

OTAHUHU.—11th June last, the property of ALAN GALLO-WAY, care of John Rothery, Buckland Road, a .22 calibre single-shot Savage rifle barrel, model 3, bolt action, may have No. 3283 on it; value, about £1. Identifiable. Complainant lost the barrel from his motor-cycle between Waiiau Pa and Papakura.

RAHOTU.—Between the 29th and 31st March last, from the dwelling of Mrs. D. A. Fox, Gosling Street, Okato, the property of ETHEL MAY HONEYFIELD, Lower Timaru Road, Tataraimaka, a black Morocco leather handbag about 9 in. by 4 in. by 5 in., two handle straps; a brown leather purse, 3 in. by 2 in., containing £1 12s. in money; an engagement ring, set with three sapphires and two diamonds in straight setting; a New Plymouth Savings-bank book, No. 17252; and a radio license for year 1938-39: total value, about £22 7s. Identifiable except money.

HASTINGS.—During the night of 25th ultimo, from a motor-car in Karamu Road, the property of GEORGE FAIRCHILD, 7 Miro Street, Palmerston North, a light mahogany case, 15 in. by 4 in. by 3 in., containing a nickel-plated cystoscope, Professor O. Ringleb's model, consisting of three pieces, a double catheterizing sheath, an examining sheath, and a telescope; value, £30. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—On the 8th ultimo, the office in the service-station of HAYES AND LYDER, 203 Crawford Street, was broken into and the following stolen: £27 17s. in money; and a cheque, No. P.C. 281470, for £8 7s., drawn on the Commercial Bank of Australia in favour of "Order," stamped "W. C. Henry, Ltd.," and signed "W. C. Hendry and Warren Boyd." Cheque only identifiable.

Bicycles.

BALMORAL.—7/5/38, a gentlemen's black Speed King roadster, the property of Arthur Hooper; value, £10.

MOUNT EDEN.—23/7/38, No. B.C. 7412, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, the property of Arthur Davenport; value, £8.

AUCKLAND.—17/5/38, a gentlemen's black Albion, the property of Albert Edward Elborn; value, £4.

AUCKLAND.—10/6/38, No. J. 3838, a gentlemen's blue Courier racing, Courier transfers, the property of Leslie John Milne; value, £4. *see 20.9.39.*

AUCKLAND.—16/6/38, No. O.Z. 3451, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, with red lines, Auckland City Council No. 30055, the property of Albert Percival Thomas; value, £5.

AUCKLAND.—18/6/38, No. 68019, a gentlemen's black Albion, with red and gold coloured lines, Albion and Red Daggers transfers, yellow roses on frame, the property of Cyril Kelly; value, £9.

AUCKLAND.—21/6/38, No. A. 4610 over 436, a gentlemen's maroon Leader racing, Clarke's transfers, "Leader" in white paint on front bar, Auckland City Council No. 37513, the property of Leonard Ernest Knight; value, £12 5s.

AUCKLAND.—8/7/38, No. F.G. 10770, a gentlemen's black Monarch, with red lines, the property of Olliver Charles Edward Nolan; value, £10.

AUCKLAND.—12/7/38, No. A. 3543 over 10.34, a gentlemen's black, Leader frame, the property of Timothy Fitzpatrick; value, £4.

AUCKLAND.—Between 16/7/38 and 23/7/38, No. 186631, a gentlemen's black Royal Enfield, Auckland City Council No. 36235, "E.N." in red paint on flap of rear mudguard, the property of Eric Robinson Neal; value, £8. *received 9/11/38*

ROTORUA.—8/6/38, No. Z.O. 1058, a gentlemen's green Monarch Special, the property of Ronald Lee; value, £3 10s.

NAPIER.—17/6/38, No. N.P. 2430, a gentlemen's red and white Monarch Special, the property of Alan Roberts; value, £4.

HASTINGS.—6/6/38, No. 327630, a gentlemen's black Triumph, with gold-coloured lines, Triumph and Stevens transfers, the property of Jack Allan; value, £11.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—25/5/38, No. 168755, a gentlemen's black Raleigh Sports, Raleigh and C. and M. transfers, the property of William Maurice Oliver; value, £8.

CARTERTON.—18/6/38, No. Z. 22365, a gentlemen's black Rover, the property of Claude Ivan Rayner; value, £5.

TIMARU.—17/6/38, No. W. 3 over 4611, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., the property of James Flanagan; value, £6.

