RETURN showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES REPORTED, PERSONS APPREHENDED, and COMPARISON of CRIME during the Year ending 31st December, 1890, and Year ending 31st December, 1891—*continued*.

Offences.	1890.										1891.										Increase.	Decrease.
	Number of all Offences Reported.	Persons Apprehended.						Total Number of Persons Apprehended.	Number of Convictions amongst those Committed for Trial.		Number of all Offences Reported.	Persons Apprehended.						Total Number of Persons Apprehended.	Number of Convictions amongst those Committed for Trial.			
		Committed for Trial.		Summarily Convicted.		Discharged.						Committed for Trial.		Summarily Convicted.		Discharged.						
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.		
NORTH ISLAND—*continued*.																						
Regulation of Elections Act, breaches of	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Riot and assault	22	21	..	..	..	1	..	22	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
Robbery and violence	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..
Sheep-stealing	24	15	2	..	..	4	..	21	6	..	7	1	..	1	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	17
Shipping and Seamens Act, breaches of	39	..	..	32	..	7	..	39	..	..	37	..	..	32	..	5	..	37	..	..	..	2
Shooting with intent to do bodily harm	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Sly-grog selling	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	9	..	..	4	..	4	1	9	..	..	7	..
Smuggling	5	..	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	3
Sodomy	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Sodomy, attempted	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
State Forests Act, offences against	5	..	..	3	..	2	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Suicide, attempted	17	5	..	1	1	10	..	17	3	..	11	..	..	3	2	6	..	11	..	..	..	6
Suicide, threatening	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Sureties of the peace	16	..	..	8	2	5	1	16	..	..	7	..	..	5	..	2	..	7	..	..	..	9
Trespass	14	..	..	3	..	8	3	14	..	..	22	..	..	12	..	6	4	22	..	..	8	..
Trig. survey-station removed	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Vagrancy	205	..	..	133	32	31	8	204	..	..	154	..	..	102	33	15	4	154	..	..	..	51
Wife-desertion	12	1	..	2	..	6	..	9	..	..	16	..	..	4	..	9	..	13	..	..	4	..
Totals	6,885	222	12	4,477	733	817	108	6,369	132	4	6,814	243	14	4,433	769	749	122	6,330	147	10	408	479
																					Decrease, 71.	
SOUTH ISLAND.																						
Absconding from Industrial Schools	7	..	..	6	..	..	..	6	..	..	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	3
Abusive and threatening language	47	..	..	23	4	16	4	47	..	..	58	..	..	32	5	15	6	58	..	..	11	..
Animals Protection Act, breaches of	6	..	..	6	..	..	..	6	..	..	5	..	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1
Arson	11	1	1	1	..	2	..	5	..	1	22	1	..	..	..	1	1	3	..	..	11	..
Arson, attempted	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Assaults, common	267	..	..	172	17	68	10	267	..	..	228	..	..	120	12	71	10	213	..	..	..	39
Assaults, indecent	6	3	..	..	..	3	..	6	2	..	8	4	..	..	..	3	..	7	2	..	2	..
Assaults on police	46	..	..	43	..	3	..	46	..	..	43	..	..	37	..	6	..	43	..	..	..	3
Assault and robbery	9	8	..	..	..	1	..	9	2	..	17	11	..	2	..	1	..	14	10	..	8	..
Assault occasioning bodily harm	3	1	..	1	..	1	..	3	1	..	5	2	..	..	..	3	..	5	2	..	2	..
Assault with intent to rob	12	5	1	..	..	2	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
Assault with violence	24	5	..	6	2	11	..	24	4	..	3	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	21
Bankruptcy Act, breaches of	13	5	..	5	..	1	..	11	3	..	15	8	1	2	..	3	..	14	3	..	2	..
Beer Duty Act, breaches of	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Bestiality	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2