

PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—Between the 27th and 31st October last, from the Foresters' Hall, 4 Carmen Avenue, Balmoral, the property of the FORESTERS' LODGE, a bowl-shaped silver cup, 2½ in. high, "Court Balmoral Ritual Competition, 1938" engraved on it; value, £1. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—10th November last, from a motor-car in Lorne Street, the property of CLEAVE MacKELLAR RICHWHITE, 27 Rahiri Road, Mount Eden, a gentlemen's grey worsted overcoat, single-breasted, straight cut, 42 in. chest, branded "Hugh Wright"; value, £11. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—21st or 22nd October last, from 58 Shortland Street, the property of DORIS EDITH MARY EALAM, a gold engagement ring, set with five diamonds in a row, largest diamond in centre, platinum setting; value, £15. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—11th November last, the property of GIBSON VERNON BROOK, 105 Victoria Road, Devonport, a gentlemen's rolled-gold hunting keyless Waltham watch, black Roman numerals, scratch on inside back case; a rolled-gold open curb watch-chain, similar to illustration No. 24, in Police Gazette, 1911, page 2; and a £1 note; total value, £7 10s. Identifiable except money. Suspicion is attached to **Norman Harold McCormick**, alias **McCormack**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1939, page 628, and Photographs, 1935, page 5. Complainant and suspect were drinking together on the day the offence was committed, and the latter has been interviewed, but no evidence resulted.

WANGANUI.—9th ultimo, from clothing in the pavilion of the Wanganui Bowling Club, the property of ANDREW DOIG, Victoria Avenue, a gentlemen's rolled-gold 10-jewel open-face keyless Cyma lever pocket watch, No. 12299, seconds-hand missing, back case hinged, may have "A. Doig" scratched on inside back case; value, £4 10s. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—Between the 7th and 23rd November last, from a room in the factory of the RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION CO., Kaiwarra, a pair of solid circular Bolinder cutters, 7½ in. in diameter, used in a four-sided planing-machine, with 1½ in. spindles for tongue and groove work; and two bushes for cutters; value, £22. Identifiable.

Bicycles.

AUCKLAND.—13/10/39, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., the property of Edwin Battensby; value, £3.

OTAHUHU.—13/9/39, a gentlemen's black Farmers' Monarch Special, the property of Leonard Charles Stuart; value, £4.

ROTORUA.—31/10/39, No. F.H. 360, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special with gold-coloured lines, the property of William Donaldson; value, £9 7s.

GISBORNE.—23/10/39, No. A. 97461, a ladies' black, the property of Edith Pert; value, £5.

HASTINGS.—7/10/39, a gentlemen's red Healing Special racing, the property of Alfred William Reeves; value, £12.

HASTINGS.—Between 7/10/39 and 9/10/39, No. P.A. 8625, a ladies' maroon, Curtis transfers, the property of Alma Wilkie; value, £5.

HASTINGS.—3/11/39, No. A. 3433, a gentlemen's black Phillips Comfort, Heighway and Phillips transfers, the property of Alfred Raymond Stairmand; value, £13.

WANGANUI.—4/11/39, No. 1636, a gentlemen's blue N.Z., the property of Robert Charles Reid; value, £6 10s.

WANGANUI.—5/11/39, Nos. 3996 and we/117014, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., the property of Spencer Charles Francis Hodson; value, £10.

WANGANUI.—Between 10/11/39 and 17/11/39, No. 3024-B. 689, a ladies' black N.Z. with green lines, the property of Gwen Wilson; value, £5.

FEILDING.—10/11/39, Nos. (8)1172 and 112, a gentlemen's black Excelsior with gold-coloured lines, Excelsior and Chainey Bros. transfers, the property of Albert Michael Prendergast; value, £11 7s. 6d.

FEILDING.—27/11/39, Nos. (8)1112 and 5-316, a ladies' black Supreme, Chainey Bros. and Supreme transfers, the property of Mavis Ngaire Staples; value, £6.

DANNEVIRKE.—2/11/39, No. 307, a gentlemen's black, the property of Edward Elen Prior; value, £3.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—17/11/39, No. 4/564-6126, a ladies' black Bluebird, Chainey Bros. transfers, the property of Margaret Joan Kelly; value, £3.

MOERA.—23/9/39, No. C.X. 6830, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special, the property of William Thomas Hayes; value, £4.

WELLINGTON.—4/10/39, No. 1965/J. 79313, a gentlemen's black B.S.A. with red lines, B.S.A. transfers, fitted with three-speed gears, the property of Henry Lenhart; value, £10.

WELLINGTON.—8/11/39, No. 83079, a gentlemen's black B.S.A. with green lines, B.S.A. transfers, the property of George Robert Lindsay; value, £6.

CHRISTCHURCH.—8/9/39, No. 8286, a ladies' black Bell, Bell transfers, the property of Doris Eileen Banfield; value, £2 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—2/9/39, No. 3160, a gentlemen's red Butler, the property of Lionel Seddon Fox; value, £10.

CHRISTCHURCH.—2/9/39, No. B. 3149, a gentlemen's black Butler, the property of James Patrick Laffey; value, £5 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—23/9/39, No. B. 1782/57756, a gentlemen's black Butler, Butler transfers, the property of Patrick Curtin; value, £4 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—2/10/39, No. A.D. 55435, a gentlemen's black Raleigh, Hobday transfers, the property of Keith Newbury; value, £11 15s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—3/10/39, No. B. 1107, a gentlemen's black, the property of Ralph Owen Foster; value, £1 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—4/10/39, No. 2745 A./B. 10541, a gentlemen's black Raleigh, Raleigh transfers, the property of Edward Hercules Travis; value, £12 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—9/10/39, No. 689, a ladies' black Bell, Bell transfers, the property of Ruth Illingworth; value, £7 15s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—14/10/39, No. 6767, a ladies' blue and white Empire, Jones Special transfers, the property of Beatrice Mary Glasson; value, £11 11s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—15/10/39, No. 2161 A. over 16008, a ladies' black Butler, Butler transfers, the property of Mavis Wakefield; value, £8 14s. 6d.

CHRISTCHURCH.—20/10/39, No. 3101, a gentlemen's white Speedy, Speedy transfers, the property of Everitt Secker; value, £5.

CHRISTCHURCH.—20/10/39, Nos. B. 1970 and 8084, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., Butler transfers, the property of John A. Reynolds; value, £7 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—24/10/39, No. 49701, a gentlemen's black, the property of John Furey; value, £3.

CHRISTCHURCH.—26/10/39, No. 15317, a gentlemen's black, the property of Thomas Willis Burgess; value, £3.

CHRISTCHURCH.—21/10/39, Nos. 2688 A. and 16728, a gentlemen's black Butler, Butler transfers, the property of Cyril Cosgrove; value, £4 10s.

PROPERTY RECOVERED.

AUCKLAND.—RONALD ALLEN'S bicycle has been recovered. (See Police Gazette, 1939, page 770.)

HAMILTON.—MAURICE JOHN CRANSTON'S bicycle has been recovered by the Hamilton police. (See Police Gazette, 1939, page 967.)

MISSING.

HAMILTON.—Since the 2nd ultimo, **Sylvia Parenti Snell**, age twenty-seven, height about 5 ft. 9 in., married, native of New Zealand, strong build, dark complexion, dark straight hair; wearing a maroon and white floral dress and a black fur fabric coat. She has been in ill health, and fears are entertained for her safety.

found drowned 24/1/40.