob headed by **Pat O'Connell,** suspected.		*Golden Age* 17 Oct.1861 Pat suspected but police have no evidence [or description]
1.9 **1.10**	** 13 Mar. 1862	**8.** Robbery Jermyn's dairy	**Tommy Clarke, Pat O'Connell**	They were both discharged the next day when they appeared in court.	NSW*PG* 1862, p24
1.11	12 Mar. 1863	**9.** Horse stealing, *Tar,* from George Hyland.	**Johnny Clarke**	12 months gaol	*Goulburn Herald,* 14 Mar. 1863
	10 Jan. 1863	Patrol Ballalaba to Tommy Clarke house to watch suspected horse stealers. *Police Diary*			
	3 Apr. 1862	New patrol station at Jingera, intended principally for suppression of cattle stealing			

	9 Feb. 1864	Orridge arrives in Braidwood. *Police Diary*			
	22 Mar. 1864	Constable Blanchard arrives - *Police Diary*. Becomes police informer when he resigns.			
	23 May 1864	**Tom Connell** early release from Berrima Gaol.			
	29 Jun. 1864	Constable Blanchard resigns and gave up his horse and kit. On 30.6.64 he secured his discharge. *Police Diary*			
	Week of 27 Jul. 1864	**3.3.** Horse stealing – Robert Gifford's horse	***Supposed*** to have been stolen by **Pat Connell**	Description from 1862 file.	NSW*PG* 27 Jul.1864 p231
1.12 **1.13**	1 Sept. 1864	**10.** Charged with robbery, reduced to illegal riding of Captain Natthey's horse.	**Tommy & Pat**	Tommy gave himself up on 13 Jul. 1865, for this warrant issued for illegal riding of Natthey's horse. The horse was not stolen, it was in the police paddock. Warrants cancelled.	*GH&C* 17 Jul. 1865. NSW*PG* 28 Jun.1865 p236 NSW*PG* 9 Aug.1865 p287 *Vide Police Gazette,* 19 Jul.1865. *The Braidwood Observer & Miner's Advocate*
1.14	21 Sept. 1864	**11.** Horse stealing – Thomas Coles' horse	**Tommy** & William Gardiner	Gardiner given 5 years. Tommy's warrant cancelled.	NSW*PG* 19 Oct.1864 p327 *Vide Police Gazette,* 19 Oct.1864.
	21 Nov. 1864	Stafford, Riley & McKeon to Bendora to arrest **Tommy** – shots fired, Tommy escaped. *Sydney Mail* 26.11.64			
	Week30 Nov.1864	**3.4.** Horse stolen from M.W Kelly	*Supposed* to be **Tommy,**	Offender supposed to have gone to Jingera or Collector.	NSW*PG* 30 Nov.1864
	30 Nov.1864	Robbery of James Stewart.	**James Dornan.**	18 months gaol. James did not join the gang until mid 1866. NSW*PG*, 30 Nov.1864 p385.	
	** 6 Dec. 1864	Robbery Cooma to Sydney Mail at Brookes Hill, Bungendore.	William (Bill) Berriman and one other.		NSW*PG*, 7 Dec.1864 p388. Bill was arrested in September 1866 in northern NSW and brought back to Braidwood to face this robbery. He was eventually released on his own recognizance.
1.15	6 Dec.1864	**12.** Receiving from Cooma Mail robbery.	**Johnny** & James Clarke	Johnny dismissed, James given three years gaol.	*SMH* 11 Mar.1865
	**10 Dec. 1864	**3.5.** Araluen to Braidwood Mail	**Tommy** and Bill Berriman.	Michael Farrell, Tommy's cousin was the mail boy. Robbers were masked. From *Empire,* 13 December 1864 ... Late on Saturday evening the mailman reported to the police office that while proceeding along Bell's Creek, he was stopped by two armed men, who took from him the mail bags from Crown Flat, Araluen, and Upper Araluen, besides two letter bags from Bell's Creek and Reidsdale. The robbers broke open all- the bags, excepting those from Crown Flat. Also see NSW*PG* 14.12.64 p396.	
	End Dec. 1864	Bill left Braidwood and began work on the Wollumbi. He married Mary Whalan on 28 Feb.1865 at the Catholic Chapel, St Josephs, Macdonald River. In April they moved to northern NSW, where he worked for Macleay Taylor for 17 months, until arrested by Walgett Police on 9 Sept.1866 for the Cooma Mail Robbery. He was brought back to Braidwood but did not face charges.			
	13 Mar. 1865	**3.6.** Araluen Gold Escort	*Supposed to be* **Tommy.**	Tommy was **not** the fourth man. Daniel Ryan was charged with being the fourth man, but his case was dismissed due to a proven alibi. NSWPG 17 May 1865.	NSW*PG* 15 Mar.1865 p95 says ***supposed*** to be John Gilbert, Ben Hall, John Dunn & Thomas Clarke. Offenders allegedly stole 4 horses on the 12 Mar.1866 from Paul Burke, Jinglemoney.
1.12 -see above	**13 Jul. 1865	Tommy gave himself up to Orridge, for illegal riding of Natthey's horse(1.12) and for		He was bailed. Later, warrants were presumably cancelled. Bail had to be given as the police did not have convictable evidence.	
