

Goodman, damaging his teeth. He was convicted at Wellington on the 10th ultimo for theft (vide Police Gazette, 1922, page 468), but was not dealt with on above charge, the Wellington police not being then aware of the assault. The notice of arrest in Police Gazette, 1922, page 488, is therefore incorrect.

AUCKLAND.—8th instant, on warrant for abduction of a girl under sixteen, **Leonard William Prescott**, age about twenty-eight, height about 5 ft. 8 in., carpenter, sallow complexion, dark hair turning grey, grey eyes, sharp features; clean-shaved; teeth recently extracted; dressed in a dark-grey check suit and grey Stetson hat turned down all round, and fawn rainproof overcoat. Accused, who has a wife and four children, was employed as foreman carpenter by John Urquhart (father of the girl), builder, 40 Finch Street, Morningside, and on above date he took from her home without the consent of her parents with intent to carnally know her, Gladys Urquhart, an unmarried girl under the age of sixteen. They may endeavour to leave this Dominion. If located, care should be taken of the girl until she is returned to her parents. Description of Gladys Urquhart: Age fifteen years and three-quarters, height about 5 ft. 6 in., strong build, dark flesh complexion, dark hair which she wears up, round face; dressed in a white-silk blouse, dark-grey-flannel skirt, large black hat, black shoes and stockings, and nigger-brown overcoat; was carrying an embossed handbag with a kingfisher on outside, and wears a gold wristlet watch, with "Mother" on it. Inquiries are requested in Australian States.

THAMES.—8th instant, that proceedings for failing to notify his change of address may be instituted against him, **Alexander Rumba**, alias **Emuol**, alias **Karl Petersen**, age fifty-two, height 5 ft. 6 in., seaman, native of Norway, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, blue-grey eyes, large nose; usually dressed in a dark shabby suit and cap; scar on right eyebrow, mermaid and flowers on right forearm, "A.E." and anchor on back of left hand. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 297.)

HAWERA.—20th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to New Plymouth Prison for seven days in default of paying £1 10s. fine and costs for a breach of the by-laws, **Robert Leach**, age about twenty-five, height 5 ft. 4 in., taxi-driver, slight build, pale complexion, dark hair, brown eyes.

MARTINBOROUGH.—26th ultimo, that he may be interviewed regarding a motor-coat which he is said to have left at the house of David Alexander, Martinborough, and which he may have stolen, **Thomas O'Brien**, alias **John O'Brien**, age seventy-two, height 5 ft. 6½ in., labourer, native of England, fair complexion, grey hair, beard, and eyes; fond of drink. (See Police Gazette, 1918, page 282.)

WELLINGTON.—17th May last, on warrant for theft of £8 the property of J. W. Bowen, Marton, **Robert Abercrombie Brown**, age forty-three, height 5 ft 8½ in., clerk and canvasser, native of New Zealand, medium build, sallow complexion, grey hair, brown eyes. Accused, whose employment by the Standard Chemical Company, Wellington, had terminated, continued to canvass for the sale of patent W.C.'s. He received an order from complainant, and collected £8, which he converted to his own use. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 460, and Photographs, 1918, page 48.)

WELLINGTON.—24th June last, on warrant for false pretences, **R. Needom** (name probably fictitious), age thirty, height 5 ft. 4 in., engineer, native of New Zealand, stout build, dark complexion; well dressed in a dark suit (may be identical with **Charles Eric Spurgeon**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1917, page 702, and Photographs, 1918, page 20); and **F. Taylor** (name probably fictitious), age twenty-six, height 5 ft. 5 in., stable-boy, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair, round face; well dressed in a grey suit. Accused obtained £11 16s. from Adam James Monro, licensee, Barrett's Hotel, by means of a valueless cheque for that amount.

WELLINGTON.—5th instant, on warrant for failing to provide for the future maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child, **Emil Dean**, age about twenty-eight, height about 5 ft. 6 in., restaurant-keeper, supposed native of Italy; strong build, fair complexion, light-brown hair brushed back, blue or grey eyes, square cheek-bones; smart appearance. Complainant, Eileen Johnson Robertson, Waitara.

CHRISTCHURCH.—5th instant, on warrant for breaking and entering the dwelling of Mawson Stewart, 25 Burnside Road, with intent to commit a crime, **Ivan Major Martin Iling**, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 9 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, curly dark-brown hair, brown eyes; dressed in a black suit and light-fawn cap. He was discovered in the house and decamped leaving his bicycle behind. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 171, and Photographs, 1919, page 42.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—About 1st ultimo, on warrant for theft of £1 7s. 8d., the property of Frederick Ulrich, dairyman, Shirley, **George Walding**, age about thirty-six, height about 5 ft. 9 in., baker and labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, dark hair turning grey, blue eyes; dressed in a blue-serge suit, grey-felt hat and light-coloured overcoat with belt, and wears a gold watch-chain with a Masonic emblem attached; may have with him a soldier's kit-bag with "Corporal Walding" on it. Accused, who was driving complainant's milk-cart, received the above amount from Charles Burland and failed to account for it to his employer. There are other charges pending.

DUNEDIN.—5th January last, that he may be compelled to register in accordance with the provisions of the Registration of Aliens Act, 1917, **Michael Lewis**, age forty-five, height 5 ft. 4½ in., tailor, native of Russia.

APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**Ernest Gibbs**, missing, has been located by the Wellington police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 477.)

AUCKLAND.—**Rupert Victor Anderson**, alias **Perrett**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Te Awamutu and Kihikihiki police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 371.)

ONEHUNGA.—**Harry Colling Warrington**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount due to the Onehunga police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 420.)

TAUMARUNUI.—**William George Borgolite**, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Maungaturoto police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 460.)

RAETIHI.—**Frank Ginders**, alias **Briggs**, drunk and disorderly, &c.: It has been ascertained by the Raetihi police that he was killed in a motor accident near Taihape in December last. (See Police Gazette, 1920, page 124.)

WANGANUI.—**Edmund Enoch Talbot**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Wanganui police. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 322.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**Claude Milne**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Palmerston North police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 488.)

FOXTON.—**Robert Brown**, theft, has been arrested by the Featherston police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 360.)

MASTERTON.—**John Broadbent**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount due to the Havelock police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 228.)

WELLINGTON.—**James Houston**, alias **Charles Amos Houston**, alias **James Wilson**, theft, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 460.)

WELLINGTON.—**Arthur Wellesley Jones**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Takapuna police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 384.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Charles Hamilton Romer**, theft, has been arrested by the Rangiora police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 421.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Daisy Lochore**, idle and disorderly, has been arrested by the Rotorua police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 476.)

WAIMATE.—**George William Arbuckle**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Mount Cook police. (See Police Gazette, 1920, page 662.)