

DUNEDIN.—**James Hagarty**, default of maintenance, has been arrested by the Christchurch police. He had assumed the name **James Bremner**. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 2.)

DUNEDIN.—**George Young**, alias **Collins**, theft, has been arrested by the Invercargill police. He is identical with **Hugh James Collins**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1920, page 501. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 328.)

INVERCARGILL.—**Lewis Flint**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Winton police. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 272.)

INVERCARGILL.—**John Flint**, failing to maintain, has been arrested by the Winton police. His correct name is **John Colin Flint**. (See Police Gazette, 1926, page 272.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

NEWTON.—On the 13th or 14th ultimo the shop of **ALFRED BRYAN**, 33 Dryden Street, was broken into and a quantity of tobacco, cigarettes, chocolates, &c., value £5 9s. 8d., stolen therefrom. Not identifiable.

NEWTON.—Between the 14th January last and the 14th February, from the yard at 59 Karangahape Road, the property of **CECIL NORMAN MARDON**, six dozen tea-cups, three dozen breakfast-cups, six dozen egg-cups, six small sugar-basins, and six soup or vegetable dishes, all branded "Allerton, made in England," on bottoms; total value, £13 4s. 10d. Identifiable.

NEWTON.—Between the 22nd and 24th ultimo the shop of **FREDERICK WILLIAM GAZE**, 2 Karangahape Road, was broken into, and the following stolen therefrom: Eleven ladies' Canterbury vests; twenty-three gentlemen's woollen vests; twenty-one pairs of gentlemen's woollen underpants; three pairs of gentlemen's cotton underpants; five boys' woollen vests; four pairs of ladies' black-silk stockings; seven pairs of ladies' "Blue bird," "Plato," and "Bonds" silk stockings, mushroom, putty, champagne, and brown colours; thirty pairs of ladies' "Sylk-arto" stockings, assorted colours; twelve pairs of ladies' "Bonds Triple Wear" silk stockings; six pairs of ladies' woollen Roslyn stockings; forty-two pairs of children's cashmere three-quarter stockings, sizes 7 to 12; forty-three pairs of boys' "Gazes Knit" stockings, sizes 8½ to 11; 118 pairs gentlemen's grey, heather-mixture, grey-fawn, and putty-coloured socks; and twenty-seven ladies' white linen handkerchiefs, &c.: total value, £96 6s. 7d. Woollen goods only identifiable.

QUEEN STREET WHARF (AUCKLAND).—On or about the 24th April last, from the s.s. "Hororata," the property of **BERTHA WILKINSON**, 16 Malvern Road, Devonport, a £50 and a £20 Bank of England Treasury notes, Nos. 34 over X.46416 and 30 over M.71280. Identifiable.

AUCKLAND.—On or about the 5th April last the dwelling of **JAMES SAMUEL DICKSON**, Penrose, was broken into and three bottles of whisky stolen therefrom; value, £1 13s. Not identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Clyde Thomas**, age about nineteen, height 5 ft. 10 in., labourer, native of New Zealand, slight build; shabby appearance.

AUCKLAND.—On the 2nd ultimo the dwelling of **LUCY CASTLE**, 20 Parnell Road, was broken into, and the following stolen therefrom: An old-fashioned silver watch-chain, and a pair of gold earrings with stones similar to aquamarines attached; total value, £2 10s. Identifiable.

KATIKATI.—On the 7th ultimo the hut of **THOMAS THOMSON**, Omakaroa, was broken into, and the following stolen therefrom: A brown-leather portmanteau, two suits of woollen underclothing, a small Kodak camera, and a Post-office savings-bank book, No. 82449, issued at Tauranga in name of Thomas Thomson; total value, £4 10s. Identifiable.

MATAMATA.—On the 27th or 28th ultimo the premises of **J. E. CUMMINGS**, draper, were broken into, and the following stolen therefrom: A gentlemen's blue Lynx suit, two pairs of coloured pyjamas, two pull-over woollen cardigans, a pair of leather gauntlet gloves, two pairs of woollen gloves with leather palms, a gentlemen's toilet-set in morocco case, a

leather wallet, two fawn Stetson hats, with "J. E. Cummings" on leather band inside; six negligee-shirts, size 4; a pair of gentlemen's tan Marlow shoes, size 8; a leather suit-case, nickel-plated at corners; a small leather attache-case; and a quantity of silk handkerchiefs, socks, &c.: total value, £54. Mostly identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Man** (name unknown), height about 5 ft. 8 in., hawker, supposed native of France, strong build; wearing a double-breasted coat and patent-leather peaked cap; speaks with foreign accent.

