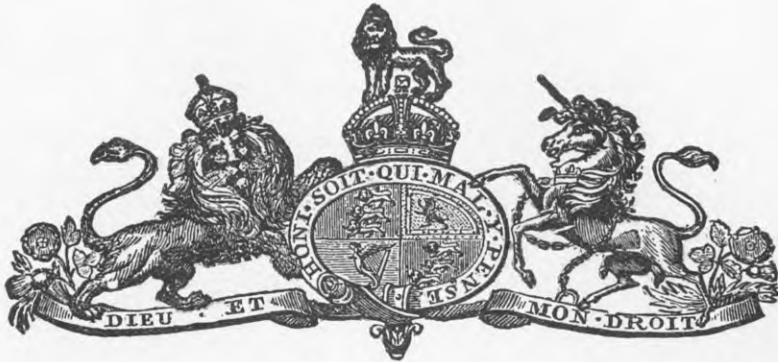


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NOTICE.—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the *Police Gazette* see *Gazette* No. 1 of this year.

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.

AUCKLAND.—10th instant, on **warrant** for theft of a black-ivory hair-brush, a black-and-red-striped rug, a brown-leather portmanteau, and a dark-tweed suit, total value £7 5s., identifiable, the property of Margaret Jonas, 38 George Street, **William Edward Rogers**, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 5 in., soldier, artist, and showman, native of New Zealand, slight build, dark complexion, black hair, brown eyes, scar on centre of forehead, mole on left side of neck, scar on right wrist and behind left knee, left foot turned in; walks with the aid of a stick, which he always holds in front of left leg; may be dressed in khaki uniform or in a dark suit and small grey hat. Accused was boarding with complainant, and left taking the articles. (See *Police Gazette*, 1915, page 601, and Photographs, 1913, page 28.)

AUCKLAND.—13th instant, for assaulting and robbing John Kershaw, hardware-merchant, 48 Pitt Street, of a brief-bag with lining torn out, containing £20 in mixed silver, **Two men** (names unknown). Description: First, age about twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 10 in., medium build, clean-shaved; wearing a returned soldiers' badge. (The other cannot be described.) Complainant was on his way home in Williams Street, Mount Albert, when the offence was committed. **No warrant.**

AUCKLAND.—8th ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his three children, **Ernest Sutton Chatfield**, age forty, height 5 ft. 3 in., master mariner, native of New Zealand, strong build, dark hair and complexion, blue eyes, no upper teeth. Arrears to 1st ultimo, £13 8s.

AUCKLAND.—25th February last, that he may be located and the Director of Personal Services, Wellington, notified of his whereabouts, **John Donovan**, age thirty-three, height 5 ft. 8 in., engine-driver, dark hair and complexion, blue eyes.

AUCKLAND.—23rd March last, that proceedings for failing to notify his change of address may be instituted against him, **Daniel Charles McDowell**, age forty-one, cook.

TE KUITI.—4th ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to maintain his wife, **James Miller**, age fifty-three, height 5 ft. 10 in., mill hand, native of England, slight build, fresh complexion, dark hair turning grey, blue eyes, dark moustache turning grey; slightly stooped; fond of drink; slovenly appearance. Complainant, C. A. Miller, Araroto.

TOLAGA BAY.—23rd April last, on **two warrants** of commitment to Gisborne Prison for one month on each in default of paying £11 (£5 10s. on each) fine and costs for illegally supplying liquor to a Native and introducing liquor into a Maori pa, **Alexander Smith**, age about fifty, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer, native of Scotland, strong build, ruddy complexion, grey hair and eyes; erect gait; slovenly appearance; fond of drink. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 178.)