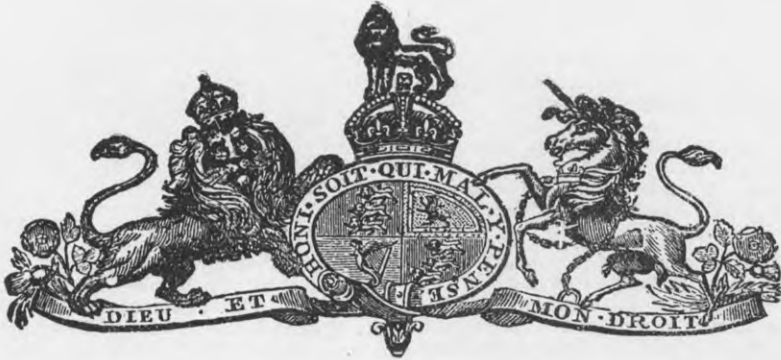


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# NEW ZEALAND POLICE GAZETTE.

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**N**OTICE.—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the *Police Gazette* see *Gazette* No. 1 of this year.

The arrest of offenders described in the *Police Gazette*, or respecting whom crime reports have been forwarded for insertion in the *Gazette*, should be promptly notified by the members of the Force effecting the arrest.

When notifying the arrest of persons charged with theft, or suspected of theft, it should be stated whether the property stolen, or any portion of it, has been recovered.

A description of property supposed to be stolen, found in the possession of offenders, for which owners cannot be found, shall be furnished for insertion in the *Gazette*.

All communications concerning this *Gazette* should be addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Wellington, and the envelope marked "For *Gazette*." Members of the Force in charge of out-stations will forward them *direct*.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

AUCKLAND.—On the 11th and 14th instant respectively the public schools at Newmarket and Epsom were partially destroyed by fire, and other similar outbreaks have recently occurred which indicate that the fires were wilfully caused. Any information regarding the matter is to be communicated to the Inspector of Police, Auckland.

*See 9/11/24*

## PERSONS WANTED.

AUCKLAND.—1st instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, **Robert Selbourne Rose**, age forty-two, height 5 ft. 9 in., clerk, native of New Zealand, slight build, parched sallow complexion, brown hair turning grey, grey eyes; usually dressed in a dark suit and cap; dissipated appearance. Arrears to 25th ultimo, £17 11s.

*arrested 5/12/23*

AUCKLAND.—8th ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his illegitimate child, **Charles O'Neill**, age about twenty-seven, height 6 ft., butcher and labourer, stout build, fair complexion and hair, blue eyes, straight nose, thick lower lip, round chin, clean-shaved; usually dressed in a black or brown suit and black-velour hat; quiet manner; smart appearance. Arrears to 5th ultimo, £43 15s. (See *Police Gazette*, 1923, page 3.)

TE AROHA.—10th June last, on warrant for false pretences, **A. Redmond**, age about twenty-seven, height about 6 ft. fresh tanned complexion, light-grey eyes, clean-shaved, mole on right cheek, artificial upper teeth, plate of which has been broken and repaired on left side; dressed in a light-brown suit and fawn-felt hat. Accused, who was staying at the Grand Hotel, Te Aroha, obtained £1 from John Ross Barclay, importer and agent, Wyndham Street, Auckland, who was staying at the same hotel, by falsely representing that he was a traveller for Moah and Co., jewellers, Auckland, which firm does not exist.

FIELDING.—8th ultimo, on warrant for false pretences, **Samuel Knight**, alias **George Wright**, alias **Hunt**, alias **T. H. Cameron**, age fifty-nine, height 5 ft. 9½ in., labourer, native of England, medium build, fresh complexion, black hair, grey eyes, black beard and moustache, freckled forearms, scar on left forearm and shin and on centre of back; dressed in a dark-grey shabby suit and felt hat. Accused obtained board, value 10s., and £4 10s. cash from John Prior, licensee, Manchester Hotel, by means of a valueless cheque for £5. (See *Police Gazette*, 1923, page 612, and Photographs, 1909, page 35.)

*arrested*

PALMERSTON NORTH.—15th ultimo, on two warrants of commitment to Wellington Prison for fourteen days on each in default of paying £5 (£2 10s. each) fines and costs for unlawfully delivering a firearm and failing to notify his change of address, **Benjamin O'Connell**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 6½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, strong build, fresh complexion, auburn hair, blue eyes, round shoulders; scar on right wrist and knee and above right knee. (See *Police Gazette*, 1923, page 631.)

*arrested 13/2/24*

**PALMERSTON NORTH.**—14th September last, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for fourteen days in default of paying £3 7s. medical expenses, &c., for drunkenness, **John Murphy**, age sixty-three, height 5 ft. 7½ in., cook, native of Australia, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair turning grey, blue eyes, scar on left side of head and on left forearm; roughly dressed. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 261.) *arrested 9/1/24*

**PALMERSTON NORTH.**—16th instant, that a summons for theft of £1, the property of Robert Cundy, Rongotea, may be served upon him, **Frederick William Bennett**, age about thirty-five, height 5 ft. 1½ in., labourer and cook, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, brown hair and eyes, clean-shaved, no upper teeth; dressed in a brown suit and fawn-felt hat; usually works about hotels. He may be identical with man of same name referred to in Police Gazette, 1922, page 338. *arrested 2/10/23*

**WELLINGTON.**—19th instant, on warrant of commitment to Napier Prison for one month in default of paying £33 11s. arrears due on a maintenance order for the support of his illegitimate child, of whom Edith May Pilcher is the mother, **Walter George Brown**, height 5 ft. 9 in., bootmaker, slight build, blue eyes, aquiline nose, clean-shaved. Arrears computed to 11th June, last. *cauld 12/3/24*

**WELLINGTON.**—19th instant, on warrant of commitment to Auckland Prison for one month in default of paying £179 7s. arrears due on a maintenance order for the support of his illegitimate child, of whom Emily Gertrude Jury, Upper Hutt, is the mother, **James Wilson Hagen**, age fifty-three, electrical engineer, native of Scotland, strong build, fair hair, blue eyes, scar on one wrist and elbow. Arrears computed to 22nd February last. *paid 9/1/24*

**WELLINGTON.**—16th instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Kathleen Lesley Gilchrist, 13 Riddlers Crescent, Petone, **John Gilchrist**, age thirty-eight, height 5 ft. 10 in., cabinetmaker, native of New Zealand, strong build, fair complexion, dark hair, dark-blue eyes, scar in centre of forehead, slightly stooped; usually dressed in a dark-grey suit; limbs slightly on left leg. Arrears to 12th instant, £19 12s. *arrested 19/12/23*

**WELLINGTON.**—6th instant, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Ethel Grace Blackman, 89 Main Road, Trentham, **William James Blackman**, age twenty-six, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of England, thin build, fair complexion and hair, blue eyes, slightly bow-legged, small scar on right cheek, left little finger bent; dressed in a greenish check suit; erect gait. *cancel 5/12/23*

**WELLINGTON.**—7th instant, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Rosina Moody, **Thomas Henry Moody**, age thirty-four, height 5 ft. 6 in., motor-driver and bricklayer's labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, light-brown hair, blue eyes, long nose; usually dressed in a black sac suit, black soft-felt hat, and red boots. He may be accompanied by his son, age ten. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 228, and Photographs, 1922, page 103.) *arrested 19.3.24*

**WELLINGTON.**—19th instant, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Rose Crawford, 47 Ghuznee Street, **Thomas Joseph Arthur Crawford**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 9 in., french-polisher, native of New Zealand, medium build, pale complexion, dark hair, blue eyes, scars on right knee and ankle. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 612, and Photographs, page 99.) *arrested 8/11/24*

**WELLINGTON.**—On or about the 24th August last, on warrant for false pretences, **George Prior Harris**, age sixty-two, height 5 ft. 5½ in., canvasser, native of England, stout build, florid complexion, grey hair going bald, blue eyes; shabbily dressed in a navy-blue suit and cap, and usually wears glasses; well spoken. Accused obtained 4s. from Esther Frances McConchie, 35 Rata Road, Hataitai, by falsely representing that he had authority from the City Council to affix numerals on houses. He failed to appear in answer to a summons. (See Police Gazette, 1920, page 567.) *arrested 5/12/23*

**WELLINGTON.**—**Charles Roxburgh**, alias **Vivian Lee Ronalshay**, alias **Charles Francis Gordon**, alias **Jordan**, alias **Ogsten**, alias **Charles James Gerard**, alias **Gerad**, alias **Lestrangle**, alias **Lestrang**, alias **De Beaumont**, false pretences,

&c.: It has been ascertained by the Wellington police that accused has been arrested by the Sydney (N.S.W.) police and remanded to appear at Melbourne (Victoria) on a charge of false pretences. Should he return to this Dominion his arrest is desired. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 210; and 1922, pages 28 and 325.)