2.4		**3.** the attempted robbery of three Chinese at Major's Creek.(1.18) NSW*PG*, 30 Nov. 1864.	**Tommy** and Bill Berriman.	From statements given to police the case against Tommy for this robbery is doubtful. Thomas Berry was seen fleeing the scene of the robbery. See discussion in book Chapter 5. *Queanbeyan Age & General Advertiser, (QA&GA)* 27 Jul.1865. NSW*PG* 19 Jul.1865.	
2.5	** 19 Jul.1865	**4.** Arrest for robbery of Thurban's dray on 20 Jun 1865 at Simon Corey's place.	**Tommy.**	Never faced these charges. Warrant would have been cancelled.	*QA & GA.* 27 Jul.1865 Tommy was arrested at Hart's place but he escaped gaol before he could be tried.
	3 Oct.1865	Escaping Gaol	**Tommy.**		*Goulburn Herald & Chronicle. (GH&C)* 1 Jun.1867. Reward £50 *Queanbeyan Age & General Advertiser* 12 Oct.1865
	** 14 Oct. 1865	**3.7.** Murder of Ah Fow.	**Tommy** suspected.	Later Mar Kee was charged with this murder, found not guilty. Then five Chinese were charged, but they too were discharged. Murder unsolved. It was thought to be due to arguments amongst the Chinese. Smith claims, p221, that Tommy was charged with this murder - he means suspected. No warrant issued.	
	27 Oct. 1865	**3.8.** Horse stolen from C.E. Dransfield, Millpond, Jembaicumbene.	**Tommy** and Bill Berriman	Bill had left the district in December 1864.	Dransfield posted a £10 reward. The horse was found in ranges, near Clarke's farm in the week of 8 Nov. 1865 (NSW*PG*, p391)

	Mid Nov. 1865	**Tommy & Pat** outrode the police. They taunted the police. NSWPG 22 Nov. 1865			
	Nov/Dec. 1865	A new police station under Sergeant Byrne at Ballalaba was opened. Woodland & George Emmett, a black tracker, helped man the station. *Police Diary*.			
	13 Nov. 1865	Billy Noonang's body found. *Freeman's Journal* 4 Aug. 1866 says he was murdered on or about 23 Oct. 1865. Inquiry into Billy Noonang (an Aboriginal deceased) NSW*PG* 22 Nov. 1865 p406. £50 reward offered leading to apprehension & conviction NSW*PG* 29 Nov. 1865 p413. Police still collecting evidence and serving subpoenas in July 1866 - *Police Diary*.			
	The week of 22 Nov. 1865	**3.9.** Two mares stolen from Patrick Mulligan of Jembaicumbene.	**Tommy**	No warrant issued.	NSW*PG* 22 Nov. 1865. One mare was seen hobbled close to Clarkes house, but no charges laid.
1.16 **1.17**	13 Dec. 1865	**13.** Horse stealing- *Fireball & Deception* from John Mellon. Pat discharged.	**Tommy and Pat**	Pat discharged. Tommy's warrant cancelled. Smith p 222 claims Tommy stole these horses.	NSW*PG* 31 Jan.1866 p42. Pat arrested but insufficient evidence. NSW*PG* 27 Dec.1865 p451. Peter Smith appears to forget to comment on the fact that these charges were dropped.p 222
	**29 Dec. 1865	**3.10.** First Foxlow Station Robbery Many horses with saddle bags would be needed to remove all that was supposedly stolen from this robbery. But it appears the police only found goods with John O'Connell & Ben Jermyn. Have the store keepers given an accurate account of the amount stolen?	Two men with masks thought to be John O'Connell and **Tommy.** Four others seen outside with masks or blackened faces were never identified.	On 23 Jan. 1866, John O'Connell given 10 years for receiving. The Aiding & Assisting of Tommy charge was dropped. Charges dropped against Lucy Hurley and Mrs O'Connell for receiving. (NSW*PG*, 31 Jan. 1866). Tommy - no charges.	NSW*PG*, 10 Jan. 1866 - says ID doubtful as masked and blackened faces. NSW*PG*, 24 Jan. 1866 p32. NSW*PG* 17 Jan. 1866 p18. *QA & GA,* 4 Jan. 1866. Ben Jermyn, Edward Cronan and James McCurley were arrested but not enough evidence to convict. Both discharged. *Goulburn Herald* 13 Jan. 1866.
2.6	** 13 Jan. 1866	**5.** Robbery at George Summers' Store. Jembaicumbene.	**Tommy,** Berriman & Kingsley – wore masks and had blackened faces, and a blanket. Tommy's warrant would be cancelled when the three Chinamen were convicted.	Warrant for **Tommy** & Bill Berriman. Kingsley was not mentioned in warrants. (Bill was not in the district) Tommy never charged. *SMH* 19 May 1866 states that McGlone found the guilty party - King alias Ah Whet and Jan Swai. Both sentenced to 7 years hard labour. NB none of the reports stated the robbers were Chinese.	SMH, 20 Jan. 1866, GH & C, 20 Jan. 1866. NSWPG, 24 Jan. 1866. The *GH&C* says the description of robbers of the Araluen Mail boy was given by Rev. Johnson, and Pennycook. It accords with the description of the two that robbed Summer's Store. This description does not fit the boys.
