

SYDENHAM.—**Mary Eagle**, missing, now deceased. (See Police Gazette, 1921, page 41.)

GORE.—**Robert Bennett**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Dunedin police. (See Police Gazette, 1920, page 751, and 1921, page 58.)

SYDNEY (NEW SOUTH WALES).—**Wilfred Ernest Coley**, murder, has been arrested at Brisbane (Queensland). (See Police Gazette, 1921, pages 7 and 41.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

WHANGAREI.—Between the 10th and 14th ultimo, from **ROBERT AUGUSTUS BAKER'S** bedroom at the Whangarei Hotel, a gentlemen's gold hunting Waltham watch, with "R. A. Baker" engraved on inside case; value, £15. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—On or about the 22nd ultimo, from off a motor-car outside the Town Hall, the property of **JAMES PROCTOR BLAIR**, 29 Elliott Street, a Dunlop Railway-tread motor-car tire, 30 in. by 3½ in., No. K43645, red tread, attached to a steel rim; value, £12. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—28th ultimo, from a waiting-room at the Grand Hotel, the property of **MRS. SELBY LOWNDES**, Remuera, a civet-cat-fur cape, dyed dark brown, about 6 ft. long and 2 ft. wide, lined with brown satin, two small outside pockets, chain and hook fastener; value, £50. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—2nd instant, from Victoria Street, the property of **MAXWELL COCHRAN**, messenger, Devonport, a gentlemen's black-enamelled low-frame bicycle, down-turned handles, rat-trap pedals, back-peddalling brake, Dunlop Railroad tires; value, £5 10s. Identifiable.

HAMILTON.—On or about the 9th instant **BAILLIE LIMITED'S** premises were broken into, and the following articles stolen therefrom: A vest-pocket Kodak camera, No. 144007; a developing-tank for a vest-pocket camera; a pear-shaped perfume-spray, 4 in. high, wide at base, with "De Niliss" on it; and eight bottles with glass stoppers, containing chlorodyne, oil anethi, sweet spirits nitre, spirits of chloroform, chloral hydras, spirits aetheris, and tincture chloroform: total value, £8 14s. Identifiable except drugs. Suspicion is attached to a **Man** (name unknown), age about twenty-six, height about 5 ft. 7 in., medium build, fair complexion; dressed in a dark-grey suit and straw boater hat; respectable appearance.

TE KUITI.—On or about the 27th December last **H. MCKAY'S** dwelling was broken into, and a ring, set with an opal, and a double-bed counterpane, total value £11, stolen therefrom.

STRATFORD.—10th instant, from a bathroom at the Club Hotel, the property of **THOMAS REIDY**, Wanganui, a gentlemen's silver square-shaped wristlet watch, radium dial with "Election" on it; value, £7 10s. Identifiable.

NAPIER.—12th instant, from outside the Provincial Hotel, the property of **EDWARD CHARLES GREEN**, 2 Dalton Street, a gentlemen's black-enamelled Argyle bicycle, No. 80746, upturned handles with black grips, back-peddalling brake, New Departure hub, rat-trap pedals, National saddle, Dunlop Railroad tires; value, £17 10s. Identifiable.

HASTINGS.—On or about the 28th ultimo, from a damaged motor-car on the Pakawai-Karamu Road, the property of **HARRY ROBINSON**, 18 Marine Parade, Napier, a Bosch magneto, cover-clip repaired with copper wire; a Ford kerosene tail-lamp, with white and green glass in it; a Prestolite cylinder, No. 522138; a Schebler carburettor; a nickel single-action pump; a ratchet-jack; a set of tire-levers; a wheel-brace; six spanners, sizes ¼ in. to ¾ in.; two special spanners; and a wheel and plug: total value, £55 11s. 6d. Identifiable.

