

DUNEDIN.—Since the 10th instant, **Margaret Watson Martin**, age sixteen, height about 5 ft., domestic, native of New Zealand, medium build, brown hair, dark eyes, round face, thick nose, prominent lips; dressed in a navy-blue costume with high belt, saxe-blue hat with black veil, and high-heeled boots. On the afternoon of the 10th instant she was seen on the train at Palmerston South in company with **Henry Young, alias Zoukondyk**, referred to in "Persons wanted," this issue. She was then wearing a four- or five-stone diamond engagement-ring and a wedding-ring, both apparently new. Her photograph is filed in the Superintendent's Office, Dunedin. Inquiry by her father, Frederick Samuel Martin, St. Clair.

DESERTERS FROM HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

From the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

MAUNGATUROTO.—4th May last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **James Samuel Meades, alias James Grant**, age forty-two, height 5 ft. 6 in., seaman and gum-digger, native of England, medium build, fresh complexion, dark brown hair, brown eyes, woman on each forearm, dagger, cross, and soldier on chest. (See *Police Gazette*, 1912, page 555, and Photographs, page 52.)

WAIROA.—4th May last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Harry Pressley**, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer and miner.

WAIROA.—4th May last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Patrick O'Dea, alias O'Shea**, age about forty, height 5 ft. 7 in., labourer and bushman, native of Ireland, medium build, dark complexion, brown hair and moustache turning grey, blue eyes.

TAUMARUNUI.—4th May last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Colin Cameron**, age thirty-three, height 5 ft. 9 in., medium build, dark hair and complexion, brown eyes; usually dressed in a dark-tweed suit.

RAETIHI.—29th August last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Sydney Stapleton**, age about thirty, height 5 ft. 7 in., labourer and sawmill hand, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion; quiet manner.

RAETIHI.—8th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Charles Spencer Wilson**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 7½ in., labourer, medium build, fresh complexion.

TAIHAPE.—12th July last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **James Ainsworth**, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 2 in., labourer.

TAIHAPE.—4th May last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Darcy Roy Hunter**, age twenty-two, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer.

WANGANUI.—30th May last, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **James Graham**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 9 in., bushman, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, dark hair, blue eyes.

WANGANUI.—31st May last, from Featherston Camp, **Albert Henry Hewitt**, height 5 ft. 9 in., labourer, medium build, dark complexion, black hair, green eyes. Next-of-kin, A. H. Bull, Rongotea, Feilding.

WANGANUI.—27th June last, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Clarence Keating**, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 11½ in., bushman, medium build, dark complexion, black hair, blue eyes.

WANGANUI.—13th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to proceed to camp, **Stewart William Murdock Davidson**, age about thirty-four, height 5 ft. 8 in., farmer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, light-brown hair.

WANGANUI.—19th March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Bernard Smith**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 10½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build; bullet-wound in one hip.

MASTERTON.—5th ultimo, on **military warrant** for deserting from the 30th reinforcement, **Herbert Gleeson**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 7 in., farmer and contractor, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, light-brown hair, going bald, blue eyes.

FEATHERSTON.—15th March last, from Featherston Camp, **Walter Symonds**, age forty, height 5 ft. 8 in., butcher, native of New Zealand, medium build, ruddy complexion, light-brown hair turning grey, blue eyes. Next-of-kin, Mrs. James Murray (sister), Waipaou, Gisborne. He was last employed by J. Hardy, Customs Street, Auckland.

UPPER HUTT.—25th July last, from Trentham Camp, **Daniel Hay**, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 4 in., clerk, native of England, pale complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes. Next-of-kin, J. Hay (father), 18 Totara Street, Nelson. He was last employed by the Post and Telegraph Department, Wellington.

WELLINGTON.—14th July last, for failing to parade for medical examination, **Frederick William Leonard Niethe**, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 7 in., labourer, native of New Zealand. (P.)

WELLINGTON.—24th June last, from the 27th New Zealand Reinforcements at Perth, Western Australia, **Norman Rossendell Pierce**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 10 in., orchard instructor, native of Tasmania, medium build, dark complexion, dark-brown hair, blue eyes. Next-of-kin, Mrs. R. O. Stephens (sister), Forster Street, Newtown, near Hobart, Tasmania. (P. 15/699/43.)

TARANAKI STREET (WELLINGTON).—12th July last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **George Maxwell, alias Chris Dittmar, alias Charles Nelson, alias Charles Wood, alias H. Sims**, age thirty-seven, height 5 ft. 4 in., labourer and carpenter, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, mole on right cheek. (See *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 536.)

CULVERDEN.—12th July last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **George White**, age about forty, height 5 ft. 8 in., cook, stout build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, grey eyes; slightly deaf; fond of drink.

TIMARU.—12th July last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **William O'Grady**, age twenty-eight, height 6 ft. ½ in., farm labourer.

PEMBROKE.—23rd March last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **John Stanislaus O'Neil**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 7 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, stout build, fresh complexion, sandy hair, blue eyes.

NASEBY.—4th May last, on **military warrant** for failing to parade for medical examination, **Archibald Ernest Leckie**, age thirty-one, height 5 ft. 5½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, stout build, fair complexion, hair, and moustache, blue eyes; usually dressed in a brown suit and hard-felt hat.

INQUIRIES, ETC., FROM OUTSIDE NEW ZEALAND.

GRAFTON (NEW SOUTH WALES).—26th August last. Inquiries are requested for **William A. Fay**, age about sixty-three, medium height, strong build, bald, broad face, high forehead, clean-shaved, small features, one shin discoloured; wears glasses; usually carries a walking-stick; smart gait; fond of drink; eccentric manner. Inquiry by his wife, Edith E. Fay, 110 Fitzroy Street, Grafton. (P. 17/1788.)