Auckland.—Between the 15th and 16th ultimo, from a stable at 18 Princes Street, the property of SAMUEL GEORGE LINDSAY, a leather racing-saddle, with elastic girth, square stirrup-irons; value, £10. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—On the 9th instant, the dwelling of MAR-CELLA LAURIE, 54 Gillies Avenue, was broken into and the following stolen: A black lace evening frock, with pink satin lining, relieved with blue velvet; and a floral silk and tinsel bridge coat, with black silk collar: total value, £14. Identifiable.

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AUCKLAND.—16th ultimo, from the Awanui Private Hospital, the property of NANCY HANNA ROSE, matron, a ladies dark-brown marmot fur coat, with skunk collar, lined with salmon and blue coloured shot silk, Macky Logan make, sleeves slightly rubbed inside; value, £50, Identifiable.

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Auckland.—Between the 6th and 9th instant, the dwelling of ERIMA HARVEY NORTHCROFT, 4 Crescent Road, Parnell, was broken into and the following stolen: A gold ring, set with a diamond in claw setting; a gold ring, set with five diamonds; a gold ring, set with a diamond and pearl in claw setting; a gold ring, set with about five opals in claw setting, diamond chips set between opals, band broken; a gold ring, set with opals and diamond chips; a small gold band ring, with "Erima" and date on inside; a gentlemen's gold heavy wedding ring; a turquoise brooch; a gold brooch, with "Ut Ser Viamus" inscribed on it, surmounted with a bishop's mitre; a gold bracelet; a gold cable bangle, with padlock attached; a ladies' fine gold watch-chain; a pendant and two earrings of imitation jade, with fine gilt chains; and an amber brooch: total value, £57 16s. 6d. Identifiable.

MOUNT EDEN SOUTH.—12th ultimo, from a motor-car, the property of ALBERT HEWLING CHISHOLM, Remucra, a *22 calibre automatic German Walther rifle, No. 23357; value, £8. Identifiable.

Waihi.—About November, 1931, the property of THOMAS COLIN ANGLE, Rosemont Road, a '22 calibre single-shot Winchester pea-rifle, model 1904; value, £1. Identification doubtful.

Waihi.—Between October, 1931, and February, 1932, from a hut at Savage Road, the property of THOMAS COLIN ANGLE, a '25 calibre Marlin repeating rifle, No. 11087–8; value, £1. Identifiable.

Tr Whatt.—21st ultimo, from a hut, the property of WILLIAM GRACE, bushman, a Bank of New Zealand £20 note, well worn and torn down right side; two Bank of New Zealand £10 notes; a £5 note; a black wallet, with gold edges at corners; and two envelopes, with "O.H.M.S." on them, containing papers: total value, £45. Portion identifiable. Suspicion is attached to Patrick O'Reilly, age about forty-three, height 5 ft. 9 in., horse-driver, native of Australia, medium build, sallow complexion, brown hair, blue eyes; one finger missing; slightly stooped, lame on one leg (probably left); slight lisp or impediment in speech; fond of drink.

PUTARURU.—Between the 29th and 30th ultimo, from a room in the Okoroire Hot Springs Hotel, the property of PATRICK McCONNELL, a gentlemen's gold watch (recovered); a gentlemen's gold watch-chain, large heavy links; four ten-shilling Australian bank-notes; and 7s. 6d. in silver: total value, £12 7s. 6d. Identifiable except money.

RAHOTU.—About October last, the property of CECIL WILLIAM REVELL, a '22 calibre Winchester rifle; value, £1. Identifiable.

STRATFORD.—24th June, 1921, the property of ERNEST ROBERTS, a '22 calibre Winchester rifle; value, £1. Identi-

ELTHAM.—Between 1921 and 1924, the property of JOHN McDONALD, Ngaere, a pea-rifle, with "J. Stevens" and "A. and T. Co." on it; value, £1. Identifiable.

NAPIER.—Between the 7th and 8th ultimo, the premises of HENRY WILLIAMS AND CO., Hastings Street, were broken into and the following stolen: A '38 calibre Harrington and Richardson six-chambered revolver; and 5s. in money: total value, £1 10s. Revolver only identifiable.

Hastings.—Between May and 3rd November last, from the dwelling of FRED PIPE, butcher, Havelock Road, a gentlemen's gold open-face watch, "Presented to Henry Pipe by the Nuneaton and Atherstone Licensed Victuallers' Association" inscribed on back; and a gentlemen's gold curbchain, with gold seal attached: total value, £18. Identifiable.

Wanganui.—29th November last, from 23 Pitt Street, the property of ROBERT LAMBERT, a gold fetter-and-oval watch-chain, with sovereign attached; and £6 in money: total value, £12. Identifiable except money. Suspicion is attached to Walter James Walker, alias Donaldson, referred to in Police Gazette, 1932, page 622, who has been interviewed, but no evidence resulted.

