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NEW ZEALAND POLICE GAZETTE.

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WELLINGTON, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1931.

PERSONS WANTED.

WHANGAREI.—14th instant, on **warrant** for failing to maintain her husband, David Eric Chisholm, **Nina Eleanor Chisholm**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 2 in., native of New Zealand, slight build, pale complexion, wavy fair hair, blue eyes; well dressed. Complainant, who is an invalid in hospital as a result of injuries to his back, gave his wife £1,000 which had been awarded to him as compensation. She has gone to Australia in company with Bertram Stanley Goode (age twenty-one), and her child (age seventeen months).

AUCKLAND.—20th instant, for escaping from custody, **Thomas William Wilson**, alias **William Henry**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1931, page 460, and Photographs, page 58. Will probably be dressed in stolen dark-grey trousers and reddish-brown tweed coat, both garments being much too large for him. He was undergoing treatment in the Hospital, and escaped therefrom.

AUCKLAND.—8th instant, on **warrant** for theft of £15, the property of Lancelot Gordon Harrison, 23 Nelson Street, **Jack Kennedy**, age about twenty-eight, height about 5 ft. 7 in., medium build, fresh tanned complexion, fair hair parted in centre; well dressed in a blue suit with double-breasted coat, light-grey soft hat, and dark-brown shoes, and had a brown fibre suit-case with convex lid; frequents hotels and race-courses. He arrived from Australia by the s.s. "Ulmaroa" on the 8th instant, as also did complainant, who was induced at Auckland to give accused three £5 notes on the Bank of New South Wales, Sydney, for the purpose of having them changed into New Zealand money. It has been ascertained that his name on the passenger-list was entered as **Horace Blackwell**, and that he had two companions on the ship—viz., **Frederick Hogan** (age thirty-five, height about 5 ft. 10 in., medium build, dark complexion, black hair, dark eyes; well dressed) and **James Martin** (age about thirty, height about 5 ft. 8 in., brown hair; well dressed). These men are believed to be Australian criminals, who will probably operate at the forthcoming race meetings in this Dominion.

AUCKLAND.—15th instant, that he may be interviewed regarding the payment of £1 9s. owing by him to the Health Department, **William Frederick Woodrow Abbott**, age about twenty-two, height about 5 ft. 9 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, good build, ruddy complexion, thick neck, heavy shoulders; usually shabbily dressed in a blue serge suit and brown felt hat.

AUCKLAND.—15th instant, on **warrant** of commitment to Wellington Prison for three months in default of paying £32 arrears on a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Eileen Annie Laurie, **Frederick William Laurie**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1931, page 598.

AUCKLAND.—18th November last, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for three days in default of paying £1 5s. fine and costs for breach of by-laws, **Dugald A. Hood**, age about thirty-three, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of Australia, slight build, sandy complexion, brown hair, walks upright. He is in Australia, but may return to this Dominion.

AUCKLAND.—11th instant, on **warrant** for failing to maintain his wife, Beatrice Dorothea Mortlock, 12 Hillside Crescent, Mount Eden, **Frederick Charles Mortlock**, age sixty, height 5 ft. 8½ in., furnace-builder and bricklayer, native of England, medium build, fresh complexion, grey hair, light-grey eyes, broken nose, walks upright; usually dressed in a grey suit with double-breasted coat, grey overcoat, and black bowler hat.

AUCKLAND.—10th instant, that he may be interviewed regarding the maintenance of his child, Peggy Eveline Morton, an inmate of the School for the Deaf, Summer, **Rito Alfred Morton**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1931, pages 369 and 583.

OTAHUHU.—1st instant, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for five days in default of paying £2 15s. fine and costs for being on licensed premises during prohibited hours, **Fung Lum**, age about thirty-five, height 5 ft. 4 in., fruiterer, native of China, medium build, sallow complexion, black hair, brown eyes, scar on left cheek, speaks little English; usually well dressed.

ROTORUA.—12th October last, for failing to comply with the condition of his release upon probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **William Milligan**, age fifty-seven, height 5 ft. 5 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, fresh complexion, fair hair, blue eyes, sharp nose, each little-finger deformed, fond of drink. His arrest is desired. (See Police Gazette, 1930, page 248.)

