

UNCLAIMED PROPERTY

AUCKLAND.—The articles described hereunder were found underneath a hedge at 13 Marlborough Street, Mount Albert, on 28th December last, but the owner has not been found: A six-chambered old pin-fire revolver (about .25 calibre) with wooden grip; a mortice door-lock; a pair of horn-rimmed spectacles; a gold-plated expanding wrist-band from ladies' wristlet watch, comprised of thirteen links each about $\frac{1}{2}$ in. long; a pocket-knife, about 1 in. long with bone handle and loop on end for chain; a gilt ribbon-chain with gold-plated medal, "Kia Ora" and fern design thereon; a gold-plated shield, "J.P." thereon with fern on each side; a locket, about $\frac{1}{2}$ in. square, containing lock of hair, which is covered with piece of glass, imitation pearls set around front, "Mary Jones died 7 Nov., 1821. Aged 35" on back; a gold-plated oval locket, about $\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, glass on front; an 18 ct. gold old wedding ring, about $\frac{1}{4}$ in. wide; a ladies' gold-plated dress ring, set with five imitation stones in straight claw setting; a ladies' gold-plated dress ring with large claw setting from which stone has been removed; a gentlemen's 18 ct. gold ring, $\frac{1}{4}$ in. wide, stone removed; a ladies' gold-plated dress ring which is broken and stones removed; and a nail-pick with white bone handle, $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. long.

PETONE.—The bicycle described hereunder was found in Jackson Street on 30th December last, but the owner has not been found: A gentleman's black, No. B. 5094, racing handle-bars, leather saddle, rubber pedals, B.S.A. drive-wheel, Reidrubber tires, Blumel's pump.

ABSENTEES, DESERTERS, ETC., FROM HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

AUCKLAND.—5th January last, on **military warrant** for deserting from Papakura and Trentham Camps respectively—
(1) **Felix Richard Gallagher**, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 11 in., labourer, good build, fair complexion, brown hair, blue eyes.
(2) **Arthur Joseph Stanley Grassam**, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 7 in., seaman, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes.

(1) Warrant cancelled 29/3/44.
(2) arrested, 29/3/44.

AUCKLAND.—6th November last, on **military warrant** for being absent from Rotorua Camp without leave, **Phillip Charles Ngatehei Winiata**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1943, page 512.

Cancelled, 20/3/46.

AUCKLAND.—5th January last, on **military warrant** for deserting from Papakura Camp—(1) **Charles Lester Partridge**, age thirty, height 6 ft., butcher, good build, fair complexion, brown hair, blue eyes. (2) **William Abel Gordon Crombie**, age twenty-nine, height 5 ft. 7 in., market-gardener, good build, dark complexion, black hair, blue eyes. (3) **Alfred Hedley McIntosh**, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 9 in., bushman, good build, dark complexion and hair, hazel eyes.

(1) Warrant cancelled 29/3/44.

(2) cancelled, 24/5/44.

(3) cancelled, 31/5/44.

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

Resigned

No. 3706. Constable Bensemam, Edwin George. 20th February, 1944.

No. T. 1431. Temporary Constable Anderson, William. 23rd February, 1944.

Appointment as Detective

No. 3742. Constable Robinson, James Bruce. 14th February, 1944.

EXTRACT FROM NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE

Open Seasons for the Taking or Killing of Opossums in certain Acclimatization Districts

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1944, page 200.)