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**Newell's Shearwater** *Puffinus newelli* Henshaw 1900, Vagrant (2) 13/11/1994 Dargaville Beach, Northland 2/12/1997 Norfolk Island

One was found by David Crockett on Dargaville Beach, a stretch of coast which rivals Muriwai Beach for beach-washed first records (Taylor 1996). Newell's Shearwater breeds in Hawaii and occasionally wanders south to American Samoa and New Zealand.