

WELLINGTON.—2nd instant, on **warrant** of commitment to Wellington Prison for fourteen days in default of paying £2 18s. fine and costs for unlawfully using a bicycle. **Allan William Beasley**, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair, grey eyes, prominent ears, artificial teeth; wears glasses. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 348.)

WELLINGTON.—5th December last, for failing to comply with the conditions of his release upon probation, **Francis Noel Kitching**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 9½ in., labourer and window-cleaner, native of New Zealand, slight build, sallow complexion, light-brown hair, hazel eyes, thin features; slovenly appearance. **His arrest is desired.** (See *Police Gazette*, 1919, page 742.)

WELLINGTON.—31st ultimo, on **warrant** for absconding from bail, **Joseph Lewis Alfred, alias Lewis Alfred**, age fifty, height 5 ft. 4½ in., photographer, native of England, slight build, sallow complexion, dark hair, hazel eyes, large nose, scar on nose, on forehead, and on each lip; dressed in a dark suit and grey-felt hat; deaf. On the 13th ultimo accused was committed to the Supreme Court for trial on a charge of conspiring to defraud Patrick Sarsfield Ford, electrician, Petone, of £200. He was held to bail in the sum of £200 on condition that he report twice daily to the police. This condition has not been complied with since the 20th ultimo. He may be accompanied by **Jack Coulter**, who is jointly charged with him, and who is referred to in *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 218. (See *Queensland Police Gazette*, 1919, page 396, and *Photographs*, page 635, and *New Zealand Police Gazette*, 1920, page 205.)

WELLINGTON.—19th ultimo, on **three warrants** of commitment to Wellington Prison for (1) forty-eight hours, (2) three days, and (3) seven days in default of paying 13s., £1 3s., and £1 10s. respectively for drunkenness and two breaches of his prohibition order, **Daniel Doran**, age thirty-eight, height 5 ft. 9½ in., labourer and fireman, native of Ireland, medium build, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair, blue eyes, right leg shorter than left leg; talkative. There is also a distress warrant for £10 3s. fine and costs for obscene language to be executed upon his effects. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 320.)

TAKAKA.—18th March last, that a notice of fine and costs for £2 7s. for a breach of his prohibition order may be served upon him, **Henry Edgar Adamson**, age about forty-two, height 5 ft. 9 in., labourer and seaman, native of New Zealand, thin build, sallow complexion, fair hair, grey eyes; dressed in a dark suit and hard black hat; dirty appearance.

GREYMOUTH.—1st instant, on **warrant** for failing to provide for the future maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child, **James Allen**, age about thirty-one, height about 5 ft. 3 in., miner and labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair going bald, blue eyes; dressed in a dark suit and fawn soft-felt hat. Complainant, Ellen Tilley, domestic.

SYDENHAM.—30th ultimo, that she may be compelled to maintain her brother, an inmate of Christchurch Receiving Home, **May Elizabeth O'Connor**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 6 in., domestic, native of New Zealand, slight build, fair hair and complexion; usually dressed in a navy-blue or brown costume.

CHRISTCHURCH.—About 21st April last, on **warrant** for false pretences, **John Harper Page**, age about forty, height 5 ft. 8 in., traveller, medium build, pale complexion, brown hair turning grey, blue eyes; well dressed in a brown suit; good appearance. Accused obtained £2 10s. from William Joseph Wareham, licensee, Star Hotel, Addington, by means of a valueless cheque for that amount on the National Bank of New Zealand, Dunedin. (See *Police Gazette*, 1919, page 462.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—26th ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to maintain his illegitimate child, of whom Ida Kate Miles, domestic, 8 Aldred Street, is the mother, **Edward Stuart** (name probably fictitious), age about twenty-five, height about 5 ft. 6 in., native of New Zealand, slight build, fair complexion, fair hair turning grey, blue eyes, large nose.

CHRISTCHURCH.—23rd April last, on **warrant** for forgery and uttering, **W. Walker, alias Ernest James Taylor, alias Wilson**, age thirty-five, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh

complexion, dark-brown hair, grey eyes. Accused forged the signature "F. H. Beachmore" to a cheque for £85 10s. on the National Bank of New Zealand, Christchurch, and uttered it to Arthur Rose, licensee, Queen's Hotel, from whom he received £10 10s., stating he would return for the remainder. There are other charges pending. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 294.)

INVERCARGILL.—21st February last, on **warrant** for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for support of his illegitimate child, of whom Nellie Turnbull is the mother, **Joseph Prendeville**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 9 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, stout build, fair complexion, brown hair; usually well dressed; fond of drink and gambling. Arrears due, £24 1s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—23rd January last, on **warrant** for failing to maintain his illegitimate child, of whom Ivy Mary Kitto, Cashel Street, is the mother, **Albert Bartley**, age about twenty-three, height about 5 ft. 9 in., butcher, native of New Zealand, slight build, dark complexion, brown hair and eyes, clean-shaved.

APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**Samuel Beattie**, escaping from Inebriates' Home, has been arrested by the Onehunga police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 345.)

AUCKLAND.—**Charlie Allen, alias Andersen**, theft, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 331, and following paragraph.)

WELLINGTON.—**George Alison**, false pretences, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1919, page 632, and preceding and following paragraphs.)

WELLINGTON.—**Charles Bernard Allen, alias George Alison**, false pretences, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, pages 64 and 91, and preceding paragraph.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**Phillip Joseph Greene**, found on licensed premises during prohibited hours, has been located by the Wairoa police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 91.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**William Campbell**, illegally drinking liquor in a restaurant, has been served with a summons by the Putaruru police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 155.)

WELLINGTON.—**John Hammond**, absent from Expeditionary Force without leave, has been arrested by the Kaponga police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1919, page 540.)

WELLINGTON.—**Frederick Blackledge**, failing to maintain, has been served with a summons by the Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1919, page 57.)

WELLINGTON.—**Richmond Rhoda Pledger**, threatening behaviour, has been served with a summons by the Blenheim police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 156.)

WELLINGTON.—**J. Coombs**, theft, has been arrested by the Wellington police. His correct name is **Jesse James Coombs**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 332.)

SYDENHAM.—**William Farrar**, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested by the Cheviot police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 237.)

BINGSLAND.—**Arthur Rae**, breach of his prohibition order, has been arrested by the Bingsland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 282.)

TIMARU.—**George Frederick Keen**, default of maintenance, has paid the arrears due to the Pahiatua police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1920, page 239.)