**NELSON.**—8th ultimo, on warrant for forgery, **Alfred Foster**, age twenty-two, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer and driver, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, dark-brown hair, grey eyes, scar on left cheek; dressed in a dark-grey suit. Accused obtained a cheque from Barney McGonegal Blake, with whom he had been working at a sawmill, and forged the endorsement to the cheque. He may assume the names **Len Ward** or **Grooby**. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 514.) *see 16/1/24 arrested 25/1*

**GREYMOUTH.**—6th instant, on warrant of commitment to Greymouth Prison for one month in default of paying £83 arrears due on a maintenance order for the support of his two children, **Thomas Jeremiah Smith**, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 8½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair, blue eyes, scar on right cheek, ship on right forearm; hand, flowers, and bird on right cheek; three scars on left leg; usually dressed in a grey suit. Arrears computed to 27th July last. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 174.) *arrested 25/6/24*

**GREYMOUTH.**—18th September last, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his illegitimate child, **William Proctor**, alias **O'Rourke**, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 7 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair and eyes, long features, hollow cheeks; usually dressed in a brown or grey suit. Competes in flat races at sports meetings. Arrears to 18th September, last £24 10s. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 257.) *arrested 9/1/24*

**RANGIORA.**—28th May last, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Ellen Devlin, Cone Street, and five children, **John Francis Devlin**, age thirty-four, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion and hair, blue eyes, front teeth decayed and some missing; usually dressed in a blue-serge suit and light-felt hat, and works at flax-mills in the North Island; fond of drink. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 626.) *cancel 2/12/23*

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—2nd ultimo, for failing to comply with the conditions of his release upon probation, **Thomas George Lowe**, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 8 in., carter and labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair, blue eyes, large nose, scar on right cheek. He may assume the name **Thomas Cuttle**. His arrest is desired. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 625.) *arrested 20/7/24*

**DUNEDIN.**—8th instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Selina Duff, 5 Richardson Street, St. Kilda, **Albert Francis Cameron Duff**, age thirty-five, height about 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark tanned complexion, dark-brown hair, brown eyes, thin face, clean-shaved; usually dressed in a dark shabby suit and dark-tweed cap or felt hat; fond of drink. Arrears to 16th July last, £16. *arrested 5/12/23*

**INVERCARGILL.**—On or about the 27th ultimo, on warrant for breaking and entering the Carriers Arms Hotel and stealing therefrom a bottle of whisky and two bottles of beer, value 18s., the property of Christie Berryman, licensee, **Michael Neylon**, age thirty, height about 5 ft. 8 in., blacksmith, native of New Zealand, slight build, dark complexion, curly dark hair, dark-blue eyes, one thumb missing; usually dressed in a brown suit, dark-tweed overcoat, and black-felt hat; a pugilist. There is another charge pending. *arrested 7/5/24*

#### APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

**AUCKLAND.**—**Duncan Calderwood**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Mokau police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 597.)

**HAMILTON.**—**Hiram Nixon**, inquired for, has been located by the Auckland police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 336.)

**NAPIER.**—James Burnside, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Waipawa police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 566.)

**NAPIER.**—Carl Mafeking Hertz, default of fine and costs, has paid the amounts due to the Tolaga Bay police. He had assumed the name Dick Shaw. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 552.)

**ONGAONGA.**—Joseph Berjersen, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount due to the Martinborough police. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 360.)

**WANGANUI.**—Margaret Eliza Jane Millar, alias Davidson, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Wellington police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 611.)

**WANGANUI.**—Albert Edgar Stout, alias Alfred Brown, theft, has been arrested by the Marton police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, pages 611 and 637.)

**WELLINGTON.**—George Patrick Baskiville, default of maintenance: Warrant cancelled. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 494.)

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—Aubrey Whittington, alias Alberin Edwin Whittington, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Wellington police. He had assumed the name Harry Whittington. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 3.)

**WAITATI.**—George Proudfoot Sligo, escaping from mental hospital, has been discharged. No further action to be taken. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 510.)

**INVERCARGILL.**—Percy Alfred Gregory Sutton, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Fortrose and Tuatapere police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 483.)

## PROPERTY STOLEN.

**NEWTON.**—Between the 30th ultimo and the 12th instant the premises of LEES BROS., tailors, &c., 137 Karangahape Road, were broken into, and the following property stolen therefrom: A blue-serge tailor-made costume, sailor collar, mole-fur edging on collar and cuffs, plaited-braid cord belt, trimmed with military braid on front and back panels of coat, lined with black-and-white-check art-silk lining, "Lees Bros." on tag of coat; a pale-grey-gabardine coat frock with collar and vest, pale-grey jazz braiding on back and front of body and on collar, vest, sleeves, and round hem at bottom, "Lees Bros." on tag; A light-fawn-gabardine coat frock, trimmed with jazz braiding on back and front of body, sleeves, and round hem at bottom, "Lees Bros." on tag; a ladies' fawn-velour overcoat, heavy material, fur collar, Egyptian design stitching in darker shade from hips to bottom, "Lees Bros." on tag; and about 14 yards of navy-blue serge: total value, £40. Identifiable except serge.

**NEWTON.**—On the 13th or 14th ultimo the premises of K.K. FOOTWEAR COMPANY and OSWALD JAMES MALVERN, boot-dealers, &c., 49-51 Karangahape Road, were broken into, and the following property stolen therefrom: Three pairs of gentlemen's glace-kid Balmoral boots, sizes 6, 9, and 9½, "Argosy" stamped on them, left boots are marked L and two inverted Ts on soles; a pair of gentlemen's tan-willow-calf Derby boots, size 6, "Flexile" stamped on sole, left boot marked -U/7 on sole; a pair of gentlemen's brown Balmoral boots, "The Ritchie Shoe" stamped on sole, size 6, fancy punched toe-cap, left boot marked L inverted L and X; a pair of gentlemen's brown Balmoral boots, "The Ritchie Shoe" stamped on sole, size 9, left boot marked [-/X on sole; a tea-set, Gothic pattern, blue band with gilt edges and floral design, "Aynsley" and "2931" on most of the pieces; a pink-china rose-bowl, floral design, with gilt metal top, "Falcon" on it; and an English crystal cut-glass glass, 6 in. high: total value, £26 2s. 6d. Identifiable.

**QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).**—3rd ultimo, from a suit-case on the s.s. "Ulimaroa," the property of NORMAN FREEMAN PORTER, 3 Cooper Street, Grey Lynn, a No. 3A Eastman Kodak camera in leather case, which is badly burnt with sulphuric acid, used films in camera are of two battleships, two destroyers, a man on a wharf, and Sydney Heads; value, £7. Identifiable.

**AUCKLAND.**—On the 3rd instant the dwelling of WILLIAM CRUSH DALDY, clerk, 134 Grafton Road, was broken into, and the following property stolen therefrom: A telescope, 10 in., in three lengths, branded "Peacock, Optician"; a gentlemen's gold ring, set with a corneal, "W.C.D." in old English letters on it; a small gold-and-ivory pencil pendant; a rolled-gold curb bracelet; a Remington and a Waterman fountain pen; and 3s.: total value, £10. Mostly identifiable.

**AUCKLAND.**—Between the 5th ultimo and the 5th instant, from a yard at Halsey Street, the property of the NEW ZEALAND ACETYLENE AND HARDWARE COMPANY, 5,692 ft. of ½ in., ¾ in., 1 in., 1½ in., and 1½ in. galvanized piping: total value, £80. Not identifiable.

**AUCKLAND.**—On the 15th September last the dwelling of JOHN CHARLES MACE at 59 East Street was broken into, and the following stolen therefrom: Two gold wedding-rings, a black bracelet with a silver clasp, and a ladies' gold open-face watch; total value, about £4. Identification doubtful.

