Return showing the Number of Offences reported, Persons apprehended, and Comparison of Crime during the Year ending 31st December, 1896, and Year ending 31st December, 1897—continued.

Offences.	1896.		1897.										
	Number of all Offences reported.	Number of all Offences reported.	Persons apprehended or summoned.							Number of Convictions			
			Com- mitted for Trial.		Summarily Convicted.		Dis- charged.		Total Number of Persons apprehended or summoned.	amongst those committed for Trial.		ase.	Decrease
			М.	F.	М.	F.	M.	F.	Tot ol apj	М.	F.	Increase.	7
ntimidation Leeping disorderly houses and	45	1 21			1		1 4	 10	1 21	••		1	
brothels Cilling animals with intent to	1	1	1						1	1	١		١.
steal the carcases ibel	3	3	1				2		3			47	
unacy [alicious injury to property	368 385	415 474	3	2	253 274 1	108 20	46 119	8 14	415 432 1	3	2	89 1	
aliciously killing animals anslaughter urder	1 4	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 6 \\ 12 \end{array}$	5 8	2				··· 1	5 11	3		5 8	
urder, attempted eglected and criminal children	4 178	5 128	4		69	29	1 25	5	5 128			1	į
oscene and profane language	416 139	409 141			297 130	63 1	42 10	6	408 141	••		2	
ostructing railway-lines ostructing railway officers	3	12 6		::	10 5		1	••	10	•••	::	10	
ostructing thoroughfares	34	45			38	3	4		45	 6	::	11	
erjury	17	16 4 11	12 1	$\frac{2}{\cdots}$	 11	i	2 2	••	16 4 11	1		4 5	
ison offences (loitering about, and communicating with prisoners)		11	 		11	••				••	••		
rize-fighting	$\frac{2}{12}$	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 2 \end{array}$	1		8		4		12 2	i i		10	
ape, attempted eceiving stolen property	14 20	7 46	5 8		 19	2	1 16	·: 1	6 46	1 4.		26	
efusing to quit licensed premises escuing cattle from being im- pounded	43 31	42 31			37 19	::	5 11	·. 1	42 31	•••			
crilege	2	2				1			1	••			
eals, illegally taking	3 2	2 6	3	1			. 1		6	·		4	
y-grog selling	59 21	151 10			78 10	18	30	20	146 10	••		92	:
odomy	2	1 2	.:	::			1		1 1			1 7	
diciting prostitution	10 121 53	17 85 35			72 34	14	11 1	1	15 85 35				
owing away on board ships nicide, attempted ireties of the peace	31 55	26 53	3		4 38	1	14 13	5 1	26 53	2			
reties of the peace	1,942	$2,122 \\ 1$	100	6	841	102	209	29	1,287	62	2	180	
neft, attempted	5	6 3			2 1		3 2		5 3	••		1 3	
neft of cattle and horses	119 9	69	30		$\frac{2}{1}$		11	••	43 1	17		::	
neft of pigs	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 67 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 21 \end{array}$	4	i	1		4	1	6 9	4		9	١,
neft from dwellings	251 162	279 133	18	1	81 6	3	12 18	1 4	116 42	10	i	28	
neft of post letters neft by servants	3 2	10 9 5	5 1 3		 4 1		3	1 1	5 9 5	4 1 3		7 7 4	
nreatening letters	1 1 14	5 1 18	1		14		4		1 18			4	
pay fares	73	192	1		165	1	21	4	192			119	
nlawfully felling timber	392	351			225	69	36	19	349				
Totals		15,219	517	36	9,659	1,707	1,886	237	14,042	337	13	1430	8
												Inc.	5