

AUCKLAND.—**Charles Henry Fyfe**, alias **Charles Marshall Fyfe**, escaping from inebriates institution: It has been ascertained by the Auckland police that he was before the Court at North Sydney (Australia) on the 18th June last on a charge of vagrancy, and was discharged on the understanding that he would find work or return to New Zealand. He had assumed the name **Charles John Sinclair**. (See Police Gazette, 1925, page 150.)

AUCKLAND.—19th ultimo, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, **Annie Kate Morrison**, 1 Bright Street, Eden Terrace, **George Francis Morrison**, alias **James Francis Morrison**, alias **George Charles Morrison**, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 10½ in., labourer and steward, native of England, medium build, dark complexion and hair, hazel grey eyes, tattoo-marks on one arm; usually dressed in a navy-blue suit. He recently broke a wrist which is nearly healed. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 333, and Photographs, 1919, page 60.)

AUCKLAND.—31st May last, for theft of £7, the property of **Marion Smyth**, domestic, 18 Logan Terrace, Parnell, **Man** (name unknown), age about twenty-two, height about 5 ft. 9 in., slight build, ruddy complexion, fair hair, large nose, receding chin; dressed in a dark-grey suit and light socks. Complainant lost seven £1 notes in a tram-car, and accused, who saw them being subsequently picked up by **Hazel Hallett**, claimed them. **No warrant.**

AUCKLAND.—26th ultimo, that he may be located and the Defence Department notified of his address, **Arthur Lawford**, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of England, medium build, fair complexion, brown hair and eyes.

OHAKUNE.—5th ultimo, on two warrants of commitment to Wanganui Prison for seven days on each in default of paying £9 19s. 2d. (£7 7s. 2d. and £2 12s.) fines and costs for breaches of the Railway By-laws, **George Carian**, alias **Jim Carroll**, age about thirty-three, height 5 ft. 5 in., show-man, good build, ruddy complexion, curly dark hair, blue eyes; dressed in a dark suit. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 389.)

TAUMARUNUI.—3rd January last, that a summons for travelling on the train between Taihape and Taumarunui without paying his fare may be served upon him, **M. J. McGrath**, age twenty-six, height 5 ft. 6 in., butcher and labourer, native of New Zealand, thin build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, blue eyes; untidy appearance; fond of drink.

TAIHAPE.—4th ultimo, on warrant for theft of a suit-case containing a dark-grey suit, made by "Ginders, Taumarunui," small darn on one thigh of trousers; a light-brown one-piece serge dress, breast and panels faced with yellow, blue, black, and green material; a navy-blue coat-and-skirt costume, three-quarter-length coat, "Little Dundee" on tab; six table-forks; six stainless dinner-knives; two 12 in. gramophone-records ("Angels Guard Me" and "Ave Maria"); two pairs of gentlemen's red house-shoes, size 7; two pairs of ladies' red house-shoes; a gold bar brooch with stone in centre, chain and pin attached; a razor-strop; a blue-striped pyjama suit; and a white nightdress—total value £35 6s. 6d., identifiable, the property of **Elizabeth Kerr**, Hukapapa, Oio. — **Woods**, age about twenty-eight, height about 5 ft. 8 in., labourer and jockey, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark complexion, brown hair; dressed in a dark-tweed overcoat and felt hat. Accused, who represented himself to be a taxi-driver, assisted Mr. and Mrs. Kerr to put their luggage in the parcels-office at the railway-station. Unknown to complainant he retained the ticket for the suitcase, and subsequently presented it at the parcels-office and was given the case. He was accompanied by **Colin Edwards**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1926, page 452.

PAHIATUA.—16th ultimo, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, **Florence Cairns**, Makuri, **Arthur Norman Lionel Cairns**, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer and station hand, native of New Zealand, good build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, blue eyes; usually dressed in a grey suit, soft collar, bow tie, and felt hat or cap (wears hat or cap on one side of head); bends one knee forward when conversing.