**PARNELL.**—DENIS O'LEARY'S field-glasses stolen: The suspect, William Thomas Jensen, has been interviewed by the Auckland police, but no evidence resulted. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 179.)

**WAHAI.**—4th instant, from the dwelling of Rev. GRAHAM BARNETT, Gilmour Street, a gold-mounted seal pendant, about ¾ in. square, set with a red corneal; a small silver sleeve-link, and a nickel-plated electric torch: total value, £4 12s. Pendant only identifiable.

**HAMILTON.**—15th or 16th instant, from an office in the Commercial Hotel, the property of JAMES MERVIN WALSH, traveller, a ladies' single-breasted dark-brown Nappa-leather overcoat, 40 in. long, detachable belt with bronze gun-metal buckle, 1½ in. black bone buttons, green-and-grey-check lining; value, £7 10s. Identifiable.

**HAMILTON.**—Between the 12th and 15th ultimo, while in transit between Matamata and Frankton Junction, the property of NORTON MAY AND CO., merchants, Frankton Junction, a sack containing thirteen calf-skins; value, £3 2s. Not identifiable. Suspicion is attached to — Wallace (name probably fictitious), age about twenty-five, height about 5 ft. 6 in., good build, swarthy complexion, heavy eyebrows; dressed in a dark suit and felt hat, and was in possession of a handbag and a bicycle with low handles. He is to be interviewed regarding his possession of thirteen skins which he sold to complainants on the 19th and 20th ultimo.

**WELLINGTON.**—Between the 13th and 16th instant, from clothing in the office of the National Hat-mills, Adelaide Road, the property of SAMUEL ERNEST LORD, hatter, 1 Lynn Road, a dark-brown leather wallet, with "S.E.L." on one corner, containing a certificate of appointment as postman in England, several letters relating to hat-making, five photographs of ladies, and £9 in notes; total value, about £10. Identifiable except money. Suspicion is attached to Frederick Harding, age twenty, height 5 ft. 5 in., hatter, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair, brown eyes. He has been interviewed, but no evidence resulted.

**WELLINGTON.**—16th instant, from the s.s. "Maori," the property of ALICE DANIEL, 60 Cook Street, Lyall Bay, a brown-leather suit-case, containing a black-silk blouse, a black jumper with scarlet beads, two gabardine skirts, a fuji-silk frock, a gingham, a small green bag containing handkerchiefs, a veil, stockings, men's socks, and other articles of ladies' clothing; total value, £21. Identifiable.

**WELLINGTON.**—During the night of the 15th instant, from the s.s. "Maori," the property of WILLIAM JOHN HAMP-TON, police constable, Sumner, a brown-leather suit-case, containing a 32-calibre 1903 model Colt revolver, No. 242304, and twelve rounds of ammunition; two striped shirts; collars; socks; and a Bengal razor, strop, and brush: total value, £7. Revolver and suit-case identifiable.

See 18-3-25.

**BLACKBALL.**—Between the 27th and 29th ultimo, from a hut, the property of **GEORGE TWEEDIE**, miner, a gentleman's silver hunting English lever watch, No. 656624, "D.T." on inside case; and a greenstone-and-gold oval-link watch-chain: value, £7 10s. Identifiable.

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—7th instant, from the Clarendon Hotel, the property of **ELIZABETH HAZLETT**, Filleul Street, Gladstone, Invercargill, a ladies' green-and-red Paisley hand-bag; a small crocodile-leather purse; a pair of screw-drop earrings, set with a diamond at screw and six diamonds in a cluster on drop; £6 10s. in notes; three sovereigns; and three half-sovereigns: total value, £34 2s. Identifiable except money.

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—24th September last, from Colombo Street, the property of **WALTER CLARENCE TOZER**, carpenter, 150 Selwyn Street, Sydenham, a gentlemen's black-enamelled B.S.A. bicycle, No. 3420, racing-handles, "V" on one handle near grip; value, £6. Identifiable.

**CHRISTCHURCH.** 22nd August last, the property of **EDGAR CHARLES SHELTON**, 44 Onslow Street, St. Albans, a 4 in. nickel-plated shell side-drum, in a light-brown leather case, top half of which is lined with tin; value, £12. Identifiable.

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—20th July last, from King George Hotel, the property of **EDWARD JAMES BECKER**, 136 May's Road, a gentlemen's black-enamelled free-wheel Butler bicycle, No. 161847, Mansfield saddle; value, £8. Identifiable.

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—19th July last, from outside St. Savior's Church, the property of **BEN MEAGHER**, 101 Huxley Street, a gentlemen's free-wheel B.S.A. bicycle, No. 25727; value, £5. Identifiable.

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—11th June last, from outside King George Hotel, the property of **CHARLES WINNINGTON RODGERS**, 22 Cavesham Street, a gentlemen's brown-enamelled B.S.A. bicycle, No. 567; value, £7 10s. Identifiable.

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—21st September last, from a motor-car in a yard in Durham Street, the property of **FREDERICK EDMOND JONES**, salesman, Lichfield Street, a large-size rug, made from tails of raccoon monkeys, with brown-cloth lining; value, £10. Identifiable.

**DUNEDIN.**—Between the 2nd and 4th instant, from a bedroom at the Oban Hotel, the property of **HENRY WILLIAMSON**, Harris Street, Waimate, a brown-composition suit-case, containing two striped brown-silk shirts, size 16; two white-silk shirts with black stripes, size 16; a dark-grey pin-head worsted suit, made by Loader and Willocks, Sydney, "H.W." on inside of breast-pockets; two horse-emasculators, single and triple crush, Hauseman and Dunn, makers; a black-leather hypodermic case, Parke, Davis, and Co., makers, containing twenty-four tubes of various drugs; a black Morocco-leather case of Professor Hobday's veterinary instruments; a pair of Zeiss prism binoculars, in a brown-leather case, size 12, No. 844, "H.W." on metal of each glass; a pair of molar-cutters and a pair of tooth-extractors, made by Hauseman and Dunn: total value, £84. Identifiable.

**SOUTH DUNEDIN.**—6th ultimo, from the shops of **GEORGE EDWIN CRAWLEY** and **NELLIE AMELIA TURNER**, a quantity of tobacco and cigarettes of various brands, and a quantity of chocolates and Vienna fruits; total value, £16 6s. Not identifiable. Suspicion is attached to a **Man** (name unknown), height about 6 ft., clean-shaved; dressed in a fawn overcoat and felt hat.

**GORE.**—Between May last and the 17th instant, from **MARGARET NOBLE'S** dwelling in Main South Road, a ladies' 18 ct. gold keyless hunting watch, No. 1685393, one hand missing; value, £16. Identifiable.

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### PROPERTY RECOVERED.

**AUCKLAND.**—**ROGER CORBAN'S** shop broken into: A portion of the stolen property has been recovered by the Auckland police, and **Arthur Hamilton**, alias **Sligo**, arrested for the offence. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 133.)

**PALMERSTON NORTH.**—**VICTOR CARMINE'S** fox-terrier has been found: not stolen. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 589.)

**WELLINGTON.**—**ELIZABETH JAMES'S** carpets stolen: **Joseph Alfred Peerless Young** and **Frank Walter Millar** have been arrested for the offence by the Wellington police and portion of the stolen property recovered. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 589.)

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—**FREDERICK PARCEL THOMAS'S** horse has been found: not stolen. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 456.)

**TIMARU.**—**WILLIAM COCHRANE BURNS'S** bicycle has been found by the Timaru police. (See Police Gazette, 1920, page 458.)

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### INQUIRIES, ETC., FROM OUTSIDE NEW ZEALAND.

**ULVERSTONE (TASMANIA).**—Inquiries are to be made for **Michael Ernest Bourke**, for the purpose of compelling him to maintain his child. Description: Labourer, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 10 in., fair complexion, light-brown hair, blue eyes, pointed nose, clean-shaved, clean natural teeth (one in the top jaw being gold-filled), round chin, native of Tasmania. (See Tasmanian Police Gazette, 1923, page 68.) (P. 23/1531.)

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### MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION.

#### Erratum.

#### POLICE EXAMINATIONS, 1923.

An asterisk (\*) was omitted from before the name of Constable **William Henry Simister**, No. 1875, who has completed the examination for the rank of sergeant (vide Police Gazette, 1923, page 650.)