	13 Jan. 1866	**3.11.** Robbery of a hawker and **3.12.** attempted robbery of Blatchford's in Major's Creek.	**Tommy,** Bill, & William Kingsley	This robbery could be related to robbery 2.3 above.	*SMH*, 16 Jan. 1866. *GH & C*, 20 Jan.1866.
2.7	A few days later	**6.** Stealing Edward Smith's horse.	**Pat O'Connell.**		NSW*PG* 14 Feb. 1866 p54. The warrant was taken out as Pat had lent the horse to Tommy. Edward told Pat he had to cover himself. The warrant was presumably cancelled.
	15 Jan. 1866	**3.13.** Robbery of Fraser & **3.14.** Matheson on Major's Creek mountain.	**Tommy** & Bill Berriman.	Bill not in the district.	NSW*PG* 17 Jan. 1866
	** 15 Jan. 1866	**3.15.** Araluen to Braidwood Mail. *GH&C* 20.1.66	***Supposed*** to be **Tommy** and Bill Berriman.	Bill not in the district.	NSW*PG*, 17 Jan.1866, *GH&C*, 20 Jan. 1866. NSW*PG*, 24 Jan. 1866 p27. Offenders were masked and wearing red & brown blankets could only be ID'd by height. NSW*PG* 17 Jan.1866.
	17 Jan. 1866	Reward for Tommy increased to £200. £100 for accomplices and £50 for info leading to conviction of Tommy or harbourers.			
The numbers refers to the number of warrants, two people, two crimes, if evidence, for this category.	**25 Jan. 1866	Robbery at Gundaroo. Two stores, **3.16.** Fraser's & **3.17.** Affleck's.	**Tommy, Pat** and Bill. *Empire,* 13 Feb 1866. From the description given in NSW*PG* 31 Jan. 1866 they can only be identified as Tommy and Pat based on hair colour and height. Masked. Later guns stolen from this robbery were found hidden in the scrub at Gundaroo. Therefore unlikely to be the boys. One of the rings found on Pat when he was killed was claimed by Arthur Affleck, Gundaroo NSW*PG* 15.8.1866 p 302. This is a very long way for the police to take the ring. Affleck would no doubt claim it anyhow. *QA&GA* 1 Feb. 1866, states that *the robbers in their search seemed quite at home, one of them especially directing the other where to look for particular articles, and from this circumstance it is inferred that they were not strangers.*		
	Last week of January	**3.18.** Robbery of Peter McGregor's horse.	**Tommy** & Bill.	NSW*PG* 31 January 1866 p 39. *Supposed* to have been stolen by Tommy & Bill.	
	3 Feb. 1866	**3.19.** Michelago P.O. & **3.20.** Cameron's store 8pm, NSWPG 7 Feb.1866 p45	**Tommy** & Bill.	*Empire* 21 Feb.1866 says *supposed* to be the Clarke gang. NSW*PG* 7 Feb. 1866, says it was Tommy & Bill, but no description given. Bill not in the district.	
	Week ending 7 Feb.1866	**3.21.** Horse stolen from William Slade of Major's Creek. **3.22.** Also from John Dwyer.	**Tommy.**	NSW*PG* 7 Feb. 1866. Dwyer's horse seen in Tommy's possession.. *Vide PG* 24 Feb. 1866 p28. No warrants.	

	** 7 Feb. 1866	**3.23.** Goulburn Mail attempted robbery	**Tommy**	*QA & GA*, 15 Feb. 1866. Police had heard that Tommy was going to stop the Goulburn Mail and so on Wednesday morning it was escorted by two policemen. When near Towrang a suspicious looking man on a black horse was seen in the bush near the road. He rode off when he saw the police. It is thought that this is one of the parties engaged in the robbery on Thursday (8 Feb.1867). Tommy owned a black horse and so it must be him.	
	**8 Feb. 1866	**3.24.** Yass Mail at Mutbilly NSWPG 14 Feb.1866 p52 *Empire,* 13 February 1866.	**Tommy** plus two others.	The NSWPG 14 February 1866, does not name the offenders. The *Empire,* from the *Goulburn Argus* named Tommy and gang. The description of the thieves does not match the gang. *Goulburn Herald & Chronicle,* 14 February 1866 states that Thomas & George Coyle and George Humphries were charged of robbing the Yass Mail on the 8 Feb.1866. It was thought that whoever robbed the Yass Mail, also robbed Baker's the same night and Currawang mine the next night.	
	** 10 Feb. 1866	**3.25.** Robbery at Manar Inn. 9pm.	**Tommy, Tom** & Bill. (NSW*PG* 21 Feb.1866 p61).	After this robbery two men held up some nearby campers who ID'd them as Tommy & Tom. *Goulburn Herald & Chronicle* 14 Feb. 1866. *Empire* 19 Feb. 1866. Bill was not in the district.	
