

AUCKLAND.—Between the 20th and 22nd ultimo, a store-room, the property of the ONEHUNGA WOOLLEN MILLS CO., LTD., was broken into and the following stolen: A light-fawn Aorangi travelling rug, 1½ in. brown stripe and narrow pale-blue, brick, and brown stripes on one side, plain on the other side, fringe at ends; twenty-eight Rotorua rugs, mostly fawn with stripes on one side only; twenty-three Rotorua fawn motor rugs; two fawn rugs; and three Celotex blankets: total value, £55 ls. Identifiable. The offence may have been committed by showmen who attended the Winter Show.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 1st February and 25th March last, from 461 New North Road, the property of SARAH ANN STANTON, a fine gold chain about 54 in. long, with a round piece of gold about every 4 in. in chain; a gold oblong brooch, about 2 in. long, set with pale-blue stones with safety-chain attached; a gold Maltese cross, studded with pink and blue stones, with ring on top; and a three-bar gold brooch, about 1½ in. long, diamond-shaped centre with ruby and garnet set in it: total value, £9 10s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Man** (name unknown), age about sixty-nine, height 5 ft. 10 in., chimney-sweep, thin build, grey hair. Complainant had the above-mentioned articles secreted in a chimney which was cleaned by the above-described man. A few weeks after it had been cleaned she missed the property.

AUCKLAND.—On the 7th ultimo, the dwelling of JOHN SAMUEL PATTERSON, 9 Morton Street, Freeman's Bay, was broken into and the following stolen: A ladies' 9 ct. gold Swiss wristlet-watch, No. 860707, "M.H." engraved on back, with gold expanding wristlet attached; and a brown leather suit-case, about 20 in. long, large pocket inside lid, several oil-spots on bottom of case inside: total value, £9 10s. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 15th and 16th June last, the dwelling of HAROLD WEBSTER MORTON, 7 Ngaiwi Street, Orakei, was broken into and the following stolen: A coral brooch, made in the form of a white basket with handle, red rose on one side of basket and pink rose on the other side; a string of pink spotted beads, &c.: total value, £1 7s. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 1st and 15th June last, from a show-case, the property of F. S. TYLER, LTD., Anzac Avenue, a piece of Dresden china, about 12 in. high, with the figures of a man and woman dancing, blue coats, woman's skirt made of fine lace-work china; value, £12. Identifiable.

STRATFORD.—Between the 16th and 22nd June last, from the dwelling of ETHEL HOWART, Douglas Street, a ladies' gold ring, set with three diamonds in platinum; value, £10. Identifiable.

TARADALE.—Between the 23rd and 24th May last, from a road-grader, the property of the HAWKE'S BAY COUNTY COUNCIL, Napier, a magneto to fit a Fordson tractor, Bosch make, No. 62288, marked F.U. 4B R.S. 27; value, £20. Identifiable.

WAIPIKURAU.—Between the 1st June last and 12th ultimo, from a shed, the property of FREDERICK FRYER, Woburn Street, a .22 calibre Winchester repeating rifle, No. 211427; value, £2. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—Between the 25th February and 16th March last, the property of MARTHA GORDON, 102 Chester Street, a ladies' gold ring, believed to be 18 ct., set with three diamonds, centre diamond missing; a ladies' gold ring, believed to be 18 ct., "S" shape on top, set with diamonds and sapphires, centre diamond missing; and a ladies' 18 ct. gold ring, set with three garnets, centre stone missing: total value, £30. Identifiable. Complainant gave the rings to **Henry Thomas Patterson Burnett**, alias **Thomas Henry Burnett**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1935, page 308, and Photographs, 1929, page 17, for the purpose of having them re-set, and when located he is to be closely questioned regarding the disposal of them. He was boarding with complainant at the time he received the rings.

Bicycles.

AUCKLAND.—27/4/35, the property of Stanton Bros., Ltd., a gentlemen's black Monarch Special; value, £7.

NEWMARKET.—11/3/35, the property of Kenneth Lawrence Warburton, a gentlemen's black; value, £2.