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### EXTRACT FROM NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

#### Regulations controlling the Admission of Persons to Cattle Flat (Southland) and Wairau Valley Racecourses.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1923, pages 2884 and 2886.)

## RETURN OF PERSONS DEALT WITH AT SUPREME COURTS

(For Index, see General Index.)

Name of Offender.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Distinguishing Marks, &c.
Miini, Paul ..	Napier ..	13/11/23	forgery (2 charges); uttering; and obtaining credit by fraud	1 year's reformatory detention	N. Zealand	motor-driver	1896 5 11 $\frac{1}{2}$	ft. in. copper..	black	..	brown ..	broad ..	Scar on back of right hand, under left eye, and on right shin; small thin face.
Eddy, Edgar ..	Napier ..	13/11/23	forgery ..	.. fined £20	N. Zealand	salesman ..	1904 5 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	fresh ..	..	brown ..	..	medium ..	Small scar on back of right hand; full face.
Clapperton, Lena ..	Napier ..	13/11/23	theft from the person ..	1 year's reformatory detention	N. Zealand	domestic ..	1873 5 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	sallow ..	..	dark ..	..	pointed ..	8 p.c. Small scar on left cheek. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 315.)
Allerby, Frederick Walter ..	Palmerston N.	6/11/23	theft from the person	acquitted	N. Zealand	labourer ..	1878 5 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	fresh ..	..	brown, turning grey	..	medium ..	Wart on left ring-finger.
Borland, Arthur Reginald, alias Stewart, Walter, alias Grant, Arthur, alias Orbell, Jack, alias Montiflore, Michael	Palmerston N.	7/11/23	same false pretences (5 charges); attempted forgery and uttering	1 year	N. Zealand	hotel porter	1893 5 6	dark ..	..	black ..	..	medium ..	See Police Gazette, 1923, page 515, and Photographs, page 57.
Knight, Richard Benjamin ..	Palmerston N.	7/11/23	theft ..	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ years	England ..	labourer and stock-dealer	1873 5 8 $\frac{3}{4}$	fresh ..	..	dark brown	..	medium ..	Wart on back of left hand. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 567.)
Thompson, Hui Kai, alias Thomson, alias Hui Kai Rehu, alias Ryne, H., alias Bevan, Hui	Palmerston N.	7/11/23	forgery and uttering (3 charges); and false pretences (3 charges)	1 year	Maori ..	fireman and labourer	1891 5 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	dark ..	..	black, curly	..	broad ..	Heart, fern, clasped hands, EILEEN, and WINNIE on right forearm; H. K. REHU, 16/492, heart, and dagger on left forearm. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 664, and Photographs, page 16.)
Sloan, Robert Alexander ..	Palmerston N.	7/11/23	unlawfully selling stock comprised in an instrument of security	3 years' probation and to make restitution	N. Zealand	salesman ..	1889 5 7	fresh ..	..	brown, turning grey	..	medium ..	Tip of left middle finger missing.
Whittaker, Charles ..	Palmerston N.	7/11/23	unlawfully selling stock comprised in an instrument of security	2 years' probation and to make restitution	N. Zealand	labourer ..	1898 5 6	fresh ..	..	brown ..	..	medium ..	Right ring-finger broken; scars on upper arms.
Carpenter, Frederick ..	Wellington ..	22/9/23	breaking, entering, and theft	to come up if called on	N. Zealand	barman and porter	1896 5 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	sallow ..	..	black ..	..	hazel ..	large
Daly, William Alfred ..	Wellington ..	22/9/23	breaking, entering, and theft (2 charges)	1 year on each	N. Zealand	cook ..	1903 5 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	dark ..	..	dark ..	..	medium ..	Scar on back of right hand and at base of left thumb. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 268.)
Glover, John Knox ..	Wellington ..	22/9/23	theft of a postal packet	1 year's reformatory detention	N. Zealand	clerk ..	1902 5 9	fair ..	..	brown ..	..	medium ..	Wart over right temple. Cumulative with present sentence. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 386.)
Joyce, Frederick Henderson	Wellington ..	22/9/23	theft as a servant ..	2 years' reformatory detention	N. Zealand	clerk ..	1890 5 8	fair ..	..	fair ..	..	medium ..	Scar on left side of nose.
Moye, James ..	Wellington ..	22/9/23	breaking, entering, and theft	1 year	N. Zealand	labourer ..	1880 5 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	fair ..	..	fair, turning grey	..	straight ..	Scar over left eyebrow. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 309.)
Stevens, Arthur ..	Wellington ..	22/9/23	theft ..	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ years	N. Zealand	labourer ..	1884 5 7	fresh ..	..	fair ..	..	medium ..	ANNIE, FORGET ME NOT, ship, and light-house on right arm; KIA ORA on left arm. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 252.)

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Name of Offender.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Birth.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Distinguishing Marks, &c.
Watson, Arthur, alias Smith, Alfred Ernest	Wellington ..	22/9/23	forgery and uttering; and false pretences	1½ years each	N. Zealand	labourer	1893 5 7	ft. in. 5 7	ruddy ..	dark brown	blue ..	medium ..	Scar on right shin, on right wrist, and on left little finger. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 567, and Photographs, 1920, page 12.)
Moore, James ..	Wellington ..	29/9/23	theft ..	6 months	N. Zealand	labourer	1878 5 4	4	dark ..	dark, turning grey	hazel ..	medium ..	Scars on left middle finger, on left side of head, and on bridge of nose; mole on forehead. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 159.)
McNeill, Hugh Leonard ..	Wellington ..	29/9/23	theft of a postal packet	1 year's reformation	N. Zealand	clerk	1891 5 10	10	fresh ..	grey ..	brown ..	medium ..	Two scars on back.
Paget, Claude, alias Lester..	Wellington ..	29/9/23	breaking, entering, and theft (2 charges)	1 year on each	N. Zealand	carpenter	1880 5 3	3	fair ..	light brown	grey ..	straight ..	See Police Gazette, 1920, page 355.
Lewis, Marion Jean ..	Wellington ..	2/10/23	house-breaking (5 charges)	to come up if called on on each	N. Zealand	domestic	1900 5 1	1	pale ..	auburn ..	blue ..	medium ..	See Police Gazette, 1923, page 568.
Gill, Garth Roberts ..	Wellington ..	2/10/23	theft and forgery	2 years' probation and to make restitution	N. Zealand	clerk	1900 5 8	8	fresh ..	brown ..	brown ..	medium ..	Scars on right eyebrow and nose; left wrist broken.
Ranger, Roland John ..	Wellington ..	26/10/23	false pretences (2 charges)	6 months on each	N. Zealand	hawker and labourer	1888 5 6	6	fresh ..	black, turning grey	brown ..	large ..	Left eye missing. (See Police Gazette, 1913, page 785.)
Wesley, Francois William ..	Wellington ..	26/10/23	false pretences (3 charges); and forgery	6 months on each	Scotland ..	labourer and blacksmith	1878 5 3	3	fresh ..	fair ..	blue ..	medium ..	Clasped hands over flag on right arm; sailor on left arm; nose slightly turned to right side. (See Police Gazette, 1915, page 498.)
Hicks, Charles Robert ..	Wellington ..	26/10/23	false pretences (3 charges); and forgery	6 months on each	England ..	labourer	1865 5 10	10	fresh ..	grey ..	blue ..	medium ..	Eagle on right arm; Union Jack and clasped hands on left arm. (See Police Gazette, 1916, page 229.)
Watt, William Robert Hanvage	Wellington ..	26/10/23	indecent assault	2 years	N. Zealand	carter	1859 5 7	7	fair ..	fair ..	blue ..	medium ..	Scars on right foot; on right elbow, on left thumb, and on left fore and ring fingers; two growths on right arm; mole on right cheek; lame on right foot.
Morgan, John ..	Wellington ..	26/10/23	theft from a dwelling	6 months	N. Zealand	carpenter	1895 5 9	9	dark ..	dark brown	brown ..	long ..	Birth-mark on left arm; several moles on left cheek; mole on right cheek. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 61, and Photographs, page 68.)
Moore, Henry Royden, alias Davis, J.	Wellington ..	26/10/23	forgery and uttering (2 charges); and false pretences (2 charges)	2 years' reformation	N. Zealand	labourer	1898 5 9	9	fresh ..	light brown	brown ..	medium ..	Scar on right shin. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 273.)
Crawford, Leonard Norman	Wellington ..	26/10/23	theft ..	4 years' reformation	N. Zealand	labourer	1906 5 6½	6½	fair ..	light brown	brown ..	pug ..	Scar on right cheek; lips slightly. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 660.)
Holmes, Alfred Earle	Wellington ..	26/10/23	breaking, entering, and theft	2 years' reformation	N. Zealand	vulcanizer	1903 5 1½	1½	dark ..	dark ..	grey ..	medium ..	Scar on each side. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 521, and Photographs, page 92.)
Neill, John Craig ..	Wellington ..	27/10/23	theft as a servant	2 years' probation	N. Zealand	clerk	1897 6 0	0	pale ..	dark brown	hazel ..	long ..	Mole on each cheek and on neck.
Robinson, Edmund ..	Wellington ..	31/10/23	false pretences	acquitted	Ireland ..	carrier	1855 5 9	9	fresh ..	black, turning grey	hazel ..	long ..	Scar on right knee; butterfly on left arm.
Brown, James ..	Wellington ..	3/11/23	theft and receiving stolen property	6 months' reformation	Australia..	upholsterer..	1886 5 5½	5½	fresh ..	dark brown, going bald	brown ..	long ..	Birth-mark on chest; mole on left cheek.