	22 Feb. 1866	Robbery at Mick O'Connell's	Mick was away form home. His son Cornelius reported the robbery at Ballalaba police station.	The goods were found near the river. Were they goods from Foxlow or legitimate goods for the household at the hotel? The police thought the latter and did not check with Foxlow. *Empire,* 27 Feb. 1866.	
2.8 **2.9** **2.10**	**23 Feb. 1866	Robbery, imprisoned police Araluen & Mudmelong. **7.** At 8pm Tom robbed Edward Eaton of Crown Flat, Araluen: **8.** At 10.30 pm, Tommy, Tom & Pat robbed Wm Morris, Mudmelong.	**Tommy, Tom. Pat,** Johnny, William Bruce. Bill Berriman accused by Braidwood correspondent. *Newcastle Chronicle and Hunter District News.*10 March 1866.	Warrants only for **Tommy, Tom, Pat for robbery under arms of William Morris, publican,** Mudmelong on the 23 Feb. 1866. NSW*PG* 7 March 1866	NSW*PG* 18 Apr. 1866 William Bruce stood trial for this offence 18 months later, but not guilty due to lack of ID. Pat was killed before he was captured. Tommy, Tom and Johnny were never charged.
	9 Mar. 1866	**3.26.** Robbery Bungendore Police Station	Smith says suspicion fell on the ***Clarke gang***. No reference. The gang was not formed until April 1866.	NSW*PG* 21 Mar. 1866 p101 – crime reported no suspects named. *Freeman's Journal,* 24 Mar. 1866, says no clue as to the robbers. Robbery occurred during the night.	
	** 13 Mar. 1866	**3.27.** Braidwood – Queanbeyan Mail. 6.30am at Boro.	**Clarke,** Berriman & third person.	NSW*PG* 27 Jun. 1866 p232. *QA&GA* 22 Mar. 1866 says probably but not certain Clarke, Berriman and a third person. Red blanket covering heads and reaching to their middle, holes cut for eyes. Ellen O'Connell passed halves of bank notes from this robbery, but was not questioned about where the notes came from in her depositions. Despite the lack of evidence or an arrest, Smith, p 260, claims it was the boys.	
	** 22 Mar. 1866	**3.28.** Robbery at Bunyan Hotel.	**Tommy, Pat,** Robert Kinchela & Andrew Tyrie. masked Robbers at Bunyan & Rosebrook. Bill Berriman not suspected NSW*PG* 28 March 1866.	After seemingly accusing the boys Smith does concede, in a brief sentence that no warrants were out as not positively ID according to the NSW*PG*, 18 Apr. 1866. *The Age,* Melbourne, 4 Apr. 1866, reports their faces were covered at Bunyan and Rosebrook (from the *Monaro Mercury).*	
	** 22 Mar. 1866	**3.29.** Robbery of Rosebrook Station.	**Tommy, Pat,** Andrew Tyrie & Robert Kinchela. (suspected by the police)	NSW*PG* 28 March 1866. Mrs Hartnett identified **Pat & Tommy** and Bill Berriman. She said the O'Connell's had previously lived at Rosebrook. The next week one of the horses Tom O'Connell had was identified as the one supposedly missing from Rosebrook in the *Goulburn Herald & Chronicle,* 7 April 1866. However there was no entry for the stolen horse in the NSW*PG*.	
	**24 Mar. 1866	**3.30.** Assault, Atkinson, Jembaicumbene, dusk.	**Tommy, Johnny, Tom.**		*Freeman's Journal,* 31 Mar. 1866
	28 Mar.1866	**3.31.** Braidwood Mail robbed near Springfield Station.	Two armed men. Smith thinks they are the *other half of the gang.* (p. 271)		NSW*PG*, 4 Apr. 1866, p118, says *very doubtful case.*
	29 Mar.1866	**3.32.** William Gilligan stopped about 5am near Norman's Public House between Araluen & Major's Creek and robbed of 15s & hog skin saddle	**Tommy** & 2 others		NSW*PG* 4 Apr. 1866 p118 – *little if any foundation for this report.* Thomas Roberts in Hassall's court case said that this was William's excuse for drunkeness and being late to work.
1.18 **2.11** **2.12** **2.13**	** 9 Apr. 1866	**9.** Robberies and **14.** wounding Emmott at Deep Creek.	**Tom, Pat, Tommy,** Bill and Joe Berriman and William Fletcher.	Warrants for **Tom, Pat, Tommy,** Bill and Joe Berriman for robbing the Nerrigundah Mail. And warrants for the above for robbing and wounding John Emmott.	NSW*PG*, 18 April 1866, p136. **Tom** and Joe were the only ones to face court over this. Joe was found not guilty. Bill not in the district. NSW*PG*, 16 May 1866 p 178. Tom was given a life sentence. Pat was killed in July 1866.

1.19 **2.14 - 2.16**	** 9 Apr.1866	**10.** Robberies at Nerrigundah, and **15.** murder of Miles O'Grady.	**Tom, Tommy, Pat** and William Fletcher.	Tommy and Pat were later made outlaws for not surrendering by 5 June 1866. Warrants for murder were out for **Tommy, Pat, and Tom** for murder. NSW*PG*, 9 May 1866.	
