

ONGAONGA.—**W. D. Gardner**, inquired for, has been interviewed by the Ongarue police. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 88.)

PAHIATUA.—**Angus Alexander Taylor**, absconding from licensed service, has returned to the Weraoia Training Farm. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 142.)

WELLINGTON.—**Sydney Smith**, alias **McCarthy**, alias **Johnston** breach of probation, has been arrested by the Bulls police. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 78.) (P. 35/115.)

WELLINGTON.—**Percy William Old**, alias **Nixon**, inquired for, has been interviewed by the Pongaroa police. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 88.)

MURCHISON.—**Arthur Jeffrey Durrant**, alias **R. Dunn**, alias **A. Wilson**, false pretences, has been arrested by the Mataitui police. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 152.)

TIMARU.—**Samuel Gibson**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Hastings police. (See Police Gazette, 1934, page 301.)

DUNEDIN.—**Thomas Noonan**, summons for casting offensive matter, has been served by Mount Cook (Wellington) police. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 128.)

DUNEDIN.—**Frederick Redfean Ainley**, ship-desertion: Warrant cancelled. (See Police Gazette, 1934, page 682.)

GORE.—Robert Hugh Matthews, shop broken into: **Andrew Gordon Campbell**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1934, page 480, and Photographs, 1933, page 47, and **Percy Staples** have been charged with offence. Portion of the ammunition has been recovered. (See Police Gazette, 1935, page 90.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—4th ultimo, the property of **ALICE MAY BROWN**, 105 Crummer Road, a solid brown leather attache-case, size 16 in. by 12 in. by 5 in., leather pocket on lid, two nickel push-in fasteners; and £2 in money: total value, £3 10s. Attache-case identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Shelia Hastie**, age seventeen, height 5 ft. 6 in., domestic, native of New Zealand, strong build, dark freckled complexion, dark hair and eyes, slightly deaf; believed to be wearing a brown tweed frock. Suspect is under the care of the Child Welfare Department, and was employed by complainant. She left her employment, and afterwards the property was missing. When located she is to be arrested and handed over to the custody of the nearest Child Welfare Office.

AUCKLAND.—On the night of the 6th instant, the counting-house of **NEW LYNN BOROUGH COUNCIL**, Great North Road, was broken into and the following stolen: A canvas banking-bag, size about 8 in. by 5 in.; a Yale key and two cupboard keys on ring; three Tattersall sweepstake tickets, one of which is in No. 23 Consultation; and £91 5s. 2d. in money, consisting of eight £5 Reserve Bank notes; about £49 in £1 and 10s. Reserve Bank notes; and about £2 1s. 2d. in silver, including a few pennies. Keys only identifiable. The money, &c., was stolen from a safe which was opened by means of explosives.

AUCKLAND.—2nd instant, from 196 Hobson Street, the property of **NORMAN CAMERON**, a gentlemen's fawn suit with blue stripes, size about 5; value, £5 10s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **L. Guilford**, age about twenty-three height 5 ft. 8 in., labourer, medium build, tanned complexion, dark curly hair, noticeable scar on right forefinger; wearing dark-grey suit (no hat). May be identical with **Leslie Wilfred Guilford**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1933, page 62.

AUCKLAND.—10th ultimo, from a dressing-shed at the Parnell Baths, the property of **LILLIAN COLLETT**, 3 Melrose Street, Newmarket, a brown leather purse about 4 in. by 2 in., laced edges, coloured spray on flap; a ladies' 9 ct. gold Swiss wristlet-watch, octagon shape, small white face, English numerals, with black ribbon wristlet: total value, £2 2s. 6d. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 16th and 29th January last, the dwelling of **ARTHUR GLOUSTER PARSONS**, 25 Wilson Street, was broken into and the following stolen: A gold brooch, about 1 in. in size; a gold brooch with glass centre, with several strands of fair hair plaited around outside edge of glass, about size of 1s.; a paste diamond brooch, rabbit shape, diamonds set in gold; a paste diamond brooch, shape of bird, diamonds set in silver; a gun-metal wristlet-watch, English numerals, black hands, with leather wristlet; and £1 10s. in money: total value, £3 19s. Identifiable except money. Suspicion is attached to **Raymond Kerr**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1935, page 141.

WHANGAMOMONA.—Between 29th January, 1921, and 12th October last, the property of **CYRIL CLAUDE DAVEY**, Kawhia, a .22 calibre Winchester single-shot rifle; a .303 M.L.E. rifle, No. 4513, body No. D. 2269, barrel No. 247524; and a .303 M.L.E. rifle, No. 22172, body and barrel No. C. 564: total value, £3 5s. The .303 rifles identifiable.

