

FEATHERSTON.—27th April last, that proceedings for failing to notify his change of address in accordance with the provisions of the Military Service Act, 1916, may be instituted against him, **Arthur Stevens**, age twenty-two, height 5 ft. 4 in., bricklayer, native of New Zealand; weight 10 stone.

WELLINGTON.—3rd ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for three days in default of paying £1 fine and costs for a breach of his prohibition order, **Thomas O'Brien**, age thirty-eight, height 5 ft. 11 in., sculleryman, native of Australia, medium build, pale complexion, dark hair, blue eyes. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 122.)

WELLINGTON.—13th instant, that she may be compelled to maintain Marjory G. Brunell, an inmate of St. Joseph's Industrial School, Upper Hutt, **Hilda Brunell**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 4 in., domestic, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, grey eyes, prominent artificial upper teeth. Arrears to 25th April last, £12 9s. Inquiry by the Education Department.

BLLENHEIM.—27th March last, that a minute of order for maintenance of his wife, Elsie May Harding, may be served upon him, **John Harding**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 9 in., motor-driver and coach-painter, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair hair and complexion, blue eyes; usually dressed in a brown or navy-blue suit and soft-felt hat; bow-legged.

CHRISTCHURCH.—9th instant, on warrant for false pretences, **Benjamin Bronkhurst**, *alias* **Bronkhorst**, age thirty-nine, height 5 ft. 6 in., traveller and agent, native of England, medium build, fair hair and complexion, blue eyes; usually dressed in a blue or dark-grey suit and black hard hat; fond of drink. Accused obtained three gold rings, value £27 10s., from Andrew Ernest Young by falsely representing that he had been authorized by a man from the Bays, who was getting married, to purchase the ring, and also that he (the accused) had placed with Strange and Co. (Limited) an order for the man's furniture. (See *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 212.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—20th April last, that a notice of fine for £5 12s. for permitting gorse to spread on his land at Yaldhurst may be served upon him, **William Percy Capes**, aged thirty-one, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, long thin nose. He owns a racehorse, "Jack Ashore," and frequents race meetings. He is identical with **Percy Capes**, referred to in *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 852.

CHRISTCHURCH.—28th April last, that a notice of fine for 10s. for casting offensive matter in a public place may be served upon him, **George Reburn**, age fifty, height 5 ft. 9 in., farmer, native of Scotland, medium build, fair hair and complexion, blue eyes; usually dressed in a brown suit and grey cap; stooped. He was fined £1, but has paid 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—17th April last, that she may be compelled to support her child, an inmate of Christchurch Receiving Home, **Margaret McKeown**, age twenty-three, height 5 ft. 2 in., domestic, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair, brown eyes; usually dressed in a grey costume; slovenly appearance.

GORE.—**Henry Frederick Elliott**, failing to maintain: It has been ascertained by the Gore police that accused, accompanied by *Mary Cleaver* and a boy, travelled as Mr. and Mrs. Tiley on the 11th ultimo by steamer from Lyttelton to Wellington. They may seek employment as a married couple on a farm or station. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 310.)

#### APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**Thomas Crawley**, default of costs, has paid the amount due to the Mount Cook (Wellington) police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 237.)

AUCKLAND.—**Alexander McKenzie**, failing to maintain: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 69.)

TAURANGA.—**Alexander Rennie**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Spit (Napier) police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1915, page 415.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**Martin Johansen**, *alias* **George Martin**, default of balance of fine and costs: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 323.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**Leslie Rogers**, missing, has been located. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 72.)

FEATHERSTON.—**William George Marslen**, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested by the Waipukurau police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 312.)

WELLINGTON.—**John Hyde**, default of fines and costs, has paid the amounts due to the Wellington police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 310.)

WELLINGTON.—**A. H. Bremer**, unlawfully landing in New Zealand, has been located by the Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 309.) (P. 17/754.)

WELLINGTON.—**Edward Sullivan**, ship-desertion, has been arrested by the Taranaki Street (Wellington) police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 523.)

WELLINGTON.—**Charles Bostock**, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has reported to the military authorities at Samoa. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 326.) (P. 15/699 (27).)

WELLINGTON.—**John Greenwell**, ship-desertion, has been arrested by the Taranaki Street (Wellington) police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 338.)

TARANAKI STREET (WELLINGTON).—**William Irwin Black**, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 266.)

GREYMOOUTH.—**John Towers**, theft, has been arrested by the Christchurch police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1916, pages 132 and 204.)

GREYMOOUTH.—**Edwin Bradshaw**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount due to the Bealey Flat police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, pages 98 and 310.)

GREYMOOUTH.—**James Bernard Heffernan**, deserting from Expeditionary Force: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 251.)

ROSS.—**Thomas Moye**, deserting from Expeditionary Force: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 192.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**William O'Driscoll**, failing to maintain: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 178.)

LAWRENCE.—**James Skene**, failing to notify change of address, has been located by the Palmerston North police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 324.)

#### PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—13th ultimo, from a bedroom at the Carlton Club Hotel, Newmarket, the property of CHARLOTTE LECKY, a gentlemen's silver hunting Waltham or Rotherhams watch; value, £5. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 23rd and 28th ultimo, the property of GEORGE DOUGHTY AND CO., Wellington, a pair of gentlemen's box-calf Derby fronted boots, size 6; two pairs of gentlemen's box-calf Derby fronted boots, size 7, "304" inside of each, "Royalty" in a circle and