	22 May 1866	**3.33.** Robbery of James Armstrong publican of Araluen on his way home from Braidwood.	**Tommy & Pat**		NSW*PG*, 6 Jun. 1866 p203. No description of the offenders. *Goulburn Herald,* 30 May 1866.
	Week of 25 May 1866	**3.34.** Two horses stolen from Henry Crossley, a butcher of Araluen.	***Supposed*** to have been stolen by **Tommy, Pat, & Tom.**		NSW*PG*, 23 May 1866 p187
	1 Jun 1866	**3.35.** Levy's Store, Michelago.	*Supposed* to be **Clarke, Connell** and Matthew Hyland		NSW*PG*, 13 June 1866. No description of the offenders.
	3 Jun. 1866	Harbouring an outlaw.	William Bruce	Discharged as the charge was two days before outlawry was declared.	*SMH*, 16 August 1867.
	5 Jun. 1866	Outlawed	**Tommy & Pat.**		Rewards: Tommy £500, Pat £300, accomplices £200.
	4 Jul. 1866	**3.36.** Robbery of Thomas Wall at Balanafad.	**Tommy, Pat, Tom**.		NSW*PG*, 18 Jul.1866 p260. No description.
	6 Jul. 1866	Charge of Receiving.	Ellen Connell (John's wife) spent the stolen halves of six £1 notes in Major's Ck.	Ellen was given five years goal.	*SMH*, 12 Jul. 1866. Commuted to 3 years for giving info against Old John re Billy Noonang.
	** 9 Jul. 1866	**3.37.** Robbery of Chinese at Big Hill.	**Tommy, Johnny, Pat, Tom** and William Bruce. No description.	William Bruce was charged in Nov. 1866. Not Guilty. The NSW*PG*, 25.7.1866 p270 states that *various* sums of money were stolen and ends the report of the robbery *from subsequent enquiries made by police there appears to be no foundation for the above report*. The *Empire,* 18 July 1866 was able to report a sum of £50 had been taken and that only one Chinaman was imprisoned all day. NSW*PG*, 1 Aug, 1866, p279 states that the silver watch, and a saddle, found with Pat O'Connell's dead body, was stolen from a Chinaman at Big Hill. The *Sydney Mail,* 14 July 1866, says that at least eleven men were detained all day.	
	10 July 1866	**3.38.** Ah Hoy robbed.	**Tommy Clarke and gang**	NSW*PG*, 18.7.66 p260 Two masked men, both 30-35 yo, both with black hair. Tommy had a sandy hair colour and was 26 y.o.	
	12 July 1866	Old Clarke charged	Old John Clarke	Old John Clarke was charged with the murder of Billy Noonang on the evidence of Ellen Connell. (see above) Her evidence was questionable. It was thought to be payback because Old Clarke had not put up bail when she was arrested. Her sentence for five years was reduced to three years due to her evidence against Clarke.	
	** 16 Jul 1866	**3.39.** About 3pm robbed Ronald Johnson, Moruya mailboy at Mudmelong, and **3.40.** William & John Morris of Mudmelong & **3.41.** John King of Araluen robbed at Mudmelong.	**Tommy, Pat, Tom & Johnny.**	Morris petitioned the Legislative Assembly 16 Nov, 1866 as he lost £266.10s. between 26 Feb.1865 and 16 Jul.1866 due to depredations of Tommy Clarke and gang. Plus his attendant expense for his wife due to excessive fright. NSW*PG* 25.7.66 p270. *Empire,* 21 July 1866. No description. This robbery, according to the newspaper, was the fourth time Morris's store had been held up by the gang, but apart from the incident on 23 Feb. 1866 no other warrants had been taken out by the police for the offences against Morris or Eaton. The mail boy lost his horse, saddle and bridle, and the mail was ransacked. John Larcome, collecting for Edmund Smith, butcher of Araluen, lost £25. From the Morris's and John King , fifteen £1 notes, £9 in gold and a double barrelled gun were taken.	
	17 Jul 1866	**Pat** ambushed and shot in the back.			Creaghe promoted to Sub-Inspector.
	** 24 Jul. 1866	**3.42.** Robbery at Manar Station.	**Tommy, Johnny, Tom.**	NSW*PG*, 1 August 1866, p 279. Description of robbers does match the gang. NSW*PG,* 29 Aug. 1866 says the stolen Lancaster alleged to be seen in Johnny's possession later.	
2.17	** 25 Jul. 1866.	**11.** Warrants for aiding Pat Connell.	**Johnny Clarke** and Thomas Lawler.	Thomas Lawler was not present when police killed. Johnny not charged. He was only thought to be present. Presumably the warrant was cancelled.	NSW*PG*, 8 Aug. 1866, p 293. Creagh not only wrongly ID'd Lawler, he also thought Tommy was present. Tom was not ID'd.
	27 Jul. 1866	**3.43.** Yass to Goulburn Mail, 5.30am. Little Razorback.	**Tommy, Johnny, and Tom**	NSW*PG*, 1 Aug.1866 p278. The complexion of the robbers tallies with the gang but height and ages do not.	
