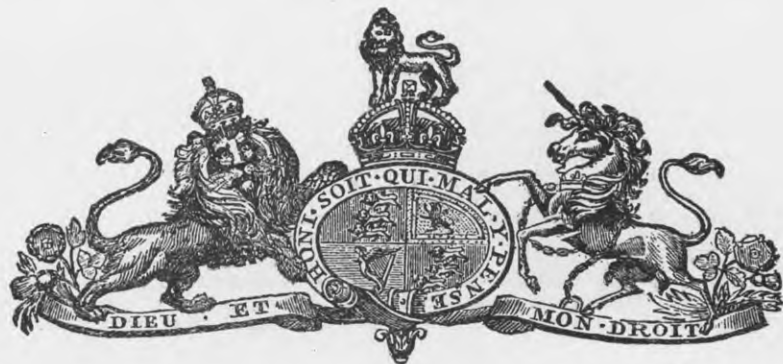


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NOTICE.—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the *Police Gazette* see *Gazette* No. 1 of this year.

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.

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—4th ultimo, on warrant for deserting from the s.s. "Victoria," **R. Gillard**, age thirty-three, height 6ft. 2 in., fireman, native of America, stout build, dark complexion, black hair, blue eyes. (This is inserted in lieu of the notice appearing on page 131 of this *Gazette*.)

AUCKLAND.—**George Lucas**, alias **Daniel O'Shea**, default of fine and costs: It has been ascertained that the offender is now in New South Wales. (See *Police Gazette*, 1915, page 787.) (C.R. 12/476.)

AUCKLAND.—6th instant, on warrant for failing to maintain his wife and child, **Henry Bennett** (known by the nickname "**Taihape Jack**"), age about forty, height about 5 ft. 9 in., labourer, native of England, medium build, dark complexion, black hair, blue eyes, one upper front tooth missing, blue mark on forehead. Complainant, **Ada Bennett**, 35 Nelson Street, Newton.

AUCKLAND.—13th December, 1915, that he may be compelled to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his two children, inmates of Christchurch Industrial School, **Alfred Dory Ogier**, age forty-four, height 5 ft. 2 in., hairdresser, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, grey hair, blue eyes. (See *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 16.)

AUCKLAND.—10th instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his two children, **George Ebert**, age about thirty-six, height about 6 ft., brewer, native of New Zealand, stout build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes. Arrears to 18th ultimo, £83 15s.

HAMILTON.—14th instant, for escaping from the lock-up, **Charles Henry Roxborough**, alias **Richardson**, alias **Ewan**, alias **Henderson**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer and cook, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, grey eyes; dressed in a brown American-cut suit, black shoes, and straw hat; smart appearance. He was awaiting sentence on a charge of breaking and entering and theft. (See *Police Gazette*, 1916, page 150.)

PAEROA.—18th October, 1915, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his illegitimate child, **George McCoombe**, age about thirty-two, height about 5 ft. 8 in., driver and soldier, native of Australia, good build, fair hair and complexion, left middle finger bent; usually dressed in a grey suit and hard black hat; swinging gait. Arrears to 16th October, 1915, £5.

PAPAKURA.—6th instant, on warrant for false pretences, **William Gunn**, age about sixty, height 5 ft. 7 in., supposed traveller, medium build, fresh complexion, grey hair going bald, blue eyes, short pointed beard; dressed in a dark suit and hard hat; talkative. Accused obtained 17s. from **Margaret Taylor**, Railway Hotel, Drury, by means of a valueless sola of exchange for £1 10s. on C. H. Furness and Co., Auckland, and signed **W. Gunn**. The sola of exchange was tendered in payment for board. He is believed to be identical with **William Gunn**, referred to in *Police Gazette*, 1915, page 719.