

HASTINGS.—**Jack Boyd**, alias **Walker**, alias **Leslie John Young**, false pretences, has been arrested by the Hastings police. He had assumed the name **Dan Heggarty**. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 454.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**William Muncey**, failing to maintain: Warrant cancelled. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 380.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**George Humphrey**, alias **Henry J. Humphries**, trespass, has been served with a summons by the Christchurch police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 164.)

CHRISTCHURCH.—**Thomas George Flynn**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Wellington South police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 349.)

GORE.—**James Duncan**, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount due to the Clinton police. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 482.)

GORE.—**Doris Roberta Harwood**, absconding from industrial school, has been arrested by the Milton police. She had assumed the name **Lynn**. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 401.)

### PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—18th June last, in Queen Street, the property of **MARIA PORTER**, 65 Great North Road, a black handbag, containing a 10s. note and about 10s. in silver, a small cameo brooch with a leaf at top and bottom; a gold long brooch, set with three diamond-shaped cameos; and a gold brooch, set with an emerald: total value, about £7. Not identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 1st June last and the 6th ultimo, from the dwelling of **JOSEPH EDWARD WILSON SOMERVILLE**, medical practitioner, at 4 Alfred Street, a Dutch teapot-stand; a glass cream-jug; a glass water-jug; a glass sugar-basin; a silver-mounted oak biscuit-barrel; a rose-blue-and-silver-coloured Poland cream-jug and basin; three Poland afternoon-tea cups and saucers; a cut-glass vinegar-jug; a Royal Doulton square vase; six oyster-forks; four afternoon-tea cups; silver, cut-glass, and green-china flower-bowls; a silver-and-glass vase; six cut-glass goblets; and six cut-glass tumblers: total value, £15. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—25th June last, from outside the dwelling of **GEORGE JONES**, at Terrace Road, St. Heliers Bay, a gentlemen's black-enamelled 22 in. B.S.A. bicycle, down-turned handles, Dunlop tires; value, £5. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 6th and 17th ultimo, from the s.s. "Tofua," between Samoa and Auckland, the property of **ALBERT ERNEST GODKIN**, 9 St. Mary's Road, Ponsonby, a gentlemen's gold-filled open-face keyless Waltham watch, enamel around second-hands shipped; a Samoan straw-coloured mat, 8 ft. by 6 ft.; a pair of light grey-tweed check trousers; a grey Harris-tweed coat with long lapels, "Schneideman, Auckland," on tag of inside breast-pocket; a coat; five pairs of khaki riding-breeches; a suit of woollen Mosgiel underwear; two grey cotton and wool singlets; a navy-blue bathing-suit; eight pairs of white socks; a pair of dark-grey-tweed trousers; four medium-size khaki tropical coats; and four khaki shirts: total value, £20 18s. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—16th ultimo, from a carrier's cart between Auckland and Avondale, the property of **THOMAS GRIFFITHS**, Meola Road, Point Chevalier, a brown-leather Gladstone bag, containing a blue-serge coat, a pair of dark-grey trousers and vest, a shirt, a pair of socks, two ties, a Valet razor in a nickel case, a Gillette razor, a Bengal razor, a shaving-brush, a pair of scissors, a knife, fork, and spoon, a pillow-slip, a ledger-book, a cup, a ruler, and several papers; total value, £11 17s. 11d. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 20th and 25th ultimo, between Sydney and Auckland, per s.s. "Marama," the property of **J. C. WILLIAMSON PANTOMIME COMPANY**, a pair of dark-blue-serge trousers and coat with blue and green thin