GISBORNE.—3rd instant, for failing to comply with the conditions of his release upon probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **George Kaire**, alias **Edwards**, age thirty-five, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer and shearer, medium build, copper complexion, black hair, brown eyes, scar on right temple; a Maori. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 57.)

MANAIA.—12th instant, that proceedings for failing to notify his change of address may be instituted against him (Arms Act), **James Baillie**, school teacher. On the 5th May, 1921, he registered a four-chambered revolver, No. 8359.

MANAIA.—9th instant, that proceedings for failing to notify his change of address may be instituted against him (Arms Act), **James Craig Anderson**, farmer. On the 30th June, 1931, he registered a revolver, No. 174243/22.

NAPIER.—12th instant, for failing to comply with the conditions of his release upon probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **Walter Stanley Brown**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1929, page 346, and Photographs, 1925, page 50. His arrest is desired.

WANGANUI.—13th instant, that he may be interviewed regarding a vest-pocket-size photograph-album containing 250 photographs of scenes in Egypt and France, which was loaned to him by William Hedley Ferrier, draper, **Charles W. Erwood**, age about twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 8 in., salesman, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion and hair, weak eyes, wears glasses. Complainant apprehends that he may have sold the album. An examination of registers of unemployed may result in his address being found.

WELLINGTON.—29th October last, on **warrant** of commitment to Wellington Prison for three days in default of paying £1 15s. fine and costs for dangerously driving a motor-vehicle, **Robert Munro**, age twenty-two, height 5 ft. 7 in., salesman, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, brown hair, grey eyes. (See Police Gazette, 1930, page 725.)

WELLINGTON.—16th instant, that a **summons** for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his child, **Lillian Stewart**, may be served upon him, **Clive Argyle Wood**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1931, page 551, and Photographs, 1925, page 54.

served 20/1/32

WELLINGTON.—5th instant, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for one month in default of paying £1 5s. arrears on a maintenance order for the support of his wife, **Richard Neave Coutts**, age fifty-six, height 5 ft. 4 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, strong build, dark complexion, black hair turning grey, grey eyes, scar on back of head and on each wrist; usually dressed in a blue suit and soft felt hat; fond of drink. (See Police Gazette, 1915, page 736.)

arrested 2/1/32

WELLINGTON.—14th instant, on **warrant** of commitment to Wellington Prison for one month in default of paying £11 fine and costs for driving a motor-car without being licensed, **Robert Bruce McKinley**, alias **Oliver**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1931, page 435, and Photographs, 1923, page 51.

arrested 24/2/32

NELSON.—12th instant, for failing to comply with the conditions of his release upon probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **Norman Rochfort** or **Rochford**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 11 in., cheesemaker, native of Australia, medium build, sallow complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes. His arrest is desired. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 547.)

arrested 23/11/32

BLLENHEIM.—11th instant, that a **summons** for a breach of the by-laws may be served upon her, **Lulu Mills**, age about fifty-four, height about 5 ft. 8 in., married, stout build, fresh complexion; well dressed in a brown or dark dress, red or dark felt hat, and wears a chain around neck with a gold cross pendant; limps slightly.

Served 3/2/32

CHRISTCHURCH.—On or about the 12th ultimo, on **warrant** for false pretences, **Edgar Edward Vigers**, age thirty-four, height 5 ft. 9 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes; wearing light-coloured trousers and dark coat. Accused obtained £17 from **Herbert Bromley**, butcher, 199 Papanui Road, by means of a valueless cheque for £37 on the Union Bank of Australia, Ltd. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 692, and Photographs, 1921, page 52.)

See 13/1/32

CHRISTCHURCH.—9th ultimo, for breaking and entering the dwelling of **William Brown**, 25 Ayr Street, and stealing a torch, medals, necklace, and earrings, &c. (recovered), value £6 7s., **Man** (name unknown), age about twenty-six, height 5 ft. 6 in.; dressed in a navy-blue suit and light felt hat. Accused was discovered in the house, and whilst being pursued he abandoned the stolen property and his hat. **No warrant.**

INVERCARGILL.—On or about the 9th September last, on **warrant** for theft of £1, the property of **Diamond and Hart**, photographers, Wellington, **John Joseph Plasto**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1931, page 359. He is usually dressed in a brown suit with Oxford bags and bowler hat. Whilst employed as a salesman he collected £1 from **Olive Alice Rein**, Invercargill, and failed to account for it to his employers. There are other charges pending.

arrested 6/1/32

APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**Lambert Vincent Russell**, inquired for, has been interviewed by the Kawakawa police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 659.)

