

PUKEKOHE.—On the 16th instant the railway-hut of JAMES LEESON HARRISON and HENRY ERNEST CHILDS, surfacemen, at Karaka, was broken into, and the following articles stolen therefrom: A pair of opera-glasses; a brown-leather portmanteau; a pair of diamond-shaped sleeve-links, with "J.L." or "J.H.L." on them; a silver curb watch-chain; a brown-velour hat, size 7; a red-striped towel; three shirts; four soft collars; a blue coat and vest, with "O. Donahue, Karangahape Road," on tab of coat; a 15 ct. gold small-link double watch-chain, with a gold round medal with a man kicking a football on it attached; a rolled-gold keyless double-case watch; a ladies' gold ring, set with three diamonds; and a black-velour hat, size 6 $\frac{7}{8}$: total value, £46 18s. 6d. Identifiable except shirts and collars.

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HASTINGS.—THOMAS JOHN FERBRASHE'S tea-rooms broken into: **Reginald Cooper** and **Horace Hartman** have been arrested for this offence by the Hastings police. The money has not been recovered. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 70.)

RONGOTEA.—13th ultimo, from a room at the Glen Oroua Butter-factory, the property of LEONARD THOMAS FOSTER, a silver eight-day watch, No. 90413 or 9191091, half of dial transparent. Suspicion is attached to a **Man** (name unknown), age about seventeen, height about 5 ft. 8 in., slight build; dressed in a light-grey suit; slovenly appearance.

SHANNON.—18th instant, from MATE ERCEG'S hut at Mangahao, a 9 ct. gold double watch-chain, similar to illustration No. 7 in Police Gazette, 1911, page 1, and a brown-leather sovereign-case, containing two half-sovereigns: total value, £9 2s. 6d. Identifiable except money.

WELLINGTON.—24th December last, from a seat in Newtown Park, the property of MISS ECKRON WILSON, 107 Wallace Street, a bag (recovered); a ladies' silver open-face keyless watch, fancy work on case, roman figures; and a 9 ct. gold curb watch-chain, about 2 ft. long: total value, £6 10s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to a **Man** (name unknown), age about thirty-five, height about 6 ft., strong build, ruddy complexion, brown hair, blue eyes; dressed in a blue-serge suit, and was wearing a gold heavy watch-chain with a blood-stone pendant attached.

WELLINGTON.—14th December, from a motor-car in Wakefield Street, the property of ELIZABETH ANN ANDERSON, 92 Hill Street, a brown-tartan motor-rug with leather straps at each corner; value, £8. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—29th ultimo, from a room at the Town Hall, the property of JAMES TURFIS, a silver open-face Swiss watch, with "J. W. Martin, Blenheim," on it; and a gold fetter watch-chain, with a gold circular pendant with "I.B.S.C. Won by J. Turfis, 1919," on it: total value, about £5. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—19th ultimo, from Stanmore Road, the property of the NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT (Post and Telegraph Department), a gentlemen's black-enamelled 22 in. Hercules bicycle, No. 121, red forks, Dunlop tire on front wheel, Railroad tire on back wheel; value, £4. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—6th ultimo, from Lancaster Park, the property of CHARLES E. STEANS, 34 Chrystal Street, a gentlemen's black-enamelled bicycle, No. 81481; value, £7 10s. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—29th December last, from outside the post-office, the property of MINNIE O'CONNOR, 637 Colombo Street, a ladies' black-enamelled Butler bicycle, No. 349-19245; value, £8. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—16th December last, from New Brighton Racecourse, the property of WILFRED MCKENDRICK JACK, 29 Bunyan Street, a gentlemen's black-enamelled Victor bicycle, No. 604, narrow upturned handles, Dunlop Railroad tires, racing-saddle; value, £8. Identifiable.

RAKAIA.—Between the 4th and 20th December last, from a paddock at Lyndhurst, the property of W. T. DALZELL and L. E. DALZELL, farmers, Lauriston, twenty-five ewes and lambs, branded H.Z., and twenty-eight ewes and lambs branded LX and black dot on rump; total value, £53. Identifiable.

TIMARU.—1st instant, from clothing in a bathing-shed, the property of JOHN CONNOL McLAUGHLAN, Waimate, a gentlemen's silver hunting keyless Rotherhams watch, No. 119752; value, £10. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—2nd December last, from the person of JAMES DURSTON, 56 Elgin Road, while under the influence of liquor, a gentlemen's rolled-gold open-face Waltham watch, with "J.D." on back of case; and £3 10s.: total value, £8 10s. Watch only identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—On or about the 10th ultimo, while on the railway-train between Lyttelton and Oamaru, the property of WILLIAM STEWART MANN, a black-leather pocket-wallet, with "Mr. William Stewart Mann, presented from Kintock Football Club," in gold on outside, containing eighteen £5 notes, a £1 note, Army discharges, and pension papers, "No. 1/M.M./3392" on them; a photograph of a nurse; and other smaller photographs: total value, £96 5s. Identifiable except money.

INVERCARGILL.—Between the 24th March and 24th November last, from Underwood, the property of EDWIN GIRDLER, Beatrice Street, a 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ horse-power Singer motor-bicycle, No. S.O. 1344; value, £25. Identifiable.

INVERCARGILL.—On the 17th instant the shop of WILLIAM ALEXANDER BROWN, jeweller, Dee Street, was broken into, and the following brooches stolen therefrom: A 9 ct. gold round brooch with leaf; a 9 ct. gold olivine crescent brooch; a 9 ct. gold green cameo brooch; a 9 ct. gold double-bar peridot brooch; a 9 ct. gold brooch, set with four pink corals and a pearl; a 9 ct. gold pearl and ruby circle brooch, about 1 in. in diameter; a 9 ct. gold brooch, set with a pearl on spray; two 9 ct. gold Southern Cross brooches; a 9 ct. gold pearl-circle brooch, 1 in. in diameter; a 9 ct. gold fancy brooch; a 9 ct. gold oval brooch; a 9 ct. gold double-bar brooch, set with a ruby; a 9 ct. gold pink-pearl-spray brooch; a 9 ct. gold pearl-spray brooch; a 9 ct. gold aquamarine-and-pearl fancy brooch; a 9 ct. gold aquamarine bar brooch; a 15 ct. gold ruby bar brooch; a 9 ct. gold three-bar topaz brooch; a 15 ct. gold pearl spray, violet-design brooch; a 9 ct. bow brooch, set with a pearl; a 9 ct. gold pearl-circle brooch; a 9 ct. gold pink oval cameo brooch; a 9 ct. gold-mounted greenstone brooch, about 2 in. long; a 9 ct. gold aquamarine-and-pearl-spray brooch; a 9 ct. gold round garnet brooch; a 15 ct. gold cameo brooch: total value, £28 18s. 6d. Identification doubtful.

PROPERTY RECOVERED.

AUCKLAND.—DOROTHY TROUTBECK'S necklace has been found: not stolen. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 85.)

AUCKLAND.—ALFRED WEBBER'S dwelling broken into: The bangle has been found: not stolen. (See Police Gazette, 1923, page 27.)

WAIMATE.—CHARLES ELLIOTT LAVERS'S magneto has been recovered, and **George Henry Theodore Landrebe** charged with the offence. Suspicion is no longer attached to **Oswald Veitch**. (See Police Gazette, 1922, page 423.)

EXTRACTS FROM NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE

Regulations prohibiting Trawling in Portion of Hawke's Bay.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1923, page 571.)

Regulations with regard to the Taking and Sale of Quinнат Salmon.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1923, page 571.)

Regulations for Whitebait Fishing in River Avon.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1923, page 571.)