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Bennett, Sydney Alfred, alias Lockwood, Sydney, alias Black, alias Wilson, Frederick	Wellington ..	3/11/23	theft	.. 2 years' reformatory detention	N. Zealand	cook and labourer	1900 5 6	5 6	sallow ..	brown	.. grey	.. medium ..	Scar on nose, on right fore, middle, and little fingers, and from right knee to ankle; portion of right ring-finger missing. (See Police Gazette, 1923, pages 414 and 497, and Photographs, page 44.) See Police Gazette, 1923, pages 274 and 497.
Miller, Francis Alexander, alias Miller, Frank	Wellington ..	3/11/23	theft	.. 2 years' reformatory detention	N. Zealand	labourer	1902 5 10	10	fresh ..	brown	.. blue	.. pointed ..	
Phillips, Charles Edward William	Wellington ..	3/11/23	bigamy	.. 1 year	England ..	labourer and seaman	1881 5 7½	7½	fresh ..	brown, going bald	.. grey	.. medium ..	Crossed flags and sailing-ship on left arm; ring on left middle finger.
Hodgins, Harry Patrick	Wellington ..	2/11/23	forgery and uttering (2 charges)	acquitted	N. Zealand	traveller	1885 5 9	9	fresh ..	fair	.. blue	.. medium ..	Mole on left cheek and at left corner of mouth; scars on back of neck.
Ayre, George	Wellington ..	6/11/23	theft as a servant	acquitted .. change of venue granted	N. Zealand	motor mechanic	1900 5 7½	7½	pale ..	dark brown	brown ..	.. medium ..	Scar on left side of forehead.
Knowles, Gerald Leonard	Wellington ..	9/11/23	forgery (2 charges) false pretences (5 charges)	.. 2 years .. 2 years	England ..	agent	1883 6 0	0	fair ..	brown	.. blue	.. sharp, pointed	Brown scar on right shin; slight impediment in speech; small dent in back of head.
Everitt, Arthur Alphonso, alias Silvester, Joseph	Wellington ..	9/11/23	forgery and uttering .. indecent assault on a male	.. 2 years .. 5 years	England ..	steward	1896 5 5½	5½	fresh ..	black	.. hazel	.. medium	
Scoon, Alfred John	Wellington ..	9/11/23	indecent assault .. theft	.. 1 year's reformatory detention	N. Zealand	clerk	1894 5 7½	7½	sallow ..	brown, going bald	.. grey	.. medium ..	Scar on right wrist.
Coull, Frank Victor Herbert	Wellington ..	10/8/23 13/8/23	forgery .. conspiracy to defraud..	.. jury disagreed .. jury disagreed	N. Zealand	clerk	1892 5 6	6	sallow ..	brown	.. hazel	.. large ..	Scar on nose; mole on left cheek. Change of venue granted, 2/11/23.

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Name of Offender.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Distinguishing Marks, &c.
Byrne, James ..	Auckland ..	9/11/23	obscene language	.. fined £2	.. Australia ..	.. glass-worker	1898 5 9	ft. in. 5 9	sallow ..	brown ..	brown ..	medium	
Donovan, Barney ..	Auckland ..	9/11/23	assault	.. to pay costs	.. N. Zealand	.. waterside-worker	1867 5 6	6	florid ..	brown, turning grey	brown ..	medium	
Williams, George Alexander	Auckland ..	10/11/23	assault	.. to pay costs	.. Tasmania ..	.. seaman	1884 5 8	8	fresh ..	dark brown	brown ..	medium	Woman's head on each shoulder; eagle on right hand; anchor at base of left thumb.
McGuinness, Arthur George	Auckland ..	10/11/23	assault	.. to pay costs	.. England ..	.. seaman	1874 5 10	10	dark ..	grey	hazel ..	medium	Clasped hands on left forearm.
Tierney, William ..	Auckland ..	10/11/23	obscene language	.. fined £5	.. Ireland ..	.. miner	1867 5 8	8	fresh ..	dark	blue ..	medium	See Police Gazette, 1919, page 508.
Fitzgerald, Aubrey ..	Auckland ..	9/11/23	obscene language	.. fined £2	.. N. Zealand	.. labourer	1888 5 8	8	fair ..	light brown	blue ..	medium	
Kydd, Robert ..	Auckland ..	12/11/23	theft	.. fined £5	.. N. Zealand	.. metal-polisher	1893 5 9	9	pale ..	brown	hazel ..	medium	
Delaney, John ..	Auckland ..	12/11/23	obscene language	.. fined £5	.. Ireland ..	.. seaman	1896 5 7	7	dark, tanned	dark brown	brown ..	medium	
McDowell, Daniel Charles	Auckland ..	12/11/23	theft (3 charges)	.. convicted and discharged	.. England ..	.. bootmaker	1876 5 4 1/2	4 1/2	fair ..	brown	hazel ..	small	Woman's bust on right forearm. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 7/11/23. (See Police Gazette, 1914, page 785, and Photographs, 1915, page 8.)
McInnarnay, William	Auckland ..	13/11/23	theft (4 charges)	.. 3 years' probation and to make restitution	.. N. Zealand	.. clerk	1907 5 6	6	sallow ..	brown	brown ..	medium	Scar on upper lip and on abdomen.
Saunders, Martin ..	Auckland ..	13/11/23	idle and disorderly (insufficient means)	.. to pay costs	.. West Indies	.. labourer	1855 5 3 3/4	3 3/4	black	black	brown ..	large	Scar on right wrist; right forefinger stiff; tip of one right finger missing. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 169.)
Dowell, Bartholomew James	Auckland ..	14/11/23	theft (8 charges)	.. convicted and discharged	.. N. Zealand	.. labourer	1903 5 7	7	fair ..	light brown	blue ..	large	Scar on right side of nose; writes with left hand. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 8/11/23.
Riel, Ethel Margreta	Auckland ..	14/11/23	theft (2 charges)	.. to come up if called on	.. England ..	.. domestic	1896 5 8	8	fresh ..	brown	grey ..	medium	Slight build. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 14/11/23.
Iverson, Edith Mary	Auckland ..	16/11/23	theft	.. convicted and discharged	.. N. Zealand	.. domestic	1863 5 2 1/2	2 1/2	fresh ..	brown	blue ..	medium	F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 15/11/23.
Stubbs, James ..	Auckland ..	16/11/23	indecent language	.. fined £2	.. Scotland ..	.. plumber	1878 5 7	7	sallow ..	light brown	brown ..	medium	
Wade, Henry ..	Te Aroha ..	14/11/23	threatening behaviour	.. fined £2	.. Maori	.. labourer	1878 5 11	11	brown ..	black	brown ..	large	
Te Mamari, alias Taupaki Punch	Te Aroha ..	14/11/23	threatening behaviour	.. fined £2	.. Maori	.. labourer	1895 5 9	9	brown ..	black	brown ..	flat	Stout build.
Williams, Evan Robert	Hamilton ..	5/11/23	breach of the peace	.. fined £1	.. Wales ..	.. dealer	1874 5 9	9	fresh ..	brown	blue ..	medium	Stout build; double chin.
White, Lionel Lawrence	Hamilton ..	5/11/23	breach of the peace	.. fined £1	.. N. Zealand	.. painter	1898 5 7	7	sallow ..	brown	grey ..	medium	
Watene, Leo ..	Hamilton ..	5/11/23	theft	.. 1 year's probation	.. Maori	.. labourer	1906 5 9	9	copper ..	black	brown ..	broad	