OTAHUHU.—**Frank Russell**, summons for negligently driving a motor-car, has been served by the Ponsonby police. (See Police Gazette, 1929, page 708.)

ONEHUNGA.—**Cecil Barton**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Otahuhu police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 195.)

COROMANDEL.—**Donald McLeod**, forgery and uttering, has been arrested by the Palmerston North police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 705.)

WAIHI.—**Donald McLeod**, theft, has been arrested by the Palmerston North police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 691.)

TAURANGA.—**D. McLeod**, theft, has been arrested by the Palmerston North police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 633.)

WHAKATANE.—**Patrick O'Keefe**, breach of probation, has been arrested by the Rotorua police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 659.)

HAMILTON.—**John Charles Wilson**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Miramar (Wellington) police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 583.)

GISBORNE.—**Oswald Albert Hatherall**, default of maintenance, has paid the amount to the Taranaki Street (Wellington) police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 660.)

PORT AHURIRI.—**Robert Farmer**, unlawfully using a motor-van, has been arrested by the Gisborne police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 282.)

PORT AHURIRI.—**Robert Farmer**, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Gisborne police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 611.)

HASTINGS.—**William Fiske**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Tinui police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 691.)

WANGANUI.—**Frederick John Ernest Frowein**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Taranaki Street (Wellington) police. He assumed the name **Archie Wilson**. (See Police Gazette, 1930, page 138.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**William O'Brien**, summons for being found on licensed premises during prohibited hours, has been served by the Palmerston North police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 647.)

WELLINGTON.—**Cecil Allan Bone**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Wanganui police. He assumed the name **Cecil Arthur Barnes**. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 692.)

WELLINGTON.—**Leonard Norman Williams**, motor-driver's license cancelled. The cancellation has been withdrawn as from the 19th instant. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 257.)

WELLINGTON.—**D. McLeod**, ship-desertion, has been arrested by the Palmerston North police. (See Police Gazette, 1930, page 746.)

WELLINGTON.—**Norman James Shields**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Christchurch police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 598.)

WELLINGTON.—**Lillian Anderson**, alias **Patricia Maloney**, escaping from custody, has been arrested by the Mount Cook (Wellington) police. She assumed the name **Mary Watson**. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 706.)

WELLINGTON.—**Thomas Vance**, alias **Mitchell**, unlawfully landing in New Zealand, has been arrested by the Christchurch police. He is identical with **Thomas Mitchell**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1929, page 120. (See Police Gazette, 1931, pages 524 and 554.)

WELLINGTON.—**Leonard James Burne**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Feilding police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 298.)

WELLINGTON.—**Thomas King**, inquired for, has been interviewed by the Mount Cook (Wellington) police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 612.)

WELLINGTON.—**Roy William Spencer**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Palmerston North police. He assumed the name **Roy Baxter**. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 132.)

WELLINGTON.—**Harry Walter Tookey**, ship-desertion, has been arrested by the Taradale and Wharf (Wellington) police. (See Police Gazette, 1929, page 358.)

NELSON.—**Ernest Maurice Mason** or **Ernest Murray Mason**, missing, has been located by the Napier police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, pages 555 and 598.)

HAVELOCK.—**William Hoskins Marriott** and **Stanley Richard Barton's** dwellings broken into: **Cyril Leonard Coad** (referred to in Police Gazette, 1931, page 321) and **Ernest William Coad** have been arrested for the offences by the Greymouth police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 679.)

GREYMOUTH.—**Florence Ellen Evans's** dwelling broken into: **Ernest William Coad** and **Cyril Leonard Coad** have been interviewed by the Greymouth police, but no evidence resulted. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 679.)

GREYMOUTH.—**Hallenstein's** Brothers premises broken into: **Ernest William Coad** and **Cyril Leonard Coad** have been interviewed by the Greymouth police, but no evidence resulted. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 679.)