WANGANUI.—Between 4th and 7th ultimo, from a harness-room, the property of **JAMES VAUGHAN BLYTH**, farmer, No. 1 Line, a heavy deep-seated stock saddle, lined with white cloth, small knee-pads, one stirrup-leather broken, other repaired, folded leather girth, nickel stirrup-irons, leather saddle-cloth, sewn up centre, attached; value, £5. About the same date a saddle, the property of **HENRY LONGFIELD CARPENTER**, an employee of complainant, was stolen. Description: Leather lined, long girth-straps partially renewed under saddle-flaps, new patch on right skirt, small knee-pads, oilskin apron with straps attached, leather surcingle, nickel stirrup-irons, branded "Fraser and Co., Taihape"; value, £11. Identifiable.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—7th ultimo, from a railway-carriage at Palmerston North, the property of **JOYCE CATHERINE HAMMOND**, Riversdale Road, Wanganui, a fawn tweed handbag, about 8 in. by 4 in., with two compartments, clip fastener; a ladies' 9 ct. gold half-hunting Swiss wristlet-watch, No. 199197, "B. C. McG." engraved on back, may have black ribbon wristlet attached; a Blackbird fountain-pen, with "J. C. Hammond" on it; and 9s. 3d. in money: total value, £6 9s. Identifiable except money.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—Between the 30th and 31st January last, from the Orient Hall, the property of **CLARENCE BERNARD PALMER** and another, farmer, Feilding, a gentlemen's double-breasted brown check tweed overcoat, size 5, vented back, branded "Humphries and Andrews, Palmerston North"; and a gentlemen's double-breasted grey and black herring-bone worsted overcoat, size 4 or 5, dark silk lining, branded "Rosco, Palmerston North," vented back: total value, £11 12s. 6d. Identifiable.

DENNISTON.—14th December last, the property of the **WESTPORT COAL CO.**, a red Myres low-down hand-pump, lever action, about 12 in. long and 8 in. in diameter, brass barrel lining, bend on delivery end fitted with fire hose connection, branded "Myres Low Down Hand Pump"; and 15 ft. of suction-hose; value, £7. Identifiable.

MURCHISON.—Between the 25th and 28th January last, the property of **JAMES ALEXANDER MCCONOCHIE**, farmer, Howard, a case containing 60 lb. of Roma tea; and a case containing a quantity of tobacco: total value, £19. Not identifiable. The cases were addressed to complainant and stolen from the roadside at Howard Junction.

TEMUKA.—On the 9th instant, the office of the **WAIHI WOOL-SCOURING WORKS**, was broken into and the following stolen: A six-lever Miller padlock key attached to a piece of bone, which may have "231" on it; a bunch of four keys on a ring, comprising a safe-key for a seven Ward lock, and three Miller flat padlock keys; a bunch of seventeen keys, comprising four Union six-lever flat padlock-keys, marked as follows: One with a single centre punch mark, figure "4" and some deep scoring across one end; one with figure "2"; one with figure "3"; one with figure "5"; six Miller six-lever padlock keys, one with four file marks; one with five file marks; one with six file marks; one with centre punch mark; one with two centre punch marks; one probably No. 351; two Empire six-lever flat padlock-keys, one with two file marks; one with three file marks; a Climax padlock-key; two padlock-keys, tumbler type; and two ordinary door-keys: total value, £1 13s. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—Between the 17th and 22nd January last, the dwelling of **DAVID MURRAY FASTIER**, 157 Victoria Road, St. Clair, was broken into and the following stolen: A ladies' pink xylonite dressing-table set, comprising hair brush, comb, powder-bowl, and photo frame; a dozen white linen handkerchiefs with fancy edges; a pair of ladies' fawn ladderproof silk stockings; a pale-blue ladderlock silk nightdress trimmed with lace; two pair of ladies' kid gauntlet gloves, size 6½; two pair of ladies' white silk gloves; a pair of ladies' lemon-coloured locknit bloomers; a ladies' brown morocco leather hand-bag, size 10 in. by 6 in., chromium-plated top, with three compartments; a Silver Arrow green fountain-pen; a Kropp blade-razor, with black handle; a Johnston blade-razor with black handle; a flat silver-plated automatic cigarette-lighter, with monogram "C.S.W." on side; a nickel-plated Boyproof watch; a nickel watch with luminous dial; a green leather-covered pocket-book, with silver design on each corner; and a brown leather attache-case, about 18 in. by 16 in., with "Marion Fastier" on inside of lid: total value, £11 18s. 6d. Portion identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—On the 12th December last, the dwelling of **MARY PATRICIA DRIVER**, 669 Castle Street, was broken into and the following stolen: An 18 ct. gold ring, crossover pattern, set with five diamonds in platinum setting, middle stone and claw missing; a ladies' open-face silver Sundial wristlet-watch, 15 jewel; and £1 15s. in money: total value, £14 10s. Identifiable except money.