APPENDIX A—*continued.*

RETURN showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES REPORTED, PERSONS APPREHENDED, and COMPARISON of CRIME during the Year ending 31st December, 1906, and Year ending 31st December, 1907—*continued.*

Offences.	1906.	1907.												
	Number of all Offences reported.	Number of all Offences reported.	Number of Offences in which Arrests or Summonses resulted.	Persons apprehended or summoned. Committed for Trial.		Summarily Convicted.		Discharged.		Total Number of Persons apprehended or summoned.	Number of Convictions amongst those committed for Trial.		Increase.	Decrease.
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.		
Illegally on premises	173	106	104	..	..	70	8	25	1	104	..	..	..	67
Illegally pawning	..	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..
Incest	4	4	4	3	..	..	..	1	..	4	2	..	..	..
Indecent exposure or behaviour	235	349	345	14	..	295	19	17	..	345	9	..	114	..
Introducing liquor into Maori pa	10	9	8	..	..	6	..	2	..	8	..	..	..	1
Keeping disorderly houses and brothels	25	42	42	..	..	17	13	7	5	42	..	..	17	..
Killing animals with intent to steal the carcases	4	6	6	..	..	..	..	6	..	6	..	..	2	..
Killing seal	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Libel	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..
Malicious injury to property ..	454	491	485	5	..	386	14	78	4	487	1	..	37	..
Maliciously killing animals ..	6	20	20	1	..	19	..	..	..	20	..	..	14	..
Manslaughter	12	16	16	12	4	..	..	..	..	16	1	1	4	..
Murder	6	5	5	2	2	..	..	1	..	5	2	..	..	1
Murder, attempted	7	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	6
Neglected and criminal children	192	203	203	..	..	109	70	16	8	203	..	..	11	..
Obscene and profane language ..	812	841	837	4	..	716	53	60	4	837	2	..	29	..
Obstructing and resisting police	169	184	184	..	..	174	..	10	..	184	..	..	15	..
Obstructing railway-lines ..	11	5	3	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	6
Obstructing railway officers ..	7	12	12	..	..	7	..	5	..	12	..	..	5	..
Obstructing thoroughfares ..	140	132	132	..	..	122	1	9	..	132	..	..	..	8
Offensive publications ..	47	6	6	..	..	4	..	2	..	6	..	..	..	41
Opium, smoking or being in possession of	35	90	89	..	..	65	..	24	..	89	..	..	55	..
Perjury	16	31	30	20	..	..	.	9	1	30	9	..	15	..
Personating electors	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Poison-laying	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Prison offences (loitering about, and communicating with prisoners)	5	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	2
Rape	10	4	3	2	..	..	..	1	..	3	1	..	..	6
Rape, attempted	13	10	9	8	..	..	..	1	..	9	2	..	..	3
Receiving stolen property ..	41	29	29	5	3	12	..	8	1	29	3	3	..	12
Refusing to quit licensed premises	113	126	125	..	..	116	1	8	..	125	..	..	13	..
Rescuing cattle from being impounded	28	43	43	..	..	30	..	12	1	43	..	..	15	..
Restricted immigrants, unlawfully landing	3	4	4	..	..	3	..	1	..	4	..	..	1	..
Sending false telegrams ..	..	2	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..
Setting a spring-gun	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..
Shooting with intent	4	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	2
Sly-grog selling	146	184	182	9	..	99	26	41	9	184	..	..	38	..
Smuggling	5	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4
Sodomy	3	4	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	1	..
Sodomy, attempted	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1
Soliciting prostitution	36	44	44	..	..	..	42	..	2	44	..	..	8	..
Stone-throwing	112	110	108	..	..	89	1	17	2	109	..	..	..	2
Stowing away on board ships ..	64	45	45	..	..	44	..	1	..	45	..	..	..	19
Suicide, attempted	49	46	46	1	..	32	8	5	..	46	..	..	..	3
Sureties of the peace	91	100	96	..	..	49	6	36	5	96	..	..	9	..
Theft (undescribed)	1,858	2,023	1,634	110	2	1,225	82	188	31	1,638	96	..	165	..
Theft as a bailee	44	7	7	6	..	..	..	1	..	7	6	..	..	37
Theft, attempted	20	20	20	1	..	17	..	2	..	20	..	..	..	..
Theft by servants	86	116	112	43	..	56	5	7	1	112	39	..	30	..
Theft from dwellings	269	242	171	22	3	124	8	15	..	172	17	3	..	27
Theft from the person	71	78	62	19	1	16	2	20	4	62	10	1	7	..
Theft of cattle and horses ..	64	66	53	30	..	12	..	11	..	53	20	..	2	..
Theft of dogs	20	7	6	..	..	3	..	3	..	6	..	..	..	13
Theft of pigs	2	11	11	1	..	5	..	5	..	11	..	..	9	..
Theft of sheep	7	13	11	8	..	..	..	1	2	11	6	..	6	..
Theft of post-letters	9	9	9	7	..	1	..	1	..	9	6	..	..	..
Threatening letters	2	2	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..
Threatening to shoot	4	9	9	2	..	3	..	4	..	9	..	..	5	..
Travelling by rail and refusing to pay fares	18	24	24	..	..	24	..	..	..	24	..	..	6	..
Trespass	200	220	198	..	..	168	6	24	..	198	..	..	20	..
Unlawfully assembly	..	18	18	8	..	..	..	10	..	18	..	..	18	..
Vagrancy	692	696	696	2	..	384	224	66	20	696	..	..	4	..
Witchcraft	7	3	3	..	..	1	1	..	1	3	..	..	..	4
Totals	21,160	23,204	22,244	777	37	17,801	1524	1955	161	22,255	549	22	2,513	469
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