

police, and ordered to come up for sentence when called upon. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 116.)

WINTON.—James McLaren, theft from the dwelling of Walter M. Smith, has been arrested by Constable P. Gough, Winton police, on information supplied by Detective W. B. McIlveney, Invercargill police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 135.)

PROPERTY STOLEN.

AUCKLAND.—On 3rd ultimo, WILLIAM WEBDALE, clerk, Market Street, was assaulted and robbed of a gentleman's gold hunting Waltham lever watch and a 9 carat double gold chain, twisted pattern, with a greenstone Masonic emblem at end; value, £24 10s. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to Thomas Kennedy (see *Police Gazette*, 1904, page 351) and John Sidney Hines (see *Police Gazette*, 1905, page 69). The former is now in custody charged with a similar offence, and the latter is on the gumfields at Henderson.

NAPIER.—3rd ultimo, the property of JOHN FULFORD, carter, a ladies' gold ring, with diamond in centre; value, £2. Identifiable.

LEVIN.—17th ultimo, from a paddock, the property of DANIEL HANNAN, settler, a dapple-grey mare, rising five years old, 16 hands high, no visible brands, cover on when stolen; value, £30. Identifiable.

WELLINGTON.—17th February last, from the dwelling of THOMAS J. C. WARREN, 23A, Hobson Street, a pair of gold opal-shaped sleeve-links, J.W. engraved thereon, value £1 15s.; a 15-carat gold chain, plain long links, value £3 10s.; two plain gold studs, value 15s. Links identifiable. Breaking and entering.

WELLINGTON.—Between 29th March and 1st April, 1904, from the s.s. "Walkare," the property of JOHN LETHBRIDGE, Dunedin, two gold rings, each set with five pearls; a gold ring, set with two cats-eyes and three diamonds; a gold ring, set with a moonstone; a cairngorm pendant, set in gold; a gold brooch, with three pearls; a gold brooch, with greenstone shamrock; a girls' new leather dressing-case, with fittings, about 10 in. or 12 in. long by 6 in. or 8 in. wide; value, £20. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—28th February last, the property of ARTHUR SEFTON, drover, a gentlemen's Waterbury watch, and a 9 carat gold chain, curb pattern, Masonic pendant attached; value, £5. Identifiable.

CHRISTCHURCH.—14th ultimo, from High Street, the property of NATHANIEL CHRISTIAN, Peterborough Street, a gentlemen's Coventry-Humber bicycle, black-enamelled, straight handle bars with white grips, rat-trap pedals; value, £18. Identifiable.

LYTTLETON.—Between 14th March and 14th ultimo, from the dwelling of GASPER MATASON, fisherman, a dark-blue pilot-cloth three-quarter double breasted overcoat; value, £4 10s. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to Robert Haydon, age about forty, height 5 ft. 11 in., medium build, a labourer, fresh complexion, fair hair, blue eyes; residing at Lyttelton.

TEMUKA.—24th ultimo, from outside the Domain gates, the property of WILLIAM BAILEY CULLEN, a gentlemen's Premier bicycle, No. 1072, black-enamelled, grips broken at ends; value, £14. Identifiable.

DUNEDIN.—17th or 18th ultimo, from a wash-house, the property of ANN STENTIFORD, MacLaggan Street, an Empire clothes-ringer, small horse-shoe on one side, handle loose; value, £1. Identifiable. Suspicion attached to Allen, age twenty-six, height 5 ft. 6 in., a fireman, stout build, dark complexion, very full eyes, dark hair, clean-shaved. May now be employed on a boat.

DUNEDIN.—22nd ultimo, from the guard's van, between Kokonga and Dunedin, the property of the RAILWAY DEPARTMENT, a small leather cash-bag, locked with brass padlock, containing five £5 notes and seventy-five £1 notes. Not identifiable.

PROPERTY RECOVERED.

CHRISTCHURCH.—W. J. SHAW'S bicycle has been recovered by Acting-Detective A. Cameron, Wellington police. (See *Police Gazette*, 1904, page 251.)

INQUIRIES, ETC., FROM OUTSIDE NEW ZEALAND.

HOBART DISTRICT.—John Sullivan is charged on warrant issued on the 17th instant, by W. O. Wise, Esq., P.M., that he, being a person of sufficient means, without sufficient cause or excuse, has left his unborn child, of which one Bridget Strong is now pregnant, without means of support. Description: Age twenty-six years, 5 ft. 7 in. or 8 in. high, sandy moustache, medium build, stoops very much; supposed left by s.s. "Turakina" for New Zealand, on the 6th instant, under the name of J. Smith. (See *Tasmanian Police Gazette*, 1905, page 68.)

AMERICA.—25th March last, inquiry for Adolph Frederick Muhren, a native of Sweden, said to have come to New Zealand from Kalgoorlie. Inquiry by his brother, Johan L. Muhren, Smithfield P.O., St. Louis. (See *Police Gazette*, 1904, page 119.) (04/773.)

ENGLAND.—Inquiry requested as to the whereabouts of John Shaw, age seventy-five, a labourer, fair complexion, blue eyes. He was discharged from H.M. 57th Foot in New Zealand in 1867. Before coming to the colony he resided at Askigg, in Wensledale, Yorkshire, England. Inquiry by his brother, Jabin Shaw, 107, Salt Street, Manningham, Bradford, Yorkshire, England. If located, information to be sent to the Commissioner's office, Wellington. (05/843.)

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION.

Appointments as Constables.

12th April, 1905.

No. 1158, Cooper, Walter.

1st May, 1905.

No. 1159, Fraser, George.
No. 1160, O'Grady, John James.
No. 1161, Earl, Alexander Patterson.
No. 1162, Callanan, Daniel Joseph.
No. 1163, Edwards, George Bennet.
No. 1164, Weale, Malcolm Henry.
No. 1165, Macartney, Francis Denis.
No. 1166, Harvey, William James.

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

30th April, 1905.

Rank and Name.	Annual Allowance.	
	£	s. d.
Sergeant Barlow, John, No. 44 (sec. 13)	120	9 0
Constable Rist, William James, No. 122 (sec. 12)	84	17 3
*Constable Christie, Andrew, No. 463 (sec. 12)	54	15 0
*Constable O'Connor, James, No. 278 (sec. 12)	71	3 6

* To submit themselves for re-examination at the end of one year from date of retirement. See section 13, subsection (4), clause (c), of the Act.

Resignation.

No. 1070, Constable Bolstad, Hans Alfred, 29th April, 1905. (05/547.)

Dismissal.

No. 1017, Constable Bunting, John Stewart Wellington, 28th April, 1905. (05/547.)

Rewards.

CONSTABLE J. A. MATHEW, No. 831, has been awarded £2, and CONSTABLES D. C. FRASER, No. 787, and J. MAHER, No. 857, £1 each, for services in connection with the conviction of William Cook for sly-grog selling. (05/739.)

EXTRACT FROM NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

(From *Gazette*, 1905, page 1025.)

Inspector of Weights and Measures, County of Rodney, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office.

Wellington, 15th April, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable EDWARD MICHAEL JOHNSON

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1903," for the County of Rodney, vice Constable Samuel Stacey.

ALBERT PITT,
For Colonial Secretary.