An inquest was held at Christchurch, on the 2nd April, 1874, before J. W. S. Coward, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Matthew Henry Gimblett, aged 2 years and 9 months, whose death was caused by falling into a well the previous day. Verdict—"Accidental death"

An inquest was held at Leeston, on the 4th April, 1874, before W. B. Christie, Esq., Coroner, on the body of Agnes Kerr, aged 2 years, who died of diarrhoa on the 1st instant. Verdict—" Died from natural causes."

An inquest was held at Christchurch, on the 11th April, 1874, before J. W. S. Coward. Esq., Coroner, upon the body of Patrick McFellie, a seaman, aged 30 years, who was crushed by a bale of wool falling upon him and breaking his spine whilst stowing a vessel in Lyttelton Harbour. Deceased died in Christchurch Hospital, and the jury returned a verdict of—"Accidental death."

REVERTING to Criminal Offence, dated Timaru, 31st March, 1874, offender Smith has been arrested by Mounted-Constable Kennedy, Arowhenua Police.

REVERTING to Police Gazette, No. 7, 1874, page 46, Rasmus Jongusen has been arrested by Constable Davis, Christchurch Police, and King's watch found upon him.

Miscellaneous.

RETURN OF APPOINTMENTS, &c., SINCE
LAST GAZETTE.

April 13, 1874—Thomas Graham to be Third-Class Constable.