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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Concealment of Birth.

AUCKLAND.—About 4.25 p.m. on the 27th ultimo, the dead body of a new-born female European child was found in Short Street. The body was wrapped in a piece of brown paper on which was written in pencil "Mr. J. Jones, Westport," and enclosed in a Supplement of the "New Zealand Herald" of 15th July, 1933. A post-mortem examination revealed that there were no marks of violence, and that the remains were those of a full-term still-born child, which had been born probably about twelve hours previously to the discovery of the body. Any information regarding the parentage of the child is to be communicated to the Superintendent of Police, Auckland.

PERSONS WANTED.

AUCKLAND.—31st August last, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for one month in default of paying £7 15s. arrears on a maintenance order for the support of his wife, Ann Elizabeth Sneddon, 24 Church Street, Ponsonby, **Alexander R. Sneddon**, age thirty (looks older), height 5 ft. 9 in., storeman, native of New Zealand, strong build, fresh complexion, dark-brown hair, brown eyes, butterfly and ship on each forearm; dressed in a brown or navy-blue suit, black patent-leather shoes, light-coloured felt hat, and leather coat.

AUCKLAND.—21st August last, for false pretences, **J. C. Weston** (name probably fictitious), believed identical with **Clarence Featherston Bezar**, age thirty-four, height 5 ft. 9½ in., clerk, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, auburn hair, grey eyes, anchor, lifebuoy, and sun on left arm. Accused obtained £5 3s. 1d. from Ronald Emanuel Hunt, accountant, 171 Vauxhall Road, Devonport, by means of a valueless cheque for that amount, signed J. C. Weston, and endorsed C. Bezar. The cheque was one of a number stolen from the residence of George Vincent Cronin, 20 Beaconsfield Street, Grey Lynn, with whom the suspect, Bezar, had been staying. There are other charges pending. **No warrant.** (See Police Gazette, 1925, page 38, and Photographs, 1924, page 11.)

AUCKLAND.—13th July last, on **warrant** of commitment to Auckland Prison for one month in default of paying £5 12s. fine and costs for theft, **Marie Paxel**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1933, page 446, and Photographs, page 73.

AUCKLAND.—26th ultimo, that he may be interviewed regarding non-payment of his unemployment levies, **Bert Pierson**, alias **H. Pearson**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1933, page 253. *see 9/9/36. interv'd, 28/3/45*

AUCKLAND.—19th ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to comply with the terms of a maintenance order for the support of his wife, **Samuel Richard Evans**, age fifty-one, height 5 ft. 9 in., cook, native of England, medium build, fresh complexion, dark hair turning grey, grey eyes. Arrears to 21st July last, £127 6s. *arrested 6/12/33.*

INGLEWOOD.—18th ultimo, on **warrant** of commitment to New Plymouth Prison for two months in default of paying £35 2s. 10d. fine and costs for being intoxicated in charge of a motor-car, **John William Murtagh**, age twenty-nine, height 6 ft., salesman, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, grey eyes. He is employed by Sidney H. Rossiter, Paramount Portrait Studios, 15 Courtenay Place, Wellington, and he is travelling for orders in the South Island. (See Police Gazette, 1932, page 737.) *Paid 18/10/33*

STRATFORD.—24th June last, on **warrant** for forgery, **Don McMillan**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, light-brown hair, long face; slovenly dressed in a navy-blue suit and dark felt hat; stooped; nervous disposition. Accused forged the signature of E. L. R. Batten, dentist, to a cheque for £8 and uttered it to R. Wood, hotelkeeper. *arrested 10/1/34.*

MANAIA.—21st ultimo, that he may be located and interviewed regarding a .303 calibre Lee Enfield rifle, No. 93535, which is alleged to have been loaned to him at Tauranga about the year 1927 by Gilbert Campbell, who was then a resident of Manaia, but now of Waipawa, **Man** (name unknown). Campbell has been interviewed, but states that he does not know the name of the man to whom he loaned the rifle, and that it was never returned.

WANGANUI.—21st ultimo, on **warrant** of commitment to Wellington Prison for fourteen days in default of paying £54 15s. arrears on a maintenance order for the support of his child, **Frederick Ernest Cartwright**, age forty-nine, height 5 ft. 9½ in., bootmaker, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, curly dark hair turning grey, grey eyes, large ears and nose, small growth on left eyelid. (See Police Gazette, 1927, page 708.) *arrested 18/10/33*

MARTON.—25th ultimo, that he may be interviewed regarding non-payment of his unemployment levies, **Yew Wong**, age forty-one, height 5 ft. 5 in., gardener, native of China. *194*

NO FURTHER ACTION TO BE TAKEN. *145*