

AUCKLAND.—Mrs. Robb, alias Brodie, alias Deacon, alias Margaret Dean, alias Margaret Durkin, alias Margaret Duncan, alias Margaret Walker, alias Margaret Twomey, obtaining credit by fraud, has been arrested by the Oamaru police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 477, and following paragraph.)

WELLINGTON.—Mrs. Brodie, alias Robb, alias Margaret Durkin, alias Margaret Duncan, &c., false pretences, has been arrested by the Oamaru police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 598, and preceding paragraph.)

NEWMARKET.—Robert Harle Giles, missing, has been located. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 578.)

HAMILTON.—Alexander Johnston Macrae, theft, has been arrested by the Timaru police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 401.)

WAIPOI BAY.—Clyde Doig, alias Reginald Black, default of fine and costs, has paid the amount due to the Mercer police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 420.)

WANGANUI.—Reg Hollis, indecent assault on a male, has been found drowned in the Public Baths. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 610.)

PALMERSTON NORTH.—Albert Purcell, breaches of prohibition order, has been served with summonses by the Palmerston North police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 402.)

WELLINGTON.—Henry James Day, default of maintenance, has paid the arrears to the Timaru police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 420.)

DUNEDIN.—Henry Alfred Sims, default of fine and costs, has been arrested by the Whakatane police. He is identical with Henry Alfred Timms, alias Gunthorpe, alias Thomas Preston, alias Gordon, alias Watson, referred to in Police Gazette, 1924, page 482, and Photographs, 1923, page 75. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 74, and 1924, page 290.)

INVERCARGILL.—John Watson, inquired for, has been interviewed by the Tuatapere police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 421.)

INVERCARGILL.—Elven Lawrence Larsen, alias Arthur Baxter, alias White, alias Lawson, escaping from prison, has been arrested by the Roxburgh police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 598.)

INVERCARGILL.—Edgar Arthur Petersen, escaping from prison, has been arrested by the Roxburgh police. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 598.)

### PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 1st and 2nd ultimo from a bathroom in the Metropolitan Hotel, the property of FORREST GAYLE WYER, 12 St. Stephens Avenue, a gentlemen's gold signet ring, with "F.G.W." in raised letters on it and set with two diamonds; value, £25. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to Norman James Dudson, age twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 5 in., hotel porter, native of New Zealand, slight build, sallow complexion, dark-brown hair, blue-grey eyes. He has been interviewed, but no evidence resulted.

AUCKLAND.—On or about the 2nd August last, from a building, the property of JACK MARTIN, carpenter, 486 Queen Street, a brace (recovered), a spanner, a square, a wooden stock, and a firmer-chisel; total value, £1 17s. Not identifiable. Suspicion is attached to Tom Jones (name probably fictitious), age about twenty-five, medium build; dressed in a grey suit. The brace was recovered from Fischer's second-hand shop, where it was sold for 4s.

AUCKLAND.—9th September last, from the person of FREDERICK PEEL, labourer, Hobson Street, while in the Prince of Wales Hotel, a pigskin purse, containing twenty £1 notes; total value, £20 2s. Not identifiable. Suspicion is attached to—(1.) Jack Valvol, age twenty-five, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build, fresh complexion, black hair, hazel eyes; dressed in a grey suit. (2.) Biddy Bennett, age twenty-five, height about 5 ft. 4 in., ex-jockey, native of New Zealand, medium build, fair complexion and hair, blue eyes; dressed in a grey suit.

AUCKLAND.—6th September last, from the person of FREDERICK BATES, bushman, Papakura, while in Queen Street, a brown pigskin wallet, with "Fredrick Bates, Onslow Rd., Papakura," on it, containing a £1 note and 10s. in silver; total value, £3. Wallet only identifiable. Suspicion is attached to a Man (name unknown), age about twenty-two, height about 5 ft. 7 in., slight build, dark complexion; dressed in a navy-blue suit and grey-felt hat.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 23rd and 29th September last, from a trunk while in transit between Wanganui and Auckland (per railway), the property of CATHERINE LUCY CONSTANCE HATRICK, Wanganui, a green-silk knitted costume, a white crepe de Chine nightdress, two white crepe de Chine Princess slips with fillet lace edges, two pairs of pink-silk bloomers, four silk white and pink unlace vests, a pink-and-white crepe de Chine camisole, three white crepe de Chine and pink ribbon and lace brassieres, and a pair of white gauntlet gloves with black tops; total value, £50 4s. Identification doubtful.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 4th and 6th ultimo the premises of COLLINSON AND WILLIAMS, drapers, Symonds Street, were broken into, and the following stolen therefrom: Eight striped tobracco and poplin skirts, a dark-grey coat, six gentlemen's dark-felt hats (small sizes), and a quantity of socks, braces, ties, and collars with complainant's names on some of them; total value, £14 1s. 3d. Not identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—25th September last, the property of FRANCIS VERNON, Helensville, a gentlemen's silver hunting keyless watch, No. 424311; a silver curb double watch-chain; and about £6; total value, about £12 12s. 6d. Complainant lost his property while under the influence of liquor.

TE AROHA.—8th ultimo, the property of EMILY JANE BEAGLE, 34 Cook Street, Hamilton, a black-leather handbag, pleated on one side, containing an 18 ct. gold watch-chain, similar to illustration No. 24 in Police Gazette, 1911, page 2, with a silver sovereign-case and a dark petrified-wood pendant attached; a gold engagement-ring, set with three rubies and four small diamonds; a gold wide band wedding-ring; a gold band ring, set with a blue stone; a gentlemen's gold ring, with "G.B." on it; a gold wish-bone brooch with flowers on it; a gold-and-silver 17th Reinforcements badge brooch; a gold-wire bangle; a gold-wire-and-coral-bead bangle; a small gold heart; a silver wristlet small watch; a pigskin purse (containing a 10s. note and 1s. 1d.); a repatriation card (No. A 316), and receipt with "George Alfred Beagle" on it; and a door key; total value, about £15. Identifiable except money.

KIRIKIROA.—Between September last and the 21st ultimo, from the dwelling of MARJORY REID in George Street, an 18 ct. gold wedding-ring; an 18 ct. gold engagement-ring, set with a large sapphire in centre and two at each side (one missing) with small diamonds between; an 18 ct. gold dress-ring, set with four or five red stones; and an 18 ct. gold half-moon brooch, set with red stones; total value, £18 15s. Identifiable.

HAMILTON.—On or about the 1st September last, from the dwelling of ESTHER MURIEL MOODIE, 57 River Road, an 18 ct. gold engagement-ring, set with seven diamonds in cluster setting; value, £30. Identifiable.

MOKAU.—16th ultimo, from a farm at Waikawau, the property of TUREITI, an aged half-draught black mare, 15 hands, white blaze on face, hind legs and one fore leg white, branded WA on right shoulder, suffering from strangles; value, £15. Identifiable.