LEVIN.-Raupa Wharemate, absconding from Weraroa, has been arrested by the Devonport police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 453.)

OTAKI.-Frank Walker, missing, has been found drowned. (See Police Gazette, 1918, page 453.)

CARTERTON.—John Thomas MacDonald, failing to parade for medical examination: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 454.)

WELLINGTON.—John Clements Allan, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Auckland police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 466.)

WELLINGTON.--Leslie John Coffey, failing to parade for medical examination: Warrant cancelled. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 376.)

MOUNT COOK.-Arthur Peters, failing to parade for medical examination: No further action to be taken. (See Police Gasette, 1918, page 431.)

CHRISTCHURCH. - Frederick Thomas Shearsby, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Nelson police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 416.)

ASHBURTON.-Thomas Vallence Affleck, failing to parade for medical examination, has been arrested by the Riverton police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 419.)

KUBOW.-Jack Wilson, failing to parade for medical examination: No further action to be taken. His correct name is John Tannahill. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 404.)

DUNEDIN.-August Switalli, default of maintenance, has been located by the Cheviot police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1918, page 464.)

## PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.-22nd May last, from a coat-pocket in the railway-engine sheds, the property of LESLIE JOHN ROUSE, engine-cleaner, 9 Shoal Bay Road, Devonport, a gentlemeu's silver open-face dust-proof watch, with "J. Maurer, Whangarei," on dial, steel hands, roman figures, seven jewels; value, £3. Identifiable.

THAMES.—31st May last, from the s.s. "Wakatere," the property of HERBERT BATEMAN, a Gladstone bag, about 16 in. long, scorched on one side, containing a ladies' silver wristlet watch in a dark-brown leather strap; a Valet Auto Strop safety razor in a white-metal case; a black-handled shaving-brush; two striped shirts; a suit of pyjamas; a linen collar; a silk collar; two handkerchiefs; and two ties: total value, £8. Bag and shaving-outfit only identifiable.

GISBORNE.—Sth June last, from outside the Public Library, the property of JAMES HENRY BULL, 107 Russell Street, a gentlemen's black-onamelled free-wheel Argyle bioyole, straight handles, nickel rims, back-pedalling brake fastened with cord, mud-guards attached; value, £14. Identifiable.

NAPIER.—10th instant, from Emerson Street, the property of JOHN COWAN, schoolboy, McVay Street, a gentlemen's black-enamelled free-wheel B.S.A. bicycle, black handles, back-pedalling brake, celluloid mud-guard on back wheel, carrier attached; value, £4 10s. Identifiable.

NAPIER. — 28th ultimo, from the cloak-room at the Municipal Theatre, the property of DAVID HOOD, traveller, Shakespeare Road, a gentlemen's fawn double-breasted gabardine overcoat, belt at waist, "Fitform, T. Parker, Napier," at neck, small grease-mark on front near bottom ; value, £5 17s. 6d. Identifiable.

NAPIER.-Between the 31st ultimo and the 7th instant, from a shed at the Education Board Office in Browning Street, the property of WILLIAM ANDERSON BIRD,

schoolboy, Clyde Road, a gentlemen's black-enamelled B.S.A. bioycle, wide upturned handles, rat-trap pedals, copper nut on chain, mud-guards missing; value, £4. Identifiable.

TABANAKI STREET (WELLINGTON).—On the night of the 24th ultimo the premises of the NATIONAL CASH-REGIS-TER COMPANY, 32 Cuba Street, were broken into, and two cash-boxes, containing the following cheques, &c., stolen from the safe: Cheques Nos.  $\frac{C}{2}$  650384, for £6, on Bank of Australasia, Christchurch, drawn by H. B. Low, Unlimited, Christchurch; 606, for £1 0s. 6d., on the Bank of New Zealand, Woodville, drawn by A. Fiest, Lower Hutt; 31358, for £5, on Bank of Australasia, Matangi, drawn by F. C. Matthews, Matangi; 332218, for £9, on Bank of New Zealand, Leeston, drawn by Chapman Bros., Southbridge, payable to 927; 2220, for £3 6s. 8d., on Union Bank of Australia, Hastings, drawn by Roach's, Limited, Hastings; B166233, for £22, on Bank of Australasia, Palmerston North, drawn by