stripes, "Spinks, Collins Street, Melbourne," on tag of coat; a silk large scarf, black on one side and purple on the other; a Chinese black-silk drape, 4 yards by 3 yards, with numerous small mirrors attached, orange-silk lining, and worked with orange and green braid; a mauve-silk drape, about 1½ yards by 6 yards, with yellow and green edging formed in squares or oblongs; and a green, a mauve, and two red ostrich-feather fans, three feathers in each about 20 in. long: total value, £44. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—12th instant, from **IVAN VEZA'S** boarding-house at 94 Federal Street, a gentlemen's silver open-face keyless Waltham watch; and an 18 ct. gold curb double watch-chain, with an oval shield medal attached: total value, £19 10s. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—On or about the 8th instant, from **JOSEPH ALBERT SCREEN**, labourer, Oparakio, while under the influence of liquor, a £5 note; four £1 notes; a gentlemen's silver open-face lever watch, No. 691322, with gold hands; a silver open curb double watch-chain, with a watch-key and a silver heart pendant with a gold shield in centre attached: total value, £14 10s. Identifiable except money.

AUCKLAND.—7th ultimo, from a tram-car, the property of **DOROTHY WILSON**, 167 New North Road, Kingsland, a ladies' gold ring (recovered); a brown-canvas bag; a gentlemen's gold band ring; a £1 note; a 10s. note; and about 2s.: total value, about £17 14s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Rebecca Myers** (name probably fictitious), age about forty, height about 5 ft. 6 in., stout build, dark hair and complexion. The recovered ring was pawned for £1 10s. in Mendelsohn's pawnshop in Wellesley Street.

AUCKLAND.—On the 16th instant the shop of **CHARLES ALBERT HICKS**, grocer, 124 Jervois Road, was broken into, and the following property stolen therefrom: 62 packets of cigarettes of various brands; a quantity of tobacco, biscuits, and chocolates; and 2s. 6d.: total value, £3 14s. 10d. Not identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—9th instant, from a laundry at the dwelling of **RONALD STEWART PARK**, 5 Tahora Avenue, a gentlemen's light-brown-gabardine overcoat, one button missing; value, £3. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Humphrey Moynihan**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 8 in., hawker, native of New Zealand, medium build, ruddy complexion, ginger hair, blue eyes. He has been interviewed, but no evidence resulted. *See 19/5/23.*

NGARUAWAHIA.—On or about the 7th instant, from a tent at Kainui, the property of **JOHN DRAGOVICH**, gum-digger, a black suit, a pair of white-and-blue-striped pyjamas, five negligée-shirts, three pairs of dark woollen socks, several ties, two hair-brushes, a white-handle razor, a pair of running-boots (size 8), a gold small-link chain, and a canoe; total value, £22 10s. Identifiable.

FRANKTON JUNCTION.—On or about the 18th instant, from a stable in Kent Street, the property of **STEVE LIMMER**, contractor, Tuhikaramea, a heavy spring tip-dray, dark-green body, red underneath, odd wheels; value, £25. Identifiable. *Recovered 24.10.23*

FRANKTON JUNCTION.—On or about the 18th instant, from a stable in Kent Street, the property of **JAMES A. RITCHIE**, carrier, a brass-mounted saddle and breeching, "Heeley" on mountings; a 22 in. collar with black-and-red-striped lining; a pair of iron hames; a pair of blinkers; a pair of leather reins; and a pair of trace-chains: total value, £15. Identifiable. *Recovered 24.10.23*

HAMILTON.—On or about the 17th instant, from a shed at **WILLIAM C. FLEXMAN'S** farm at Tuhikaramea, a Mason and Porter 8 in. vacuum-pump, No. 345; a 6 ft. steel shaft, with four iron pulleys attached; a plumber's block with two brasses; a jack-plane; a try-plane; a claw-hammer; a hack-saw with four blades; a Trimo pipe-wrench; a hand-saw; a rip-saw; and eight sheets of corrugated iron: total value, £60. Identifiable. Also a set of dies, 1 in. to 1½ in., for an Oyster Bull-dog stock; and a bevel, 4 in. by 5 in.: total value, £1 12s. Identifiable—the property of **ERNEST CHARLES ENNIS**, mechanic, Dudley Terrace, Frankton. *Recovered 24.10.23.*