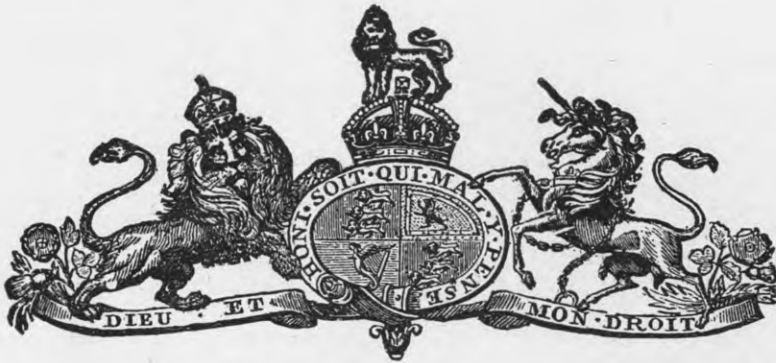


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NOTICE.—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the *Police Gazette* see *Gazette* No. 1 of this year.

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.—17th January last, on **warrant** for false pretences, **Herbert Helm**, age thirty-five, height 5 ft. 7 in., cook and fruiterer, native of New Zealand, medium build, pale complexion, dark hair, light-blue eyes, broad features, scar on first joint of left middle finger. He may be accompanied by a woman supposed to be his wife. Accused received £4 13s. from the Auckland Provincial Fruitgrowers' Association, Albert Street, by means of a valueless cheque for £17 on the National Bank of New Zealand, which he tendered in payment for a quantity of fruit. (See *Police Gazette*, 1915, page 24, and photographs, 1908, page 2.)

AUCKLAND.—27th January last, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for seven days in default of paying £2 18s. fine and costs for a breach of her prohibition order, **Jean Moore**, age thirty-eight, height 5 ft. 3 in., native of New Zealand, fair complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes.

NEW PLYMOUTH.—4th instant, for deserting from the American barque "Thrasher," **Edward Beal**, age thirty-four, height 5 ft. 3 in., seaman, native of America, fair complexion, grey eyes, tattooed on right arm; usually dressed in a navy-blue-cloth suit with leather on sleeves and black hat. An information charging accused with the offence has been laid.

NEW PLYMOUTH.—4th instant, for deserting from the American barque "Thrasher," **A. Carter**, age forty, height 5 ft. 5 in., seaman, native of Australia, fair complexion, red hair; usually dressed in a dark-tweed suit and black hat with wide brim. An information charging accused with the offence has been laid.

NEW PLYMOUTH.—8th instant, for deserting from the American barque "Thrasher," **Walter Jones**, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., seaman, native of America, strong build, light complexion, fair hair, blue eyes, clean-shaved; usually dressed in blue- serge trousers and brown coat and hat. An information charging accused with the offence has been laid.

NEW PLYMOUTH.—8th instant, for deserting from the American barque "Thrasher," **George Forbes**, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., seaman, native of America, strong build, fair complexion, light-brown hair, grey eyes, round face, clean-shaved; usually dressed in dark-tweed trousers, dark greenish-grey coat, green-felt hat, and brown shoes. An information charging accused with the offence has been laid.

NEW PLYMOUTH.—8th instant, for deserting from the American barque "Thrasher," **William Johnston**, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 9 in., seaman, native of America, slight build, fair complexion, long brown hair, blue eyes, clean-shaved, thin features; usually dressed in a dark-brown suit, soft-black hat, and brown boots. An information charging accused with the offence has been laid.

TUPAROA.—15th November last, that a summons for supplying liquor to a Native in a proclaimed area may be served upon him, **William Henry Pearson**, age forty-five, height 5 ft. 5 in., gardener, native of England, medium build, sallow complexion, brown hair turning grey, thin features; dressed in a grey suit and brown-felt hat.