

PALMERSTON NORTH.—3rd instant, on warrant for indecent assault on David William Hutton, **Daniel Te Kaho**, age twenty-nine, height about 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, Maori, good build, copper complexion, wavy dark hair, brown eyes; dressed in a blue suit with pin stripes, double-breasted waistcoat, blue-grey felt hat and black shoes. On the night of the 1st instant accused slept in Selwyn House in a cubicle also occupied by an invalid pensioner—David William Hutton. On the 3rd instant he again returned to Selwyn House and was given a bed in a sitting-room. During the night he went to Hutton's cubicle and committed the offence.

*arrested 11/3/39.*

PALMERSTON NORTH.—14th instant, on warrant for assault **Franklin John Smith**, alias "**Pit Pot**" **Smith**, alias **Howard Maitland**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1937, page 64, and Photographs, 1936, page 64. He is usually dressed in a blue suit and bowler hat; fond of drink. Accused, who assisted Ray Julian Manville to conduct a side-show, assaulted Thomas Hugh Pearce, when the latter accused Smith of overcharging for admittance to the side-show.

*arrested 5/10/38.*

PETONE.—7th instant, on warrant for assaulting John Joseph Owen, 25 Richmond Street, so as to cause him actual bodily harm, **Leonard Neiling**, alias **O'Brien**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 9½ in., labourer and brushmaker, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, grey eyes, small mole above left elbow, small scars on right knee and shin; fond of drink. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 251, and Photographs, 1934, page 34.)

*ARRESTED 13/7/38 see 6/7/38*

WELLINGTON.—26th April last, on warrant of commitment to Auckland Prison for two months in default of paying £16 5s. arrears on a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Violet May Inniss, **William Inniss**, age about forty-nine, height 6 ft., barman, native of New Zealand, medium build, olive complexion, dark hair going bald, brown eyes; dressed in a navy-blue or brown suit.

*ARRESTED 13/7/38*

HOKITIKA.—For escaping from Seaview Mental Hospital on the 2nd ultimo, **Harriett Louisa Jeffery**, age sixty, height 5 ft. 3 in., native of New Zealand, thin build, sallow complexion, brown buster-cut hair, dark-brown eyes, no teeth, small wrinkled face; dressed in a dark-blue dress, black shoes, grey stockings (no hat), and usually has a piece of white rag tied in her hair. Her clothing is marked with a cross or "U"; mentally defective appearance.

CHRISTCHURCH.—16th ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife and children, **Frank Rodden**, age thirty-eight, height 5 ft. 6 in., traveller, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes. Arrears to 24th February last, £55 3s. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 169, and Photographs, 1925, page 68.)

*arrested 29/3/39.*

## APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

DARGAVILLE.—**Robert Warne Donaldson**, theft, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 301.)

DEVONPORT.—**Ian Colin Raines**, deserting Navy, has been arrested by the Geraldine police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 391.)

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—**Henry Long**, deserting ship, has been arrested by the National Park police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 405.)

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—**W. Flanagan**, deserting ship, has been arrested by the Queen Street Wharf (Auckland) police. His correct name is **William Flannagan**. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 405.)

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—**William Howard**, deserting ship, has been arrested by the Mount Cook police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 405.)

AUCKLAND.—**John Graham**, suspected of theft, has been interviewed by the Auckland police, but no evidence resulted. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 407.)

OTAHuhu.—**Colin Walker**, default of balance of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Tauranga police. His correct name is **Colin Joseph Walker**, and he is identical with **Colin Walker**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1927, page 168. (See Police Gazette, 1927, page 684.)

OTAHuhu.—**Douglas Wright**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Hamilton police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 405.)

THAMES.—**Charles Arthur Hansen**, breach of probation: No further action is to be taken. (See Police Gazette, 1931, page 105.)

HAMILTON.—**Charles Arthur William Hansen**, suspected of theft from dwelling of Cushla Hunter, has been interviewed by the Hamilton police, but no evidence resulted. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 375.)

ROTORUA.—**Frank Ross**, theft, has been arrested by the Queen Street Wharf (Auckland) police. His correct name is **Frank Norman Harrop**. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 422.)

GISBORNE.—**Stephen Charles Waller**, missing, has been located, and no further action is to be taken. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 304.)

HAWERA.—**John McIlwee**, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Wellington South police. His correct name is **John Joseph McIlwee**. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 847.)

HAWERA.—**Reginald Ross**, unlawfully on licensed premises, has been served with the summons by the Hawera police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 680.)

WELLINGTON.—**Ashley Maurice Deuchrass**, breach of probation, has been arrested by the Invercargill police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 355.)

WHARF (WELLINGTON).—**E. Murphy**, deserting ship, has been arrested by the Queen Street Wharf (Auckland) police. His correct name is **Edward Murphy**. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 337.)

WESTPORT.—**Ernest Walter Healey**, alias **Warren**, false pretences, has been arrested by the Oamaru police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 355.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—Margaret Elizabeth White's dwelling broken into: **Francis Henry Gordon Guilford**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1938, page 374, has admitted the offence to the Christchurch police, but the stolen property has not been recovered. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 107.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**William Albert Gregory**, alias **Albert William Gregory**, default of maintenance, has paid the arrears to the Mount Cook police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 680, and 1938, page 324.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**William Frederick Leah**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Fairlie police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 286.)

OAMARU.—**Albert Knut Dobson**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Fitzroy police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 120.)

DUNEDIN.—**Mockford**, suspected of breaking, entering, and theft: **Ashley Maurice Deuchrass** and **Irvine Davis McEwen**, have been arrested by the Invercargill police, and admit the offence. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 422.)

DUNEDIN.—**Joseph Celestine Revell**, alias **J. Taylor**, theft, has been arrested by the Wellington police, and admits the offence. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 374.)

DUNEDIN.—**Ashley Maurice Deuchrass** and **Irvine Davis McEwen**, suspected of breaking and entering dwelling of Patrick Murphy, have been arrested by the Invercargill police, and admit the offence. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 422.)

## PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—22nd February last, from a cubicle at the Mount Eden Baths, the property of **GEORGE MAURICE SELLARS**, 49 St. Albans Avenue, a gentlemen's silver oblong Swiss wristlet-watch, back of case slightly turned to fit wrist, Arabic black numerals, imitation silver wrist-strap attached; value, £4. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—8th April last, from the rear carrier of a motor-car in a driveway at 92 New Windsor Road, Avondale, the property of **HENRY WRIGHT**, 4 Parkside Street, St. Heliers, a gentlemen's coat (recovered); and a gentlemen's 9 ct. gold keyless hunting watch, No. 268644 F., Roman numerals, "Dennison Watch Case Co." stamped on inside, "H.W." in circle on front case, "H. Wright" on inside of back case or on back of inner case, "Swiss Made" on movement; value, £18. Identifiable. The coat was recovered in a nearby paddock, but the watch had been stolen from it.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 7th and 9th ultimo, the shop of **STANLEY FRED BENNETT**, 572 Karangahape Road, Newton, was broken into and the following stolen: A large quantity of tobacco; cigarettes; and tea of various brands; and some cheese; butter; soft drinks; sauce, &c.: total value, about £30. Not identifiable.