	31 Jul. 1866	**3.44.** Bungendore and Queanbeyan Mail Robbery at the Sandhills.	**Clarke and mates.**	*QA & GA*, 9 Aug. 1866. In a letter to the Editor the author writes as though he knows Tommy and identified him. Author's name withheld. Tommy, if it was him, did not know the author. He called him Mr White-hat.	
	** 23 Aug.1866	**3.45.** Second Foxlow robbery	**Clarkes & Tom**	One was masked and unidentified. Newspapers accuse John O'Connell but he was in gaol. Smith, p341, claims Johnny was formally charged with this robbery - his source being the Return of Offences. These are not a list of charges, but a list of suspected crimes only. *SMH*, 31 Aug.1866 from *QA*, 25 Aug. 1866. NSW*PG*, 29 Aug. 1866. No description.	

	27 Aug. 1866	**3.46.** William Myers store near Exeter Farm. **3.47.** Matthew Myers, & **3.48.** James Badgery, Jembaicumbene	**Clarkes & Tom**	The boys wanted to speak to William Myers. They held up his son Matthew and sent his horse home, hoping that would lure William out. However he sent two of his younger children to find their brother. They were also captured. William still did not appear - believing these murderous villains would not harm children, which of course they didn't. As to the robbery, the NSW*PG* states that Johnny, Tommy and Tom robbed several pound notes from Myers and Badgery and also a cheque for £6.2s.6d drawn by Mr Dransfield in favor of Hetherington. NSW*PG*, 5 Sept.1866, *Empire,* 3 Sept. 1866.	
	9 Sept. 1866.	Bill Berriman arrested in Walgett. Charged with robbing Cooma mail on 6 Dec 1864.			
	** 10 Sept. 1866	**3.49.** Third Foxlow robbery.	No names of accused in the papers, but Clarke gang suspected.	*QA&GA,* 20 Sept. 1866 and *SMH,* 18 Sept. 1866 from *GH* 15 Sept. 1866. One paper said the robbery was revenge for John O'Connell, the other said for Tom O'Connell. No entry in NSW*PG.*	
	25 Sept. 1866	Long Flat robbery of **3.50.** W E Quelch & **3.51.** Mr Dallas	**Johnny & Tom** – wearing masks. Smith says it was the Clarkes but both newspaper reports say they had red silk masks and could not be recognised.		NSW*PG,* 3 Oct. 1866 p354 – says it was John Clarke and Thomas Connell. No description. *Sydney Mail,* 6 Oct. 1866 p3 and *SMH,* 1 Oct. 1866 – from *Braidwood Dispatch.*
	26 Sept. 1866	Arrested for Aiding and Abetting **Thomas Connell.**	Lucy Hurley & William Bruce.	Both Lucy and Bruce were bailed.	NSW*PG,* 3 Oct. 1866 p358 William & Lucy charged with aiding and abetting Thomas Connell. Lucy won't be prosecuted if she gives evidence against Michael O'Connell. *Depositions of William & Lucy,* 12 March 1867.
	** 5 Oct. 1866	**3.52.** Attack on the camp of the four Special Constables.	**Tommy, Johnny** & 2 others.		Boys never charged.
	9 Oct. 1866	**3.53.** Robbery of Too Fee	**Tommy & Tom**		NSW*PG*, 17 Oct.1866 p370 No description.
	** 20 Oct. 1866	**3.54.** Robbery of Joseph Taylor's Little Bombay,	**Clarkes, Tom**, Alick Bradley.	Alick would get six years gaol. He only served two years as he gave information in the trials of Mick O'Connell and Patrick & Michael Griffin. In Alick's trial, *SMH* 12 Nov. 1866, there is no mention of the involvement of the Clarkes. *QA&GA*, 25 Oct.1866, NSW*PG*, 24 Oct.1866 p378 and NSW*PG,* 31 Oct.1866 p3.	
	22 Oct.1866	**3.55.** Robbery of Little River Gold Escort and **3.56.** Richard Smith & **3.57.** Thomas Dawson.	**Tommy, Johnny, Tom**		NSW*PG*, 31.Oct.1866.
	24 Oct. 1866	Receiving – First Foxlow robbery on 29.12.65. NSW*PG* 7.11.66 p396	Ben Jermyn in court	Seven years gaol.	Goods found in his house.
	Week of 24 Oct.1866	**3.58.** Horse stolen, the property of Donald McDonald	**Tommy & Tom** suspected.		NSW*PG,* 24 Oct.1866 p379. No description.
	28 Oct. 1866	**3.59 - 3.62.** Four Chinese robbed at top of Araluen Mountain.	**Tommy, Johnny & Tom** suspected.	NSW*PG,* 7 Nov. 1866 p 394 says Ah Chong, Ah Leon, Ah Harm, & Ah Goon, were allegedly stopped by Clarkes & Tom robbed of a horse, silver, gold, pipes, coats, hat, saddle and bridle. No description. NSWPG, 14 Nov. 1866 says goods and horses recovered by Ballalaba police after an encounter with armed offenders. Three horses, three saddles & bridles and three revolvers – a Dean & Adams, a Colt and a Tranter were returned to the Chinese. The *Gazette* did not say who the offenders were.	
