

TABLE I.

AGES of PRISONERS received during the Year 1881, and CAUSES of their DETENTION.

	Addington.	Auckland.	Dunedin.	Hokitika.	Invercargill.	Lyttelton.	Napier.	Nelson.	New Plymouth.	Timaru.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Minor Gaols.	Total.
Under 10 years—														
Felony ...	1	8	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	1	...	14
Misdemeanour ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
Minor offences ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	2	12	23
Debt or lunacy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 to 15 years—														
Felony ...	3	22	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	9	3	8	2	52
Misdemeanour ...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	13
Minor offences ...	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	5	7	28
Debt or lunacy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15 to 20 years—														
Felony ...	11	38	6	...	9	2	6	...	...	5	3	7	13	100
Misdemeanour ...	5	29	2	...	4	2	2	...	3	...	1	2	3	53
Minor offences ...	14	1	31	1	3	3	2	...	1	...	3	7	7	73
Debt or lunacy ...	1	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	6
20 to 25 years—														
Felony ...	32	32	7	...	4	15	21	4	1	6	9	17	29	177
Misdemeanour ...	12	29	1	...	5	7	4	...	9	1	1	...	27	96
Minor offences ...	19	18	119	2	7	18	3	3	...	10	5	31	43	278
Debt or lunacy ...	5	1	2	...	1	1	...	...	2	2	...	2	8	24
25 to 30 years—														
Felony ...	18	31	10	...	6	16	8	...	2	7	8	13	33	152
Misdemeanour ...	9	57	...	...	2	11	4	...	11	...	4	...	15	113
Minor offences ...	33	50	143	1	11	20	9	1	1	10	16	36	55	386
Debt or lunacy ...	10	3	3	...	4	9	3	...	1	...	5	3	3	44
30 to 40 years—														
Felony ...	38	45	14	2	11	24	16	2	3	18	20	28	35	256
Misdemeanour ...	24	71	5	...	3	13	7	...	11	5	4	2	29	174
Minor offences ...	107	128	205	8	40	22	33	4	11	24	33	70	140	825
Debt or lunacy ...	28	4	13	...	11	17	3	...	3	6	10	8	11	114
40 to 50 years—														
Felony ...	41	37	5	2	12	12	7	...	1	15	9	14	19	174
Misdemeanour ...	30	42	9	...	7	10	6	...	11	3	5	2	7	132
Minor offences ...	102	138	129	36	26	19	17	3	7	25	36	47	90	675
Debt or lunacy ...	27	2	7	1	6	3	...	...	2	4	6	1	14	73
50 to 60 years—														
Felony ...	9	18	...	1	1	...	5	3	1	4	4	9	1	56
Misdemeanour ...	7	29	2	...	1	3	1	...	7	2	1	...	6	59
Minor offences ...	52	78	46	6	8	4	18	4	3	10	15	27	34	305
Debt or lunacy ...	5	5	7	...	2	4	...	...	1	3	...	9	3	39
Over 60 years—														
Felony ...	...	7	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	3	4	1	21
Misdemeanour ...	...	17	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	23
Minor offences ...	9	27	20	3	3	1	7	2	1	4	5	11	3	96
Debt or lunacy ...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3
Summary—														
Felony ...	153	238	43	5	43	70	66	13	8	69	60	101	133	1,002
Misdemeanour ...	88	279	22	...	22	48	24	...	52	11	16	6	99	667
Minor offences ...	336	441	704	57	98	87	97	17	26	83	116	236	391	2,689
Debt or lunacy ...	77	16	33	1	27	34	6	...	9	16	21	23	40	303
TOTAL ...	654	974	802	63	190	239	193	30	95	179	213	366	663	4,661