DUNEDIN.—2/7/38, No. 42014 over 3.36, a gentlemen's black, Credenda and Kiwi transfers, the property of Carline John Idour; value, £5.

DUNEDIN.—5/7/38, No. V.X. 8406, a ladies' black Simplex, with green lines, the property of Florence Smith; value, £9.

INVERCARGILL.—20/4/38, No. 82037, a gentlemen's black Hopper, the property of Gerald Peter Enright; value, £9 10s.

INVERCARGILL.—12/5/38, No. 36859, a ladies' black Grand, the property of Gertrude Carr; value, £7. *recor'd. 25/9/38*

PROPERTY RECOVERED.

GISBORNE.—WAIAPU FARMERS' CO-OP. shop broken into: The cash-register has been recovered from a hedge near the Tikitiki Pa. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 199.)

NEW PLYMOUTH.—KENNETH ANDREW MARTIN'S bicycle has been recovered. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 339.)

HASTINGS.—DOLLY EDITH MANNING'S bicycle has been recovered by the Hastings police, and the offender located. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 482.)

MISSING.

WELLINGTON.—**Elsie Bell Mace**, missing. The following amended description of the missing woman has been supplied: Age forty-three, height about 5 ft. 5 in., married, native of New Zealand, thin build, tanned complexion, dark hair turning grey, thin face (thinner than appears in her photograph), upper teeth artificial, no lower teeth. She may be wearing her husband's light-brown dressing-gown over her nightdress, and bed socks of mixed colours. She was not wearing a red dressing-gown as previously stated. (See Police Gazette, 1938, page 575.)

DESERTER FROM HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

AUCKLAND.—2nd instant, on warrant for deserting from H.M.S. "Achilles," **Jesse Andrew Ian McDonald**, age seventeen, height 5 ft. 1½ in., seaman, freckled complexion, fair hair blue eyes, scar on right arm. *body recovered 7/9/38*

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION.

Memorandum.]

Naval Deserters.

The Naval Authorities have drawn attention to the fact that the following deserters from the New Zealand Division of the Navy have not yet been apprehended, and advise that they are prepared to consider the granting of a reward of £1 in respect of the arrest of each of these deserters within two years of date of desertion:—

Jacobs, L. N. G., Police Gazette, 1937, page 138.—*arrested*
Hamilton, J. S., Police Gazette, 1937, page 295.—*Wt. cancelled*
McDonald, H. M., Police Gazette, 1937, page 332.—*arrested*
Achurch, A. J., Police Gazette, 1937, page 185.—*discharged, 10*
Nant, W. J., Police Gazette, 1937, page 185.—*cancelled*
Stratton, P. C., Police Gazette, 1937, page 582.—*arrested*
Dewhirst, A. L., Police Gazette, 1937, page 582.
Ellis, G. T., Police Gazette, 1937, page 835.—*cancelled*
Heatley, H. G., Police Gazette, 1938, page 59.
Nash, A. P., Police Gazette, 1938, page 92.—*cancelled*
Dean, F. R. J., Police Gazette, 1938, page 92.—*see 11/4/38*
Clements, S. M., Police Gazette, 1938, page 109.—*see 11/4/38*
Relph, M. W., Police Gazette, 1938, page 575.—*see 11/4/38*
Shivas, J. G., Police Gazette, 1938, page 575.—*see 11/4/38*
Hudson, A., Police Gazette, 1938, page 575.—*see 11/4/38*
Davies, J., Police Gazette, 1938, page 391.—*arrested*
Connelly, F. N., Police Gazette, 1938, page 464.—*arrested*

D. J. CUMMINGS, Commissioner of Police.
12th August, 1938. (P. 38/1064.)

EXTRACTS FROM NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

Declaring Areas to be Closely Populated Localities for the Purposes of the Motor-vehicles Amendment Act, 1936, Section 3.

Certain Areas at Oturehua and Ranfurly within Maniototo County.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1938, page 1776.)

Prohibition of Money-orders and Postal Correspondence.

(See New Zealand Gazette, 1938, page 1804.)

THE Southern Rhodesia Government State Lotteries.
Keightley, H. E., Box 540, Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia.
Kimptons, Box 1186, Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia.
Kimpton's Subscription List, Stanley Avenue, Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia.
Mail Order Trading Co., The, Box 1181, Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia.