

**Table A.**  
NUMBER of PRISONERS in the Colony, and their Disposal, for the Year ending 31st December, 1888.

| State of the Prisons.                                                              |    | Addington. | Auckland. | Dunedin. | Hokitika. | Invercargill. | Lyttelton. | Napier. | Nelson. | New Plymouth. | Timaru. | Wanganui. | Wellington. | Minor Gaols. | Total.  | Grand Total. |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|---------------|------------|---------|---------|---------------|---------|-----------|-------------|--------------|---------|--------------|
| IN PRISON 1ST JANUARY.                                                             |    |            |           |          |           |               |            |         |         |               |         |           |             |              |         |              |
| Debtors                                                                            | .. | ..         | ..        | ..       | ..        | ..            | 1          | 1       | ..      | ..            | ..      | ..        | 2           | ..           | M. F.   | 3            |
| Lunatics                                                                           | .. | ..         | ..        | ..       | ..        | ..            | 10         | ..      | ..      | ..            | ..      | ..        | 10          | 4            | ..      | 2            |
| For trial, on remand, and in transitu                                              | .. | 3          | 2         | 1        | ..        | ..            | 10         | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       | 2         | 2           | ..           | 44      | 8            |
| Sentenced to—                                                                      |    |            |           |          |           |               |            |         |         |               |         |           |             |              |         |              |
| Penal servitude                                                                    | .. | ..         | 40        | 2        | 1         | 3             | 51         | 4       | 1       | 9             | ..      | ..        | 78          | 2            | 188     | 6            |
| One year's hard labour and upwards                                                 | .. | 5          | 55        | 13       | 8         | 8             | 38         | 6       | ..      | 11            | ..      | ..        | 24          | 4            | 160     | 21           |
| Three months' hard labour and upwards                                              | .. | ..         | 40        | 21       | 7         | 5             | 13         | 9       | ..      | ..            | 1       | 1         | 11          | 3            | 96      | 41           |
| Under three months' hard labour                                                    | .. | 1          | 23        | 1        | 2         | 4             | 11         | 9       | 1       | 1             | 1       | 3         | 12          | 5            | 78      | 19           |
| Simple imprisonment                                                                | .. | ..         | 13        | 2        | 1         | 2             | 1          | ..      | 1       | ..            | 1       | ..        | 1           | ..           | 21      | 4            |
| Total                                                                              | .. | 9          | 173       | 41       | 42        | 22            | 125        | 29      | 1       | 21            | 5       | 4         | 138         | 16           | 592     | 691          |
| RECEIVED.                                                                          |    |            |           |          |           |               |            |         |         |               |         |           |             |              |         |              |
| Debtors                                                                            | .. | 24         | ..        | 6        | 3         | 1             | ..         | 12      | 2       | 1             | 2       | ..        | 12          | 1            | 102     | 6            |
| Lunatics                                                                           | .. | ..         | 1         | ..       | ..        | 12            | ..         | 10      | 8       | 5             | 1       | ..        | ..          | ..           | 30      | 11           |
| For trial, on remand, and in transitu (not including prisoners sentenced as below) | .. | 85         | 21        | 57       | 8         | 26            | 37         | 18      | 1       | 17            | 22      | 2         | 87          | 5            | 272     | 25           |
| Sentenced to—                                                                      |    |            |           |          |           |               |            |         |         |               |         |           |             |              |         |              |
| Penal servitude                                                                    | .. | ..         | 11        | 10       | ..        | 4             | 11         | 4       | ..      | ..            | 1       | ..        | 9           | ..           | 54      | 1            |
| One year's hard labour and upwards                                                 | .. | 3          | 41        | 8        | 2         | 2             | 14         | 8       | 1       | 5             | 6       | ..        | 17          | 2            | 115     | 13           |
| Three months' hard labour and upwards                                              | .. | 2          | 17        | 32       | 10        | 15            | 33         | 41      | 2       | 10            | 6       | 1         | 49          | 19           | 349     | 212          |
| Under three months' hard labour                                                    | .. | 138        | 113       | 452      | 14        | 54            | 156        | 222     | 19      | 26            | 82      | 5         | 236         | 108          | 2,044   | 484          |
| Simple imprisonment                                                                | .. | ..         | 24        | 3        | 2         | 6             | 5          | 9       | 6       | 3             | 3       | 1         | 11          | 2            | 189     | 20           |
