

TMARU.—6th ultimo, on **warrant** for failing to provide for the maintenance of his illegitimate child, **Alfred Gilbert**, age about twenty-three, height 5 ft. 8 in., an ex railway clerk, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, clean-shaved, dark-brown curly hair; dresses well; fond of drink. Has friends at Little River and at Dannevirke. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 208.)

OPHIR.—20th instant, that he may be compelled to provide for the maintenance of his wife and children, **John Bruce**, age thirty-six, height about 5 ft. 8 in., miner and labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, reddish hair, clean-shaved or may have sandy moustache, very blue eyes, fresh complexion, soar over right eye; is talkative regarding mining matters, fond of drink.

APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**William Edward Sinton**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by Constable Armstrong, Auckland police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1907, page 337.)

AUCKLAND.—**William Olive**, disobeying maintenance order, has been arrested by Constable J. Fitzpatrick, Marton police, and amount due paid. (See *Police Gazette*, 1907, page 217.)

AUCKLAND.—**Warwick William Woods**, alias **Wally**, false pretences, has been arrested by Constable J. Leece, Roxburgh police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 27.)

AUCKLAND.—**Charles Peterson**, absconding from industrial school, has been arrested by Sergeant W. Ramsay, Auckland police, and transferred to the Weraroa Training Farm, Levin. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 147.)

AUCKLAND.—**May Curtin**, alias **Hallet**, theft, has been arrested by Detective W. E. Hill and Acting-Detective W. Butler, Napier and Hastings police, and remanded. Stolen property recovered. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 137.)

KIMBOLTON.—**Henry James Hancox**, default of maintenance, has been interviewed by Constable C. O'Reilly, and has promised to forward £2 a month for the support of his mother. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 2.)

WELLINGTON.—**Antonio Alfano**, absent from ship, has been arrested by Acting-Detectives A. Andrews and W. Lewis, Wellington police, and discharged, as the ship has left the Dominion. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 98.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Patrick Murray** has been found by Sergeant T. Drake, Whangarei police, and served with a summons. (See *Police Gazette*, 1907, page 312.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Alfred Smart**, disobeying maintenance order: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1901, page 4.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Frederick Barker**, theft, has been arrested by the Auckland police, and was fined £5 or one month. (See *Police Gazette*, 1907, page 404.)

ADDINGTON.—**Edward Horne**, breaking and entering the dwelling of **JAMES ROBERTSON**, has been arrested for this and other offences by Acting-Detectives Gibson and Ward, Christchurch police, and committed for trial; property not recovered. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, pages 139.)

LINCOLN.—**Arthur Fisher**, absconding from industrial school, has been arrested by Acting-Detective A. E. Andrews, Wellington police, and returned to the industrial school. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 191.)

LINCOLN.—**Eric Wharton Braithwaite**, absconding from industrial school, has been arrested by Detective J. McLeod, Dunedin police, and returned to Burnham Industrial School. (See *Police Gazette*, 1907, page 453.)

LINCOLN.—**Jack Hall**, absconding from industrial school, has been arrested by Sergeant Moore, Newmarket

police, and charged with theft, and sentenced to three months in Auckland Prison, and to be returned to the school after expiration of sentence. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 191.)

COALGATE.—**William Beddis**, theft, has been arrested by Constable McLeod, Coalgate police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 50.)

FORBES (NEW SOUTH WALES).—**P. A. Gould**, false pretences, has been arrested by Sergeant G. Hastie, Hamilton police, on information supplied by Acting-Detective Skinner, Auckland police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, page 122.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—7th instant, from the bedroom of **PHILIP GANNAWAY**, King's Court Boardinghouse, a plain light-tan morocco-leather toilet-case, containing a hair-brush, clothes-brush, a Crown razor with white handle, a button-hook, manicure file, bevel mirror, shaving-strop, black comb, an electro-plated soap-dish and powder-box, and tooth-brush bottle; also a black-handle Bengal razor in leather case: total value, £3 7s. 6d. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—25th ultimo, from the dwelling of **ZILLAH NIXON**, Nelson Street, a ladies' gold neck-chain, oval links, broken in three or four places, and tied with black and white cotton; one large oval locket, chased on sides, black and white hair inside; a gentlemen's metal hunting-watch and metal-link figure-eight-twist chain with bar, and one old Brown Barrett token medal thereon: total value, £6. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between 1st and 19th ultimo, from the bedroom of **WILLIAM JOHNSTON**, hemp-grader, Farnham Street, a ladies' gold open-faced lever watch, No. 3384; a ladies' 18 ct gold long rope-pattern neck-chain: value, £18. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—6th instant, from **JOHN SULLIVAN**, when under the influence of liquor, a gentlemen's silver hunting Waltham lever watch, No. 13291573; value, £4 15s. Identifiable. A *Man*, name unknown, attempted to pledge the watch at Goldwater's pawn-office on the 10th instant, where it was seized. He is described as about twenty-six years of age, height about 5 ft. 6 in. or 7 in., medium build, dark hair and complexion, clean-shaved; dressed in dark sac suit and black-and-white check cap. Identifiable.

PARNELL.—3rd instant, from the dwelling of **WALTER PAVITT**, St. Stephen's Avenue, a cigarette-box, containing ten sovereigns, and fifteen Victorian postal stamps, valued at 5s. each; a gilded-silver medal engraved "C.R.C. to W. Pavitt, in Trial Fours," value 10s.; five Melbourne cricket medals, gilded, value 5s. each; a silver chain about 12 in. long, no bar or catch, long-link pattern, value 7s.; a large band ring, gold-plated, set with amethysts and diamonds, value £1; a plain gold bar brooch, with knob at each end set with large sapphire, value £5; a ladies' plain gold band bracelet set with pearls in horseshoe in centre, clasp broken, value £1 5s.; a large opal set in gold for tie-pin, broken, value 12s. Identifiable, except money. Breaking and entering.

NEWTON.—Between 15th ultimo and 9th instant, from the premises of **JAMES TATTERSFIELD**, draper, two rain-proof grey overcoats, vertical pockets, sizes 5 and 6, branded "Monsoon Showerproof" in yellow letters near the tab, value £2 5s. each; two pairs of brownish-coloured trousers, rivet buttons, sizes 4 and 5, value 10s. each.

GISBORNE.—10th instant, from the s.s. "Monowai," or Gisborne Wharf, property of H. J. BENTLEY, actor, a Gladstone bag covered with labels, containing a double-breasted blue suit, small boxes of note and account books, underclothing marked "H. J. Bentley," a syphon and sparklets; value, £12.

ORMONDVILLE.—Between 15th September last and 15th March, from the stable of G. A. GAMMAN AND CO., saw-millers, eight horse-covers, "G. D. May" on them, and a horse's name on each cover, amongst them being Punch, Bloss, Nugget, and Darkey; also five fairly well-worn horse-collars and three sets of harness: value, £15. Identifiable.