

TE AWAMUTU.—11th instant, for unlawfully converting to his own use a motor-car, value, £200, the property of the Lister Separator Co., Auckland and Hamilton, **Harry Fielding**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of England, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair, blue eyes (see Police Gazette, 1937, page 106, and Photographs, 1934, page 61). The car which was taken from a street in Te Awamutu during the night of the 11th instant, contained five gallons of benzine, parts of a separator, a Staybrit stainless steel separator bowl, a demonstration spindle, and an order-book. Description of car: A 1936 model two-door saloon Morris, 8 h.p., red body with black top, registration No. 817 256. Near to the spot from which this car was taken there was left another car of similar description. It is a rental car, the property of J. Pomeroy and Co., Hamilton, and was hired from that firm on the 11th instant by a man who gave the name A. H. Cleal, and who produced a driver's license, No. 1770, issued at Masterton in the name of **Aussie Harry Cleal**. The photograph of **Harry Fielding**, referred to above, has been identified as that of **Cleal**. **No warrant.**

*arrested 3/2/37*

TE KUITI.—3rd August last, on warrant of commitment to Auckland Prison for four days in default of paying £1 12s. fine and costs for riding a motor-cycle without a tail-light, **Tauru Titi**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 7 in., labourer, Maori, medium build, copper complexion, black hair, large brown eyes; quiet manner.

*paid 10/2/37*

WAIROA.—29th October last, on warrant of commitment to Wairoa Prison for thirteen days in default of paying £12 7s. 6d. arrears on a maintenance order for the support of Ernestine Josephine Locke, in the care of the Education Department, **Ernest Edward Storr**, age fifty, height 5 ft. 7½ in., fishmonger and hawker, native of England, medium build, sallow complexion, grey hair and eyes, "True love" and dots on left forearm; shabbily dressed; fond of drink. He makes and sells wire soap-holders, &c. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 542, and Photographs, 1908, page 8.)

*ARRESTED 10/3/37*

NEW PLYMOUTH.—17th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Auckland Prison for five days in default of paying £1 19s. fine and costs for using a motor-cycle without a license, **James Lynch**, age twenty, height 5 ft. 2 in., labourer and engine-driver, native of New Zealand, slight build, dark complexion, curly brown hair, brown eyes; usually dressed in a navy-blue suit, blue and gold blazer, and light-coloured hat or cap.

*paid 17/2/37*

PORT AHURIRI.—16th November last, on warrant of commitment to Napier Prison for five days in default of paying £2 15s. fine and costs for being found on licensed premises during prohibited hours, **Roy Cruickshank**, age forty-one, height 5 ft. 3 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, fresh complexion, dark hair turning grey, blue eyes, scar on left side of chin. (See Police Gazette, 1925, page 57.)

*paid 6/4/38*

HASTINGS.—16th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for three months in default of paying £175 12s. arrears on a maintenance order for the support of his illegitimate child, **William Keith Rainey**, alias **Charles Frederick Gibson**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1936, page 715. He may be released on payment of £16 1s.

*arrested 3/2/37*

HAWERA.—18th ultimo, on warrant for failing to maintain his two illegitimate children, of whom Winnie Manaia, Matapu, is the mother, **Jack Rio**, age twenty-one (looks older), height 5 ft. 5 in., labourer, Maori, thin build, copper complexion, curly dark hair, brown eyes, flat nose; usually dressed in grey trousers, brown Norfolk jacket, and brown shoes (no hat); fond of drink.

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WANGANUI.—2nd ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Wanganui Prison for twenty-four hours in default of paying 15s. balance of fine and costs for drunkenness, **Alexander Garfield Hussey**, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 9 in., sawmill manager, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes.

*paid 3/2/37*

WANGANUI.—8th instant, on warrant of commitment to Wanganui Prison for three days in default of paying £1 11s. costs for drunkenness, **Patrick Kelly**, age sixty-five, height 5 ft. 9 in., labourer, native of Ireland, medium build, fresh complexion, grey hair, blue eyes, large nose, woman tattooed on each forearm.

*paid 24/3/37*

PAHATUA.—At about 1.50 a.m. on the 25th ultimo, a garage in Mangahao Road, the property of **WILLIAM BARRETT**, was broken into by some person or persons unknown and the office safe opened by means of explosives. A small jemmy was found on a desk in the office the door of which apparently had been forced open with it. There was nothing stolen, but some damage was caused by fire as a result of the explosion.

MASTERTON.—10th ultimo, on three warrants of commitment to Wellington Prison for four days, four days, and two days in default of paying £3 15s. fines and costs for carrying a pillion rider on a motor-cycle not having adequate footrests, and using an unlicensed motor-cycle, and leaving an unlighted motor-lorry in Perry Street, **Ronald Walter Fellingham**, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer and motor salesman, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion and hair, blue eyes, broken nose; dressed in a brown suit (no hat.)

