

Return of Prisoners tried or sentenced at the Supreme and District Courts—*continued.*

Name.	Offence.	Date tried or sentenced.	Sentence.
<b>WELLINGTON S.C.—<i>continued.</i></b>			
		1908.	
Coulson, John George ..	Theft (2 charges) ..	Feb. 4	Acquitted.
Francis, Adeline Lillian May ..	Forgery ..	Feb. 5	3 months' labour.
Winter, Edward ..	Indecent assault ..	Feb. 5	Acquitted.
Ferraro, Phyllis ..	Wounding with intent ..	Feb. 6	4 months' labour.
Chaffey, George ..	Theft ..	Feb. 6	3 months' labour.
Shore, Elizabeth Victoria ..	False declaration ..	Feb. 6	To come up when called on.
Leydon, Edward James ..	Theft of postal packet ..	Feb. 6	18 months' labour.
Sheridan, James Malachy ..	Manslaughter ..	Feb. 6	Acquitted.
Rankin, Robert ..	Theft ..	Feb. 10	2 years' probation.
<b>BLLENHEIM S.C.—</b>			
		1907.	
McKenzie, Frederick Sams ..	Attempted rape ..	Dec. 4	Acquitted.
Horton, Jonathan ..	Indecent assault (2 charges) ..	Dec. 5	Acquitted.
Burgess, Robert, <i>alias</i> Walsh, Robert, &c. ..	Carnally knowing ..	Dec. 5	Acquitted.
	Robbery ..	Dec. 5	Acquitted.
<b>NELSON S.C.—</b>			
Sparks, Francis John ..	Attempt to commit buggery ..	Dec. 11	Acquitted.
Flanagan, Norah Margaret ..	Fraud ..	Dec. 12	Acquitted.
Hodges Nelson Campbell ..	Fraud ..	Dec. 12	18 months' labour.
Bott, William ..	Attempt to carnally know a child under 10 years ..	Dec. 11	3 years' labour.
<b>HOKITIKA S.C.—</b>			
		1908.	
Montague, Charles ..	Indecent assault ..	Mar. 6	12 months' probation.
Duck Yep ..	Selling pakapoo ticket ..	Mar. 6	3 months' labour.
McLelland, Alexander ..	Theft ..	Mar. 7	6 months' labour (concurrent with sentence already serving).
Manera, Joseph ..	Cattle-stealing ..	Mar. 5	Bill ignored.
	Sheep-stealing ..	Mar. 9	Acquitted.
Radcliffe, James, <i>alias</i> Hart, <i>alias</i> Ratcliffe, <i>alias</i> Allean ..	False pretences ..	Mar. 5	3 years' labour, and declared to be an habitual criminal.
Wong Gye, Henry ..	False pretences ..	Mar. 5	15 months' labour.
Jones, Thomas Norcott ..	Assault and robbery ..	Mar. 5	Fined £10 for assault, and ordered to come up for sentence on charge of robbery.
<b>CHRISTCHURCH S.C.—</b>			
Maxton, Samuel Arthur ..	False pretences ..	Feb. 10	Admitted to probation for 12 months, and to pay £3 costs, at the rate of 10s. a month.
Bennett, Samuel, <i>alias</i> Bevan, E., <i>alias</i> Dawson, &c. ..	Breaking, entering, theft, and forgery ..	Feb. 10	5 years' labour, and declared an habitual criminal.
Morris, William, <i>alias</i> Jones, William ..	Forgery and uttering ..	Feb. 10	2 years' labour.
Morrell, John ..	Forgery and uttering ..	Feb. 10	6 months' labour.
O'Connell, Benjamin ..	Assault with intent to rob ..	Feb. 10	Admitted to probation for 12 months, and to pay £3 costs, at the rate of 10s. per month.
Puddle, Frank ..	Assault with intent to commit a crime ..	Feb. 10	Found guilty of common assault, fined £10.
Courtenay, David ..	Assault and robbery ..	Feb. 10	3 years' labour.
Neale, Edgar ..	Keeping a common gaming-house ..	Feb. 10	Fined £10.
Portelli, William ..	Breach of Probation Act ..	Feb. 10	3 months' labour.
Wilson, Hans ..	Murder ..	Feb. 10	Acquitted on the grounds of insanity, and ordered to be detained in a mental hospital pending pleasure of Minister of Internal Affairs.
<b>TIMARU S.C.—</b>			
Cox, Harry ..	Breach of First Offenders Act ..	Feb. 4	3 months' labour.
Sims, Albert ..	Attempted rape ..	Feb. 4	7 years' labour.
Morris, John William, <i>alias</i> Kidd Keddell ..	Theft ..	Feb. 6	6 months' labour.
Zouch, Arthur Lonsdale ..	Breach of Bankruptcy Act ..	Feb. 5	Ordered to come up when called on.
<b>DUNEDIN S.C.—</b>			
Booth, William, <i>alias</i> Smith ..	Assault and robbery ..	Feb. 18	3 years' labour.
Brown, John, <i>alias</i> White, <i>alias</i> O'Brien, <i>alias</i> Britton, &c. ..	Theft ..	Feb. 11	12 months' labour.
Johnson, William David ..	Breaking and entering with intent to intimidate ..	Feb. 11	6 months' probation, and pay 35s.
Mowatt, John ..	Writing a letter threatening to kill ..	Feb. 18	Acquitted.
McConnachie, David ..	Writing a letter threatening to kill ..	Feb. 17	Bill ignored. Principal witness did not appear.
McLaren, James ..	Theft (2 charges) ..	Feb. 11	12 months' labour on each (concurrent), and declared an habitual criminal.
Sleiker, Paul Henry ..	Forgery and uttering ..	Feb. 18	12 months' probation, and pay £3 5s.
Thomas, Caleb ..	Breach of probation ..	Feb. 11	12 months' labour.
Wells, Thomas ..	Horse-stealing ..	Feb. 11	12 months' probation.
Cook, George ..	Theft from a dwelling ..	Mar. 10	6 months' probation, to pay £2 14s. costs of prosecution, and to abstain from intoxicating liquor.
Stewart, Alexander ..	Assault causing actual bodily harm ..	Mar. 10	4 months' labour.
<b>INVERCARGILL S.C.—</b>			
Ford, Daniel ..		Feb. 26	Acquitted.
Ford, James ..		Feb. 27	Fined £5.
Ford, William ..	Theft from a dwelling ..	Feb. 27	12 months' probation.
Phillipson, Thomas ..		Feb. 26	Acquitted.
Lloyd, John ..	Manslaughter ..	Feb. 27	Jury disagreed. Adjourned to next sessions.