RETURN of Officers and Warders employed respectively in the Gaols of the Colony, &c. -continued.

LYTTELTON GAOL.

No.	Rank.	Term of Service to 1st August,	Salary.		Hours on Duty.	Average Number of Prisoners received annually
		1878.	Per Day.	Per Annum.		during last Three Years.
1 2 3 4 4 5 6 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	Gaoler Matron Chief Warder Principal Warder " " " Assistant Warder " " Printer Instructing, Assistant Warder Foreman of Works Clerk Surgeon	2 years 7 months* 2	8 0 7 6 7 6 7 0 7 0 7 0 7 0 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	£ s. d. 300 0 0 25 0 0 †146 0 0 ‡136 17 6 ‡136 17 6 ‡127 15 0 \$127 15 0 ‡127 15 0 ‡127 15 0 ‡127 15 0 ‡118 12 6 \$118 0 0 0	Eleven hours per day active duty, after deducting time for meals. All officers at all times are held available for duty if required, seven of whom sleep in prison quarters each night as a reserve. Eight hours. No Sunday work. As required.	340**

^{*} Appointed from English Penal Department on application from Canterbury Provincial Government. Had thirteen years' service when transferred.

† Has quarters, fuel, and light.

ADDINGTON GAOL.

No.	Rank.	Rank. Term of Service.		Hours on Duty.	Prisoners Received, from year ending 31st December, 1874, to 30th June, 1878.
1 2 3	Surgeon Gaoler* Matron*	139 days 11 years 3 years 150 days	£150 "	From three to four visits weekly Always on duty.	To 31 Dec., 1874— Committed 399 Detained in Reformatory 2 Total 401
4 5 6 7	Warder Warder Warder‡ Assistant Warder§	8 " 293 " … 3 " 35 " … 2 " less 8 " …	7s. per day, with £25 per annum rent allowance 7s. per day, with use of cottage on the premises	one six months of the year and thirteen hours per day during the remaining six months, except when on night	To 31 Dec., 1875— Committed 583 Detained in Reformatory 22 Total 605 To 31 Dec., 1876— Committed 626 Detained in Reformatory 34 Total 660 To 31 Dec., 1877— Committed 725
8	Deputy Matron§	33 "	4s. ,,	Ten hours per day during one six months of the year and twelve hours per day the other.	Detained in Re- formatory 20

^{*} Transferred from Lyttelton Gaol, and took temporary charge of Addington Gaol on the 21st March, 1875, with wife as Matron, and were both respectively appointed to their present situation by warrant on 22nd April following.

† Was transferred from Hokitika Gaol on the 1st September, 1876.

† Married; receives no allowance.

§ Single; provided with quarters in the gaol.

[†] Has quarters, net, and light.

† Receive £25 per annum in lieu of quarters, fire, and light.

§ Reside in prison quarters.

|| Receives 1s. per day for each working day as Instructing Officer.

** At this prison no short-sentence prisoners are received except from the Resident Magistrate's Court, Lyttelton.

The short-sentence prisoners of North Canterbury are sent to Addington Gaol. Seventy-six of the prisoners, out of the 100 now confined herein, are under Supreme Court convictions, generally of long sentences, fifty of them being for penal servitude, viz., three years and upwards, consequently the average number received is few compared with other prisons which receive daily prisoners from Resident Magistrates' Courts for short sentences of forty-eight hours, &c.

From No. 3 to No. 17 inclusive receive uniform free, as follows:—1 dress suit biennially; 1 undress suit annually.