bluish eyes, fresh complexion, swaggers when walking. May be found in the West Coast district working at his trade. Complainant: Lizzie Webb Jones, Newmarket, Auckland.

AUCKLAND.—Daniel Lindsay is charged on warrant with disobeying an order of Court to pay 7s, a week for the support of his illegitimate child. Description: A native of Auckland, a groom, twenty one years of age, about 5 ft. 5 in. high, sallow complexion, clean-shaved, flat nose; dressed in serge coat, white-cord riding-pants, gaiters, and soft cap. Was engaged as groom for horses used during the Royal visit. Is a brother of the jockey Samuel Lindsay.

Wellington.—John James Roberts, alias John Crombie, is charged on warrant with deserting his wife, Alice Mary Roberts, since the 3rd July, 1901. Description: A native of New South Wales, a driver, twenty-three years of age, 5 ft. 34 in. high, fair complexion, light brown hair, brown eyes; dressed in light coat and vest, dark trousers, and soft-felt hat. (See Police Gazette, 1901, pages 32.)

(See Police Gazette, 1901, page 136.)

WELLINGTON .- Patrick Dooley, charged with disobeying an order of Court for the support of his father, has been arrested by Constable A. Hammond, Mount Cook

(See Police Gazette, 1901, page 149.)

WESTFORT.—William Cole, charged with failing to provide for the maintenance of his illegitimate child, has been arrested by Constable J. Cameron, Seddonville police.

CHRISTCHURCH. — William Morgan is charged on warrant with failing to provide for the future maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child. Description: A native of England, a labourer at the Government Workshops, Addington, twenty-one years of age, 5 ft. 6 in. or 7 in. high, dark complexion, black hair, grey eyes, small black moustache only, medium build, erect gait; usually wears black sac suit and grey soft-felt hat. He lived with his mother at New Brighton, and was last seen at Linwood on the 28th ultimo. Complainant: Mary Hanlon, Bromley, Christchurch.

CHRISTCHURCH.—Thomas Arscott is charged on warrant with failing to provide for the future maintenance of his illegitimate child. Description: A native of England a plumber, about twenty-one years of age, about 5 ft. 8 in. or 9 in. high, medium build, light-brown hair, grey eyes, large nose, bad teeth and far apart, clean-shaved, broad shoulders, erect gait; usually dressed in dark-blue sac suit and white-straw hat. Was seen at Riccarton on the 23rd ultimo. His parents reside at Timaru. Complainant: Amy Knudson, Islam Cottage, Riccarton.

CHRISTCHURCH .- Edward Harris is charged on warrant with failing to provide for the maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child. Description: A native of New Zealand, a working jeweller, twenty-three years of age, 5 ft. 5 in. or 6 in high, sallow complexion, light-brown hair, blue eyes, clean shaved, front upper teeth wide apart, stout build, broad shoulders, short neck; generally dresses in black suit with fawn coloured covert coat and hard blackfelt hat; wears a silver watch chain and gold ring with buckle. Parents reside in Stanmore Road, Christchurch. Complainant: Jean Duthie McKenzie, 275, Colombo Street, Christehurch.

CHRISTCHURCH.-Alexander Charles Mills is charged CHRISTCHURCH.—Alexander Charles Mills is charged on warrant of commitment to Invercargill Gaol for three weeks for disobeying an order of Court to pay 4s. a week towards the support of his illegitimate child. Description: A protographer and canvasser, about thirty-one years of age, 5 ft. 11 in. high, stout build, round full face, dark hair, brown moustache, slight scar on forehead, deep voice; generally dressed in light-tweed suit and tweed cap. May be about Winton or Invercargill. (See Police Gazette, 1900, pages 242 and 258.) The sum of £3 17s. is now in arrears up to the 2nd April. 1901. 2nd April, 1901.

Christchurch.—William Henry Ryan is charged on warrant with descriting his wife, Annie Helena Ryan, since the 2nd instant. Description: A native of New Zealand, a farmer and drover, and was recently hotelkeeping, about thirty-four years of age, about 6 ft. 4 in. high, well built, square shoulders, erect gait, fair complexion, dark-brown hair, blue eyes, clean-shaved except small fair moustache; usually dressed in dark suit, fawn covert coat, and fawn leggings when riding. Will probably be found droving or about sheep-and-cattle yards. Supposed to be about Dunedin and employed as special constable there during the Royal visit.

