

ABSCONDER FROM AN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

LINCOLN.—15th April last, from Burnham Industrial School, **Bertie Alfred Rising**, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., farm labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, sallow complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, long nose, prominent ears, round shoulders; dressed in a greenish sac suit, green-striped cap, and black lace-up boots; delicate appearance. Underclothing should be numbered "161." (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 179.)

DESERTERS FROM HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

From the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

WHANGAREI.—27th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Thomas Norton**, age forty-three, height 5 ft. 4 in., labourer, native of Ireland, medium build, dark complexion, brown hair, grey eyes, nose has been broken, Crucifix and star on right forearm, Faith, Hope, and Charity on left forearm; untidy appearance; fond of drink.

WHANGAREI.—27th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **James Kelly**, age forty-four, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer, native of Ireland, medium build, fair complexion, grey hair, blue eyes. He is believed to be identical with **Bernard Kelly**, alias **James Kelly**, alias **Thomas Kelly**, referred to in *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 162.

WELLSFORD.—15th December last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **John Henry Willoughby**, age thirty-one, height 5 ft. 10 in., farmer, native of New Zealand.

AUCKLAND.—3rd ultimo, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Victor Powley**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 6½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark complexion, brown hair and eyes.

ONEHUNGA.—9th instant, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **William Stevens**, age thirty-eight, height 5 ft. 7 in., bootmaker, native of New Zealand, slight build, dark hair and complexion, grey eyes.

NAPIER.—31st ultimo, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Thomas Spillane**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 6½ in., driver, native of Ireland, tanned complexion, dark-brown hair, blue eyes.

WANGANUI.—8th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Ernest Alfred Mouldy**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 9 in., farm labourer, medium build, sallow complexion, dark hair; dressed in a grey suit and soft brown-felt hat; slightly stooped.

WANGANUI.—30th April last, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Norman Manson**, alias **Williams**, alias **Samuel Williamson**, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer and butcher, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, black hair, blue eyes, small scar on upper lip. (See *Police Gazette*, 1915, page 46.)

BULL'S.—30th ultimo, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Walter O'Brien**, alias **Jack O'Brien**, age about twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of Ireland, strong stout build, dark hair and complexion, large brown eyes.

UPPER HUTT.—4th ultimo, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **John Lynch**, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 2 in., labourer.

UPPER HUTT.—12th ultimo, from Trentham Camp, **Clarence Donald Sutherland**, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 7½ in., tram-conductor, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, curly brown hair, grey eyes, scar on left buttock. Next-of-kin, Mrs. George Sutherland, 5 Frankville Terrace, Wellington.

UPPER HUTT.—12th ultimo, from Trentham Camp, **Herbert Hill**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 8½ in., seaman, native of Australia, pale complexion, brown hair, blue eyes. Next-of-kin, Miss M. McPike, Ghuznee Street, Wellington.

UPPER HUTT.—18th April last, from Trentham Camp, **W. Armstrong**, age thirty-nine, height 5 ft. 7½ in., farmer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes, scar on left breast. Next-of-kin, Mrs. Sarah Armstrong, Miller's Flat, Otago.

WELLINGTON.—27th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Richard James Donovan**, age about forty-five, height 5 ft. 2 in., cook, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark complexion, dark-brown hair, brown eyes; round-shouldered; slightly stooped. He left Auckland on the 1st instant as a member of the crew of the s.s. "Wairuna," bound for San Francisco, and may return on the same vessel. (P. 17/14.)

WELLINGTON.—27th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Francis Joseph Daniel Burns**, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 10½ in., telegraphist, strong build, pale complexion, fair hair, blue eyes.

WELLINGTON.—2nd ultimo, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Frank Smith**, age about forty-four, height about 5 ft. 7½ in., labourer, medium build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, brown moustache; fond of drink. (P. 17/14.)

WELLINGTON.—27th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Harold William Seward**, age thirty, height about 5 ft. 7 in., ploughman, native of England, medium build, fair hair and complexion. He was last employed at Tokanui Mental Hospital. (P. 17/14.)

WELLINGTON.—2nd ultimo, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **George Connell**, age thirty-nine, height about 5 ft. 9 in., supposed carpenter, fair hair turning grey and going bald, blue eyes, prominent nose, small features, clean-shaved; talkative; fond of drink. (P. 17/14.)

TARANAKI STREET (WELLINGTON).—9th January last, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Henry Tyler**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 5½ in., labourer, native of England, fair hair and complexion, grey eyes.

CHRISTCHURCH.—6th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **John Cooney**, age thirty-five, height 5 ft. 8 in., farm labourer, native of Ireland, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair and moustache; usually dressed in a grey suit and cap.

LEESTON.—29th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **George Gilmore**, age about thirty-four, height 5 ft. 7 in., farm labourer and gardener, native of New Zealand, medium build, pale fair complexion, light-brown hair; dressed in a dark suit and grey soft-felt hat; deformed feet; discoloured teeth; stooping gait.

TIMARU.—13th April last, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Aloysius Patrick Nolan**, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 5 in., medium build, dark hair and complexion, dark grey eyes.

TIMARU.—11th April, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **William Ryan**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 6 in., medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, grey eyes; weight 137 lb.

DUNEDIN.—22nd March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Charles Sturrock Rumsey**, age about thirty, height about 5 ft. 7 in., labourer, strong build, curly brown hair, grey eyes, prominent nose, full face, clean-shaved.

LUMSDEN.—8th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Samuel O'Connell**, age twenty-two, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair clean-shaved; usually dressed in a dark-tweed suit and cap.