

WHARF (WELLINGTON).—11th instant, on warrant for deserting from the s.s. "Hurunui" (1) **John Dominac Greenwald**, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., seaman, dark Jewish appearance. (2) **Patrick Maguire**, age forty-five, height 5 ft. 6½ in., donkeyman, dark complexion, dark brown hair, grey eyes, cross, "I.H.S." and "In loving memory of my dear Father" on right arm. (1) cancelled 28-7-37. (2) arrested 13/10/37.

WHARF (WELLINGTON).—3rd instant, on warrant for deserting from the s.s. "Rotorua," **Ronald Jack Carter**, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 6 in., assistant steward, native of England, fair hair, blue-grey eyes.

CHRISTCHURCH.—19th ultimo, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, **Alice May Crawford**, and child, 210 Worcester Street, **William James Crawford**, age forty-eight, height about 5 ft. 9 in., seaman, native of England, good build, tanned complexion, dark brown hair, blue eyes; usually well dressed in a blue suit. Deceased - 23/9/53

CHRISTCHURCH.—29th October last, for false pretences, **A. C. Cameron** (name probably fictitious), age about forty-three, height 5 ft. 8 in., strong build, fresh complexion; dressed in a brown suit and fawn felt hat. Accused obtained £8 15s. in money from the Herbert Shoe Store, Ltd., Cashel Street, by means of a valueless cheque for £10 on the National Bank of New Zealand, Christchurch, which he tendered in payment for a pair of shoes. The shoes were forwarded to A. C. Cameron, Southbridge, as he requested, but they were returned unclaimed. Accused may be identical with **Alexander Cameron**, alias **William Theodore Thompson**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1936, page 667, and Photographs, 1937, page 11. No warrant. See 24/3/37. arrested 25/9/37.

TIMARU.—25th ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his illegitimate child, of whom **Doreen Anderson** is the mother, **Matthew Burke**, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 9 in., labourer, motor-driver and barman, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes; usually dressed in a brown sports suit (no hat); a welter-weight boxer; smart appearance. Arrears to 4th ultimo, £15 10s.

DUNEDIN.—12th November last, on warrant for false pretences, **Arthur Bertram Taylor**, age forty-four, height 5 ft. 9 in., manufacturer and salesman, native of New Zealand, slight build, sallow complexion, brown hair turning grey, blue eyes, noticeable line on each side of mouth, prominent chin; dressed in light-coloured trousers, grey sports coat, and felt hat. Accused obtained £3 10s. from Paterson and Barr, Ltd., hardware merchants, by means of a valueless cheque on the Bank of New Zealand, Sydenham, dated 12/11/36, and signed "Christchurch Lacquer Company, per A. Taylor, proprietor." There are other similar charges pending. During the past year in various towns in the South Island he has obtained several hundred pounds from young men by inducing them to enter into agreements to learn and conduct the business of lacquer spraying. He conducts the business for a short period and disappears, and he may still be operating in the Dominion. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 349.) arrested 26-5-37. see 24/3/37 interviewed

DUNEDIN.—15th ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his illegitimate child, of whom **Ruth Barton**, domestic, is the mother, **Albert Hardy**, alias **Albert Duncan Bridger Hardy**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 10 in., salesman, native of New Zealand, slight build, fresh complexion, dark hair, brown eyes, broad nose, burn-scars on left arm; usually well dressed in a dark-grey striped suit and dark overcoat. He is to be brought before the Court nearest to place of arrest. Arrears to 11th January, last £34 2s. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 371.) cancelled 3/2/54.

GORE.—8th instant, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for fourteen days in default of paying £4 15s. arrears on a maintenance order for the support of his child, **Louisa May Hislop**, in the care of the Education Department, **Frederick John Strang**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 8 in., carpenter, native of New Zealand, slight built, fair complexion and hair, hazel eyes, large nose; usually dressed in a grey-tweed suit and overcoat; ungainly gait. paid 21-4-37.

APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**Robert Wiper Kane**, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Queen Street Wharf (Auckland) police. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 765.)

