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NOTICE.—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the *Police Gazette* see *Gazette* No. 1 of this year.

The arrest of offenders described in the *Police Gazette*, or respecting whom crime reports have been forwarded for insertion in the *Gazette*, should be promptly notified by the member of the Force effecting the arrest.

When notifying the arrest of persons charged with theft or suspected of theft, it should be stated whether the property stolen, or any portion of it, has been recovered.

A description of property supposed to be stolen, found in the possession of offenders, for which owners cannot be found, should be furnished for insertion in the *Gazette*.

All communications concerning this *Gazette* should be addressed to the Commissioner of Police, Wellington, and the envelope marked "For *Gazette*." Members of the Force in charge of out-stations will forward them *direct*.

PERSONS WANTED.

AUCKLAND.—28th ultimo, that he may be compelled to contribute towards the support of his four children, inmates of the Auckland Institute for the Blind, **George Martin**, age fifty-four, height 6 ft. 1 in., carter, native of England, grey hair, blue eyes, sallow complexion; a very heavy smoker; generally wears a grey suit and hard-felt hat.

AUCKLAND.—16th November last, on **warrant** for theft of 4s. 10d., the money of George Albert Elley, Auckland, **James Nicholas Brady**, age thirty-seven, height 5 ft. 4½ in., labourer, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes. (See *Police Gazette*, 1910, page 232.)

PUKEKOHE.—22nd ultimo, that he may be served with a summons for drunkenness, obscene language, and breach of prohibition order, **James Vincent**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 7 in., labourer, supposed native of New Zealand, hard face, sallow complexion, larrikin appearance, no hair on face, brown hair, restless manner when speaking, had a bandage round one hand; dressed in dark-tweed suit and grey jockey-cap; fond of drink, and quarrelsome. He is supposed to have come from Wellington.

WHANGAREI.—3rd ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to provide for the future maintenance of his unborn illegitimate

child, **Herbert O'Rourke**, age twenty-three, height 6 ft., labourer and bushman, native of Tasmania, medium build, dark complexion, black hair, brown eyes, clean-shaved; dressed in dark suit and straw hat. Has a brother a hotel-keeper on the West Coast, supposed Greymouth.

HUNTLY.—28th October last, on **warrant** for obtaining £14 from William Hyde, miner, by falsely representing that he had sold a section at Denniston for £317, **Alexander Ross**, *alias* **A. P. Roscoe**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 5 in. or 6 in., miner, native of Scotland, strong build, dark-red hair, red moustache only, florid slightly freckled complexion, full round face, little finger of left hand recently amputated below second joint; dressed in dark sac suit and hard hat.

TE AROHA.—2nd instant, on **warrant** for procuring liquor for a prohibited person, **William Meek**, age about forty-four, height about 5 ft. 10 in., labourer and gardener, native of England, medium build, dark sallow complexion, clean-shaved except dark moustache, long face and nose, slightly round shoulders; usually wears dark suit and soft light-felt hat. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 279.)

GISBORNE.—26th ultimo, that a summons may be served on him for sly-grog selling, **Joseph J. Murphy**, age about twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion, fair hair (inclined to curl), ginger moustache only; dressed in a grey suit with large check. He was last seen riding a dark-brown mare with star on forehead, and had with him a yellow long-haired collie dog, going towards Wairoa.

WAIROA.—6th ultimo, on **warrant** of commitment to Wairoa Prison for forty-eight hours in default of paying £1 7s. fine and costs for drunkenness, **Joseph Polson**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 7 in., labourer, native of Australia, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, grey eyes, longish nose; dressed in brown suit and Panama hat; fond of drink. He is also wanted that a distress **warrant** for £10 10s. may be executed on him.

WAIPAWA.—17th ultimo, on **warrant** for forging a cheque for £20, purporting to be signed by C. Y. Dally, and uttering same to John Langridge, storekeeper, **Eric Oscar Fairey**, age twenty-three, height 5 ft. 3½ in., florist and labourer, native of Australia, fair complexion, auburn hair, light-grey eyes, medium nose (very red at point), effeminate appearance, light active build; dressed in dark-blue tweed coat, fancy vest, blue check-pattern saddle-tweed pants, and tan boots. He was employed by Mr. Dally, and was known to the storekeeper, who sold him goods to the value of about £2 and gave him the balance in cash. He was last heard of in Auckland.