PAHIATUA.—26th July last, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for one month in default of paying £11 12s. 9d. fine and costs for driving a motor-car in a dangerous manner, **Richard Jones**, alias **Preston**, age forty-seven, height 5 ft. 7½ in., labourer and traveller, native of England, medium build, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair, hazel eyes; frequents race meetings. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 457.)

WELLINGTON.—2nd ultimo, on warrant for theft of a gentlemen's bicycle (recovered), value £3 17s. 6d., the property of **Francis Holmes (Limited)**, Dominion Farmers' Institute, **J. Rhodes** (name probably fictitious), age about thirty-five, height 5 ft. 7 in., freezing-works butcher, slight build, fresh complexion, clean-shaved, thin face, peculiar protruding eyes; dressed in a dark-brown suit and brown-felt hat. The description given is that of the man who sold the bicycle at **R. A. Wilson's** auction-rooms.

WELLINGTON.—**John Fissenden**, failing to maintain: It has been ascertained by the Wharf (Wellington) police that he left for Sydney (Australia) by the s.s. "Maunganui" on the 14th May last. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 534.)

WELLINGTON.—21st ultimo, on warrant for deserting from the s.s. "Maimoa," **J. Deganan**, greaser. A reward of £2 is offered for his arrest.

WELLINGTON.—26th ultimo, that she may be interviewed regarding the maintenance of her illegitimate child in the care of the Education Department, **Mary Tait Fowler**, age about twenty-two, height 5 ft. 5 in., domestic, native of Scotland, good build, fair complexion and hair, round face.

WELLINGTON.—21st June last, that she may be located in order to ascertain the conditions under which her daughter, age four years, is living, **Esther Gribble**, age forty-four, height 5 ft. 7 in., native of New Zealand, stout build, light-brown shingled hair, blue-grey eyes; usually dressed in a three-quarter-length brown overcoat, straw hat, and brown shoes; fond of drink. On the 24th April last the child above referred to was before the Court under section 13 of the Child Welfare Act, 1925, and the proceedings were adjourned on condition that her mother placed her in the care of an aunt at Master-ton, which has not been done.

WELLINGTON.—20th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for ten days in default of paying £5 13s. fine and costs for using a motor-lorry without having obtained a heavy-traffic license, **Reg Miles**, age twenty, height about 5 ft. 5 in., hawker, stout build, broad nose, round face; shabbily dressed; wears pull-over jersey, soft hat turned down in front, and belt (no braces); stutters.

WELLINGTON.—19th ultimo, for failing to comply with the terms of his release on probationary license, **James Henry Sargent**, alias **James Geoffrey Graham**, alias **Watters**, age thirty-eight, height 5 ft. 8½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, fair complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, large nose, artificial teeth, several scars on neck, scar at corner of right eye. His license has been cancelled, and his return to the nearest prison is desired. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 145, and Photographs, 1920, page 37.) (P. 26/1188.)

DARFIELD.—23rd ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his sister, **Mary Ann Tomlins**, in the Christchurch Receiving Home, **Richard Tomlins**, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 3 in., stableman, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, light-brown hair; usually dressed in light trousers, dark coat, and felt hat. Arrears to 2nd ultimo, £4 5s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—5th ultimo, for failing to comply with the conditions of his release upon probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **William Watson Glass**, alias **William Watson**, age thirty-eight, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion and hair, blue eyes; usually well dressed. His arrest is desired. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 232.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—23rd ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Paparua Prison for six months in default of paying £104 10s. arrears due on maintenance orders for the support of his children, **Edward George Gardiner**, age forty-nine, height 5 ft. 9 in., hawker and taxi-driver, native of New Zealand, stout build, dark complexion and hair; shabby appearance. (See Police Gazette, 1925, page 526.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—6th ultimo, on warrant for false pretences, **R. Black** (name probably fictitious), age thirty, height 5 ft. 4 in., medium build, fresh complexion, dark hair and eyes; dressed in a grey suit and felt hat. Accused obtained a pair of tan Matchless shoes, value £1 12s. 6d., and £5 7s. 6d. cash from **Arthur Charles Pannell**, boot-importer, Manchester Street, by means of a valueless cheque for £7.