

MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

TABLE showing the NUMBER of PERSONS brought before the several MAGISTRATES' COURTS in New Zealand during the Year ending 31st December, 1912, &c.—continued.

Courts.	Arrested or summoned. Total Offences, including Multiple Charges, each Offence being reckoned as a Distinct Person.		Classification of Summary Convictions, according to Offences.														Excluding Multiple Charges included in Previous Columns.										
			Discharged for Want of Prosecution or Want of Evidence.		Dismissed on the Merits.	Committed for Sentence.	Committed for Trial.	Summary Convictions.		Against the Person only.		Against Good Order.				Revenue Acts.					Offences relating to carrying out Laws and against Public Welfare.	Distinct Arrests or Summonses, excluding Multiple Charges included in Previous Columns.	Distinct Summary Convictions, excluding Multiple Charges included in Previous Columns.				
			Sexual Offences.	Assaults and other Offences.						Burglary, Housebreaking, and Stealing; Robbery and Stealing from the Person.	Cattle and Sheep Stealing, Theft, and other Offences against Property only.	Forgery and Offences against the Currency.	Drunk Including Habitual Drunkards.	Prohibition Orders.	Other Offences.	Selling Liquor without a License.	Other Breaches.	M. & F.	M.	F.				M. & F.	M.	F.	
Westland Provincial District— <i>continued.</i>	M. & F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	M.	F.
Ross—																											
Arrest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	29	27	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stafford—																											
Arrest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Canterbury Provincial District—																											
Akaroa—																											
Arrest	..	..	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	56	53	3	7	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Amberley—																											
Arrest	..	..	13	10	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	17	16	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ashburton—																											
Arrest	..	..	95	94	1	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	301	289	12	47	3	53	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chatham Islands—																											
Arrest	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	16	12	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Christchurch—																											
Arrest	..	..	1,811	1,519	293	60	2	26	3	31	1	71	3	1,330	284	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	2,791	2,577	214	553	45	140	10	1	1	5	2	1,878	156	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Darfield—																											
Arrest	..	..	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	60	54	6	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fairlie—																											
Arrest	..	..	32	30	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	37	37	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Geraldine—																											
Arrest	..	..	11	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	76	72	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kaiapoi—																											
Arrest	..	..	30	26	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	69	69	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..