WANGANUI.—21st October last, from 20 Nelson Street, the property of WALTER HENRY FERRYMAN, £25 in notes. Not identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Thomas Kane Lay**, or **Lake**, age twenty-one, height 5 ft. 6 in., tea-canvasser, native of New Zealand, medium build, pale complexion, dark-brown hair, grey eyes; wearing a brown suit, bluegrey overcoat, brown hat, and brown shoes.

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WANGANUI.—Between the 12th and 13th instant, the shop of JOSEPH LAW, 107 Guyton Street, was broken into and the following stolen: A large quantity of cigarettes and tobacco, assorted brands; bottles of bay rum, brilliantine, and Q-tol; a quantity of chocolate, &c.: total value, £30 9s. Not identifiable.

Wanganui.—24th ultimo, from a motor-car in St. Hill Street, the property of RALPH C. SAGE, 190 Oriental Parade, Wellington, a leather attaché-case, containing a pair of pyjamas, with blue stripes; a light-grey pullover; letters addressed to "R. C. Sage, Box 428, Wellington," &c.: total value, £7. Identifiable.

Castlecliff.—18th ultimo, the property of BESSIE JOHNS, 71 Tawa Street, a ladies' gold wristlet-watch, with black ribbon wristlet attached, "James Pascoe" on dial; value, £4. Identifiable. The watch was stolen from complainant's clothes at the Castlecliff beach.

FEILDING.—Ist instant, from the dwelling of JOHN EDWARD JENKINSON, farmer, Sandon Road, a Rotherhams gold wristlet-watch, with gold expanding wristlet; and two electric two-cell torches: total value, £15. Identifiable.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—5th ultimo, from a workshop at the Relief Depot, the property of SYDNEY RAYMOND SPIERS, 23 Miro Street, a gentlemen's silver hunting Swiss watch, "S.R.S." engraved on case, "Ray Spiers" seratched on inside of back case; value, £3. Identifiable.

Pahlatua.—Between the 31st ultimo and 4th instant, the shop of JOHN BAYNE TULLOCH was broken into and the following stolen: Three travelling-rugs, each rug has a ticket attached, with "Pure Wool Onchunga Rug" on it; sixty pairs of gentlemen's artificial silk socks; twelve gentlemen's shirts; three boys' overcoats, Standard make; a ladies' black silk coat; and a ladies' blue silk coat: total value, £23 17s. Portion identifiable.

Petone.—13th November last, from a bathing-shed at Petone, the property of LESLIE WILLIAM WOOLLEY, 14 Norton Park Avenue, Lower Hutt, a gentlemen's silver Rolex wristlet-watch, "To Les from Maud with Love, 1918," engraved on back, No. 655719; value, £3 10s. Identifiable.

Wellington.—Between the 7th and 8th November last, from the yard of the Government Printing Office, the property of the NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT (Printing and Stationery Department), a green heavy canvas tarpaulin, size 15 ft. by 18 ft., double canvas edge; value, £7. Identi-

Wellington.—Between the 29th and 30th October last, the shop of COLIN LEIGHTON, 192 Glenmore Street, was broken into and the following stolen: A quantity of eigarettes and tobacco, assorted brands; total value, £28 11s. 2d. and tobacco, as Not identifiable.

Wellington.—Between the 24th and 25th December last, the the shop of G. ARDREY AND SON, LTD., 106 Cuba Street, was broken into and the following stolen: Twenty pairs of gentlemen's black glacé-kid boots, branded "Allan Shoe, Made in Scotland," sizes 6½ to 10½; seven pairs of gentlemen's black box-calf shoes, and a pair of gentlemen's tan shoes, "Matchless Make" branded on soles, "Made expressly for G. Ardrey and Son, 106 Cuba Street, Wellington," branded on inside; seven pairs of gentlemen's black glacé-kid boots, "Teenic" branded on soles and "Ardrey" branded on inside; six pairs of gentlemen's black shoes, "Crockett and Jones" branded on soles; a pair of gentlemen's tan Derby boots, "Crockett and Jones" branded on soles; six pairs of gentlemen's black leather shoes, branded "Ardrey" inside and "Warranted Solid Leather" on soles; three pairs of gentlemen's black leather shoes, "K" branded on soles; seven pairs of gentlemen's black Derby shoes, "Sell-shar" branded on soles; two pairs of black Derby boots, "Balchemen's black Derby boots, "Marlow" branded on soles; two pairs of gentlemen's black Derby boots, "Marlow" branded on soles; and about three pairs of gentlemen's odd black shoes: total value, £95 6s. 6d. Identifiable.

Wellington. — On the 13th ultimo, the dwelling of BEATRICE ELIZABETH FROST, 96 Glenmore Street, was BEATRICE ELIZABETH FROST, 96 Glenmore Street, was broken into and the following stolen: A necklace, made of square and oval gold blocks placed alternately, each block is about ½ in. long by ¼ in. wide, fastened together in swivel or hinge fashion, about 15 in. long; a ladies' gold wristletwatch, "D. E. Frost" and date on back of case; and a ladies' gold Baume wristlet-watch, with black ribbon wristlet attached: total value, £32. Identifiable.