UPPER HUTT.—Alfred Smyth, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested by the Lyttelton police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 133.)

Wellington.—Robert McCarthy, alias George F. Smith, breach of terms of probationary license, has been arrested on other charges by the Marton police. (See Police Gazette, 1914, page 762, and following paragraphs.)

FEATHERSTON.—G. F. Smith, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested on other charges by the Marton police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1917, page 180, and preceding and following paragraphs.)

TAPANUI.—Robert McCarthy, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested on other charges by the Marton police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 499, and preceding paragraphs.)

Wellington.—Alfred Ernest Burden, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Mount Cook police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1919, page 38.)

Wellington.—**Theodore Allbrand**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Palmerston North police. (See *Police Gasette*, 1919, page 38.)

WAIMATE.—William James Wild, alias Billy Black, failing to report at camp, has surrendered to the Military police. (See Police Gazette, 1917, page 128.)

ASHBURTON.—Thomas Peter Prendergast, deserting from Expeditionary Force, has been arrested by the Wellington police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 705.)

DUNEDIN.—William Thomas Probert, failing to provide, has been arrested by the Wellington police. (See Police Gazette, 1919, page 58.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

Ponsonby.—Between the 26th ultimo and the 2nd instant the dwelling of ALBERT EDWARD BRAUND was broken into, and the following articles stolen therefrom: A gentlemen's gold hunting-watch, roman figures, chased case; a gentlemen's gold-mounted ribbon guard, with shield in centre with initials "A.E.B." engraved thereon; two spade-guineas formed into a locket; a silver medal with gold facing, "Presented to A. Braund by the footballers," engraved on it; a gold open-face locket, child's photo in it, ruby set in top; a greenstone brooch, with a gold yacht and "N.S.Y.C." on it; a piece of opal and a red stone; a ladies' oval gold open-face keyless wristlet watch, No. 412239; a ladies' open-face keyless silver wristlet watch; a 12th and a 19th Reinforcement badge; a gentlemen's silver hunting-watch, roman figures; a heavy curb metal watch-chain, with two trinkets attached; a ladies' open-face keyless silver watch; a small gun-metal open-face keyless watch; a blue-enamel bangle; a turquoise-and-pearl circular brooch; and other articles which have been recovered: total value, £45 10s. Identifiable.

NEWTON.—14th instant, from WILLIAM PARSON'S shop at 62 Pitt Street, a gentlemen's silver hunting lever watch, No. 6843, and a gentlemen's rolled-gold hunting Swiss watch, No. 10511; total value, £1 10s. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—24th October last, from the cloak-room at the Town Hall, the property of F. W. BENNETT, Otahuhu, a gentlemen's fawn mackintosh, pockets torn; value, £2 15s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Two men** (names unknown). First, age about twenty, height about 5 ft. 7 in., slight build, sallow complexion, brown hair; dressed in a brownish suit, a King George collar, and bow tie; smart appearance. Second, age about twenty-five, height about 5 ft. 4 in., slight build, sallow complexion, fair hair; dressed in a brownish suit; smart appearance. (See following paragraph.)

AUCKLAND.—24th October last, from the cloak-room at the Town Hall, the property of HARRY PATTERSON, Otahuhu, a gentlemen's dark-tweed overcoat, lined with brown imitation fur; value, £2 2s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Two men** (names unknown), referred to in preceding paragraph.

Auckland.—13th October last, from a shed in Epsom Avenue, the property of GEORGE LLOYD THWAITES, I Gibraltar Crescent, a No. 45 Stanley plough plane and irons, a steel Starral try-square, a set of bits, three sawfiles, seven boring-bits (sizes from 2 to 8) in a grey-cloth hold-all, a wooden bevel with two handles, two woodchisels, a steel Stanley double-gauge, a draw-knife, a padsaw, and a Stanley router-plane, most of the tools are branded "G. L. Thwaites"; total value, £6 6s. 6d. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to a Man (name unknown), age about forty, height about 5ft. 9in., stout build, fair hair, moustache, and complexion; dressed in grey dungaree trousers, grey dirty coat, and grey slouch hat. (See following paragraphs.)

AUCKLAND.—12th October last, from a shed in Bracken Avenue, the property of WILLIAM ROBINSON, 17 Rocklands Avenue, a round brick-drill, 2 ft. 6 in. long; a ratchet, 6 in. long, with "A.G.C." on it; a pair of bright wirecutters, with "A.G.C." on them: total value, £1 15s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to a **Man** (name unknown), referred to in preceding and following paragraphs.

Auckland.—12th October last, from a shed in Epsom Avenue, the property of VICTOR BEART, Ethel Street, a No. 45 Stanley plough plane and irons, a 1½ in. bevel-chisel, and a 1½ in. socket-chisel; total value, £2 2s. 6d. Suspicion is attached to a Man (name unknown), referred to in preceding and following paragraphs.

Auckland.—12th October last, from a shed in Bracken Avenue, the property of WILLIAM SMART, Clyde Road, a pair of pipe-pliers; a pair of pipe-tongs, 12 in. long; a pair of pipe-tongs, 6 in. long; two sets ½ in. and ¾ in. gasthread; a small pad-saw; 4 lb. of solder in bars; two coldchisels; two steel punches; and a kit-bag lined with canvas: total value, £2 18s, 6d. Identification doubtful. Suspicion is attached to a Man (name unknown), referred to in preceding paragraphs.)

AUCKLAND.—On the 18th instant the Occidental Hotel was broken into, and £12 15s., the property of NORAH LYNCH, licensee, stolen therefrom.

AUCKLAND.—On or about the 19th ultimo the Shakespeare Hotel was broken into, and £32, the property of HENRY ARTHUR LLOYD, licensee, stolen therefrom.

Auckland.—On the 26th ultimo WILLIAM SHERA'S dwelling at the junction of Station and Rockfield Roads was broken into, and the following property stolen therefrom: A ladies' silver open-face keyless watch with large black hands; a gold small-link long chain, with a hook at one end and two tassels at the other; and a brown-leather pocketbook, containing visiting-cards: total value, £5. Identifiable.

RAURIMU.—Between the 1st and 14th instant, from a tent at Lower Retaruke, the property of E. A. MOSLEY, farmer, an 18ct. gold engagement-ring, set with three small diamonds; a 15ct. gold wedding-ring; six £1 notes; and 4s. in silver: total value, £18 4s. Identifiable except money. Suspicion is attached to a **Man** (name unknown), age about twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer, native of Ireland, slight build, dark hair and complexion, clean-shaved, scar on left side of face; dressed in a dark suit and light-coloured cap. He may be in possession of a swag wrapped in an oil-sheet.

Palmerston North.—17th instant, from the Family Hotel, the property of WILLIAM THOMAS GRAY, a blue-serge coat and trousers, coat may have "Webb & Brown" on tab, trousers marked No. 1 or 2 with ink on lining; value £6. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to L. McDonald, age about thirty-five, height about 5 ft. 7 in., seaman, native of Scotland, strong build, fresh complexion, fair hair, grey eyes, scar under one eye, tattooed on arms; dressed in a blue-serge suit and black soft-felt hat.

EASTBOURNE.—Between May and December last, D. WANDERSON'S dwelling was broken into, and the following property stolen therefrom: Nine white blankets, several with "D. W. Anderson" on them, others with "D. Anderson, 1909," on them; a dozen E.P. forks, a dozen dessert-spoons, five egg-spoons, six vegetable-spoons, with "Walker & Hall, No. 1," on them; a ladies' black bathing-costume,