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Johansen, Oscar ..	Hamilton ..	5/11/23	mischief ..	to pay damage	Norway ..	motor-driver ..	1891	5 9	fair ..	fair ..	blue ..	medium ..	Ship, two flags, woman, and anchor on right forearm; two ballet-girls, two women, and wreath on left forearm; woman on right breast: 1.8.8.9 on right fingers.
Daly, Frank, alias Harrington Francis, alias Chapman, alias Beasley, alias Williams, alias Gresham Campbell, Patrick ..	Hamilton ..	8/11/23	indecent language ..	convicted and discharged	Australia ..	cook ..	1864	5 6	sallow ..	brown, going bald	grey ..	medium ..	Woman's bust on left forearm. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 129.)
Manning, George Emanuel ..	Hamilton ..	12/11/23	trespass on a racecourse	ined £10	N. Zealand ..	labourer ..	1874	5 2½	fresh ..	grey ..	thick ..	Five-pointed star on back of left hand; eagle, anchor, and P.C. on back of right hand; scar on left thigh. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 459.)	
Ryan, Arthur ..	Hamilton ..	12/11/23	trespass on a racecourse	ined 10s.	England ..	farmer ..	1872	5 6½	sallow ..	brown, bald	brown ..	long, broad	Round-shouldered; scar on left leg. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 431.)
Prince, Frederick ..	Hamilton ..	12/11/23	trespass on a racecourse	ined £5	N. Zealand ..	labourer ..	1902	5 6	sallow ..	brown ..	blue ..	broad ..	Scar at base of left forefinger. (See Police Gazette, 1919, page 545.)
Stevenson, Edward George ..	Hamilton ..	12/11/23	trespass on a racecourse	ined £5	N. Zealand ..	labourer ..	1900	5 9	fresh ..	brown ..	brown ..	large ..	Scar on inside of left thumb and on each wrist. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 332.)
Keith, Howard George Lovett	Hamilton ..	15/11/23	impersonating a police officer	ined 10s.	England ..	bootmaker ..	1897	5 6	dark ..	brown ..	brown ..	broken ..	Badge on right forearm. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 530.)
Terry, Alfred Albert ..	Hamilton ..	17/11/23	assault ..	to come up if called on and prohibited	N. Zealand ..	ironmonger ..	1887	5 9	fresh ..	brown ..	grey ..	medium ..	
Rata, George ..	Tauranga ..	13/11/23	theft ..	ined £2	Australia ..	jockey ..	1891	5 2	fresh ..	brown ..	hazel ..	broken	
Kirikan Hihi ..	Tauranga ..	13/11/23	theft ..	ined £2	Maori ..	farmer and interpreter ..	1894	5 7½	copper ..	black ..	brown ..	broad ..	2 p.c. Strong build.
Stanley, Frederick Hugh ..	Wairoa ..	13/11/23	theft (5 charges)	ined £2	Maori ..	labourer ..	1897	5 9½	copper ..	black ..	brown ..	medium ..	7 p.c. Scar on right upper arm and on left shin; burn-scar on left hip; two small scars on forehead; scar on left cheek and on right shoulder. (See Police Gazette, 1919, pages 343 and 613.)
Thomas, Daisy ..	Wairoa ..	13/11/23	theft	convicted and discharged on each	N. Zealand ..	labourer ..	1885	5 7	fresh ..	dark brown	grey ..	medium ..	Birth-mark in front of each ear; scars on back of neck; scar on right forearm; women, dagger, and SAILOR'S DREAM, &c., on left forearm; heart, cross, anchor, ship, and flags on right forearm. Sentenced to six months and one year's reformatory detention on another charge of theft.
Fong Ah ..	Napier ..	13/11/23	in possession of opium	to come up if called on	N. Zealand ..	domestic ..	1904	5 0	dark, freckled	black ..	brown ..	medium ..	Scar at base of left thumb; a quarter-caste Maori.
Coutts, Ernest Roy ..	Hawera ..	15/11/23	indecent language .. assault .. wilful damage ..	ined £30	China ..	laundryman ..	1869	5 2	sallow ..	black ..	brown ..	medium ..	3 p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 574.)
McMinn, Heber Alexander ..	Dannevirke ..	15/11/23	theft	ined £5 .. fined £5 .. fined 1s. and pay damage .. 1 year's probation	N. Zealand ..	law clerk ..	1897	5 10	fair ..	fair ..	blue ..	medium ..	Scar on left middle finger; two small pimples on left side of face.

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Neame, Joseph ..	Palmerston N.	17/11/23	theft ..	3 years' probation	N. Zealand	labourer	1907 5 3½	ft. in. 5 3½	dark ..	light brown	blue ..	medium ..	Scar on right middle finger and between right fore and middle fingers.
Knox, Harold Arthur John ..	Levin	15/11/23	assault and indecent language disturbing a congregation	2 years' probation fined £2	N. Zealand	labourer and bootmaker	1900 5 3	3	fresh ..	brown ..	grey ..	medium ..	Mole on right cheek. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 625.)
Ross, Andrew ..	Carterton ..	12/11/23	assault ..	fined £2	Scotland ..	labourer	1882 5 7	7	fresh ..	light brown	grey ..	medium	
Bagg, Robert Henry, alias Anderson	Carterton ..	17/11/23	obscene language ..	fined £1	England ..	fireman	1895 5 7	7	sallow ..	brown ..	grey ..	medium ..	Star on right forearm; flower and BOB on left forearm; scar at side of right eye.
Manning, Marie ..	Featherston	14/11/23	rogue and vagabond (illegally on premises) resisting police ..	to come up if convicted and discharged	N. Zealand	domestic	1888 5 3	3	pale ..	dark ..	grey ..	medium	
Singleton, George Ernest ..	Wellington ..	15/11/23	default of payment of moneys under maintenance order	2 years' probation	N. Zealand	labourer	1891 5 6	6	dark ..	black, turning grey	brown ..	large ..	Scar on back of neck. F.P. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 648.)
Naughton, Dominic Hugh ..	Wellington ..	16/11/23	attempted suicide ..	to come up if convicted	N. Zealand	clerk	1888 5 8½	8½	fresh ..	brown ..	blue ..	medium ..	Scar on upper lip and on throat. F.P.
Millar, Francis Walter ..	Wellington ..	16/11/23	theft ..	1½ years' probation	N. Zealand	driver	1889 5 7	7	sallow ..	dark ..	blue ..	large ..	Union Jack and woman's head on left forearm; LOVE at base of left thumb; crossed flags, sword, shield, and heart on right forearm; scar on lower lip. F.P.
Young, Joseph Alfred Peerless	Wellington ..	16/11/23	theft ..	1½ years' probation and to make restitution	England ..	labourer	1892 5 6½	6½	fresh ..	black ..	blue ..	large ..	Faint anchor, cross, and dot on left forearm; indistinct marks on right forearm. F.P.
Bowden, Lionel Terry ..	Wellington ..	16/11/23	theft ..	1 year's probation	N. Zealand	storeman	1907 5 5	5	fair, freckled	light brown	hazel ..	medium ..	Scar on left knee. F.P.
McCairns, George ..	Wellington ..	16/11/23	idle and disorderly (insufficient means)	to come up if called on	Scotland ..	miner	1895 5 4½	4½	fresh ..	brown ..	blue ..	pointed	
Warren, Charles ..	Blenheim ..	7/11/23	unlawfully using a horse and vehicle	fined £1	N. Zealand	ploughman	1883 6 0	0	ruddy ..	dark, turning grey	hazel ..	prominent	Stout build.
Blomquist, John ..	Greymouth ..	12/11/23	rogue and vagabond ..	convicted and discharged	Finland ..	labourer	1868 5 5½	5½	fresh ..	dark brown, turning grey	blue ..	large ..	Scar on right upper arm and on right thumb. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 507.)
Regan, George ..	Greymouth ..	12/11/23	rogue and vagabond ..	convicted and discharged	Ireland ..	carpenter	1858 5 6	6	sallow ..	grey ..	blue ..	medium ..	G.R. on left forearm.
Blake, Frank Ethelbert ..	Greymouth ..	12/11/23	obscene language ..	fined £1	N. Zealand	labourer	1873 5 6	6	fresh ..	brown ..	blue ..	large ..	Tip of left little finger missing.
Shannahan, Dennis ..	Greymouth ..	12/11/23	obscene language ..	fined £2	N. Zealand	farmer	1870 5 11	11	fresh ..	dark, turning grey	blue ..	medium ..	Strong build.
Dixon, Jonathan ..	Greymouth ..	12/11/23	obstructing police ..	fined £1	England ..	labourer	1875 5 10	10	fresh ..	fair, curly turning grey	hazel ..	medium	