TE PUKE.—Between the 8th and 12th April last, from the Papamoa Railway-station, the property of **EDMUND L. BROAD**, a gentlemen's black-enamelled Whirlwind bicycle, 28 in. frame; value, £9. Identifiable.

ONGARUE.—On or about the 26th April last, the property of **HERBERT STUBBINGTON**, a light-bay draught mare, about ten years old, 16 hands, small blaze on face, three sore-marks on left shoulder; value, £45. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Frederick Young**, alias **Alfred George Young**, age twenty-seven, height 5 ft. 8½ in., bushman, native of New Zealand, strong build, fresh complexion, brown hair, blue eyes, scar on right side of chest. (See Police Gazette, 1924, page 171, and Photographs, page 27.)

NEW PLYMOUTH.—On or about the 12th April last, the property of **VICTOR LEOPOLD GARTH**, 293 Devon Street, two Brown and Sharpe's hair-clippers, one stamped "Bresant" and the other "No. 00"; and a purple-and-yellow razor-hone; total value, £2 10s. Identification doubtful. Suspicion is attached to **Richard Hamilton**, alias **White**, age about twenty-eight, height 5 ft. 6 in., hairdresser, native of Australia, slight build, fresh complexion, dark hair and eyes, nose slightly pug, artificial upper teeth with gold eye-teeth; usually dressed in a grey or blue suit and felt hat; may be wearing pince-nez.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—30th April last or 1st ultimo, from the Trocadero Hotel, the property of **JOHN HENRY OAKLEY**, a dark-brown fibre suit-case, a large family bible, a book of Mees's bible stories, and a household book; total value, £6 15s. Identifiable.

CARTERTON.—14th April last, from a motor-car outside the Club Hotel, the property of **CHARLES FREDERICK MEACHAM**, Wellington, a brown-leather suit-case, with "Laery and Co." stamped on outside; and a Roslyn travelling-rug, fawn on one side and square check on the other, "Roslyn" and "C. F. Meacham" on tab; total value, £7. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—Between the 13th and 24th February last, from 154 Willis Street, the property of **RHODA MUNRO**, a leather brief-bag; a ladies' 18 ct. gold dress-ring, set with about four small pearls, one broken, "Stewart Dawson" inside case; a ladies' gold dress-ring, set with a row of pink stones and diamond chips; a ladies' gold dress-ring, set with small greenstone tiki; a ladies' gold cameo ring; an expanding gold bracelet, set with a cameo; a gold engagement-ring, set with three diamonds and three rubies in claw setting; a round gold pendant, set with large rubies, with drop set with three rubies attached; a greenstone heart; a gold leaf-shaped brooch; and £3 19s. in money, &c.: total value, £30. Identifiable except money.

WELLINGTON.—30th April last, from the Albemarle Hotel, the property of **THOMAS RYDAL GREAVES**, a gentlemen's dark-brown single-breasted tweed overcoat, herring-bone pattern, "Barrydock" on tag; value, £6. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—1st April last, from the s.s. "Wahine" at the Wellington Wharf, the property of **NOEL EVERARD SOUPER**, a brown-leather attache-case, with "N.E.S." in gold letters on one side; a suit of pyjamas; a Valet safety razor; a razor-strop; a three-cell Niagara electric torch; a fawn Stetson hat, size 7; and a tin of fifty cigarettes, &c.: total value, £7 12s. 6d. Mostly identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—16th ultimo, from the Provincial Hotel, Upper Hutt, the property of **GEORGE WILSON FOTHERGILL**, an open-face keyless metal watch; a curb metal watch-chain; a metal pocket-compass, with "G.W.F." scratched on outside; and an aneroid barometer in brown-morocco case; total value, £9 17s. Identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Man** (name unknown), height about 5 ft. 8 in., medium build; dressed in a dark suit.