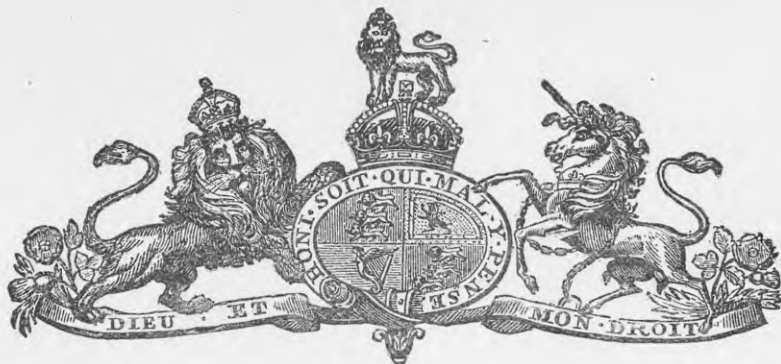


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NOTICE.—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the *Police Gazette* see *Gazette* No. 1 of this year.

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 members 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, shall 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.

NEWTON.—30th ultimo, that he may induced to pay £2 5s. arrears due for the maintenance of his child, an inmate of the Te Oraiga Home, **Edward James Curtice**, age thirty-six, height 5 ft. 6 in.—telegraph linesman, native of New Zealand, clean-shaved, fair hair and complexion.

AUCKLAND.—11th instant, on **warrant** for failing to provide his wife with adequate maintenance, **John Clark Edwards**, labourer, native of Australia, age thirty-nine, height 5 ft. 9 in., medium build, fair complexion and hair, blue eyes; quiet disposition. Complainant, Mary Edwards, Ellerslie.

THAMES.—7th March last, on **warrant** of commitment to Thames Police-gaol for seven days in default of paying £1 3s. fine and costs for being drunk and disorderly, **Francis Henry Laming**, labourer, native of New Zealand, age twenty-three, height 5 ft. 11 in., medium build, dark complexion, black hair, brown eyes; flying dragon, Faith, Hope, and Charity on left forearm; flowers and clasped hands on right forearm. (See following paragraph.)

THAMES.—7th March, on **warrant** of commitment to Thames Police-gaol for fourteen days in default of paying £2 3s. fine and costs for obscene language, **Francis Henry Laming**, labourer, native of New Zealand, age twenty-three, height 5 ft. 11 in., medium build, dark complexion, black hair, brown eyes; flying dragon, Faith, Hope, and Charity on left forearm; flowers and clasped hands on right forearm. (See preceding paragraph.)

HAMILTON.—1st instant, on **warrant** for forgery and uttering, **Leonard George Brasell, alias Johnstone**, labourer, native of New Zealand, age eighteen, height about 5 ft. 5 in., strong build, fresh complexion, full round face, dark hair, blue eyes, clean-shaved, bad upper teeth; usually dressed in dark-tweed suit and soft furry hat. Accused forged the name of J. J. Raynes to a cheque for £6 5s., drawn on the National Bank of New Zealand, Hamilton, and uttered it to the Mutual Stores Company.

HAMILTON.—30th ultimo, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for twenty-four hours in default of paying 8s. fine and costs for drunkenness, **Thomas Ernest Symons**, butcher, native of New Zealand, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 10 in., medium build, dark complexion, brown hair and eyes; scars on right palm and on forehead.

GISBORNE.—27th August, 1913, on **warrant** of commitment to Gisborne Prison for seven days in default of paying 18s. fine and costs for a breach of the Defence Act, **Sydney Hind**, outfitter's or tobacconist's assistant, native of New Zealand, age twenty-two, height 5 ft. 10 in., medium build, fair hair, fair freckled complexion, round face, clean-shaved.