J. Reginald Wood, Palmerston North;  $\frac{1}{B}$  19263, for £2 10s., on Union Bank of Australia, Wellington, drawn by E. B. Ash, Wellington; Q58213 for £7 10s., on National Bank of New Zealand, Oamaru, drawn by Duncan Gillies, Oamaru; 772217, for £1 6s. 6d., on National Bank of New Zealand, Hastings, drawn by F. L. Bone, Hastings; 921, for 17s. 3d., on Bank of New Zealand, Wanganui, drawn by United Friendly Societies' Dispensary, Wanganui — all payable (where not otherwise stated) to National Cash-register; a cheque for £2, on National Bank of New Zealand, Invercargill, drawn by William Lewis and Son, Invercargill, payable to 551; a cheque for £6, drawn by R. Benefield; £4 15s. 1d. in postal notes (numbers of two are 011090, for 2s. 6d.; 843279, for 10s.); twenty-six 1d. stamps; £25 6s. 8d. in cash; and £23 10s. in cheques (recovered): total value, £124 4s. 10d.

WELLINGTON.-On or about the 12th instant, ERNEST GEORGE STAPP'S dwelling at Espin Crescent, Karori, was broken into, and the following property stolen therefrom: Five bronze electric-light fittings; three glass whiteand-green electric-light globes; two glass white-and-pink electric-light globes; a small electroplated Queen Ann teapot; an electroplated cake-stand; a copper spirit-kettle; a bronze-green mohair hearth-rug; a dark-bronze cane Japanese work-basket with rose-pink-silk lining, handpainted white flowers on it: total value, £10 11s. Identifiable.

TARANAKI STREET (WELLINGTON).—Between the 30th June last and the 22nd ultimo, from the storeroom at the Grand Opera House, the property of RUBY SMITH, 47 Mulgrave Street, a plain gold thin bangle with "R.S." on it, a gold signet ring with "R S." on it, and a pink cameo ring; total value, £3 7s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **John Deans**, age twenty, height 5ft 8 in., good build, reddish complexion, curly brown hair, clean-shaved; usually dressed in a brownish suit, dark-felt hat, and a dark check overcoat. Suspect was a member of the Dick Whittington Pantomime Company when the articles were stolen.

WESTFORT.—13th instant, from Palmerston Street, the property of JOHN LENIHAN, Derby Street, a gentlemen's black-enamelled free-wheel Marvel bicycle, straight handles with black grips, rim brakes, steel pedals and mud-guards; value, £7. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—3rd June last, from the Provincial Hotel, the property of EDWARD SULLIVAN, 464 Barbadoes Street, a gentlemen's black-enamelled Rawson and Low bicycle, No. 680, upturned handles (grips and mud-guards missing), nickel rims, rat-trap pedals, racing-saddle; value, £6. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—8th June last, from the Lyttelton Times right-of-way, the property of JOSEPH HENRY FLAVELL, 39 Hewitt's Road, Merivale, a gentlemen's Bell B.S.A. bicycle, No. 4655, black-enamelled (top bar nickel), upright curved handles with green grips (end missing from one), nickel rims with red centre, rat-trap pedals, celluloid mudguards (back one repaired with copper wire), Dunlop tires, brakes missing; value, £13 10s. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—Between the 7th May and 5th June last, from Christ's College, the property of KEITH HARLOW BACHELDER, schoolboy, a gentlemen's black-enamelled free-wheel Governor bicycle, No. 12495, flat handles with black grips, large hub on front wheel, back-pedalling brake, mud-guard on front wheel; value, £5. Identifiable.