

(See *Police Gazette*, 1901, page 86.)

NAPIER.—David O'Donoghue's horse has been recovered, and James and William Power arrested for the offence by Constable A. McGill, and committed for trial.

FEILDING.—Lambert Clapham, wheelwright, Halcombe, reports stolen from a paddock, on the 12th ultimo, a dark bay mare, six years old, 15½ hands high, white blaze down face, near fore fetlock white, shod all round, had a nearly new white canvas cover on; value, £5. Identifiable.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1901, page 254.)

MOUNT COOK (WELLINGTON).—H. Chiverson's horse has been found: not stolen.

SYDENHAM.—Robert Lyness, cabman, Gibbon Street, reports stolen from a paddock, on the 12th ultimo, a dark bay mare, six years old, 15½ hands high, white blaze down face, near fore fetlock white, shod all round, had a nearly new white canvas cover on; value, £20 12s.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1901, page 264.)

LINCOLN.—George Adam's horse has been found.

COALGATE.—George Ridgen, farmer, reports stolen from the farmer's stable, Norwood, on the 20th ultimo, a light coloured chestnut hack mare, will go in harness, aged, about 16 hands high, a tooth broken in front, white blaze down face, no brands, cut on off hind leg; value, £7 15s.

### Missing Friends.

RUSSELL.—Information is requested concerning George Russell, a native of Farringham, Kent, England, forty-five years of age. He went to Tambo Station, Queensland, and remained there from 1878 to 1885, and is now believed to be in New Zealand. Inquiry is made by his brother, R. Hamilton Russell, 45, Spring Street, Melbourne. (01/1922.)

NICHOLSON.—Information is requested concerning John Nicholson. Description: A native of Dublin, a seaman, twenty-one years of age, about 5 ft. 5 in. high, medium build, dark complexion, dark hair, dark eyes, long straight nose, clean shaved except small dark moustache, scar on right forearm; he deserted from the ship "Carolla" at Sydney in November, 1899, and stated that he intended to settle in New Zealand. Inquiry is at the instance of his father, John Nicholson, care of Archdeacon Langley, Church Home, 2, Clarence Street Sydney. (01/1919.)

JAMES LENNIE is inquired for by the Sheffield police. Description: A native of Orkney Islands, a labourer and small farmer, about forty-five years of age, about 5 ft. 11 in. high, dark complexion, dark hair, beard, whiskers, and moustache, dark eyes; dressed in dark coat and vest, grey trousers, black soft hat, and lace-up boots. Last seen on the 22nd October, about a mile from his house, at Kowai Bush, carrying a double-barrelled gun. Fears are entertained for his safety.

(See *Police Gazette*, 1901, page 185.)

WILLIAM MALLINDER, inquired for by the Petone police, has paid fine and costs.

### Miscellaneous Information.

*Appointments as Constables.*

1st December, 1901.

DRISCOLL, EDWARD, No. 1002.  
Douglas, George Nicole, No. 1003.  
Sampson, Percy Wallace, No. 1004.  
Fitzsimmons, Harry Carlyon, No. 1005.  
Irwin, John Thomas, No. 1006.  
Roberts, Alfred James, No. 1007.

*District Constable appointed.*

MCKELVIE, ROBERT, at Mangawai, Auckland District, 25th November, 1901, *vice* Robert Henry Moir, deceased. (01/1796.)

*Promotion.*

CONSTABLE ROBERT McCLELLAND, No. 308, to be Sergeant, 1st December, 1901. (01/1871.)

*Retirements under "The Police Provident Fund Act, 1899."*

CONSTABLE CLARKE, HENRY, No. 83, 21st November, 1901, with life-allowance of £82 2s. 6d. per annum, under section 13. (01/14.)

CONSTABLE HARVEY, THOMAS, No. 165, 30th November, 1891, with life-allowance of £71 3s. 6d. per annum, under section 13. (01/11.)

*Resignations.*

30th November, 1901.

CONSTABLE SEFTON, JOHN, No. 550.  
Constable Mahoney, Daniel, 978.

2nd December, 1901.

Constable Lane, William, No. 919.

*Rewards.*

CONSTABLES W. R. LOWRY, No. 630, Otorohanga; and J. A. Mathew, No. 831, Te Kuiti, £2 10s. each; A. McPhee, No. 625, Te Awamutu, and J. Fitzgerald, No. 741, Kihikihi, £1 each; and Native Constable Nikora, £3 for services in obtaining the conviction of J. Ormsby and Ngapawa, for sly-grog selling. (01/307.)

*Watches Lost or Stolen.*

(Circular No. 28/01.)

A book, to be styled "The Stolen Watch Book," is now being prepared, and will be issued as soon as finished. One of these books is to be kept at each pawnbroker's, and particulars of all watches lost or stolen, *where the number is known*, are to be entered in this book, according to the initial figure of the number, by the police officer who has the matter in hand. Where the number is not known the particulars are not to be entered therein.

J. B. TUNBRIDGE,  
Commissioner of Police.

Wellington, 2nd December, 1901.

(01/908.)

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(From *Gazette*, 1901, page 2281.)

*Clerk of Court appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 22nd November, 1901.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JOSEPH ANDUS RAYNES  
to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Owaka.

JAMES MCGOWAN.