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N OTICE.—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 conserning 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.

Concealment of Birth.

Wellington.—On the 18th instant the dead body of a newly-born male child was found in the harbour near Petone. A post-mortem examination revealed that the body was that of a full-time child, weighing 7 lb. 7 oz., who had been born alive, and that death occurred about seven days previous to the discovery of the body. Any information regarding the parentage of the child is to be communicated to the Superintendent of Police, Wellington.

PERSONS WANTED.

Whangarei.—On or about the 22nd ultimo, on warrant for forgery and uttering, George Edward Bellinger, alias Williamson, age twenty-six, height 5 ft. 7½ in., labourer, native of Tasmania, medium build, dark complexion, brown hair and eyes; scar on left calf; dressed in a grey suit; talkative. Accused forged the signature of John Lendich to a cheque for £7 12s. on the National Bank of New Zealand, Maungaturoto, and uttered it to Cyril Powell, Commercial Hotel, Whangarei. (See Police Gazette, 1927, page 663, and Photographs, 1921, page 109.)

Whangarei.—12th ultimo, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order, Gecil Rhodes Dudeck, alias Gyril Rhodes Dudeck, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 8 in., clerk, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, blue eyes, scar on left groin. (See Police Gazette, 1928, page 58.)

Whangarei.—22nd instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order, William Aston, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 10½ in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, green eyes; dancing-girl, heart, "Elsie," "Rose," clasped hands, and dagger on right forearm; star between right thumb and finger; butterfly and dagger, &c., on left forearm. (See Police Gazette, 1928, page 390.)

Auckland.—3rd instant, on warrant of commitment to Auckland Prison for three days in default of paying £1 5s. fine and costs for driving a motor-car without sufficient lights George Hayward, age about thirty-six, height 5 ft. 10 in., salesman, native of Australia, strong build, fair complexion and hair, brown eyes. He left for Australia in July last.

Auckland.—9th instant, on warrant for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of Eileen C. Patterson, Edward James Patterson, age twentynine, height 5 ft. 8 in., native of America, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes. Arrears to 5th June last, £6. (See Police Gazette, 1928, page 506.)