

AUCKLAND.—Between the 17th and 18th June last, from 54 Cook Street, the property of JACK TOLICH, a gentlemen's 15 ct. gold open-face keyless watch; a 15 ct. gold watch-chain, small fether style, with nickel sovereign-case attached; and 8s. in money: total value, £20 8s. Identifiable except money.

AUCKLAND.—5th instant, from a garage, the property of JOHN HENRY McCORRIE, Ngaio Street, a cheque for 12s. on the Bank of New Zealand, Otahuhu, No. 1509, drawn by the Otahuhu Borough Council in favour of J. H. McCrorie; and £6 in money. Cheque only identifiable. Suspicion is attached to **Herbert Biddulph**, referred to in Police Gazette, 1932, page 64, and Photographs, 1930, page 10. He has been interviewed, but no evidence resulted.

TAUMARUNUI.—22nd ultimo, from a room in the Grand Hotel, the property of GILBERT RICHARD BRANSCOMBE, care of Burns, Philp, and Co., Auckland, a fibre suit-case, size about 39 in. by 18 in., label attached with "Branscombe" on it; two neglige shirts; a pair of black woollen gloves; a pair of gold cuff-links; a pearl tie-pin, &c.: total value, £3 10s. Identifiable.

WANGANUI.—Between the 20th and 21st instant, from a motor-car, the property of HAROLD BRUNTON, traveller, care of Gollin and Co., Wellington, an imitation leather suitcase, size 24 in. by 10 in., containing ladies' woollen cardigans, assorted styles and sizes; and a roll (50 yds.) of tea-towelling: total value, £27 18s. 3d. Identifiable.

WANGANUI.—Between the 9th and 10th May last, from a shed at Westmere, the property of the estate of CATHERINE HUNTER (deceased), a blue-grey "New Beauty" five-seater Ford motor-car, 1925 model, grey canvas hood, engine No. C. 702600, registration No. 68-687 (1929-30); value, £45. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—23rd June last, from a motor-car in Bond Street, the property of THOMAS REGINALD HOWELL, 56 Melbourne Road, a gentlemen's 9 ct. gold Zenith watch, "T.R.H." engraved on outside of back case, "T. W. Howell" scratched on inside of back case; and a 9 ct. gold double curb watch-chain: total value, £17. Watch only identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—Between the 19th and 20th instant, the shop of JAMES EDWARD RABBITT, Main Road, Ngaio, was broken into and the following stolen: Five pairs of gentlemen's black shoes, Equity make, sizes 7, 8, and 9; a pair of gentlemen's light-brown shoes, size 8; four pairs of gentlemen's black boots, Equity make, "401" stamped on inside, "L.L.B." on soles, sizes 6, 7, 8, and 9; two pairs of ladies' house shoes, sizes 5 and 6; sixteen pairs of boys' black boots, Equity make; nine pairs of girl's black shoes, Equity make; twelve pairs of black leather laces on card marked "Paragon"; and a book entitled "Black Prince Peter," by A. G. Hales: total value, £21 8s. Not identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—Between the 27th and 28th June last, the premises of LEO BLAKE AND CO., LTD., 106-108 Dixon Street, were broken into and the following stolen: Three brick- and blue-coloured silk frocks, to fit a girl about nine or ten years of age; two gentlemen's dressing-gowns; a pair of gentlemen's white tennis trousers; a pair of gentlemen's dark cord trousers, size 6; a ladies' navy repp frock, trimmed with blue facings; and a tweed coat, 36 in. long: total value, £7 7s. 3d. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—29th June last, from a motor-car in Drummond Street, the property of ERNEST ESCOTT BROOKING, 136 Adelaide Road, a gentlemen's brown leather overcoat, lined with brown silk material, fit a man about 5 ft. 10 in.: value, £7. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—Between the 25th and 26th June last, from a motor-car, the property of ALFRED JAMES COLEMAN, 34 Aurora Terrace, a pair of heavy brown leather shoes, size 7, rubber soles; and the undermentioned golf clubs: A steel-shafted driver, with "A. J. Shaw" stamped on head; a hickory-shafted brassie, with "F. Hood" stamped on head; a hickory-shafted mid-iron, with "McIntosh" stamped on it; a hickory-shafted mashie-iron; a mashie-niblick and putter, branded "Hood": total value, £10 10s. Identifiable.

