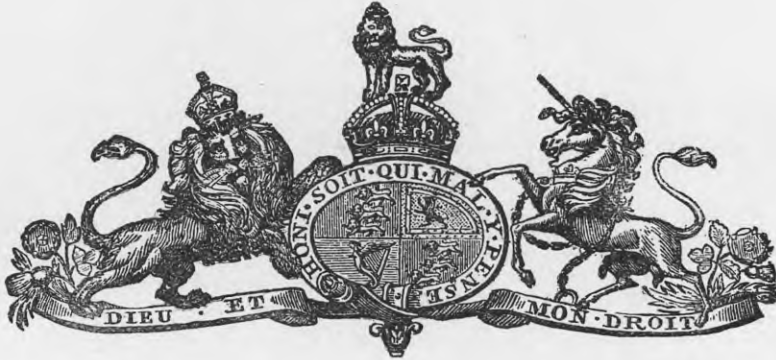


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**NOTICE.**—For instructions as to the manner in which reports are required to be furnished for the compilation of the Police Gazette see Gazette No. 1 of this year.

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.—18th ultimo, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for six months in default of paying £166 13s. arrears due on a maintenance order for the support of his wife, **John William Hope**, alias **J. Lane**, age thirty-six, height 5 ft. 3½ in., electrician, native of England, stout build, fresh complexion, grey hair, blue eyes, scar over left eye and on right middle finger. (See Police Gazette, 1927, page 623.)  
*Arrested 9/1/30.*

AUCKLAND.—12th instant, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for three days in default of paying £1 8s. 6d. costs for drunkenness, **Christopher John Johnson**, age fifty-seven, height 6 ft., labourer, native of New Zealand, strong build, fresh complexion, grey hair and eyes, scar on bridge of nose.

AUCKLAND.—12th ultimo, for assault, **Man** (name unknown), age about thirty, height 5 ft. 5 in., strong build, dark complexion and eyes, clean-shaved; dressed in a fawn tweed suit and dark-brown felt hat; foreign accent. About 7.30 p.m., in Cleveland Road, accused assaulted Ellen Halley, 50 Gladstone Road, Parnell. **No warrant.**

AUCKLAND.—16th instant, for failing to comply with the conditions of his release upon probation (Offenders Probation Act, 1920), **James Graham King**, age forty-seven, height 5 ft. 3 in., horse-trainer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair turning grey, brown eyes. On the 27th August last, for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his three children, accused was ordered to come up if called on. He has failed to report to the Probation Officer, and his arrest is desired.  
*located 28/11/28.*

AUCKLAND.—5th April last, for forgery, **Man** (name unknown). Accused called at the Post-office for letters and was given a letter addressed to "Mr. James Fleming," containing a money-order for £3 5s. The order was cashed at the Otahuhu Post-office. Suspicion is attached to **James Fleming**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1928, page 533, who has been interviewed, but the evidence is insufficient to sustain a charge against him. **No warrant.**

RAHOTU.—21st May last, for false pretences, **W. J. Gillies**, height 5 ft. 11 in., medium build, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair, brown moustache; dressed in a dark-grey suit and grey felt hat, and wears gold-rimmed pince-nez. Accused obtained benzine and oil, value £1 8s. 3d., and 11s. 9d. cash from John Leo Porer, blacksmith, Okato, by means of a valueless cheque for £2. He may be identical with man of same name referred to in Police Gazette, 1928, page 653. **No warrant.**  
*Arrested 9-1-29.*