

AUCKLAND.—29th October last, from the dwelling of ETHEL MARY CRAY, 50 Grafton Road, a ladies' brown Morocco leather handbag, about 12 in. long by about 6 in. deep, half of rim has been soldered, containing £1 16s. in money; a time-payment booklet from Farmers' Trading Co., Auckland; a green and white powder compact; an oval nickel rouge compact; an 18 ct. gold engagement ring, large diamond in claw setting in centre of cluster of diamond chips; a ladies' 18 ct. gold half-hoop band ring, set with four diamonds; and a ladies' 18 ct. gold band ring, set with an oval black opal in crown setting (opal is loose in setting); total value, £50 15s. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—8th ultimo, from the garage of the Northern Automobiles, Albert Street, the property of CATHERINE MEIKLEJOHN, Bigomaha, a blue 1937 model Flying Standard 12 four-door sedan motor-car, about 12 in. of paint has been removed at back behind bumper bar, chassis No. D. 7188, engine No. D. 7045 E., registration No. 5,950; value, £300. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—On or about the 15th October last, from the dwelling of Vera Johnson, 17 Leamington Road, Westmere, the property of ERNEST PADFIELD, a boarder, a gentlemen's 9 ct. gold hunting Swiss lever watch, No. 167584, "E.P." scratched inside inner back case, bow beneath circle on front case, black Roman numerals, gold hands; a gentlemen's 9 ct. gold small cable-link watch-chain, bar in middle on sliding link; a 9 ct. gold medal in shape of four-leaf clover, "Essendon Regatta, Championship, 1928, E. Padfield" and oarsman in skiff engraved on it; total value, £25. Identifiable.

HAWERA.—During the night of the 12th November last, the Summer Show Building was broken into and the following, the property of EDGAR ALAN CROTHALL, Wellington, stolen: A dark navy-blue suit with white stripes, made by R. J. Munro, Auckland; a light-grey suit with double-breasted coat (suits would fit a man about 5 ft. 10 in. in height); and a small parcel of laundered clothing; total value, £16 17s. 6d. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Martin John Parrott**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 6 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, strong build, dark complexion and hair, brown eyes, short gait. He is an escapee from Porirua Mental Hospital.

Bicycles.

AUCKLAND.—21/6/38, a gentlemen's dark-grey, the property of Robert William Carter; value, £4 10s.

AUCKLAND.—23/7/38, No. 6747, a boy's black Phillips Royal with green lines, the property of Noel Crooke; value, £6.

AUCKLAND.—Between 1/8/38 and 14/9/38, a gentlemen's black Earl, No. 50157, the property of Harold Kilford Brown; value, £5.

AUCKLAND.—10/8/38, No. L.F. 356, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, the property of Victor Stephen Irwin; value, £4.

AUCKLAND.—15/8/38, No. J.B. 5280, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, with red lines, Mount Albert Borough Council No. 784, the property of Frederick Bellingham; value, £5.

AUCKLAND.—15/8/38, a gentlemen's black Phillips, Onehunga Borough Council No. 2409, the property of Molly Hannah; value, £3 10s.

AUCKLAND.—20/8/38, No. 60162, a gentlemen's green and white Speed King racing, the property of Donald Harris; value, £11 15s.

AUCKLAND.—24/8/38, No. 3929, a gentlemen's black and white Monarch Special, Auckland City Council No. 35143, the property of Leslie Bert Hewlett; value, £4.

AUCKLAND.—1/9/38, No. 10602, a gentlemen's black Royal Devon, with green lines, the property of Victor Gabriel Elliott; value, £2.

AUCKLAND.—9/9/38, No. V.A. 3487, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special with red lines, the property of Eric Lawrence William Gardiner; value, £9.

AUCKLAND.—13/9/38, No. A. 6172, a gentlemen's dark-blue Leader Sports, Graeme Superb transfers, Auckland City Council No. 35472, the property of Graeme Mason Chisholm; value, £7 10s.

AUCKLAND.—24/9/38, No. 94226, a gentlemen's black Wanderer Special, the property of Robert Dalziel; value, £3.

AUCKLAND.—8/10/38, No. 1007, a gentlemen's dark-red Jackson Special, "Jackson Special" in white paint on frame, the property of James Ian Palmer; value, £8 15s.

AUCKLAND.—12/10/38, No. 43570, a gentlemen's blue and white Speed King, the property of Brian Johnston; value, £5.

AUCKLAND.—23/10/38, No. 52499, a gentlemen's red Royal Standard, W. W. Cooper transfers, the property of Edna Rangi Amohia-Marū; value, £4.

AUCKLAND.—22/8/38, No. C.D. 477, a boy's black Hercules, with green lines, Hercules transfers, the property of Noel Coburn Lynch; value, £6.

AUCKLAND.—28/8/38, No. YC. 4826, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, the property of Charles Pierrepont Hutchinson; value, £2.

AUCKLAND.—1/10/38, No. PV. 14168, a ladies' black Monarch Special, the property of Bertha May White; value, £3.

AUCKLAND.—13/10/38, No. WX. 5884, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, with red lines, the property of Walter Leonard DeLacey; value, £6.

AUCKLAND.—21/10/38, No. AD. 2320, a ladies' maroon Monarch Special Sports, the property of Mary Robson; value, £10.

AUCKLAND.—19/10/38, No. 789, a gentlemen's black Phillips Royal, the property of Donald Edward Broderick; value, £5.

AUCKLAND.—26/10/38, No. VF. 11727, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, the property of John Horsfall; value, £4.

AUCKLAND.—26/10/38, No. W.O. 534, a gentlemen's light-blue Monarch Special, the property of Roxford Arthur Bree; value, £5.

AUCKLAND.—2/11/38, No. F. 4319, a gentlemen's blue Leader, the property of Theodore Snowden; value, £11 15s.

AUCKLAND.—18/11/38, No. CW. 604, a gentlemen's black Royal Star, the property of Robert Leonard Adams; value, £6.

AUCKLAND.—24/11/38, No. A. 36747 over 836, a gentlemen's black Royal Hunter, with gold-coloured lines, Auckland City Council No. 37057, the property of William John Jessop; value, £10.

AUCKLAND.—24/11/38, Nos. 711 and C. 9467, a gentlemen's black Comet, the property of Mervyn Bernard Rhind; value, £10.

AUCKLAND.—28/11/38, No. G.H. 1806, a gentlemen's black Leader, with red lines, the property of Edward Robert Hood Miller; value, £11.

HAMILTON.—3/10/38, No. 33072, a gentlemen's black Phillips Roadster, the property of Arthur Cyril John Duff; value, £3.

HAMILTON.—7/11/38, No. 31797, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., the property of Horace Edward Fayen; value, £4 10s.

HAMILTON.—11/11/38, No. 49382 or 49832, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., the property of Hilton Miller Libeau; value, £2 10s.

ROTORUA.—1/10/38, No. 0101, a gentlemen's black Chaytor Lee racing, "C.L." fitted in driving wheel, the property of Richard Walter Aldiss; value, £5.

GISBORNE.—3/7/38, No. A. 79584, a gentlemen's black Phillips Royal Devon, the property of Norman Duley; value, £6 10s.

GISBORNE.—29/10/38, No. 64387, a gentlemen's green Empire, Russell, Gisborne, transfers, the property of Carl Bloxham; value, £11.

GISBORNE.—30/10/38, No. 576 W., a gentlemen's black Allies, Allan Sutton, Gisborne, transfers, the property of Arthur Reynolds; value, £3.