

MASTERTON.—1st instant, on warrant of commitment to Wellington Gaol for one month for assault, **Charles Williams, alias William Doyle**, age thirty-five, height 5ft. 5 in., a flax-mill hand, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, black hair, grey eyes, small nose; dressed in grey-check suit and cap. (See *Police Gazette*, 1904, page 98.) Will probably be in the company of Donald Wilson. (See preceding paragraph.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—2nd instant, on warrant for deserting his wife, Margaret Martin, at Christchurch, **William Martin**, age thirty-one, height 5ft. 7 in., an engine driver, native of Ireland, short stout build, light-brown hair, blue eyes, broad fat face, reddish moustache, large swelling on back of each hand.

RAKAI.—29th ultimo, on warrant for failing to make provision for the maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child, **Frank Newman**, age twenty-two, height 5ft. 8 in. or 9 in., a labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, reddish complexion, red hair, clean shaved; usually dressed in dark sac suit. He was recently seen in Wellington, where his sister, Mrs. William Lewis, resides (address unknown). Her husband is said to be employed in a bacon-factory there.

OAMARU.—20th ultimo, on warrant for theft of a pair of men's lace-up boots, light make, size 7, pointed toes, patch on side of right and toe of left, value 15s., the property of Alfred Calder, labourer, **James Moore**, age about thirty-five, height 5ft. 6 in., a labourer and seaman, native of England, stout build, dark hair, inclined to curl, dark complexion, short thick dark moustache, speaks with strong North of England accent; dressed in grey-check suit, brown sweater, and Dr. Jim hat. Supposed gone to Bluff or Stewart Island. He is now suspected of stealing James McKenzie's bicycle. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 147.)

DUNEDIN.—17th ultimo, on warrant for theft of a buggy-rug (recovered), value 15s., the property of Robert A. Cantrell, N.E. Harb ur, Otago, **Joseph Joyce, alias Jose**, age thirty, height 6ft., a cook, native of Victoria, strong build, dark complexion, hair, and eyes; dressed in an old brown coat and vest, dark trousers, and old brown slouch hat.

APPREHENSIONS AND PERSONS FOUND.

GISBORNE.—**H. G. Lomax**, false pretences on Common, Sheiton, and Co. (Limited), has been arrested by Constables J. A. Cruickshank and J. J. Melville, Bluff police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 133.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—**Leonard John Meyrick**, default of fines, has been arrested by Detective F. J. Bishop and Acting-Detective A. Ward, Christchurch police. Fines paid. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 145.)

DANNEVIRKE.—**John J. Clifton**, failing to make provision for the maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child, has been arrested by Constable C. Lill-y, Masterton police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 145.)

WELLINGTON.—**James Hendry Elliott Tyson**, disobeying an order of Court, has been arrested by Constable C. J. King, Manners Street police, on information supplied by Detective J. J. Cassells, Wellington police, and lodged in Wellington Gaol. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 66.) He is not identical with J. Hendy. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 146.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Charles N. Clarke**, theft from Taylor and Oakley, has been arrested by Detective L. D. Benjamin, New Plymouth police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 105.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Archibald Malcolm McDuff**, failing to make provision for his unborn illegitimate child, has been arrested by Constable T. Keenan, Gisborne police, on information supplied by Acting-Detective J. A. Raynes, Napier police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, pages 126 and 146.)

TIMARU.—**J. Johnson, alias John Spain, alias Spaan, alias Matson**, forgery on John Gardiner, has been arrested by Constable D. Connolly, Dunedin police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 116.)

TIMARU.—**Martha Baird**, lunacy, has returned to her home at Timaru. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 45.)

TAPANUI.—**Daniel Montgomery**, wife-desertion, has been arrested by Acting-Detective J. A. Raynes, Napier police, on information supplied by Constable J. Cowan, Tapanui police. He was going under the name of Thomas Montgomery. (See *Police Gazette*, 1904, page 188.)

GORE.—**William Browder**, failing to make provision for his unborn illegitimate child, has been arrested by Constable J. C. Griffiths, Carterton police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 134.) He was going under the name of William Burns.

INVERCARGILL.—**Roderick McGregor**, failing to provide for the maintenance of his unborn illegitimate child; warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1904, page 180.)

SYDNEY.—**J. D. Mushet**, deserting from H.M.S. "Mutine," has surrendered to the police at Hobart. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 5, and *Tasmanian Police Gazette*, 1905, page 71.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—26th ultimo, from the warehouse of H. B. MORTON AND CO., a box containing 20lb. of double-thick Derby tobacco, box about 14 in. by 7 in., and branded "N.C.B." over "O."; value, £5 5s.

AUCKLAND.—22nd or 23rd ultimo, from a bedroom in the Thames Hotel, the property of ERNEST FRANS LUKS, an evening-dress coat and vest; a dark-tweed sac suit with light stripe; a gentlemen's gem straw hat with black band; a gentlemen's silver-mounted umbrella, square top; a gentlemen's silver-mounted bamboo walking-stick, "E. F. L. from Ethel" engraved on end; value, £9 9s. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—20th or 21st ultimo, from the Waitemata boat-shed, the property of THOMAS DOUGLAS BELL, Mary Street, Mount Eden, a leather brief-bag; a brown sweater; a pair of yachting-shoes; three rowing-jerseys, blue and gold hoops; a pair of blue and a pair of white Tairora pants; four towels; value, £1 19s. Bag and shoes identifiable. Breaking and entering.

SURREY HILLS (AUCKLAND).—24th or 25th ultimo, the property of JAMES TEASDALE, baker, Ponsonby Road, three drab-coloured canvas horse-covers, one nearly new, the others considerably worn, "J. T." on leg-straps of best one; value, £3. Identifiable by brand.

FREEMAN'S BAY (AUCKLAND).—21st ultimo, from the shop of WILLIAM COLLINS, baker, during a fire, a small leather bag containing £1 10s. in silver and copper; six small white-handled table-knives, value 6s. A greenstone brooch with gold band on each end and middle, and a square gold locket, ruby in centre and "W. Collins" engraved on back, value £3 5s., are also missing, but may have been destroyed in the fire. Bag and jewellery identifiable.

WAIPU.—25th or 26th ultimo, the property of THOMAS KELLAND, Raurangi, two sacks of scraped superior white kauri-gum, sacks branded T.K.O. over 3X; two sacks of brown gum, sacks branded T.K.O. over B.; six sacks of brown nuts, sacks branded T.K.O. over B.N.; three sacks of sugar-gum, sacks branded T.K.O. over S.; one sack of white nuts branded T.K.O. over W.N.; one sack of gum-chips, branded T.K.O. over C.; value, £41 10s. Sacks and certain pieces of white gum identifiable.

KARANGAHAKE.—26th ultimo, the property of LIONEL IZOD, clerk, a dark-brown gelding, nine years old, about 15½ hands high, white on nose, a few white hairs on forehead, scar on right knee, fast walker, broken to saddle or harness; value £10. Identifiable.

WAIKINO.—Between 10th and 11th ultimo, from Mrs. Bright's boardinghouse, the property of LONSDALE ELLIOTT, Grafton Road, Auckland, a Sterling bicycle, very old style, black enamelled, nearly new front tyre, very old block chain, adjustable handles, number obliterated; value, £3. Identifiable.