	1 Nov. 1866	Ballalaba police – Byrne, Kelly, Callanan, Emmet came upon the boys.	**Tommy, Johnny, Tom.** Tommy shot in leg.	*GH&C,* 10.11.66 p3. Brennan p24. James Griffin saw the police take the boy's horses and so he took horses to them before police could return. No warrants issued.	
	7 Nov.1866	Stolen from Robert Vincent of Araluen. Open-faced silver Geneva watch, No. 6784 over 576, one gold wedding ring, one gold keeper ring, one gold ring set with pearls.		Robert Vincent was the name of the tutor Michael O'Connell employed for his children.	NSW*PG* 21 Nov. 1866, p410. A search of the serial number in the NSW*PG* only returned one entry, that of Robert Vincent's, indicating he was not fencing stolen property. Indeed it would be rather stupid to report it if it had previously been stolen.
	7 Nov. 1866	Murder of Billy Noonang.	Old John Clarke.	John was sick with influenza and high fever and desponding in his mind.	NSW*PG*, 18 July 1866. John died in gaol on 7 Nov.1866, before his trial.
	9 Nov.1866	William McIntosh & Patrick Silden, hawkers, were searched by two armed masked men. Nothing taken	*Supposed* to be **Tommy & Johnny**		NSW*PG* 21 Nov. 1866 p410. No description.
See above.	** 14 Nov.1866		**Tom** captured.	Tom arrested for O'Grady's murder and Emmott's wounding. Charge for O'Grady dismissed. Tom was given a life sentence.	NSW*PG,* 1866 p385 arrested 8 miles from Ballalaba by Byrne, Callahan & O'Loughlin & Geo Emmott.
2.18	20 Nov.1866	**3.63.** Robbery, Chong Chong's **3.64.** & Ah How's Stores.	**Clarkes & Dornan.**	Warrant issued for **Dornan.** NSW*PG*, 5 Dec.1866, list of goods taken.	Ah How's watch was returned after Tommy was captured.
	27 Nov. 1866	Michael O'Connell's hut, at Jingera, burnt down by persons unknown.	Hut was formerly occupied by police when they were in the area.		NSW*PG* 12 Dec. 1866 p436.

	** 7 Dec. 1866	**3.65.** Robbery of the Yass to Goulburn Mail at Little Razorback	**Tommy & Johnny.**	Neither the *Sydney Mail* 15 Dec. 1866 or the NSW*PG* 12 Dec. 1866 give a description of the offenders.	
	29 Nov. - 6 Dec. 1866	Special Constable's arrests for harbouring	Patrick Griffin and Michael O'Connell arrested on 29th Nov. Anne & Margaret Clarke on the 6th Dec.1866.		*GH & C* 19 Dec. 1866.
	13/14 Dec. 1866	More harbouring arrests	Henry McCurley arrested on 13th Dec. and Michael Griffin on the 14th Dec. 1866.	There was no case against Anne, Margaret or Henry. The Griffins and Michael were sent to court in Sydney. Griffins acquitted. Mick was given seven years gaol.	*GH&C,* 25 Dec1866
	29 Dec. 1866	Carroll's arrest for first Foxlow robbery.	Tom Berry	Dismissed – no evidence. Arrested to protect him as the informer.	*GH&C,* 25 Dec. 1866.
	** 31 Dec. 1866.	**3.66.** Robbery of Tommy. a Chinaman, and **3.67.** James Hyland.	**Clarkes & Scott**	NSW*PG,* 9 Jan. 1867 says ***this is a doubtful case.*** But Smith, 2015, says, with no evidence, that it was the boys. James was a friend of the boys and it is likely he was claimed to have been robbed, rather than chancing an arrest for harbouring. No description.	
2.19 **2.20** **2.21**	** 9 Jan. 1867	**12 - 15.** Special Constables are murdered	**Clarkes, Scott &** James Griffin.	The Inspector General could not find enough evidence to charge the boys for these murders. James was never part of the gang. He was a suspected harbourer and telegraph. This warrant was cancelled in June 1867 when it was decided there was not enough evidence for murder and the boys were charged with Wounding Walsh and Sir Watkin Wynn.	
	14 Jan. 1867	**3.68.** Attempted robbery of the Mongarlowe Gold Escort and robbery of **3.69.** Henry Lamb & **3.70.** John Clowry & a **3.71.** Chinaman on the Mongarlowe Rd.	**Clarkes & Scott**	NSW*PG* 23 Jan.1867 p29. Shots were exchanged with the police. No charges laid. Description of Bill Scott only. Smith, p 458, claims they had revolving rifles but sources do not support this claim. See discussion in the book in Chapter 8.	
	14 Jan. 1867	Proclamations.	The Govt. will pay £5000 for apprehension of all parties concerned in the murder. £1000 for apprehension of one of the murderers. Free pardon to any accessory giving evidence that leads to a conviction. Any harbourers will be classed as accessories to the murders. Further Sir John Young calls upon every citizen to employ every means to assist the police to bring to justice all abetters, harbourers and receivers of Thomas Clarke and his associates.		
