

71	Taranaki	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	5	...	8	1	1	Proposed.
72	"	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
73	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
74	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	1	1	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
75	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
76	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
77	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
78	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
79	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
9	Proposed	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	5	8	...	18	7	...	Mounted instead of Foot Constable proposed.
80	Wanganui	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	4	1	8	1	...	Mounted Constable proposed.
81	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	Proposed.
82	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	Proposed.
83	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	Proposed.
84	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	Proposed.
85	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	Proposed.
86	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	Proposed.
87	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	Proposed.
88	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	Proposed.
9	Proposed	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	3	31	1	16	3	...	Proposed.
88	Total	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	35	132	8	218	39	...	Proposed.

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OFFENCES RETURN.—North Island District. Return showing the Number of Offences Reported, Persons Apprehended, and Comparison of Crime during the Year ending the 31st December, 1877, and Year ending the 31st December, 1878.

OFFENCES.	Number of all Offences reported.	PERSONS APPREHENDED, 1877.				Total Number of Persons Apprehended.	Number of all Offences reported.	PERSONS APPREHENDED, 1878.				Total Number of Persons Apprehended.	Increase.	Decrease.	REMARKS.				
		Committed for Trial.		Summarily Convicted.				Discharged.		Committed for Trial.						Summarily Convicted.		Discharged.	
		M.	F.	M.	F.			M.	F.	M.	F.					M.	F.	M.	F.
Abortion attempted	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	Summons cases. Summons cases.				
Abounding from bail	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...					
Affray	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...					
Arms Act, breaches of	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
Arson	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	3	...	7	...	Summons cases. Summons cases.				
Assault and robbery	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
Assault with intent to do bodily harm	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...					
Assaults, indecent	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	3	...	10	...					
Assaults	369	...	249	...	...	361	450	...	...	...	123	...	433	...	169 summons cases. 10 summons cases. 3 summons cases.				
Assaults on police	96	...	85	...	...	96	116	...	...	...	18	...	115	...					
Bankruptcy Act, breaches of	6	...	...	...	...	6	7	...	...	...	2	...	6	...					
		...	...	...	...			...	...	...		...		...					