TIMARU.—Between the 1st and 9th instant, the property of ELIZABETH SCOTT, 180 Otupua Road, a half-hoop diamond ring; a gold ring, set with three red stones; a gold signet ring; and a gold ring, set with a ruby and pearls: total value, £60. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—12th instant, from Moray Place, the property of LESLIE ALTON WOOD, 71 Spottiswood Street, Anderson's Bay, a 1930 model 2½ h.p. A.J.S. motor-cycle, registration No. 18-000, engine No. R. 5/115677; value, £40. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—On the 29th ultimo, the property of LANGFORD McCONNELL, 1 Albion Place, King Street, a brown leather wallet, with four compartments; two £5 notes; five £1 notes; a five-dollar gold piece; a five-cent piece; and a ten-cent piece: total value, £15. Wallet and coins identifiable. The front door of complainant's home was burst open, and he was dragged into a room where he was bound and gagged, and the wallet and money taken from his pocket. Complainant believes the offence was committed by **Two Men** (names unknown).

### Bicycles.

NEWTON.—14/4/32, the property of Douglas Harp, a gentlemen's black Monarch Special; value, £2 10s.

REMUERA.—24/6/32, the property of William Henderson, a gentlemen's Farmers' Monarch Special; value, £2.

BALMORAL.—25/7/32, the property of Gordon De Baugh, a gentlemen's black Farmers' Union Monarch Special, No. A.S. 456; value, £4.

BALMORAL.—4/7/32, the property of Lyal Ernest Mayo, a gentlemen's black Earl, No. 1107, Skeates and White transfer; value, £4.

EPSOM.—19/7/32, the property of William Henry Buckley a gentlemen's Farmers'; value, £2. Suspicion is attached to **Man** (name unknown), age about fifty, height 5 ft. 10 in., medium build, sandy complexion, fair hair; wearing a dark tweed overcoat; Scotch accent.

AUCKLAND.—29/4/32, the property of Charles Petersen, a gentlemen's black Junior; value, £2.

ONEHUNGA.—15/7/32, the property of Albert Horscroft, a gentlemen's black Farmers', No. 5228 or 5282; value, £5.

NGARUAWAHIA.—20/7/32, the property of Charles Henry Hurdell, a gentlemen's black, No. 82001; value, £4 10s. Suspicion is attached to **Man** (name unknown), age about twenty-five, height 5 ft. 7 in., medium build, copper complexion, black hair; a Maori; wearing blue overalls.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—10/8/32, the property of Norman Gibb Brown, a gentlemen's maroon Joe Boucher, No. 1005, Swan transfer; value, £3.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—26/7/32, the property of William Nelson Thompson, a gentlemen's black, No. D.H. 835, Farmers' transfer; value, £5.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—26/7/32, the property of Kennard Prouce, a ladies' black, No. 18838; value, £3.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—30/7/32, the property of William Patrick Casey, a gentlemen's black Rudge-Whitworth, No. 98597, Boucher transfer; value, £12 12s.

PALMERSTON NORTH.—25/7/32, the property of Henry Turner, a gentlemen's black, No. 172221; value, £2.

WELLINGTON.—12/7/32, the property of Leslie William Woolley, a gentlemen's black Argyle, No. 58685; value, £2.

WELLINGTON.—17/7/32, the property of Russell Wortley Cater, a gentlemen's black B.S.A., No. 4014; value, £6. *received*

WELLINGTON.—23/7/32, the property of Arthur Merryfield Collin, a gentlemen's black Royal; value, £6. *received 12/10/32*

WELLINGTON.—25/7/32, the property of Maurice Osten, a gentlemen's black; value, £2.

WELLINGTON.—26/7/32, the property of Teagle, Smith, and Sons, a gentlemen's black, "K" on down bar; value, £3 10s.

WELLINGTON.—18/7/32, the property of Harry Wilfred Blinkhorn, a gentlemen's black Couchman; value, £4.

WELLINGTON.—27/7/32, the property of Leonz Meier, a gentlemen's black Couchman; value, £2.

WELLINGTON.—30/7/32, the property of Allan Gordon Hercus, a gentlemen's black; value, £2.

WELLINGTON.—4/7/32, the property of Bruce Westfield, a gentlemen's Planet, No. 3661, Couchman Cycle Co. transfer; value, £5.

WELLINGTON.—27/7/32, the property of Otto William John Simpson, a gentlemen's black, Westborough transfer; value, £1 10s.

CHRISTCHURCH.—19/5/32, the property of George Grether, a gentlemen's, No. 2115, Gamage transfer; value, £8.

CHRISTCHURCH.—18/5/32, the property of John Walker, a gentlemen's black, No. 11883, Regal transfer; value, £4.