*arrested 27/1/37*

WELLINGTON.—19th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for ten days in default of paying £2 5s. balance of fine and costs for using obscene language, **Bryan Charles McCarthy**, age twenty-six, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, dark hair, blue eyes, large nose, burn-scar on left forearm, mole on right cheek and on left wrist. There is also a distress warrant for 18s. costs for wilful damage to be executed on his effects. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 302, and Photographs, 1931, page 4.)

*paid 10/2/37*

WELLINGTON.—17th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for seven days in default of paying £2 fine for theft, **Maxwell Joseph Daniel Byford**, age thirty-three, height 5 ft. 8½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, curly fair hair, blue eyes, pierced heart and "Norma" on left forearm, operation-scar on abdomen. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 60.)

*paid 3/2/37*

WELLINGTON.—4th instant, that he may be located and warned that unless he reports to a Probation Officer immediately his probationary license will be cancelled, **David Carter**, alias **Barnaby**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1936, page 523, and Photographs, 1926, page 81. (P. 37/56.)

*arrested 20.9.39*

WELLINGTON.—21st ultimo, for a breach of his probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **Richard Howe**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1936, page 530, and Photographs, 1925, page 43. He spoke of going harvesting in the South Island. He has failed to report to a Probation Officer, and his arrest is desired.

*see 17/2/37*

WELLINGTON.—7th instant, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Ethel McCabe, and three children, 134 Apu Crescent, **Charles Stevenson McCabe**, age fifty, height 5 ft. 10 in., engineer and traveller, native of Scotland, stout build, dark complexion, black hair, deep-set grey eyes, white patches on upper arms caused through removal of skin, tattooed on forearms; usually dressed in a navy-blue suit and cap; slow deliberate gait.

WHARF (WELLINGTON).—30th ultimo, on warrant for deserting from the s.s. "Hororata," **R. McMillan**, age forty-four, height 5 ft. 10 in., ship's fireman, fresh complexion, dark hair, blue eyes, scar on abdomen.

*arrested 3/2/37*

GREYMOOUTH.—17th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Greymouth Prison for three days in default of paying £1 10s. fine and costs for operating a motor-vehicle without two independent brakes, **Norman Preddy**, age about thirty-one, height about 5 ft. 9 in., bottle-gatherer and hawker, strong build, fresh complexion, sandy hair, prominent nose; untidily dressed; fond of drink; speaks quickly.

*paid 17/2/37*

GREYMOOUTH.—24th ultimo, for forgery and uttering, **J. Marshall** (name probably fictitious), age about forty-five, height about 5 ft. 9 in., strong build, slightly tanned complexion, fair hair, large nose, speaks with Scotch or similar accent; dressed in light-brown suit, and hat to match. He obtained a blank cheque-form from W. E. Pring, secretary of Greymouth Trotting Club, filled it in for £15, forged Pring's name to it, and uttered it to Francis Eric Stent, jeweller, obtaining £9 10s. in money, and goods of the following description: A case, about 18 in. by 10 in. by 3 in., covered with pale heliotrope suede leather, small gold-coloured label on lid with "Elgin" on it; and a ladies' coloured enamel hair-brush, comb, mirror with chromium edge, and clothes-brush with chromium edge; value, £5 10s. He frequents race meetings. **No warrant.**

*arrested 8/9/37*

CHRISTCHURCH.—17th ultimo, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Barbara Beattie Lorraine, and child, **Bertrand Lorraine**, age about thirty-two, height about 5 ft. 11 in., labourer and freezing-works employee, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark complexion and hair, brown eyes; tidy appearance.

*see 21/4/37*

LYTELTON.—29th ultimo, on warrant for deserting from the r.m.s. "Ruahine," **V. Wassel**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 8 in., quartermaster, native of England, medium build, fresh complexion, small moustache; smart appearance, and has several suits of different shades.

*arrested 10/2/37*

ASHBURTON.—On or about the 3rd August last, on warrant for theft of 70 lb. of wool, valued at £2 7s. 4d., the property of George Hamilton Lamb, Mayfield, **William Henry Hudson**, age thirty-five, height 5 ft. 9 in., farm labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, grey eyes, portion of one thumb missing (believed to be left thumb), dressed in a light worsted suit, black shoes, and felt hat without lining. He was employed by complainant who noticed that three bales of wool in his woolshed had been tampered with, and it was subsequently discovered that accused sold the wool to a wool-buyer in Mayfield. He is believed to be identical with **William Henry Hudson**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1933, page 650. There are other similar charges pending.