

Enclosure 2 in No. 1.

Table No. 2.

SOUTH ISLAND DIVISION OF CONSTABULARY.

RETURN showing the NUMBER of OFFENCES committed and APPREHENSIONS during the Year ending 30th April, 1878.

Offences.	Number of all Offences committed during the Year ending 30th April, 1878.	Persons Apprehended or Proceeded against by Summons.						Total number of Persons apprehended or proceeded against by Summons during Year ending the 30th April, 1878.
		Committed for Trial.		Summarily Convicted.		Discharged.		
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Abduction	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
Abortion	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Absconding from bail	5	...	...	4	...	1	...	5
Absconding from Industrial School	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	2
Arson	25	7	...	...	...	4	...	11
Arson, attempted	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Assaults, common	231	...	...	166	12	53	...	231
Assaults, violent	9	3	...	4	...	2	...	9
Assaults on police	193	...	...	180	3	7	3	193
Assaults, indecent	23	7	...	13	...	3	...	23
Assault and robbery	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assault with intent to do bodily harm	15	6	...	6	1	1	...	14
Bestiality	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	5
Begging	3	...	...	2	...	1	...	3
Breach of the peace	115	...	...	104	1	10	...	115
Burglary, attempted	12	2	...	...	...	6	...	8
Burglary	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Breaking into offices and attempting to steal therefrom	20	5	...	9	...	...	...	14
Cattle-stealing	18	4	...	1	...	3	...	8
Carrying offensive weapons	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Contempt of Court	25	...	...	22	...	3	...	25
Conspiring to defraud	5	3	2	...	...	...	...	5
Child desertion	9	...	3	...	1	...	5	9
Cruelty to animals	6	...	...	4	...	2	...	6
Cutting and wounding with intent	3	1	...	...	...	2	...	3
Damaging property	143	...	...	90	10	12	...	112
Damaging police uniform	5	...	...	4	1	...	...	5
Demanding money by menaces and threats	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Deserting from hired service	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Discharging firearms in a public place	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	2
Disobeying summonses	4	...	...	1	...	2	...	3
Disobeying orders of the Court	14	...	...	6	...	6	...	12
Disorderly conduct	70	...	...	46	16	8	...	70
Distillation Act, breaches of	4	...	...	3	...	1	...	4
Drunk and disorderly	4,432	...	...	3,617	457	322	36	4,432
Dog-stealing	9	...	...	2	...	2	...	4
Dog Nuisance Ordinance, breaches of	4	...	...	2	...	2	...	4
Embezzlement	53	17	3	11	...	12	...	43
Embezzling ships' cargo and stores	7	...	...	5	...	2	...	7
Employment of Females Act, breaches of	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	3
Escaping from legal custody	5	1	...	1	3	...	...	5
False pretences, obtaining goods and money by	77	4	...	19	6	27	16	72
Furious riding and driving	19	...	...	19	...	...	...	19
Forgery	46	35	2	...	...	2	...	39
Gambling	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
Habitual drunkenness	20	...	...	6	10	4	...	20
Harbouring ship deserters	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Hawkers' License Ordinance, breaches of	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Horse-stealing	28	3	...	...	...	4	...	7
Illicit distillation	7	1	...	1	...	4	...	6
Illegally on premises	32	...	...	13	1	16	2	32
Infanticide	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Indecent exposure	18	...	...	15	1	2	...	18
Keeping houses of ill-fame	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
Larceny	843	42	6	274	48	135	23	528
Larceny from dwellings	38	3	1	11	1	8	3	27
Larceny from shops	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Larceny from the person	15	5	1	2	...	5	2	15
Larceny from gold mines	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Larceny from offices	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larceny as bailees	39	11	2	10	2	7	...	32
Lunacy	288	...	...	201	36	38	13	288
Licensing Ordinance, breaches of	27	...	...	26	...	1	...	27
Letting off fireworks	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	2
Murder	7	3	2	...	...	...	2	7
Manslaughter	7	4	2	...	...	1	...	7
Maliciously obstructing a railway line	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maliciously maiming cattle	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
Municipal By-laws, breaches of	165	...	...	136	2	27	...	165
Neglected and criminal children	184	...	...	82	66	23	13	184
Obscene language	296	...	...	233	44	13	6	296
Obstructing police	12	...	...	11	...	1	...	12
Perjury	15	10	2	...	...	2	...	14
Profane language	4	...	...	3	...	1	...	4
Carried forward	7,704	189	28	5,375	724	795	125	7,236