OTAHURU.—3/6/35, the property of John Hogan, a gentlemen's black Massey-Harris, No. 73851; value, £5.

HAMILTON.—14/6/35, the property of Arthur Donald Bleaken, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., No. W. 4.83339; value, £10 10s.

HAMILTON.—19/5/35, the property of John Douglas Finlay, a gentlemen's, No. 5400, black with white facings, Tour de France transfer; value, £13.

HAMILTON.—13/6/35, the property of Alexander Millns, a gentlemen's black Royal, No. D. 872; value, £3.

WANGANUI.—10/6/35, the property of Ben Bullock, a gentlemen's black with green lines; value, £3 10s.

WANGANUI.—31/5/35, the property of Terrence Malone, a gentlemen's Chainey, No. 1644, black with nickel cross-bar; value, £5.

WANGANUI.—6/6/35, the property of Dixie Lewis, a ladies' black Utility, No. 2122; value, £3 10s.

WANGANUI.—7/5/35, the property of Louis Hayward, a gentlemen's B.S.A., No. 58888, black with yellow and red lines; value, £13.

WANGANUI.—25/5/35, the property of Ngan Kee, a boy's Utility, No. 2186, black with red lines; value, £4 15s.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—14/6/35, the property of Louisa Jane Ann Dewar, a ladies' black New Hudson, Boucher transfer; value, £7.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—9/7/35, the property of Leo Newlands Boniface, a gentlemen's black, No. 90598; value, £1 15s.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—9/7/35, the property of Clarence Priest, a gentlemen's black Argyle, No. 6030; value, £4.

WELLINGTON.—17/6/35, the property of Self Help Co-op., Ltd., a gentlemen's black Phillips Credex, No. A. 29202 over 8.34; value, £5 13s. 6d.

WESTPORT.—19/5/35, the property of William Shorrock, a gentlemen's black Royal Enfield, No. 144936; value, £10 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—17/5/35, the property of Doris Irving, a ladies' black Butler, Nos. 191546/7473/112; value, £3 10s.

ASHBURTON.—11/7/35, the property of Ethel Doris Stevenson, a ladies' black, No. 2210, H. Money, Cycle Depot, Ashburton, transfer; value, £10.

TIMARU.—18/6/35, the property of Sidney Wilson, a gentlemen's black Falcon, No. W. 8/74884; value, £5.

DUNEDIN.—5/7/35, the property of Thomas Pryde Lanham, a gentlemen's black Royal, No. A. 69229/3-33; value, £4 10s.

INVERCARGILL.—3/7/35, the property of Edward Thomas Scammell, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., No. 28040; value, £6 10s. Suspicion is attached to **Harold Ross**, alias **Harold Joseph Whittle**, alias **Harold Tobin**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1935, page 444, and Photographs, 1922, page 87.

PROPERTY RECOVERED.

MOUNT EDEN.—WILLIAM GEORGE BISHOP'S motorcycle has been recovered by the Auckland police, and offender charged with offence. (See Police Gazette, 1934, page 302.)

SHANNON.—ETHEL FRANCES LONG'S ring has been found, not stolen. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 103.)

RICHMOND.—WALTER COLIN STANBURY'S bicycle has been recovered by the Richmond police, and offender charged with offence. (See Police Gazette, 1933, page 630.)

MISSING.

PAEROA.—Since the 29th December, 1934, **Heather Jean Luders**, age eighteen, height 5 ft. 6 in., domestic, native of New Zealand, fresh complexion, fair hair (buster cut), blue-grey eyes, artificial upper teeth, well dressed; attractive appearance. Her photograph is filed. She was accompanied by William Fred Betteridge, farmer, age twenty-six. Inquiry by her father, Claus Martin Luders, who desires her to be induced to return home.

MOTOR REGISTRATION-PLATES LOST.

Motor registration-plates, No. X. 9.852 (Auckland), No. H. 11.315 (Rotorua); No. 95.577 (Gisborne), (these plates may have been stolen); No. D. 489 (Wellington); and No. 28,813 (Timaru).