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Hassall, James ..	Greymouth ..	12/11/23	keeping a gaming-house	ined £20	N. Zealand	bookmaker	1880 5 10½	ft. in. 5 10½	fresh	ginger	blue	medium	Left arm amputated. (See Police Gazette, 1915, page 781.)
Cain, John ..	Greymouth ..	12/11/23	assisting in conduct of gaming-house	ined £1	N. Zealand	billiard marker	1884 5 5½	5½	fresh	dark, curly	blue	medium	
Graham, John ..	Greymouth ..	12/11/23	found in a gaming-house	ined 5s.	Scotland	master mariner	1858 5 8	8	fresh	grey	blue	medium	Strong build.
Wilson, Joseph Alexander	Greymouth ..	17/11/23	false pretences	to come up if called on and to make restitution	England	cook	1886 5 6	6	fair	fair	grey	medium	Union Jack, ensign, sailor, and OUR JOE on left forearm.
Monteith, Barbara Jessie ..	Christchurch	14/11/23	theft	6 months' probation and to make restitution	N. Zealand	domestic	1906 5 4	4	fair	fair	grey	medium	
Home, James Earl ..	Christchurch	16/11/23	theft	1 year's probation and to make restitution	N. Zealand	draper	1898 5 6	6	fair	brown	blue	broad	Scar below left ear. F.P.
Southworth, William ..	Ashburton ..	16/11/23	failing to register a firearm	ined 5s. and firearm forfeited.	N. Zealand	labourer	1904 6 0½	0½	sallow	brown	brown, large	long	Long thin hands; slight build.
Thoreau, Horatio Hubert ..	Timaru ..	15/11/23	theft	to come up if called on and to make restitution	N. Zealand	labourer	1907 5 10	10	fresh	fair	brown	medium	F.P.
Hull, Francis ..	Alexandra ..	15/11/23	theft (3 charges)	admonished & to make restitution	N. Zealand	schoolboy	1911 5 0	0	fresh	brown	blue	medium	
Hull, Joseph ..	Alexandra ..	15/11/23	theft (2 charges)	admonished & to make restitution	N. Zealand	schoolboy	1913 4 10	10	fresh	brown	blue	medium	
Hewitt, Robert ..	Alexandra ..	15/11/23	theft (2 charges)	admonished & to make restitution	N. Zealand	schoolboy	1914 4 10	10	fair	fair	blue	medium	
Thomson, Robert ..	Alexandra ..	15/11/23	theft	admonished & to make restitution	N. Zealand	schoolboy	1913 4 10	10	dark	dark	grey	medium	
Jamie, John ..	Alexandra ..	15/11/23	theft (2 charges)	admonished & to make restitution	N. Zealand	schoolboy	1911 5 0	0	dark	dark	brown	medium	
Riach, Albert ..	Dunedin ..	12/11/23	obscene language	ined £6	N. Zealand	labourer	1901 5 11	11	dark	dark brown	blue	medium	
McKenzie, Jessie, alias Meecke, alias Good Asher, Albert ..	Dunedin ..	14/11/23	theft (2 charges)	to come up if called on	N. Zealand	domestic	1889 5 7	7	fresh	brown	blue	medium	Several p.c. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 469.)
Laidlaw, Russell ..	Lumsden ..	16/11/23	selling ammunition without license	ined £2	N. Zealand	storekeeper	1888 5 10	10	fresh	brown	brown	medium	
	Lumsden ..	16/11/23	in possession of unregistered firearm (2 charges)	convicted and discharged on each	N. Zealand	farmer	1889 5 7	7	fresh	brown	brown	medium	

## Return of Persons summarily convicted at Magistrates' Courts, but not sent to Gaol—continued.

Name of Offender.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Born.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	Distinguishing Marks, &c.
Hannam Hugh Eric	.. Riverton	.. 6/11/23	in possession of un-registered firearm	.. to pay costs	.. England	.. labourer	.. 1899	6 0	fresh	.. fair	.. blue	.. medium	.. Strong build.
Fairweather, Charles	Ran-	.. 14/11/23	in possession of un-registered firearm	.. convicted and discharged	.. N. Zealand	.. labourer	.. 1902	5 7½	ruddy	.. dark brown	.. hazel	.. pug	
some Morgan, Arthur Thomas	.. Invercargill	.. 14/11/23	indecent language	.. fined £2	.. N. Zealand	.. baker	.. 1895	5 9	sallow	.. dark	.. grey	.. medium	
			.. cruelty to a horse	.. fined £3	.. N. Zealand	.. baker	.. 1895	5 9	sallow	.. dark	.. grey	.. medium	

## RETURN OF PRISONERS REPORTED AS DISCHARGED FROM GAOLS DURING THE WEEK ENDING 17TH NOVEMBER, 1923.

Sex, and Name of Prisoner.	Where tried.	When.	Offence.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Height	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	When discharged.	Remarks, and Previous Convictions. (F.P. indicates that fingers-impressions have been taken.)
<b>Auckland</b> — Hinton, Lionel Ernest..	Auckland M.C.	15/9/23	theft	.. 2 months	.. N. Zealand	labourer	ft. in. 5 10	fresh	black	.. blue	.. medium	14/11/23	Strong build; birth-mark over left eye; square and cross on left upper arm; scar on left leg. Photographed at Auckland, 19/8/22. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 587.)
Penno, William Harold	Hamilton M.C.	29/9/23	default of maintenance	arrests or 1 month	N. Zealand	labourer	5 8½	fresh	light brown, going bald	blue	.. medium	14/11/23	St. George and dragon, butterfly, and W. on left forearm; woman, shield, ANZAC, and W.P. on right forearm. F.P. Arrested, 15/10/23. Photographed at Auckland, 2/2/21. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 607.)
Brown, Colin Campbell Clyde	Auckland M.C.	12/11/23	mischievous	.. fine or 24 hours	Australia..	fireman	5 3½	fresh	.. brown	.. brown	.. medium	14/11/23	Balding, flags, woman's head, and anchor on right forearm; anchor and star on left forearm.
Anderson, Leslie	Auckland M.C.	16/10/23	default of maintenance	arrests or 2 months	Australia..	horse-driver	5 11	fresh	.. brown	.. lt. blue	.. medium	14/11/23	Clasped hands, bird, two flags, and TRUE LOVE on left forearm; Australian coat-of-arms on right forearm. F.P. Arrests paid. Arrested, 13/11/23.
McQuoid, Claude	Auckland M.C.	16/10/23	unlawfully using motor-car	.. 1 month	.. N. Zealand	taxi-driver	5 5½	fresh	.. brown	.. blue	.. large	15/11/23	Scar on tip of right forefinger at Auckland, cheek. F.P. Photographed at Auckland, 16/7/21. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 487.)
Cowan, George	Whangarei M.C.	16/10/23	threatening behaviour..	.. fine or 1 month	England..	bricklayer	5 11½	fresh	.. grey	.. grey	.. broad	15/11/23	Scar on nose; woman on left arm; Crucifix on right arm. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 630.)
Milsom, William Charles	Auckland M.C.	10/11/23	assault	.. fine or 7 days	England..	seaman	5 7½	fresh	.. brown, going bald	blue	.. large	16/11/23	British coat-of-arms on chest; tiger on right upper arm; elephant on left upper arm; forearms profusely tattooed.
Dickman, Henry James	Auckland M.C.	18/8/23	theft	.. 3 months	.. N. Zealand	labourer	5 1½	sallow	.. brown	.. hazel	.. small	17/11/23	Two scars on left forefinger; scar on left instep. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 633, and Photographs, page 101.)
Rigg, John Robert	Auckland M.C.	12/11/23	theft	.. 7 days	.. Australia..	traveller	5 7	fresh	.. brown	.. grey	.. thick, broken	17/11/23	Small scar on temple; scar on tip of right middle finger. F.P.
<b>Waikato</b> — Hagen, Francis, alias Hagin	Auckland S.C.	14/11/21	theft	.. 2 years' reformation	N. Zealand	blacksmith	5 9	fresh	.. light brown	grey	.. large	13/11/23	29 p.c. F.P. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 14, and Photographs, page 9.)
Marryatt, Arthur	Wellington S.C.	27/5/21	theft	.. 3 years' reformation	N. Zealand	accountant	5 9	fresh	.. brown, turning grey	.. turn-grey	.. medium	15/11/23	F.P. Released on license. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 403, and Photographs, page 69.)
Spurgeon, Charles Eric	Gisborne S.C.	12/9/22	theft, forgery and uttering, and false pretences	.. 1½ years	.. England..	electrical engineer	5 4	dark	.. brown	.. brown	.. medium	15/11/23	Scroll and MURIEL on right forearm. F.P. Released on license. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 583, and Photographs, page 116.)
Willoughby, James Joseph, alias Wilson	Wellington S.C.	1/8/22	theft	.. 2 years' reformation	Australia..	labourer	5 7	dark	.. black, curly	dark	.. medium	16/11/23	Left little finger has been broken; scar on left shin and on left thigh. F.P. Released on license. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 542, and Photographs, 1923, page 32.)
Lacey, Victor Rupert, alias Delacey, Victor Charles, alias Preston, Charles Lewis	Auckland S.C.	14/6/22	false pretences	.. 2 years' reformation	N. Zealand	traveller	5 11½	fair	.. fair	.. grey	.. medium	16/11/23	Strong build; thistle, rose, and shamrock on left forearm; Union Jack and Stars and Stripes on right forearm; two scars on back of left hand. F.P. Released on license. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 426, and Photographs, page 81.)