CHRISTCHURCH.-Arthur John Agar is charged on warrant with failing to provide for the maintenance of his

illegitimate child. Description: A native of New Zealand, engineer's apprentice, twenty years of age, 5 ft. 2 in. high, slight build, fair hair, fair complexion, blue eyes; dresses well. Was employed at the Addington Workshops. Complainant: Mabel Fanny Graham, Cordovan Street, Syden-

CHRISTCHURCH.-Robert Ash is charged on warrant of commitment to Lyttelton Gaol for three months for disobeycommitment to Littleton Gaol for three months for disobeying an order of Court to pay 15s. a week towards the maintenance of his wife. Description: A native of Ireland, a labourer, twenty-nine years of age. 6 ft. high, medium build, fair complexion, light-brown hair, fair moustache only, brown eyes, erect gait, burn scar on chest; dresses in dark-tweed sac suit and light-brown Dr. Jim hat. On the 4th ultimo there was due the sum of £8 11s.

CHRISTCHURCH.-John Marigold is charged on warrant with failing to provide for the maintenance of his illegitimate chlid. Description: Supposed native of New Zealand, a wool-washer, about twenty-three years of age, about 5 ft. 8 in. high, slight build, dark complexion and hair, blue eyes, clean shaved, two wreaths tattooed on one of his arms, "L.P.K." in one, and "J.M." in the other wreath, bullet-wound in palm of one hand. Supposed gone to Dunedin. Complainant: Elizabeth King, Tuam Street, Christchurch.

(See Police Gazette, 1900, page 127.) CHRISTCHURCH.—Thomas Joseph Wilkinson, charged with wife desertion has been arrested at Dunedin by Constable F. O'Connell, Christchurch police, and remanded.

Absconding from Industrial School.

(See Police Gasette, 1900, page 221.)

James Cavill Riddler, who absonded from the Burnham Industrial School, has been arrested for forgery by Constable J. Madden, Pleasant Point police, and is to come up for sentence at the Supreme Court, Timaru.

FREDERICK G. SEMB absconded from the Burnham Industrial School on the 25th June last. Description: Eighteen years of age, 5 ft. 5 in. high, fair curly hair, blue eyes, pleasant manners; was transferred from Caversham, and will probably make for Dunedin.

THOMAS GARDINER absconded from the Burnham Industrial School on the 25th June last. Description: Eighteen years of age, 5 ft. 4 in. high, nearly white hair, cast in one eye, heavy loutish appearance; was transferred from Caversham, and will probably make for Dunedin.

Absentees from His Majesty's Service.

From H.M.S. "Mildura," at Wellington. On 16th June, 1901.

George E. Shave, acting corporal, native of London, twenty-eight years of age, 5 fc. 6½ in. high, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, sear and tattoo-dot on right forearm, dot on left forearm, sear on right thigh, and sear on left eyelid.

Horse and Cattle Stealing.

(See Police Gazette, 1899, page 209.)

KAWAKAWA. - Jack, or John, Miles, alias Dick Hackett, charged with theft of a horse, the property of David Forsyth, is now undergoing a sentence of twelve months under the name of W. J. Hogan. (See list of prisoners tried at the Supreme Court; also, *Police Gazette*, 1899, page 221, and 1900, pages 14 and 16.) Suspected of theft and horse-

(See Police Gazette, 1901, pages 150 and 159.) JOHNSONVILLE.—Theft of Walter Futter's horse: Andrew Frazer has been arrested for this offence by Constable J. Twomey, Feilding police; and Frank King by Acting-Detective A. Cameron, Wellington police, for same offence.

(See Police Gazette, 1901, pages 150 and 159.)

PETONE.—Theft of John Routh's horse: Andrew Fraser and Frank King have been arrested for this offence by Constables J. Twomey and Acting-Detective A. Cameron. (See preceding paragraph.)

HAWERA.—Alfred Barkland, labourer, reports stolen, in September, 1899, a chestnut mare, with light-coloured mane and tail, aged, about 15 hands high, branded N.W. on off shoulder, white on one or more feet, star on forehead, hip injured, causing a perceptible limp when walking. About the 1st instant a horse answering above description was seen near Normanby, ridden by a man of whom no description can be given.