

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Alexander Chadwick**, false pretences, has been arrested by Detective Gibson, Christchurch police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1908, pages 412 and 492.) He is identical with **A. P. Roscoe**, alias **Hughes**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1909, page 474, and *Apprehensions*, this issue of *Gazette*.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Frederick Chappell**, default of costs for medical expenses has been arrested by Constable J. Cleary, Christchurch police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1911, page 38.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Francis H. Williams**, false pretences, has been arrested by Detectives Kemp and Hammond, Wellington police, and ordered to come up when called on. (See *Police Gazette*, 1911, page 56.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Jack Rains**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by Constable J. J. O'Grady, Ashburton police, on information supplied by Constable J. Cleary, Christchurch police, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1911, page 46.)

OAMARU.—**J. McNeilly**, alias **Robert McNeilly**, and **P. Fryer**, alias **Victor Fryer**, ship-desertion: Warrants cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1911, page 38.)

DUNEDIN.—**Samuel Dunstan**, absentee from the s.s. "Rimutaka," has been arrested by Constable J. Donovan, Waimate police, on information supplied by Constable J. N. Thomson, Dunedin police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1911, page 46.)

DUNEDIN.—**Peter Schmidt**, ship-desertion, has been arrested by Constables McClinchy and Donovan, and remanded. (See *Police Gazette*, 1911, page 46.)

INVERCARGILL.—**Thomas Leonard**, disobeying order of Court, has been arrested by Constable W. Nugent, Christchurch police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1911, page 25.)

SYDNEY.—**James Louis Nitchie**, deserter from H.M.S. "Psyche," has been arrested. (See *Police Gazette*, 1910, pages 28 and 462.)

MELBOURNE.—**John F. McIntosh**, deserter from H.M.S. "Psyche," has returned on board. (See *Police Gazette*, 1911, page 48.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—25th ultimo, from CALVERT FRODSHAM, a gentlemen's 9 ct. gold double chain, long plain links with one or two links between (see No. 21 of Illustrations), a gold-mounted greenstone pendant attached, about 2 in. long, a plain silver sovereign-case to hold sovereigns and half-sovereigns attached to one end; value, £10. Complainant gave the chain to two Men in the United Service Hotel to look at, who decamped with it. Descriptions: First, age about thirty, height about 5 ft. 9 in., medium build, clean-shaved, dark hair and complexion, hard features; dressed in dark suit and hard hat. Second, age about twenty-three, height about 5 ft. 9 in., slight build, clean-shaved, light-brown hair; supposed dressed in greenish-coloured suit and straw hat. Both can be identified.

AUCKLAND.—23rd ultimo, from Bridgewater Road, the property of JOHN JAMES SUTTON, chemist, a gentlemen's black-enamelled Rudge-Whitworth bicycle, No. 432579, 26 in. wheel, nickel rims (slightly rusted), new rat-trap pedals; value, £12. Identifiable.

OHAEAWAI.—Between the 8th and 15th ultimo, from the farm of SAMUEL RADOJOKOVICH, a five-year-old Hereford bullock, branded "70" on rump, circular punch-hole in off ear, value £7; two red steers, three years old, branded "V—," snip out of top and bottom of off ears, value £4 each; a red Poley steer, two years old, branded "R 6," semi-circular snip out of bottom of off ear, value £3; a roan cow, five years old, no brands or earmarks, value £5; two heifers, two years old, "R 6" on rump; also two steers the property of J. B. CLARKE, one red colour with a little white on it, the other a very light roan, both branded "C" on rump, punch-holes in centre of near ear, value £4 10s. each. Identifiable.

HAMILTON.—23rd ultimo, from the bedroom of JEFFERY VENNING, at Wishart's Boardinghouse, a ladies' gold ring, set with three diamonds and two pearls or two diamonds and three pearls, value £5; a gold and greenstone bracelet, value £4. A man who gave the name of R. Matthews sold the bracelet for 6s. 6d. on the above date to a second-hand dealer. Description: Age about twenty-one, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, fair complexion and hair, clean-shaved; dressed in old brown suit and cap; loutish appearance. He slept in the boardinghouse on the 22nd ultimo and left on the morning of the 23rd, riding a new bicycle. He is supposed to be identical with **John Mathews**, alias **Ward**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1910, page 326.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—20th or 21st ultimo, from an out-house at Baigent's Boardinghouse, Longburn, the property of JOHN FLANAGAN, a gentlemen's Rudge-Whitworth bicycle, No. 588155, Edie Coaster hub, outrigger handles, 23 in. frame, almost new; value, £16.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—Between the 3rd and 6th December last, from George Street, the property of MENZIES ARCHIBALD, farm hand, a gentlemen's English E.S.A. bicycle, No. 25372, black-enamelled 24 in. frame, free-wheel, back-peddalling brake, celluloid mud-guards; value, £10. Identifiable.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—28th ultimo, from outside Collinson and Cunningham's shop, the property of JESSIE DALZIEL, a ladies' Nonpariel bicycle, No. 231838, black-enamelled frame, bright steel rims; value, £12. Identifiable.

PETONE.—3rd instant, from the dwelling of Henry Sheppard, the property of JANE JONES, housekeeper, a gold close-pattern curb necklet, greenstone cross attached, gold-mounted on top, gold kiwi on centre, value £2; also £5 10s., the money of HENRY SHEPPHERD.

WELLINGTON.—6th instant, from the bedroom of the REV. H. BURNETT, Willowbank Boardinghouse, a gold lever hunting-watch, "H.B.B." engraved on front case, number unknown; value, £20. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—21st or 22nd ultimo, from CHARLES ONYON, at Trentham Racecourse or Wellington, a gentlemen's open-faced gold lever watch, No. 24748, "C.O." engraved on outside of back case; value, £15. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—23rd November last, from the railway-station, Christchurch, the property of EDWARD LAGAN, a brown-leather Gladstone bag, with plate on side engraved "J. Mullen, Ashburton Hotel," containing a grey-tweed knicker suit, a pair of green-tweed knickers, a black-tweed knicker suit, six white soft shirts, six linen double collars (some marked with complainant's name), knitted ties of different colours, two grey-flannel shirts, a green-coloured travelling-rug valued at £1 10s.; total value, £6 10s. Identifiable.

SUMNER.—Between 23rd and 29th ultimo, from Taylor's Mistake, the property of DUNCAN ALLEN FRASER, a Winchester pea-rifle, cavity in butt for ramrod, value 15s.; a pair of opera-glasses; a white blanket with a hole in the corner; and a dark-coloured blanket, value £2 5s. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—28th ultimo, from the bedroom of ELLEN WARREN, Castle Street, an old black-leather handbag, containing a long greenstone bar brooch (gold-mounted at both ends), and a small plain gold band ring (worn); value, £4. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—2nd ultimo, from Timaru Railway-platform, the property of PHILLIP MERCHANT, Ann Street, a dress-basket, 2 ft. long, containing a white dress, a coloured-check dress, a dark dress, a cream dress, a dark costume, a white fur, a baby's cream dress, and a white shirt; value, £13. Identifiable.

MILTON.—28th ultimo, from the hut of JAMES KENNEDY, labourer, a pair of dark-tweed trousers, with two thin blue stripes running through them; value, £1. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to *Joseph Warrington*, age about thirty, height about 5 ft. 7 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, fresh complexion, brown hair, clean-shaved; dressed in dark-tweed trousers (torn and sewn with twine across the seat), military leggings with spurs; appeared strange in his manner. He is supposed to have gone South.