2.22	15 Jan. 1867	**3.72.** Little River Gold Escort, Araluen Mtn road near Bell's Creek. **3.73.** Robbed John Hornby.	**Clarkes & Scott**	Smith, p 457/8 claims the boys were armed with 3 revolving rifles and 3 revolvers each, at Little River. However his reference for this crime does not describe any weapons, nor does any other reference. *Empire,* 19 January 1867.	NSW*PG* 23 Jan.1867 p29. Warrant issued for **Bill Scott** only on 15 Jan. 1867 for Hornby's robbery. Smith on p 457 says they robbed John Hornby. No charges were ever laid.
	15 Jan. 1867.	**3.74.** Robbed passengers of the Araluen and Monga Coach of £70 - £80.	**Clarkes & Scott.**		*GH & C,* 19 Jan. 1867.
	26 Jan. 1867	**3.75.** Robbed Myer's Store	**Clarkes and Scott**	£150 in gold. *Sydney Mail.* 2 Feb. 1867	NSW*PG,* 6 Feb. 1867.
	** 22 Feb. 1867	**3.76.** Robbery of Goulburn to Sydney Mail, 4 miles from Goulburn.	**Clarkes & Scott.**	NSW*PG* 27 Feb. 1867 says robbers were masked. The only description that could be given was hair colour and height. They had revolvers and one revolving rifle. ***Supposed*** to be Clarke & gang. Smith, 2015, says it was the gang. John D Lang however uses the word leader, not Tommy.	
	** 27 Feb. 1867	**3.77.** Yass to Goulburn Mail	**Clarkes & Scott.**	NSW*PG,* 27 February 1867, p69. *Empire* 5 March 1867. NSW*PG,* 6 Mar.1867. *GH& C,* 2 Mar.1867. One robber not disguised. Two had face masks. Description vague. No description in the NSW*PG*'s.	
	27 Feb. 1867	**3.78.** The horse *Greenwattle* belonging to Patrick Lawler, was taken from John Cusack place near Mutbilly.	**Clarkes & Scott.**		*Empire* 5 Mar.1867 No description given.
	** 2 Mar. 1867	**3.79.** Fraser's Store, Gundaroo.	**Clarkes & Scott.**	According to the *QA & GA* the offenders compelled other horsemen to show them the back way into Fraser's. If the boys had robbed Fraser's, for five hours on 25 Jan.1866, they would know the back way to the store.	*QA&GA,* 7 Mar.1867 NSW*PG,* 6 Mar.1867 p77 No description of the offenders.
	4 Mar. 1867	**3.80.** Robbed Frank Louise, at 7am, 4 miles from Bungendore while on his way to Yass.	**Clarkes & Scott**		NSW*PG* 13 Mar.1867, p86. No description.
	** 6 Mar 1867	**3.81.** William's Boro Inn 11.30pm.	**Clarkes & Scott**	NSW*PG,* 13 Mar.1867. p86 No description. Robbed of a saddle and bridle and two horses, the property of Mr Williams and Mr McNamara, mail driver, Queanbeyan.	
	6 Mar. 1867	**3.82.** Stolen from Williams & **3.83.** McEnerney, **3.84.** Pat Carroll & **3.85.** Rev Mr Luckey	**Clarkes & Scott**	NSW*PG,* 20 Mar. 1867 p95, Clarkes & Bill Scott stole a new saddle and bridle, the property of Patrick Carroll, junior, of Bungendore, and a double rein bridle, the property of the Rev. Mr. Luckey.	

	Suspected crimes, 15 (Brown) + 84 (Purple) = 104 alleged crimes which were never tested in court. Robberies only 11 (Brown) + 81 (Purple),				
	** 9 Apr. 1867	Unidentified body found at Manar.		The police claimed the body was that of Bill Scott and that the boys killed him. The jury at the inquest found that the deceased, name unknown and no means of ascertaining cause of death.	
	Apr. 1867	Reward.	**Tommy** £1000; **Johnny** £500		
	** 27 Apr.1867	Captured.	**Tommy & Johnny.**		*GH & C,* 1 Jun.1867 p5
	Apr. 1867	Harbouring.	Tom Berry arrested	Dismissed.	Berry was the informer and claimed £500.
	** 28 May 1867	Trial for murder of John Carroll on 9 January 1867.	James Griffin.	Not guilty	*SMH,* 31 May 1867
1.20 **1.21**	** 27 May 1867	**16.** Wounding Walsh & Wynn with intent, at the capture of the boys.	**Tommy & Johnny.**	Guilty of wounding Walsh with intent. They were hanged on 25 Jun. 1867.	*SMH,* 31 May 1867
	** 16 Sept.1867	Murder of Patrick Kennagh.	James Griffin.	Guilty. Sentenced to death but commuted to life. commuted to life	James was released from prison in Sept. 1880 with TB. He died in August 1881 in Dubbo.
	** 19 Aug. 1867	Trial for harbouring	Pat & Michael Griffin.	Not guilty	NSWSR Regina V Patrick & Michael Griffin
	20 Aug. 1867	Trial for harbouring	Michael O'Connell.	7 years gaol.	*SMH,* 22 Aug.1867.