AUCKLAND.—17th instant, for breaking and entering the shop of William McKinney, chemist, New North Road, Mount Albert, with intent to commit a crime, **Two Men** (names unknown)—(1) age about twenty-three, height about 5 ft. 7 in.; wearing light-grey close-fitting overcoat with belt and a felt hat: and (2) age about twenty-three, height about 5 ft. 5 in.; dressed in a brown suit. They were seen in the shop, and left in a grey Ford motor-car. **No warrant.**

MOUNT EDEN SOUTH.—11th May last, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of her daughter in Auckland Receiving Home, Muriel Schutt, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 4 in., domestic, native of New Zealand, thin build, dark complexion, hair, and eyes, prominent teeth; usually wears a dark dress and overcoat; a quarter-caste Maori. Arrears to 16th February last, £25 17s. 6d.

Hamilton.—11th February last, on warrant for false pretences, Francis Williams, alias Fred Williams, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 4½ in., contractor, native of New Zealand, slight build, fresh complexion, fair hair, grey eyes. Accused obtained £2 13s. from Eric Innes-Jones, service-car proprietor, Bettina Road, Claudelands, by falsely representing that he had entered into a contract to asphalt paths at Hamilton East, and that he wanted to go to Auckland to get his tools from the Official Assignee. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 601, and Photographs, page 108.)

Tauranga.—29th ultimo, that a summons for failing to register under the Defence Act may be served upon him, William Airlie, age twenty-three, height 5 ft. 2½ in., labourer, native of Scotland, strong build, fresh complexion, fair hair, blue eyes, dot between right thumb and forefinger; usually dressed in a dark or grey suit and soft-felt hat. (See Police Gazette, 1925, page 685.)

RUATORIA.—17th instant, that he may be warned to comply with the conditions of his release upon probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **John Gaunt**, alias **Langley**, alias "**Yorky**," age fifty-four, height 5 ft. $10\frac{1}{2}$ in., labourer and wool-classer, native of England, sallow complexion, darkbrown hair and moustache, brown eyes, two moles on left cheek, scar on left jaw and on right middle finger. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 96, and Photographs, 1912, page 38.)

Hastings.—14th instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Gertrude Isabel Singleton, George Ernest Singleton, age about forty-five, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer, medium build, brown complexion, grey hair, brown eyes, clean-shaved, scar on back of neck. Arrears to 19th December last, £278.

Wanganui.—12th instant, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Mona May Somers, 113 Bell Street, and two children, Walter Somers, age twenty-six, height about 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, good build, sallow complexion, black hair turning grey, grey eyes; dressed in a navy-blue suit and light-felt hat; frequents billiard-saloons; fond of drink and horse-racing.

WANGANUI.—11th ultimo, that he may be interviewed regarding his obtaining money from Mary Kate Stuthridge, 37 Hatrick Street, and others by representing that he was travelling for a Nelson fruit firm, which he stated delivered apples at 7s. 6d. per case, William Moy or Moir, age forty, height about 5 ft. 5 in., stout build, florid complexion, dark hair with white patch at back of head, flat large red nose, full face; dressed in a navy-blue suit and tan boots. No apples have been delivered, and he may be obtaining money by false pretences.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—17th instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his two children in a receiving home, Ernest William Baker, alias Len Hamilton, age thirty-eight, height of ft. I in., labourer and slaughterman, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark complexion, black hair, brown eyes, dark moustache. Arrears to 13th instant, £26 4s. 3d. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 52.)

Wellington.—16th instant, for failing to comply with the conditions of his release upon probationary license, William James Moore, alias William John Frederick Moore, age forty, height 5 ft. 6\frac{3}{2} in., butcher, native of New Zealand, dark complexion, black hair, dark-grey eyes, scar on right elbow, three dots on left forearm, ring on left ring-finger. His license has been cancelled, and his return to the nearest prison is desired. His period of probation expires on the 24th November, 1926, after which no action is to be taken. (See Police Gazette, 1925, page 722, and Photographs, 1922, page 60.) (P. 26/972.)

Wellington.—24th December, 1925, for theft of a £5 note, the property of Francis James Knox, linotype operator, 130 Abel Smith Street, Percy Alexander Bellve, age twentysix, height 5 ft. 11 in., painter and labourer, native of New Zealand, thin build, sallow complexion, dark hair, prominent nose; dressed in grey woollen trousers, black coat, and fawn cap (no vest); slightly round-shouldered; a quarter-caste Maori. Accused, who boarded at the above address, is suspected of having stolen the money from a wallet in complainant's portmanteau. No warrant.

Wellington.—5th instant, for escaping from Porirua Mental Hospital, Alexander Anderson, age fifty-five (looks younger), height 5 ft. 5 in., fresh complexion, light-grey hair; dressed in a dark-mole suit, red handkerchief round neck, tweed hat, and blucher boots. He was committed from Hawera on the 9th ultimo.

Wellington.—23rd instant, for escaping from the Terrace Prison, Wellington, Jimmy Woereta, alias Wereta, alias John Joseph Hansen, age twenty-four, hright 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, Maori, strong build, copper complexion, black hair, brown eyes; dressed in brown-moleskin trousers and heavy black boots. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 502.)

Gore.—19th instant, on warrant of commitment to Invercargill Prison for three days in default of paying £1 3s. fine and costs for failing to notify his change of address under the Defence Act, John O'Keefe, age about eighteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, sallow complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes; usually dressed in a dark suit and grey cap; slightly stooped.

Invercareill.—19th instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Isabel Patricia Perrow, and child, 7 William Street, Alfred William Perrow, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 8 in., traveller, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark complexion and hair, blue eyes, broken nose, clean-shaved; usually dressed in a blue suit, light-felt hat, and brown shoes. Arrears to 7th May last, £68 18s. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 240.)

APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

Whangarel.—William Bryant, obtaining credit by fraud, has been arrested by the Kawakawa police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 355.)

-AUCKLAND.—John R. McKinley, false pretences, has been arrested by the Hamilton police. His correct name is John Irwin McKinley. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 439.)

AUCKLAND.—James Wilson Murphy, default of costs, has paid the amount to the Taihape police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 372.)

AUCKLAND.—Ivy Hazel Kite, alias Wolf, alias Maloney, suspected of theft, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 458.)

Auckland.—A. Buckley, false pretences, has been arrested by the Auckland police. He is identical with William John Reader, alias Kenneth James Reader, referred to in Police Gazette, 1922, page 399. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 403.)

AUCKLAND.—Duncan Johnstone, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Wellington police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 344.)

ROTORUA.—Harry Godfrey French, false pretences, has been arrested by the Morrinsville police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 388.)

Napier.—William Edward Brice, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Kingsland police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 423.)

WAVERLEY.—George Lancelly, absconding from licensed service, has been arrested by the Wanganui police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 459.)

Wanganui.—William Robert Hall, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Wanganui police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 456.)

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