

CHRISTCHURCH.—18th instant, for a breach of his probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **Clifford Douglas Keane**, alias **Leslie Howard Keane**, alias **Thomas Jackson Burke**, age twenty-three, height 5 ft. 6½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, scar on left forefinger; well dressed in a greyish-brown overcoat (no hat). He has failed to make restitution, and also failed to remain in the Salvation Army Home. When arrested he is to be charged that "On the 12th March, 1937, at Christchurch, did steal one suit-case and contents, valued at £17, the property of John Senior Reynolds Woodhouse. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 59, and Photographs, 1935, page 55.)

**ARRESTED. 28/4/37**

DUNEDIN.—17th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Dunedin Prison for forty-eight hours in default of paying £2 5s. fine and costs for being drunk and disorderly, **George Hunter**, age thirty-nine, height 5 ft. 6 in., engineer, native of Scotland, medium build, fresh complexion, grey hair, brown eyes. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 164.)

INVERCARGILL.—3rd November last, for alleged fraud, **A. Thompson**, alias **Ivan Alexander Edwards**, age thirty-four, height 5 ft. 9 in., labourer and canvasser, native of New Zealand, medium build, sallow complexion, fair hair, blue eyes, portion of right little finger missing. Accused called on William Andrew Nicoll, garage proprietor, Centre Bush, near Winton, selling a preparation called "Wonder Sol." Complainant bought a quantity of this preparation to the value of £17 11s., and gave him a cheque on the Bank of New Zealand for that amount. It was later ascertained that the preparation was valueless. While in Southland the accused was in possession of a five-seater Essex Challenger motor-car, and it is believed that he is in possession of two sets of registration-plates, Nos. 118 V 537 and 46 V 019, for the current year. The photograph of **Ivan Alexander Edwards**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1935, page 261, and Photographs 1930, page 71, has been identified as that of accused. **No warrant.**

*see 7/4/37 and 19-537 no action 2-6-37*

#### APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**Frank Baller**, alias **Ballor**, alias **Doone**, released from prison on license, has now been discharged from probation. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 77.)

AUCKLAND.—**John William Kitteridge-Russell**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 657.)

WAIHI.—**Reginald Oscar Perham**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Tauranga police. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 281.)

KIRIKIRI.—**Ernest Alfred Exon**, inquired for, has been interviewed by the Otorohanga police, and the rifle has been destroyed. (See Police Gazette, 1933, page 602.)

ROTORUA.—**Joseph Viscoe**, alias **John Smith**, trespass on racecourse, has been served with the summons by the Napier police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 121.)

TAUMARUNUI.—**Reginald Oscar Perham**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Tauranga police. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 569.)

EKETAHUNA.—**Robert Hulme**, alias **Kelly**, alias **Stone**, breach of probation, has been arrested by the Wellington police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 227.)

OTAKI.—Hinerau Tehiwi's bicycle stolen (see Police Gazette, 1937, pages 199 and 229): **William Charles Norman**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1937, page 220, has been charged with the offence by the Otaki police.

WELLINGTON.—**Patrick Joseph O'Connor**, alias **Patrick Ryan**, alias **Joseph Murphy**, breach of probation, has been arrested by the Palmerston North police. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 242.)

WELLINGTON.—**William Cleden Morgan**, false pretences, has been arrested by the Timaru police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 227.)

WELLINGTON.—**Leslie Vincent Kay**, missing, has been located by the Eastbourne police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 229.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Richard Patrick Neylon**, alias **Naylon**, default of maintenance: Warrant cancelled. (See Police Gazette, 1929, page 261.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Frederick Gearschawski**, inquired for, has been interviewed by the Christchurch police. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 698.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Selwyn Stewart**, suspected of theft, has been interviewed by the Christchurch police, and admits the offence. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 82.)

ASHBURTON.—**George Howell**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Temuka police. He is identical with **George Thomas Howell**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1930, page 254, and Photographs, 1929, page 48. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 4.)

ASHBURTON.—**Harry Macpherson**, alias **Bates**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Kawakawa police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 152.)

