

TIMARU.—14th instant, on **warrant** for theft of a lady's bicycle, value £3, recovered, the property of James Geddes, traveller, care of the Farmers Co-operative Society, **Peter Jensen** (name probably fictitious), age thirty-eight, height about 5 ft. 9 in., labourer and seaman, supposed native of Sweden, pale sallow complexion, brown hair, high cheek-bones; speaks broken English; dressed in an old suit.

MOSGIEL.—**Edmund Williams**, default of fine: Offender's correct name is **Edward Williams**. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 338.)

TAPANUI.—That he may be induced to support his wife and family, **John Harroway**, age thirty, height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, medium build, dark curly hair turning grey, fair complexion, grey eyes, large nose; usually works on railway-construction work.

INVERCARGILL.—That she may be induced to return to her six children, who are left uncared for, **Annie Pickett**, nee **McMillan**, age thirty-six, height about 5 ft. 5 in., native of New Zealand, slim build, fair complexion, blue eyes, light-brown hair, false teeth in upper jaw. She is accompanied by her two children, Hilda and Ronald, aged two years three months and three years six months, and may be accompanied by James Garrick, age twenty-four, height 5 ft. 4 in., bootmaker, slim build, fair complexion. Inquiry by her husband, James Pickett, sawmill hand, Waikouro.

APPREHENSIONS, PERSONS FOUND, ETC.

AUCKLAND.—**H. Howlett**, theft: **John Nolan** has been charged with this offence by Detective Scott and Acting-Detective Cummings, Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 425.)

NAPIER.—**Harry West Hills**, alias **Harrison**, has been served with a notice of order by Detective Gibson, Christchurch police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 394.)

WANGANUI.—**Arthur Thorburn**, default of maintenance has been arrested by Constable Ede, Feilding police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 426.)

WELLINGTON.—**Alexander Johnson**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by Constable Wade, Mount Cook police, on information supplied by Constable Favell, Mount Cook police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 380.)

WELLINGTON.—**John Hyde**, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by Detectives Lewis and Andrews, Wellington police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 24.)

MOUNT COOK.—**Francis William McGuire**, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by Constable Gordine, Manners Street police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 426.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Harry Wilson**, alias **Clanson**, has been arrested by Detective-Sergeant Hunt and Acting-Detective Regan, Christchurch police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 380.)

DUNEDIN.—**John O'Connell**, failing to maintain, has surrendered himself to the Dunedin police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 446.)

WYNDHAM.—**Charles Livingston**, theft, has been arrested by Sergeant Emerson and Constable Kidd, Ashburton police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 426.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

TAKAPUNA.—Between 7.30 p.m. and 10.30 p.m. on the 14th instant, the dwelling of **OLIVE THODE** was broken into, and the following articles stolen: A lady's open-face gold watch, embossed back, three initials inside back case; an oblong cut-glass pin-holder with silver lid, gold-washed inside; a small round clock in a shamrock; a gold brooch in the form of a spray of flowers; and a black-leather hand-bag containing an old purse and between £3 and £4 in gold and silver; total value of property apart from cash, £6. Identifiable.

NEWTON.—16th instant, from the shop of **HEINRICH ENGEL**, musician, 27 Ponsonby Road, a new B-flat clarinet, maker Kohler and Son, Graslitz; value, £5. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—**JAMES LEAMING'S** stolen coat: **John Nolan** has been arrested for this offence by Acting-Detective Cummings, Auckland police. The stolen property has not been recovered. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 409.)

WELLINGTON.—Between 7.30 p.m. on the 27th ultimo and 9 a.m. on the 5th instant a whare at Happy Valley was broken into, and the following articles stolen: The property of **ALFRED WILLIAM GRIMROD**, a .38 bore Winchester repeating rifle, barrel has been shortened 2 in., value £2 10s., identifiable; the property of **WILLIAM DOBSON**, two pairs of grey blankets, and a pair of Territorial boots, size 8, plain toes, heavy make, identifiable, total value £3 1s. 6d.; the property of **THOMAS CUNDLIFFE**, a .22 bore Winchester rifle, thumb trigger, value 15s., not identifiable; the property of **WILLIAM MEYER**, a blue blanket, value 10s., identifiable; the property of **ERNEST COYLE**, a coloured check rug, value £1, not identifiable.

MURCHISON.—On or about the 10th April last, on the s.s. "Pateaena," the property of **ANNIE M. NEWMAN**, Owen Junction Hotel, Murchison, a lady's 18 ct. gold ring, claw-set with three diamonds and three sapphires; a brown chamois leather purse, "A. M. Newman" stamped on it; a gold curb bangle with lock attached; a gold neck-chain with heart attached; and £22 in money; total value, £44 10s. Suspicion is attached to **Mrs. Rhodes** and **Mrs. Rick**, both residents of Masterton, who had access to the missing property.

CHRISTCHURCH.—4th ultimo, from His Majesty's Theatre, the property of **VINCENT FUSS**, groom, care of Brake's Stables, Durham Street, a gentleman's Bell bicycle, No. 3751, fixed wheel, steel rims and pedals, celluloid mudguards; value, £18. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—19th April last, from Colombo Street, the property of **P. LYNSKEY**, farmer, 44 Tweed Street, Richmond, a gentleman's Royal Club Swift bicycle, Nos. 18417 and 509850, steel rims and mudguards, free wheel, upturned handles with black grips, rubber pedals; value, £15. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—27th ultimo, from outside the Albion Football Club rooms in High Street, the property of **WILLIAM ROBERT TURNER**, tinsmith, 33 Wilmer Street, a gentleman's Anglo Special bicycle, No. 22363, steel rims and pedals, free wheel, back-peddalling brake; value, £10. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—21st ultimo, from Colombo Street, the property of **ALAN BRYDON**, clerk, 87 Springfield Road, a gentleman's Fern bicycle, No. 2015, fixed wheel, steel rims and pedals; value, £8. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—**MASUSKOVICH JULIAN'S** stolen property: **Arthur Thomas Reid**, alias **Thomas Arthur**, has been arrested for this offence. None of the stolen property has been recovered. (See *Police Gazette*, 1913, page 395.)

TIMARU.—13th ultimo, from Sophia Street, the property of **JOHN EDMOND**, hardware-merchant, a gentleman's Star bicycle, No. 691, back-peddalling brake, wide handles, left grip missing; value, £4. Identifiable.