

OTAHUHU.—15th May last, on **warrant** for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, **Amelia Walsh**, 24 Millais Street, Grey Lynn, **John Francis Walsh**, age fifty-four, labourer and bootmaker, native of New Zealand, strong build, fair hair and complexion, blue eyes, heart on left forearm; clasped hands, "Kai Ora," rose, shamrock, and thistle on right forearm; speaks loudly; fond of drink. Arrears to 29th April last, £5 10s.

GISBORNE.—19th ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to maintain his illegitimate child, **Cyril Simmons**, alias **Thomas**, age about thirty-five, height about 5 ft. 6 in., freezing-works hand, native of Australia, medium build, fresh complexion, dark hair going bald, large dark eyes, V-shaped scar over right eye; usually dressed in a brown or greenish suit and light-green overcoat with "C.S." inside collar.

WANGANUI.—27th May last, on **two warrants** of commitment to Auckland Prison for three days on each in default of paying £1 1s. (10s. 6d. on each) fines and costs for failing to send his children to school, **Archibald Campbell Linwood**, age about sixty-five, height 5 ft. 7 in., native of England, stout build, fresh complexion, grey hair, blue eyes; usually dressed in a dark-blue suit (no hat).

DANNEVIRKE.—7th ultimo, on **warrant** for habitual drunkenness, **George Charman**, age forty-nine, height 5 ft. 6½ in., restaurateur, native of England, medium build, sallow complexion, brown hair and moustache, brown blood-shot eyes; usually dressed in a brown suit and brown-felt hat. He failed to appear in answer to a summons.

MASTERTON.—1st October last, on **warrant** for failing to maintain his wife and two children, **Percival Horace Wilmhurst**, age twenty-six, height 5 ft. 8 in., butcher, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark complexion, black hair, blue eyes; usually well dressed in a dark suit. Complainant, Florence Wilmhurst, 213 Chapel Street. His photograph is filed in the Superintendent's office, Wellington.

UPPER HUTT.—14th May last, that she may be compelled to maintain her illegitimate child, **Margaret E. Ryan**, age about twenty-five, height about 5 ft. 6 in., barnmaid, native of New Zealand, slight build, dark complexion, black hair, brown eyes; usually dressed in a dark costume. The child which was in September, 1916, left by accused at Mrs. Auckram's home, Upper Hutt, has now been committed to the Wellington Receiving Home. She may be living with **Stanley Bayly**, referred to in *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 38.

WELLINGTON.—28th May last, that he may be located and the Acting Consul for Sweden notified of his whereabouts, **Oscar Hugo Emanuel Ekholm**, age twenty-seven. He has not registered under the National Registration Act, 1915, or under the Registration of Aliens Act, 1917. (P. 18/1242.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—20th April last, on **warrant** for theft of a ladies' bicycle (recovered), value £4, the property of **Elsie Stephens**, Hereford Street, **Mrs. Woods** (name probably fictitious), age about twenty-eight, tall, thin build, dark complexion; dressed in dark clothes and small round felt hat. The description given is that of a woman who sold the bicycle to William White, second-hand dealer. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 359.)

LYTTELTON.—24th ultimo, on **warrant** for deserting from the barque "Amy Turner," **John Wallace Halcome**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 10 in., cabin-boy, native of America, good build, fresh complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes, scar on right thumb. He has also committed the offence "landing in New Zealand without being in possession of a passport." (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 256.)

ASHBURTON.—20th ultimo, on **warrant** for theft from a dwelling of a small leather purse, containing £6, and for breaking and entering and theft of £39 7s. 2d. and a cheque for £8, No. 421166, on Bank of New South Wales, Ashburton, drawn by H. Stephenson in favour of J. Walker, the property of Henry Stephenson, auctioneer, **William Clausen**, alias **Johnston**, age forty-nine, height 5 ft. 6½ in., labourer, native of Denmark, strong build, fresh complexion, brown hair and moustache, blue eyes; usually

dressed in a dark-grey-tweed suit, brown soft-felt hat, and Burberry overcoat, and may be carrying a brown-leather brief-bag. The purse and keys were taken from complainant's bedroom at Allanton, and his office at Ashburton entered and the remainder of the stolen property taken from the safe. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 525, and Photographs, page 39.)

GORE.—31st May last, on **warrant** of commitment to military custody for seven days in default of paying £1 10s. balance of fine and costs for failing to register under Defence Act, 1909, **Edward James Murphy**, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 7½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, pale complexion, dark-brown hair, small brown eyes; usually dressed in a light-grey-tweed sac suit and cap.

## APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

RAWENE.—**Patrick Ryan**, failing to parade for medical examination: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 64.)

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—**John Greer**, failing to parade for medical examination: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 343.)

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—**Donald McDonald**, ship-desertion, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 371.)

FREEMAN'S BAY.—**William Burns Thomson**, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Te Aroha police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 64, and following paragraph.)

AUCKLAND.—**William Burns Thomson**, alias **Thompson**, failing to notify his change of address, has been located by the Te Aroha police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 281, and preceding paragraph.)

AUCKLAND.—**John Thomas Brown**, failing to parade for medical examination: No further action to be taken. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 219.)

AUCKLAND.—**Thomas Thomson**, failing to parade for medical examination: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 236.)

TOKOMARU BAY.—**George Davis**, indecent assault, has been arrested by the Te Karaka police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 325.)

GISBORNE.—**John Farnheim Mein**, failing to parade for medical examination: No further action to be taken. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 587.)

ONGARUE.—**Denis Divane**, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Christchurch police. He had assumed the name **Denis O'Connor**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 727.)

OHAKUNE.—**John Millar**, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Wanganui police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 375.)

NAPIER.—**Patrick Murray**, absent from camp without leave: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 727.)

HASTINGS.—**Thomas Reid**, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Napier police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 304.)

WANGANUI.—**Timothy Murphy**, deserting from Expeditionary Force: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 79.)

FEATHERSTON.—**William Thomas Little**, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested by the Kingsland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 727.)