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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Air Force Officer's Identity-card Stolen.

Wellington.-On or about the 2nd instant, a Royal New Wellington.—On or about the 2nd instant, a Royal New Zealand Air Force Officer's identity-card, No. 1, was stolen from the headquarters of the Civil Aviation Department, Wellington. The card was in the name "Group Captain Wilkes," and dated "19th December, 1939." It is possible that some unauthorized person may use the card in an attempt to obtain privileges on trains or steamers, &c., and members of the Police Force are to be on the alert to recover it. (P. 40/199.)

PERSONS WANTED.

Whangarei.—5th instant, on warrant to apprehend for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his children, Henry Brady, referred to in Police Gazette, 1939, page 763. Arrears to 1st ultimo, £91 5s. 6d. He usually works for the Public Works Department, and he is fond of drink.

arrested 15/5/40

WHARF (WELLINGTON).—27th ultimo, on warrant for deserting from the ship "Ruahine"—(1) J. Doyle, cook and baker. (2) A. Moore, fireman, height 5 ft. 5 in., freekled complexion, auburn hair, strong build.

Arrested 15/10 22/5/40.

AUCKLAND .- 8th ultimo, on warrant for theft of a one-AUCKLAND.—8th ultimo, on warrant for theft of a one-hundred franc gold piece and an enagement ring (recovered), total value £10, the property of Samuel Octavis Dixon, 66 Vincent Street, Thomas George Pateman, referred to in Police Gazette, 1938, page 835. Accused stayed at No. 66 Vincent Street from the 5th to the 8th ultimo. He was interviewed at Papakura Military Camp and admitted the offence, but before being brought before the Magistrates' Court by the Military Authorities he disappeared from the camp. His photograph is filed. Otahuhu.—22nd ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Auckland Prison for three months in default of paying £10 fine for theft, Kenneth William Mailman, alias William Kenneth Mailman, age twenty-six, height 5 ft. 1½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, good build, fair complexion and hair, grey eyes. (See Police Gazette, 1940, page 132, and Photographs, 1931, page 31.) graphs, 1931, page 31.)

-8th instant, on warrant for a breach of his probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), Raymond Goyne Leeder, referred to in Police Gazette, 1938, page 662. has failed to report to a Probation Officer.

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ROTORUA.—2nd instant, for a breach of his probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), Alton William Moyle, referred to in Police Gazette, 1938, page 579, and Photographs, page 60. He has failed to report to a Probation Officer, and his arrest is desired.

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STRATFORD.—21st December last, on warrant of commitment to New Plymouth Prison for three days in default of paying £2 5s. fine and costs for being found on licensed premises during prohibited hours, Wallace Hewson, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, fresh complexion, fair hair. He is with the First Echelon of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force. Cancelled 20/7/55

Hastings.—On or about the 24th December last, on warrant for obtaining £6 by false pretences, Hector James McDonaid, referred to in Police Gazette, 1939, page 784, and Photographs, 1929, page 30. He was dressed in a blue suit, brown hat, and brown check overcoat. Accused advertised in the "New Zealand Herald" (Auckland), for a housekeeper for his sheep-station in Hawke's Bay. Josephine Florence Logan replied to the advertisement and accepted the position. Accused then borrowed £6 from her Josephine Florence Logan replied to the accepted the position. Accused then borrowed £6 from her at Frankton to pay their train fares. At Hastings he disappeared, leaving complainant and her two young children destitute.