HASTINGS.—10th instant, from **JAMES FINDLAY BISHOP'S** bedroom at Ranfurly Private Hotel, a silver wristlet watch, illuminated dial, with "J. F. Bishop, No. 85321, N.Z.F.A." on back; a tie-pin, set with a pearl; a light-grey sport's coat; a brown knitted jersey with a large collar; a pink-and-white check shirt; and a green-felt shabby hat: total value, £13. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **William Nicholl**, age nineteen, height 5 ft. 5 in., labourer and circus hand, fair hair and complexion, brown eyes; dressed in riding-breeches and the stolen coat, jersey, and hat.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—On or about the 9th ultimo, from a yard at the Trocadero Boardinghouse, the property of **CHARLES JOHNSTONE**, 4 Defiance Street, a gentlemen's black-enamelled free-wheel 24 in. Defiance bicycle, No. 53847, upturned handles with black grips with red rims, back-peddalling brake, rat-trap pedals, Britannic tires, celluloid mud-guards; value, £8. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—Between the 19th ultimo and the 3rd instant, from off a motor-van in a blacksmith's shop at Trentham, the property of the **NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT** (Defence Department), a Bosch magneto to fit a six-cylinder car, with "Sim's, U.S.A." on it, six brass terminals; value, £16. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—15th instant, from the Pier Hotel, the property of **DAVID JAMES CONSTABLE**, salesman, a Kodak folding film-camera, size No. 20; a light-grey worsted suit (small size), "J. T. Lewis, Tailors," on tab of coat; a dark-grey colonial tweed suit (small size), with "J. T. Lewis, Tailors," on tab of coat; a brown imitation-leather suit-case, about 2 ft. 6 in. by 1 ft. 6 in.; a gentlemen's fawn overcoat, with green check lining, side pockets, half-belt at back, double cuffs, "Kirkcaldie and Stains" brand on back; and a light-grey Stetson hat, with a black band on it, size 6½, "C. Smith, Ltd., Wellington," on inside band: total value, £46 11s. 6d. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—Between 11th and 14th instant, from **WILLIAM McGRATH'S** bedroom at the Pier Hotel, a gentlemen's brown-tweed overcoat with vent at back; a pair of blue-vicuina trousers with side and a hip pocket; a blue vest; a Union Steamship Company's black-serge purser's uniform, coat double-breasted, with three buttons with "Union Co." on them on each sleeve, gold braid on cuffs; a black-handled Bengal razor; a black-leather folding-wallet with a clasp fastener, and about £18: total value, £47 10s. Identifiable except money.

WELLINGTON.—17th ultimo, from the Dominion Office, the property of **CHARLES HIGGS**, Hawera, a brown-canvas suit-case, lock in centre and a buckle fastener at each end, containing a pair of gentlemen's suede boots, size 6, four cotton shirts, a brown tie, two grey ties, five soft collars (size 14½), and a pair of black socks; total value, £5. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—4th instant, from off a clothes-line at 30 Ribble Street, Island Bay, the property of **PHYLLIS HOBDAI**, a navy-blue-and-white-check sponge-cloth costume, two ladies' cotton singlets, a camisole trimmed with Valenciennes lace, and a pair of tussore-silk bloomers; total value, £4 7s. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—30th December last, from **EDWARD TALLANTIRE'S** dwelling at 26 Duncan Terrace, Kilbirnie, a gentlemen's silver chased open-face English lever watch, gold hands, gold flowers on dial; and a silver watch-chain, with a ring and a watch-key attached: total value, £11. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—12th ultimo, from a room in the A.M.P. Buildings, the property of **VICTOR STANLEY BOYD**, 284 Wellington Terrace, a gentlemen's green whip-cord English-cut overcoat, wide at bottom, with bluish blanket lining, no vent, green-bone buttons, side-pockets with buttons on them; value, £10. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—8th ultimo, from a motor-car in Victoria Street, the property of **ARTHUR EMERSON MABIN**, Karaka Bay, a brown-leather Gladstone bag, containing a pair of gold-rimmed spectacles, an ebony-backed hair-brush; a small-blade razor, with "Mabin" on case; a small clothes-brush; an auto-strop razor in a nickel case; and several collars and handkerchiefs, with "Mabin" on them: total value, £5. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—11th instant, from **ELIZABETH DALTON'S** bedroom at Barrett's Hotel, a silver necklace, consisting of twelve square links studded with brilliants across front and attached to a fine Belcher chain, a gold combination pendant and brooch, studded with pearls with a close-curb chain attached, a gold long chain with three blue stones attached, and nine £1 notes; total value, £20. Identifiable except money.

WELLINGTON.—12th instant, from Wileston Street, the property of **EDGAR FRANCIS KAIN**, traveller, 130 Tasman Street, a five-seater Ford motor-car, No. A.C. 532, engine No. C214687, black hood, spot-light on front, back and front spiral-spring absorbers, coconut mats on footboards, spare wheel with cover attached to back; value, £320. Identifiable.