

OFFENCES RETURN—Otago Division.—*continued.*

OFFENCES.	Number of all Offences reported	PERSONS APPREHENDED, 1878.						Total Number of Persons Apprehended.	Number of all Offences reported	PERSONS APPREHENDED, 1879.						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.				
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.				
Brought forward .	145	14	1	89	1	32	2	125	159	24	..	83	3	27	9	141	34	21	
Attempt to rescue a prisoner	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	.. 1	.. 1	..	..	..	..	..	.. 1	..	1	
Bankruptcy Act, breaches of	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Bestiality .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Bigamy .	81	..	..	63	6	11	1	68	231	..	..	194	6	28	3	130	150	..	93 Summons cases.
Breach of the peace	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	
Breaking and entering premises	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Burglary .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	
Bush Fires Ordinance, breaches of	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Cattle maiming	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Child desertion .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Coinage Act, offences against	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Concealment of birth	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	2	..	1	..	3	2	..	2 Summons cases.
Contempt of Court	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	10 Summons cases.
Counties Act, Breaches of	13	..	..	12	1	1	..	2	16	2	1	7	..	9	2	6	3	..	
Cruelty to animals	2	1	..	2	..	..	..	2	7	2	..	..	..	2	2	7	5	..	
Cutting and wounding	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	
Dangerous Goods Act, breaches of	18	..	..	15	2	1	..	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Demanding money by menaces	6	..	..	1	1	2	..	5	11	..	..	6	..	2	1	10	5	..	
Disorderly conduct	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	
Disobeying summonses	1891	..	..	1477	241	159	14	1891	2054	10	..	1589	350	100	15	2050	163	..	4 Summons cases.
Distillation Act, offences against	9	..	..	1	..	5	..	6	19	..	..	5	..	3	..	15	10	..	3 Summons cases.
Drunkennes	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	2	..	
Embezzlement	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
Escaping from Industrial School	30	2	..	15	..	9	1	25	42	4	..	22	..	11	1	37	12	..	2 summons cases, 1 re-
Escaping from legal custody	6	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	4	..	1	..	1	..	1	mandated to Waimate.
Escaping from Lunatic Asylum	15	14	..	..	..	..	..	14	22	10	..	3	..	3	..	16	7	..	4 summons cases.
False pretences, obtaining goods and money by	10	..	..	6	..	1	..	7	8	..	..	5	..	1	..	6	..	2	
Fish Protection Act, breaches of	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	17	5	..	2	..	2	..	8	2	..	1 summons case.
Forgery and uttering	9	3	..	..	..	2	..	5	23	..	..	1	..	..	..	14	10	..	
Foreign Seamen's Act, breaches of	24	3	..	12	3	5	4	24	38	..	..	14	..	15	..	38	14	..	
Gambling	20	15	1	..	..	1	..	18	16	1	..	21	2	3	..	15	14	..	
Horse and Cattle stealing	1	17	6	116	24	76	12	232	534	1	5	184	26	72	13	306	122	..	1 summons case.
Horse breaking	412	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	25	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	19 summons cases.
Illegally on premises	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 summons case.
Indecent exposure	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1 summons case.
Keeping houses of ill fame	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Larceny	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Libel	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	