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Geol. and Name of Prisoner.	Where tried.	When.	Offences.	Sentence.	Native of	Trade.	Age.	Height.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.	Nose.	When discharged.	Remarks, and Previous Convictions. (F.P. indicates that finger-impressions have been taken.)
<b>Waikeria—</b> Riddell, John Andrew, alias Guest, L., alias Storey, Cyril	Auckland S.O.	31/5/23	forgery and uttering (3 charges)	2 years' refor- mative de- tention	N. Zealand	motor- salesman	1898 5 8	ft. in. 5 8	fresh	light brown	blue	medium	16/11/23	F.P. Released on license. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 429, and Photographs, 1921, page 42.)
		14/6/22	false pretences (3 charges); and forgery (3 charges)	2 years' refor- mative de- tention										
Blythe, Reynolds, alias Perrin, John Burnett	Auckland S.O.	26/8/21	attempted breaking and entering with intent to commit a crime; breaking, entering, and theft	3 years' refor- mative de- tention	N. Zealand	clerk	1894 5 7	7	dark	dark brown	blue	medium	16/11/23	F.P. Released on license (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 599, and Photographs, page 100.)
<b>Hautu—</b> Shirley, Cyril Edwin	Dunedin S.O.	13/2/23	theft	1 year's refor- mative de- tention	N. Zealand	labourer	1899 5 8½	8½	fresh	fair	grey	medium	16/11/23	1 p.c. Two scars on back; scar on right groin. Released on license. F.P. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 157.)
<b>New Plymouth—</b> Dines, George..	N. Plymouth S.O.	14/8/23	bigamy false declaration under Births and Deaths Registration Act (5 charges)	3 months 1 month on each	England	labourer	1891 5 9	9	fair	brown	blue	medium	13/11/23	Scar on left shoulder. F.P. Photographed at New Plymouth, 1/10/23.
Miles, James, alias Mills, James	N. Plymouth S.O.	15/5/23	wilful damage	6 months' refor- mative de- tention	England	seaman	1877 5 5½	5½	fresh	brown	blue-grey	broken	14/11/23	1 p.c. Shamrocks, snake, rat, woman, two birds, sailor, and butterfly on right arm; snake, three women, and clasped hands, &c., on left arm; scar on forehead; two scars on right foot; three scars on left foot; walks lame. F.P. Photographed at New Plymouth, 1/10/23. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 111.)
Hawkins, Minnie Johanna	Hawera M.O.	27/9/23	default of maintenance	arrear or 21 days	N. Zealand	domestic	1881 5 2	2	fresh	dark brown	brown	medium	14/11/23	Stout build; mole on left cheek. Arrested, 25/10/23.
<b>Napier—</b> Lloyd, Joseph..	Wairoa M.O.	17/8/23	idle and disorderly (beg- ging)	3 months	N. Zealand	labourer and shearer	1870 5 4	4	pale	black	hazel	pug	16/11/23	Scars on right middle finger, on tip of each forefinger, and above left eye; mark on left cheek. F.P.
<b>Wanganui—</b> Keane, Daniel Kane, alias Keen	Wellington M.C.	19/5/23	incorrigible rogue	6 months	Australia	labourer	1883 5 6½	6½	florid	red	blue	broken	17/11/23	50 p.c. Right ring-finger bent; scar over right eye and on nose. F.P. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 265.)
Nelson, Alexander Hugh	Feilding M.C. Wanganui M.C.	17/10/23 5/11/23	theft theft	21 days 14 days	Australia	labourer	1890 5 8½	8½	pale	light brown	blue	pointed	17/11/23	Mole on back of neck. F.P.
Cartwright, Ernest	Auckland M.C.	17/10/23	default of maintenance	14 days	N. Zealand	bootmaker	1876 5 10	10	dark	grey	lt. blue	long	13/11/23	1 p.c. Left foot deformed; scar at base of each thumb; strong build; impediment in speech. Arrested, 31/10/23 (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 207.)
<b>Wai Tako—</b> Halligan, Francis, alias Halligan, Frank	Christchurch M.C.	12/12/22	rogue and vagabond (il- legally on premises)	1 year	N. Zealand	labourer	1898 5 9	9	fresh	brown	blue	large	16/11/23	3 p.c. Scar on chin. F.P. Discharged on remission. Photographed at Christchurch, 12/12/22. (See Police Gazette, 1913, page 417.)



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<b>Paparuā—continued.</b> Gwynne, John Thomas..	Invercargill S.C.	22/5/23	supplying instrument to procure miscarriage	6 months	N. Zealand	hotelkeeper	1885	5 2	fresh	black, turning grey	grey	medium	17/11/23	Scar on right side of neck and on tip of right forefinger. F.P. Discharged on remission. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 370.)
<b>Dunedin—</b> Bell, Albert Joseph ..	Roxburgh M.C.	16/10/23	idle and disorderly	1 month	N. Zealand	labourer	1882	5 7½	fresh	brown	hazel	medium	15/11/23	Scars on neck. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 510.)
<b>Invercargill—</b> Bird, George William ..	Auckland S.C.	19/11/21	breaking and entering	3 years' reformatory	N. Zealand	blacksmith	1895	5 7½	fair	fair, curly	blue	medium	15/11/23	F.P. Released on license. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 749, and Photographs, 1919, page 47.)
Wiremu Tomuri ..	Kaikōhe M.C.	14/12/22	false pretences	1 year's reformatory	Maori	labourer	1904	5 7½	copper	black	brown	flat	15/11/23	Scar below each knee. F.P. Discharged on remission. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 12, and Photographs, page 30.)
Butcher, Robert Hector	Christchurch S.C.	1/2/22	forgery (6 charges)	2 years' reformatory	N. Zealand	labourer	1900	5 5	fresh	dark brown	grey	medium	17/11/23	Small scar on right thumb. F.P. Discharged on remission. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 215, and Photographs, page 40.)
Bare, Robert Flamwell	Wellington M.C.	26/6/22	theft	2 years' reformatory	N. Zealand	labourer	1905	5 5	pale	brown	hazel	broad	17/11/23	Scar on right side of nose and on tip of right forefinger. F.P. Released on license. Photographed at Invercargill, 15/7/22.
Clark, Philip John ..	Invercargill M.C.	31/10/23	default of security	security or 6 months	N. Zealand	labourer	1901	5 11	dark	brown, curly	brown	medium	17/11/23	Security found. Arrested, 10/11/23.

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