| Total received                                                                     | .. | 249        | 154       | 804      | 36        | 120           | 256        | 324     | 33      | 68            | 123     | 9         | 421         | 137          | 850     | 4,489        |
| Total for year                                                                     | .. | 258        | 170       | 902      | 44        | 142           | 381        | 353     | 47      | 89            | 128     | 13        | 559         | 153          | 860     | 5,180        |
| DISCHARGED.                                                                        |    |            |           |          |           |               |            |         |         |               |         |           |             |              |         |              |
| Debtors                                                                            | .. | 23         | ..        | 6        | 3         | 1             | ..         | 12      | 2       | 1             | 2       | ..        | 12          | ..           | 101     | 5            |
| Lunatics transferred to asylums                                                    | .. | ..         | 6         | 1        | 1         | 10            | 4          | 3       | ..      | ..            | 1       | 1         | 5           | 1            | 70      | 32           |
| Acquitted after remand                                                             | .. | 83         | 19        | 58       | 7         | 18            | 15         | 22      | 7       | 12            | 18      | 2         | 58          | 5            | 423     | 486          |
| On remission of sentence                                                           | .. | 5          | 3         | 24       | 6         | 10            | 63         | 15      | 2       | 11            | 1       | ..        | 51          | 6            | 277     | 43           |
| At expiration of sentence                                                          | .. | 138        | 182       | 565      | 127       | 79            | 181        | 237     | 20      | 32            | 87      | 8         | 296         | 128          | 222,444 | 699          |
| On bail or probation                                                               | .. | ..         | 5         | 19       | 2         | 2             | 3          | 26      | 5       | 1             | 12      | 2         | 4           | ..           | 35      | 35           |
| Transferred to other prisons or police                                             | .. | ..         | 4         | 14       | ..        | 14            | 1          | ..      | 5       | 1             | ..      | ..        | 2           | ..           | 216     | 21           |
| Escaped and not retaken                                                            | .. | ..         | ..        | ..       | ..        | ..            | 1          | 3       | ..      | ..            | ..      | ..        | ..          | ..           | 1       | ..           |
| Died naturally                                                                     | .. | 1          | 1         | ..       | ..        | 1             | ..         | ..      | ..      | ..            | ..      | ..        | ..          | ..           | 6       | 1            |
| Total discharged                                                                   | .. | 250        | 158       | 801      | 34        | 135           | 30         | 318     | 33      | 58            | 121     | 13        | 428         | 140          | 850     | 4,539        |
| In prison at end of year                                                           | .. | 8          | 12        | 158      | 10        | 7             | 3          | 35      | 1       | 31            | 7       | ..        | 131         | 13           | 1       | 563          |
| Total for year                                                                     | .. | 258        | 170       | 902      | 44        | 142           | 381        | 353     | 47      | 89            | 128     | 13        | 559         | 153          | 860     | 5,180        |
| Greatest number of both sexes at one time                                          |    |            |           |          |           |               |            |         |         |               |         |           |             |              |         |              |
| Least number of both sexes at one time..                                           | .. | 30         | 239       | 83       | 16        | 31            | 125        | 43      | 13      | 31            | 16      | 21        | 157         | ..           | ..      | ..           |
| Daily average                                                                      | .. | 13         | 175       | 47       | 7         | 8             | 98         | 20      | ..      | 18            | 6       | 2         | 132         | ..           | ..      | ..           |
| Prisoners ill 48 hours or more                                                     | .. | 705        | 12-3      | 48-93    | 8-75      | 17-8          | 110-56..   | 28-92   | 2-58    | 0-4           | 8-25    | 1-0       | 1-06        | 133-0        | 17-02   | 501-26       |
| Prisoners admitted to hospital..                                                   | .. | 4          | 51        | 60       | 6         | 1             | 98         | 31      | 9       | 33            | 1       | 2         | 4           | 3            | 8       | 1-339        |
| Daily average on sick list                                                         | .. | 0-07       | 0-84      | 1-94     | 0-37      | ..            | 4-5        | 1       | ..      | 0-86          | ..      | ..        | 5           | ..           | 51      | 5            |
|                                                                                    | .. | 0-6        | 0-84      | 1-94     | 0-37      | ..            | 4-5        | 2       | 1       | 0-86          | ..      | ..        | 4           | 1            | 16-68   | 4-31         |
|                                                                                    | .. |            |           |          |           |               |            |         |         |               |         |           |             |              |         | 20-99        |