

Return showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES REPORTED, PERSONS APPREHENDED, and COMPARISON of CRIME during the Year ending 31st December, 1888, and Year ending 31st December, 1889—*continued*.

Offences.	1888.										1889.										Increase.	Decrease.
	Persons Apprehended.					Number of Convictions amongst those Committed for Trial.					Persons Apprehended.					Number of Convictions amongst those Committed for Trial.						
	Com- mitted for Trial.		Summarily Convicted.		Dis- charged.	Total Number of Persons Apprehended.		Com- mitted for Trial.		Dis- charged.	Total Number of Persons Apprehended.		Com- mitted for Trial.		Dis- charged.	Total Number of Persons Apprehended.		Com- mitted for Trial.				
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.			
	SOUTH ISLAND—continued.																					
Assault occasioning bodily harm ..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..
Assault with intent to rob ..	5	..	..	..	..	5	..	2	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Assault with violence ..	5	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bankruptcy Act, breaches of ..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Beer Duty Act, breaches of ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bestiality ..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bigamy ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Breach of the peace ..	141	..	..	..	..	141	..	18	..	..	141	..	109	..	..	141	..	15	..	..	..	..
Breaking into shops, warehouses, offices, &c. ..	72	..	..	..	..	72	..	16	..	..	42	..	15	..	..	42	..	6	..	..	..	..
Burglary ..	15	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	11	..	8	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle- and horse-stealing ..	26	..	..	..	..	13	..	1	..	..	22	..	7	..	1	23	..	6	..	..	..	..
Cattle-maiming ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Child-desertion ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	4	..	..	..	..
Chinese Immigrants Act, breaches of ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Coinage Act, offences against ..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Concealment of birth ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Conspiring to defraud ..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Contempt of Court ..	9	..	..	..	..	9	..	7	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..
Cruelty to animals ..	49	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	..	..	49	..	..	..	..	37	..	31	..	5	..	..
Customs Laws Consolidation Act, breaches of ..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	4	..	3	..	..	..	..
Cutting and wounding ..	6	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	6	..	4	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Damaging police uniform ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Default of bail ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Default of penalties and costs ..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Default of sureties of the peace ..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Destitute Persons Act, breaches of ..	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..	22	..	5	..	..	32	..	19	..	11	..	..
Disobeying orders of Court ..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	14	..	13	..	1	..	..
Disobeying summonses ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Distillation Act, offences against ..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	11	..	7	..	4	..	..
Disturbing religious congregations ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..
Disturbing public meetings ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
Dog-stealing ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Drunkennes ..	2,726	..	..	..	..	2,726	..	356	..	..	2,726	..	2,272	..	..	2,654	..	2,294	..	28	..	..
Dual voting ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Embezzlement ..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	10	..	5	..	..	1	..	7	..	11	..	..
Escaping from custody ..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	35	..	..	..	11	..	..
False pretences ..	66	..	..	..	..	15	..	3	..	..	57	..	23	..	..	71	..	40	..	7	..	..
First Offenders Probation Act, breaches of ..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..