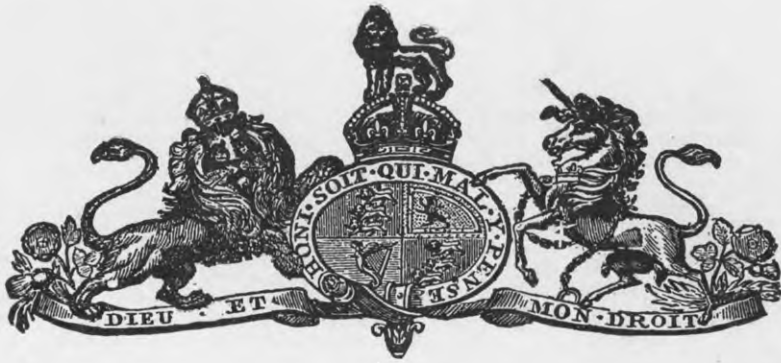


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NOTICE.—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the *Police Gazette* see *Gazette* No. 1 of this year.

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*.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

AUCKLAND.—On the 8th July last, the motor-garage of **ROBERT MILLEN**, farmer, 11 Bloomfield Road, Epsom, was broken open, and a motor-car and the garage, value £910, destroyed by fire. Any information regarding the offence is to be communicated to the Inspector of Police, Auckland

PERSONS WANTED.

WHANGAREI.—13th December, 1910, on warrant of commitment to Whangarei Police-gaol for seven days, in default of paying £2 11s. fine and costs for a breach of the Whangarei Borough By-laws, **Thomas Brown**, alias "Slow Tom," age about forty-five, height 5 ft. 6 in., fish-hawker, native of England, medium build, dark complexion, square shoulders, but walks with slight stoop; speaks quickly.

AUCKLAND.—8th ultimo, for theft of a pair of boots and a raincoat (recovered), value £8, the property of James Faulkes, labourer, Seaview House, Hobson Street, **Andrew Russell** (name probably fictitious), age about thirty, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, pale complexion, yellow hair going bald, pale-blue eyes, prominent jaws; dressed in a grey dirty suit and wears glasses at times. Accused occupied a room with complainant, from which he stole the articles and pawned them for 16s. **No warrant.**

HAMILTON.—25th ultimo, that he may be compelled to maintain his son, an inmate of Tokanui Mental Hospital, **Samuel McQuay**, age fifty, height 5 ft. 11 in., labourer, slight build, sallow complexion, fair hair turning grey, grey moustache, long thin face; dressed in a faded-grey suit and greyfelt hat.

HAWERA.—**William McBride**, alias **William Patrick Brophy**, alias **Loftus**, forgery and uttering: It has been ascertained by the Auckland police that accused is now an inmate of Auckland Mental Hospital. There are charges pending against him in Auckland. (See *Police Gazette*, 1923, page 284.)

NAPIER.—28th ultimo, on warrant of commitment to Napier Prison for two months in default of paying £22 8s. arrears due on a maintenance order, **Richard Lovegrove**, age forty-eight, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of England, medium build, fair complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, round shoulders, scar on left forearm, dot on left wrist; stooping gait; sometimes grows a beard. Arrears computed to 25th June last. (See *Police Gazette*, 1923, page 345.)

WANGANUI.—25th ultimo, that a summons issued under the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1921, for the maintenance of his wife, Florence M. Leach, 13 Warden Road, Princetown, London N.W., may be served upon him, **Henry W. Leach**, age about forty, height 5 ft. 6 in., native of England, slightly staring eyes, red face and moustache. His photograph is filed in the Inspector's Office, Wanganui. Discreet inquiries are to be made for this man, and if he is located he is not to be notified of the inquiry until the summons is being served upon him.