

WELLINGTON.—28th April last, that he may be located and interviewed regarding a fire which occurred in his room at Astor House, 141 Willis Street, the property of Rose Rattray. — **Wilson**, age about fifty, height 5 ft. 4 in., labourer, native of Scotland, strong build, ruddy complexion, grey hair going bald, blue eyes; dressed in a blue suit. He stayed at complainant's boardinghouse for about seven weeks, but he left at about 7 p.m. on the 28th April last, and shortly after it was discovered that the bedding in the room he occupied had been placed on the floor and set on fire, being damaged to the amount of £3.

WELLINGTON.—10th ultimo, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Mabel Elizabeth Christensen, and three children, 279 Karaka Bay Road, **Fredrick Christensen**, age forty-one, height 5 ft. 10 in., motor mechanic, native of New Zealand, strong build, fair complexion, brown hair turning grey, blue eyes, straight nose, portion of one finger missing, one thumb stiff, woman's face and regimental badge on one arm, dead skin on chin and on each arm, suffers from war disability, and occasionally confined to bed; surly manner; slow slouching gait, and keeps his hands in his pockets; neatly dressed.

WELLINGTON.—9th May last, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for three months in default of paying £28 10s. fine and costs for a breach of the Employment Promotion Act, **Jack Brophy**, alias **John Michael Brophy**, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 7½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, thin build, fresh complexion, brown hair and eyes. (See Police Gazette, 1936, page 602.)

WELLINGTON.—25th May last, on warrant for a breach of his probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **Robert Forbes Reid**, alias **George Goodwin**, alias **George Forbes Reid**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1937, page 637, and 1938, page 164, and Photographs, 1927, page 22. He has failed to make restitution, and has also failed to report to a Probation Officer.

WELLINGTON.—22nd ultimo, on warrant for failing to provide for the maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child, **John Fahy**, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 6 in., barman, native of Ireland, slight build, dark complexion, curly black hair, brown eyes, broken nose; usually dressed in a brown suit; slightly stooped; quiet manner; speaks with a brogue. Complainant, Iris Louisa Smith.

WELLINGTON.—30th May last, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Prison for ~~two~~ days in default of paying £2 15s. fine and costs for being found in a gaming-house, **William Herbert Miller Duncan**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1938, page 416, and Photographs, 1932, page 4.

CHRISTCHURCH.—9th ultimo, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife, Jessie Jean McAuliffe, and children, 142 Bordesley Street, Linwood, **Aloysius Joseph McAuliffe**, age thirty-two, height 5 ft. 11 in., clerk, native of New Zealand, slight build, olive complexion, black hair, brown eyes, aquiline nose, scar on upper lip; usually dressed in navy-blue clothes.

CHRISTCHURCH.—13th ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his two children, **Charles Firth Woodhead**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1933, page 568, and Photographs, page 8. Arrears to 30th March last, £170 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—31st May last, on warrant of commitment to Paparua Prison for six months in default of paying £414 2s. 3d. arrears on a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Ethel Alice Saunders, **Lewis Walter Saunders**, alias **Louis Walter Saunders**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1937, page 312.

CHRISTCHURCH.—23rd ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Gwendoline Olive Smith, and child, **Cecil Gordon Smith**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 6 in., railway workshops employee, native of New Zealand, strong build, sallow complexion, brown hair, grey eyes, thick nose, cast in left eye, which is blind. He is believed to be living with a woman named Molly Fletcher. His photograph is filed. Arrears to 16th May last, £16 7s.

WAIMATE.—24th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Waimate Prison for twenty-four hours in default of paying 17s. balance of fine and costs for operating a motor-cycle without a light, **Thomas Cull**, age thirty-one, height 5 ft. 10 in. farm labourer, native of Ireland, strong build, dark complexion and hair, brown eyes.

DUNEDIN.—27th May last, on warrant for failing to maintain his illegitimate child, of whom Ray Valentine Smith, 303 King Street, is the mother, **James Alexander**, age sixty height 6 ft., wharf labourer, native of Australia, stout build, fresh complexion, grey hair, blue eyes, woman's head on one forearm; wears glasses; usually dressed in a blue serge suit and tan shoes. He is also to be interviewed regarding a false statement which he made to the Registrar of Births as to the birth of the child, Doreen Anne Smith.

DUNEDIN.—23rd ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Jane Reid, **Harold Warner Reid**, age forty-eight, height 5 ft. 9 in., rabbit, native of New Zealand, strong build, ruddy complexion, blue eyes, small scar on nose; bald; stutters; fond of drink. Arrears to 21st March last, £12 10s. He is to be brought before the Magistrate's Court nearest to place of arrest.

DUNEDIN.—27th ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Merrial Evelyn Andrews, 143 Kenmore Road, **Maurice Daniel Andrews**, alias **Morris Daniel Andrews**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 7½ in., seaman, native of Australia, medium build, fresh complexion, fair hair, grey eyes, ship, clasped hands, and laurel on left forearm, crossed flags, "Kia Ora," four stars, and fern on right upper arm; usually dressed in a serge suit with purple tinge. Arrears to 9th ultimo, £29 1s. 6d. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 57.)

APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

DEVONPORT.—**Carl Albert Temm**, deserting Navy, has been arrested by the Te Aroha police. He assumed the name **G. A. Johnson**. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 444.)

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—**Ernest Wherle**, deserting ship, has been arrested by the National Park police. He assumed the name **Ernest Gordon**. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 269.)

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—**William MacLeod**, deserting ship, has been arrested by the Taranaki Street (Wellington) police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 405.)

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—**Charles Pegg**, deserting ship, has been arrested by the Mount Cook police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 461.)

AUCKLAND.—**Lee On**, alias **Ah Louie**, alias **Ah Louey**, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 315.)

AUCKLAND.—**Nelson Ronald James**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Auckland police. His correct name is **Nelson Sydenham George Morey**. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 55.)

AUCKLAND.—**Edward McFarland**, alias **Label McFarlane**, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Mount Eden police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 302.)

AUCKLAND.—**William Charles Clements**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Rotorua police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 405.)

AUCKLAND.—**Joseph Sullivan**, default of maintenance, has paid the arrears to the Paeroa police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 441.)

AUCKLAND.—**Gordon Greeley Rahiri Bennett**, alias "Chum" Bennett, default of maintenance, has paid the arrears to the Paeroa police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 441.)

AUCKLAND.—**Walter Hastings**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount into Court. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 461.)

AUCKLAND.—**Clarence Henry Dillon**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Ponsonby police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 373.)

TAURANGA.—**Alfred Grieve Moffat**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount to the Taneatua police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 197.)

HAMILTON.—**Archibald Campbell Fox**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Stratford police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 461.)

OPOTIKI.—**Reginald Davis Lovell**, failing to provide, has been arrested by the Opotiki police. (See Police Gazette, 1937, page 616.)

KIHIKIHI.—**Colin William Glass**, escaping from prison, has been arrested by the Freeman's Bay police. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 323.)

GISBORNE.—**Arthur Norman Stratton**, alias **Arthur Norman Lawson**, failing to maintain: Warrants cancelled. (See Police Gazette, 1934, page 589.)

NEW PLYMOUTH.—**Charles Preston**, breaking, entering, and theft, has been arrested by the Wanganni police, and admits the offence. His correct name is **Leslie Stuart Inglis**. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 441.)

CANCELLED. 14/12/38.

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