

his person in a public place, has been sentenced to three months imprisonment.

HENRY HUGH O'NEILL, arrested by Constable Mossop, Christchurch Police, charged with being drunk and disorderly, has been fined five pounds.

CATHERINE McDONALD, arrested by Constable Wilson, Christchurch Police, charged with being drunk and disorderly, has been fined 40s.

HENRY KILEEN, arrested by Constable O'Connor, Christchurch Police, charged with being drunk and disorderly, has been fined 40s.

Inquests.

AN Inquest was held at the head of the bay, Akaroa, on the 16th ultimo, before John Watson, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Isaac Salck, aged seven years, who was killed through fracturing his skull. Verdict—Accidentally killed from a fall off a horse.

AN Inquest was held at Christchurch on the 25th ultimo, before J. W. S. Coward, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Rebecca Peebles, aged 50 years, who died from rupture of a blood vessel on the brain. Verdict—Died from natural causes.

AN Inquest was held at Hokitika on the 19th inst., before S. Beswick, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Thomas Clapton, miner, aged 32 years. Verdict—Natural causes.

AN Inquest was held at Ross on the 23rd ult., before S. Beswick, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Henry King, a carpenter, aged 36 years, who was drowned in the Totara River. Verdict—Accidentally drowned.

AN Inquest was held at Kanieri, West Canterbury, on the 26th instant, before Samuel Beswick, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Alice Rogers, aged three years, who fell into a hole of water and was drowned. Verdict—Accidental drowning.

Miscellaneous Information.

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

John Sweeny, to be Constable.

PROMOTIONS.

Second-class Constable William Willis to be First-class Constable.

RESIGNATIONS.

First-class Constable Bernard Maguire.

Second-class Constable Alexander Mossop.

A WARRANT has been issued by the Bench at Auckland for the arrest of ~~James O'Connell~~, for that he hath been guilty of perjury by wilfully taking a false oath to a return made in pursuance of the Banker's Returns Act, 1858. The offender is about 28 years of age, 5 feet 9 inches high, complexion fresh, hair light brown, build medium, gentlemanly appearance, weak eyes, and usually wears glasses.

A WARRANT has been issued by the Christchurch Bench, for the apprehension of one David or Dan Turner, charged with larceny of an order for the sum of £3 12s. from Benjamin Bulmer, Rakaia Forks. He is 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, stout build, fair hair, whiskers and moustache; forehead high and broad, eyes hazel, set far apart; high cheek bones, nose broken, teeth discoloured and one missing; very talkative, and has rather a hoarse voice and laugh; dressed in grey jumper, tweed trousers, and white billycock hat. When last seen carried his boots and pants on his swag. Crossed the Waitangi at the upper ferry on the 28th March, and stated he was going to McLean's station in the Lindis Pass; failing employment there, he would go on to the Lake Country.

(Vide Canterbury Police Gazette, April 1, page 50.)

CLAUS IVERSON has been arrested on warrant of commitment (in default of distress) by the Ross Police, and liberated on the amount of fine and costs (£30 5s.) having been paid.

INFORMATION is requested respecting a man named "Jim" who joined a party of Chinese at Arahura, about the 3rd or 4th February, and travelled with them to McRae's Accommodation House, Coal Track, West Coast Road, since when no clue to his whereabouts has been found. Description, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches, brown hair, light sandy beard and moustache; the first tooth on the right side of lower jaw missing, wore a coat and vest of fine blue cloth, nearly new. At Cass River he put on a new pair of moleskin trousers; had in his possession a pair of double grey blankets with two holes worn in the centre, a single blue blanket, a tin billy with one of the lugs broken off, with a piece of telegraph wire for a handle.

Jim's feet were sore with travelling, and to allow him to walk with ease his boots were cut across the toes.

Jim is requested to report himself at the nearest police station, personally or by letter.

The members of the force throughout the province are requested to pay particular attention to this notice.

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