AUCKLAND.—**Clive Frederick Hammond** and **Jack Hammond**, assault and theft, have been interviewed by the Taranaki Street (Wellington) police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 167.)

AUCKLAND.—**Cyril Kevan McKenna**, suspected of theft, has been interviewed by the Auckland police, but no evidence resulted. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 374.)

AUCKLAND.—**John Leslie Buckley**, alias **Herbert Leslie Buckley**, died at Auckland Hospital on the 9th instant. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 243.)

AUCKLAND.—**Harry Cecil Wheeler**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Queen Street Wharf (Auckland) police. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 31.)

AUCKLAND.—**James Sydney Kilcoy Macleannan**, failing to maintain: Warrant cancelled. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 78.)

AUCKLAND.—**Wilfred Henry Arnold Cronin**, suspected of theft, has been arrested by the Auckland police. He admits the theft of the overcoat, but denies stealing the Gladstone bag, which has not been recovered. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 137.)

AUCKLAND.—**Vernon Lyal Aley**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Freeman's Bay police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 151.)

TAURANGA.—**Douglas Cameron**, unlawfully attempting to leave New Zealand: Warrant cancelled. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 198.)

HAMILTON.—**Doris Moore**, alias **Thelma Louise Collier**, breach of probation, has been located. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 167.)

HAMILTON.—**Storr**, suspected of theft, has been interviewed by the Palmerston North police, but no evidence resulted. He is identical with **Ernest Edward Storr**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1937, page 210. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 184.)

KAWHIA.—**William John Meyer**, convicted of theft: At a rehearing on 26th February last at Kawhia Magistrates' Court the information was dismissed. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 202.)

NEW PLYMOUTH.—**James Lynch**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Kimbolton police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 79.)

TAIHAPE.—**Frank Gould**, theft, has been arrested by the Te Awamutu police. The stolen property has not been recovered. (See Police Gazette, 1935, pages 279 and 291.)

LYTTELTON.—**H. Gasson**, ship-desertion, has been arrested by the Lyttelton police. His correct name is **Harry Gasson**. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 198.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Hector Ashton Brien**, inquired for, has been located by the Christchurch police. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 270.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Henry Crawford**, convicted (see Police Gazette, 1936, page 252): It has been ascertained by the Hawera police that his correct name is **Henry Crawford Faulkner**, and he is identical with a man of that name referred to in Police Gazette, 1929, page 284.

KUROW.—**Robert Adamson**, inquired for, has been interviewed by the Kurow police. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 514.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

KAIKOHE.—On or about the 24th October, 1936, the property of **GLADYS SAMSON**, Waimate North, a 9 m/m calibre Luger automatic pistol, No. 9860; value, £5. Identifiable.

TAKAPUNA.—Between 12th and 18th September last, from the farm of **ALPHONSO WYNDHAM SERGEANT**, Riverhead, two dehorned springing Jersey heifers, cream shading to yellow; two dark-brown dehorned springing Jersey heifers with black points, one with slightly stiff right thigh, high tail-bone, about 1 in. of loose horn growing; and two grey dehorned springing Jersey heifers: total value, £48. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—24th January last, from the Victoria Cruising Club's slipway, Freeman's Bay, the property of **WILLIAM PATRICK CRONIN**, 23 Church Street, Ponsonby, a ladies' gold watch, gold hands, "E.R.W." on front case, "Oct. 1904" on back, stem wind; value, £10. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—12th ultimo, from a motor-car in Hobson Street, the property of **ERIC FREDERICK JARVIS NAUMANN**, Matata, Whakatane, a gentlemen's single-breasted fawn mixture tweed overcoat, size 4, "National Mills, Wanganui" on tag at neck; and a gentlemen's brown felt hat, size 7 or 7½: total value, £6 5s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Man** (name unknown), age about fifty, height about 5 ft. 6 in., strong build; dressed in a dark coat which appeared to be too long for him, dark trousers, and dirty fawn felt hat; slouching gait; untidy appearance. He was seen to remove the coat from the motor-car.