

ALEXANDER THOMSON, arrested by the Hokitika Police for drunkenness, has been ordered to find sureties to be of good behaviour for two months, in default imprisonment.

ALFRED BREARD, arrested by the Hokitika Police for disorderly conduct, and assaulting and resisting the Police in the execution of their duty, has been fined £3, or six days' imprisonment.

JOSHUA HORTON, arrested by the Hokitika Police for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, wilful destruction of Government property, and violent assault upon the Police, has been sentenced to pay a fine of £1 for the first offence, ordered to pay £1 12s. 6d. for property destroyed, and seven days' imprisonment for the assault.

JEREMIAH SMITH and GEORGE BALD, arrested by the Hokitika Police for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, have each been fined £1.

WILLIAM NORTON, *alias* TOMMY NORTON, and STEPHEN ROBERTS, arrested by the Hokitika Police for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, have each been fined £2 5s., in default imprisonment.

JOHN BUCKLEY, arrested by the Greymouth Police for disorderly conduct, has been fined £3; and for larceny of money, has been sentenced to one month's imprisonment.

JOHN WARD, arrested by the Greymouth Police for stealing from the person, has been discharged with a caution.

MARGARET SCANLAN, arrested by the Greymouth Police on warrant for disobeying a summons, has been fined £2.

JAMES BOULES, arrested by the Greymouth Police for stealing a shirt exposed for sale, has been sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

JAMES WILSON, arrested by the Greymouth Police for wilful murder, has been remanded to Hokitika.

W. DELACY, arrested by the Hokitika Police at Okarito, for conspiring to commit a murder, has been remanded to Hokitika.

PETER DRURY, arrested by the Okarita Police for committing a violent assault, has been fined £5.

Inquests.

AN Inquest was held at Hokitika on the 11th June before S. Beswick, Esq., Coroner, on the body of John McCallum, miner, aged 30, who was killed through a landslip falling on his tent while asleep. Verdict—Accidental death.

AN Enquiry was held on the 11th June at the Hau Hau goldfield, by the Police, on the body of Robert Hunter, miner, aged 40, who was killed by the trunk of a tree falling on him. Result—Accidentally killed.

AN Inquest was held at Greymouth on the 9th ult. before W. H. Revell, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Thomas Webb Rees, aged 23, Bank Agent, who committed suicide. Verdict—Cut his throat while labouring under temporary insanity.

AN Inquest was held at Ross on the 13th ult., before Justin Aylmer, Esq., Coroner, on the body of a man, name unknown, who was found on the beach above high-water mark. Verdict—Found dead.

Description: 5 feet 7 inches high, 21 to 25 years of age; well made; brown hair, very little whiskers; forehead rather retiring, face too much bruised to describe features.

AN Inquest was held at Hokitika on the 13th July, before S. Beswick, Esq., Coroner, on the body of William James Clark, aged 2½ years, who was drowned through falling in a well. Verdict—Accidentally drowned.

AN Inquest was held at Christchurch, on the 16th ultimo, before J. W. S. Coward, Esq., on the body of Charles Scott, engineer, aged 34 years, who died through softening of the brain. Verdict—Died from natural causes.

AN Inquest was held at Hokitika, on the 16th July, before S. Beswick, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Susan Fox, aged five months. Verdict—Died from natural causes.

AN Inquest was held at Christchurch, on the 20th ultimo, before J. W. S. Coward, Esq., Coroner, on the body of William Reed, aged four years, who accidentally fell into a creek and was drowned. Verdict—Accidentally drowned.

AN Inquest was held at Kanieri, on the 20th ultimo, before S. Beswick, Esq., Coroner, on the body of John Hunter, miner, aged 22 years, who was killed by timber and earth falling on him while working in a drive. Verdict—Accidental death.

AN Inquest was held at Ross, on the 7th ultimo, before S. Beswick, Esq., Coroner, on the body of John Frazer, miner, aged 30 years, who was killed through the falling in of a tunnel. Verdict—Accidental death.

AN Inquest was held at Ferrymead, on the 25th ultimo, before J. W. S. Coward, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Thomas Bygrove Trew, who died through falling in the water while in an epileptic fit. Verdict—Death by the visitation of God.

AN Inquest was held at Christchurch, on the 30th ultimo, before J. W. S. Coward, Esq., Coroner, on the body of an infant male child, son of Isaac and Flora Lambert. Verdict—Natural causes.

AN Inquest was held at Christchurch, on the 30th July, before J. W. S. Coward, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Edith E. Fanks, aged two months. Verdict—Natural causes.

Miscellaneous Information.

Appointments, &c., since the publication of the last list:—

James Martin
George G. Corke
Robert Willett
To be constables.

PROMOTIONS.

Acting Inspector Alfred Buckley, to be Third Class Inspector.