#### PROPERTY STOLEN.

KAITIATA.—Between the 6th December and 6th January last, from the dwelling of **ELEANOR MARJORIE KING**, a 12-bore double-barrel breech-loading hammerless shotgun, pistol grip, made by William Powell and Sons, Birmingham, engraving in front of trigger-guard; value, £20. Identifiable. *see 16-6-37, Record, 22/10/52*

NAPIER.—On the 6th February last, from the dwelling of **WILLIAM JAMES KEY**, Charles Street, Westshore, an order cheque, No. 024, for £5 6s. 9d. on the Union Bank of Australia, Dannevirke, in favour of W. J. Key, and signed F. Bullock, endorsed W. J. Key on back; and six £5 notes: total value, £35 6s. 9d. Cheque only identifiable.

HASTINGS.—On the 21st January last, the dwelling of **ELEANOR BELLA HOBBS**, 105 Charlotte Crescent, was broken into and the following stolen: A ladies' gold square wristlet-watch, round dial, repair No. K910 inside back case; a ladies' pear-shaped hand mirror, white ebonite back which has small brown stains on it; eight double-bed white linen sheets, "Beards Limited" and "K." on them, orange-coloured thread in one corner of each sheet; six white linen pillow cases; a breakfast tablecloth, 55 in. square, three blue bands around edge; a single-bed white linen quilt, small patch in one corner; a ladies' white soft hair clothes-brush, white scalloped back about 9 in. by 2 in.; a square bottle of lavender, brand 65; a small blue china milk-jug, "Johnson, Bros., England" on it; a single-bed eiderdown, plain pink satin on one side, pink satin with black band on other side; a small black leather case with dark-blue velvet lining, containing six silver teaspoons; a small brown leather case containing six electro-plate afternoon tea forks; six white bread and butter plates; three egg-cups; tinned fruit, tongues, &c.: total value, £31 5s. Portion identifiable. There was a faint shoe-mark resembling that of a woman's on the window-sill.

DUNEDIN.—Between the 30th January last and 1st ultimo, the shop of **W. PENROSE AND CO.**, 100 George Street, was broken into and the following stolen: A brown striped worsted suit, Supercraft brand, "Penrose" on tag at neck, "1111" and "2" over "37 B.B.F." in pencil on trousers pocket; a blue serge suit, size 5, "Penrose" on tag at neck, Supercraft brand, "3" over "37" and "1345" in pencil on hip pocket; a brown blazer, size 4, with gold-coloured piping, "The Challenge" on hanger at neck; and two pairs of light-grey sports trousers, sizes 5, tunnel loops for belt, pleated fronts, may have "G. 5" over "N.W." in pencil on outside of hip pockets: total value, about £12. Identification doubtful.

#### Bicycles.

AUCKLAND.—27/1/37, the property of Victor Reginald Matthews, a gentlemen's black B.S.A.; value, £5.

AUCKLAND.—12/2/37, the property of Frank Desmond Leng, a gentlemen's black Farmers' with red lines, No. R.X. 9842; value, £5.

AUCKLAND.—30/12/36, the property of Jack Meredith Lelan, a gentlemen's black Speedking, No. 69713, Speedking transfers; value, £10. *recovered 7-7-37*

AUCKLAND.—11/2/37, the property of Edward William Butler, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, No. S.T. 6849, Farmers' and Monarch transfers, Auckland City Council No. 28338; value, £4. *recovered 28-4-37*

NEW PLYMOUTH.—15/1/37, the property of William Williamson, a gentlemen's black Phillips Special; value, £6.

HASTINGS.—30/1/37, the property of Jack Sargent Barden, a gentlemen's black Hercules Defender, No. Y.Y. 7748; value, £9 9s.

HASTINGS.—9/2/37, the property of Hugh McKay, a gentlemen's black Farmers', No. 11271; value, £2.

MARTON.—15/2/37, the property of Henry Neil Cook, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, No. 5473/4; value, £9.

FIELDING.—19/2/37, the property of Edward George Ferguson, a gentlemen's black Hercules; and a green oilskin overcoat, size 5, hook and dome fasteners down front: total value, £5. Identifiable.