GREYMOUTH.—**Augustine Stewart McMahon**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Blenheim police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 340.)

TIMARU.—**Alexander McCuish**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Dunedin police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 755.)

DUNEDIN.—**Stewart George**, false pretences, has been arrested by the Papakura police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 94.)

DUNEDIN.—**Charles Leonard Leamon Hankins**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Hastings police. (See Police Gazette, 1927, page 371.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

WHANGAREI.—Between the 24th and 31st October last, from the Harbour Board Building, the property of **LINDSAY FEATHERSTONE FRASER**, farmer, Hora Hora, a leather suit-case, size 2 ft. 6 in. by 1 ft. 5 in. by 9 in., with "L.F.F." in gold block letters on side, containing clothing which is probably branded "L.F.F.": total value, £20. Identifiable.

ROTORUA.—15th instant, the property of **PRENTICE ARTHUR KUSABS**, a Baby Triumph brown sedan motor-car, with black wheels and mudguards, registration No. 41-487, engine No. 16548, chassis No. 16743, two doors, Dunlop balloon tires, spare wheel on rear; value, £290. Identifiable.

MOTUROA.—On the 23rd ultimo, a cottage at Paritutu Beach, New Plymouth, the property of **LOUIS ERNEST HOFFMANN**, was broken into and the following stolen: A pair of large field-glasses; a two-cell nickel torch; and a pair of white sand-shoes, size 6: total value, £5 10s. 6d. Field-glasses and torch only identifiable.

EKETAHUNA.—On the 13th instant, the shop of **PERCIVAL ROY DONEY**, draper, was broken into and the following stolen: A pair of gentlemen's patent-leather shoes, size 6, branded "The Patriata Shoe"; a pair of gentlemen's patent-leather shoes, size 8, Standard brand; a single-breasted navy-blue serge coat, size 5, Standard on neck; a pair of Sincerity fawn-striped worsted sports trousers, size 5; four pairs of art silk socks; a ladies' cream fuji silk frock; a pair of cream gabardine trousers; two gentlemen's Roslyn swimming-suits, navy-blue with coloured stripes; a Stetson hat; six gentlemen's Borsalino hats, size 7, in fawn shades; two pairs of gentlemen's tennis-shoes, Comet brand, size 7; and £4 in silver: total value, £27. Identifiable. The offender left behind in the shop a 2 ft. jemmy, and a 1½ in. chisel branded "W.P. Cast Steel."

WELLINGTON.—7th October last, from 68 Abel Smith Street, the property of **MARY WICKSTEAD**, a ladies' white felt hat, with small bow at back; a ladies' black serge overcoat, with white piping round collar, lapels, and sleeves, full belt with steel buckle, no buttons, made by Worths, Wellington; and a leather attache-case, size 18 in. by 12 in., with "Leatherlight" stamped on it: total value, £3 5s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Sybil Chapman**, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 4 in., domestic, native of New Zealand, slight build, mole on right side of nose; wearing a fawn overcoat, with white or blue belt, red knitted jumper, blue skirt, light-coloured stockings, brown and white shoes.

WELLINGTON.—Between the 12th and 14th ultimo, a magazine at Moa Point, the property of the **WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL**, was broken into and fifteen plugs of gelignite and five plugs of eruptite stolen: total value, 4s. 6d. Not identifiable.

PICTON.—7th ultimo, from the s.s. "Tamahine," the property of **MARTIN BLAMPIED**, traveller, care of L. T. Nathan and Co., Wellington, three safety razors, made by Wilkinson Sword Co., each in a small oak case; six silver-mounted pipes, "Club London Made"; two sets of carvers, made by W. Humphreys, Sheffield, England, in brown leatherette cases; and six shaving-brushes, with "Pure Hog Bristle" stamped on handle: total value, £6 18s. Identifiable.

NELSON.—**Fred Harvey**, suspected of theft: It has been ascertained by the Nelson police that he is identical with **Frederick Henry Harvey**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1931, page 372. (See Police Gazette 1931, page 498.)

DUNEDIN.—11th instant, from 62A Royal Terrace, the property of **ESTHER MOSS**, a ladies' 15 ct. or 18 ct. gold ring, circular rose setting, set with a large yellow-tinged diamond in centre and surrounded by eight small diamonds; value, £45. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Queenie Florence Unice Astle**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 2 in., domestic, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, grey eyes. She has been interviewed, but no evidence resulted.

PROPERTY RECOVERED.

AUCKLAND.—**CAMPBELL'S TRADERS, LTD.**, magazine broken into: The stolen property has been recovered by the Auckland police, and **Leslie Murray** and **Raymond Trevor Childs** charged with the offence. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 756.)

WAIHI.—**ELLEN GRIGGS'S** dwelling broken into: The property has been found, not stolen. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 756.)

STRATFORD.—**DONALD MARTIN BAIN'S** bicycle has been recovered by the Eltham police. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 757.)

GRANITY.—**PATRICK POWER'S** bicycle has been found: Not stolen. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 707.)

MOTOR REGISTRATION-PLATES LOST.

Motor registration-plates, Nos. D 427, D 428, and D 430 (Hamilton); No. 89-823 (Palmerston North); and No. 164-158 (Dunedin); and motor-cycle registration-plate No. 29-824 (Dunedin).

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION.

Members of the Force will please note that this is the last issue of the Police Gazette this year. The next issue will be on the 6th January, 1932.

EXTRACTS FROM NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

Appointment of Child Welfare Officer.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1931, page 3493.)

Miss Doris Mary Katherine Muir, Timaru.

Declaring the "Appointed Day" for the Purposes of the Transport Licensing Act, 1931.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1931, page 3506.)

In pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsection (3) of section 2 of the Transport Licensing Act, 1931, I, Joseph Gordon Coates, Minister of Transport, do hereby declare the 1st day of March, 1932, to be the appointed day for the purposes of the said Act.

Dated at Wellington, this 14th day of December, 1931.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Transport.

(TT. 19/2.)

RETURN OF WATCHES REPORTED STOLEN DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1931.

(For preceding return see Police Gazette, 1931, page 614.)

No. of Watch.	Description.	Owner's Name and Address.	Police Gazette Reference.
30580	Gentlemen's silver hunting Waltham	William Rae Dempster, Otorohanga	Page 625
102722	Gentlemen's silver lever wristlet	Henry Owen Staveley, New Plymouth	625
	Ladies' gold wristlet	Joycephine Greenfield, Mangonui	635
	Gentlemen's gold English lever	Briton McKendrick, Auckland	635
127476	Ladies' silver wristlet	Joyce Chisholm, Wellington	635
	Gentlemen's silver wristlet	Antonia Alfonsa, Auckland	661
	Gentlemen's silver hunting lever	Hipi Hopi, Thames	660
	Ladies' gold wristlet	William Hoskins Marriott, Havelock	679
	Gentlemen's Grosvenor	William Hoskins Marriott, Havelock	679
	Gentlemen's metal Ingersoll	Florence Ellen Evans, Greymouth	679
640B	Ladies' gold wristlet	Eileen Buchanan, Auckland	692
	Gentlemen's gold open-face	Charles Frederick Collins, Auckland	692
34322	Ladies' wristlet	Lucy Hatrick, St. John's	693
15118090	Gentlemen's gold Waltham	Flinders Scott McRae, Palmerston North	693
	Gentlemen's gold-filled Swiss wristlet	George Bradford Neil, Paeroa	706
H 9190	Ladies' gold Baume wristlet	James Sands Elliott, Wellington	707
	Gentlemen's silver open-face	James Sands Elliott, Wellington	707
C 7503	Ladies' gold wristlet	Jocelyn Althea Freeman, Christchurch	707
	Gentlemen's gold open-face	John Hunter, Hamilton	734
	Ladies' gold wristlet	Margaret Wilhelmina Phillips, Wellington	734
1030512	Gentlemen's silver hunting Waltham	Gus Paul, Auckland	756
	Ladies' gold Swiss wristlet	Dudley Creighton Stewart, Auckland	756
	Ladies' gold wristlet (21)	Philip Isaacs, Wellington	756
20047831 and 1505941	Gentlemen's rolled-gold Waltham	Philip Isaacs, Wellington	756
	Ladies' gold hunting	Margaret Currie Watt, Hampden	757
4257180	Gentlemen's silver Omega	James Walquist, Dunedin	757

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