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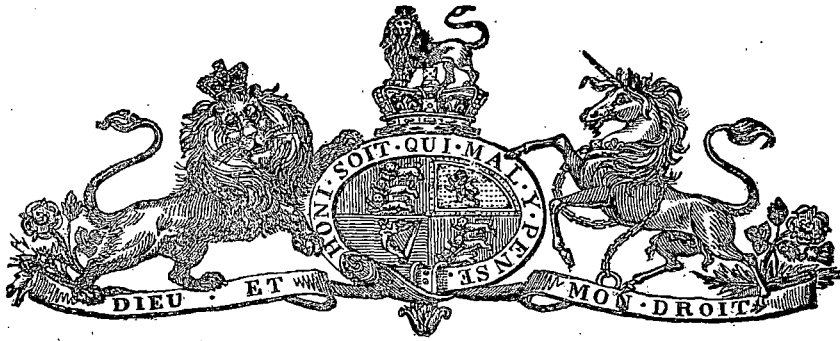
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**PENAL ESTABLISHMENT, HOBART TOWN:**

REPORT FOR **1877.**

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## PENAL ESTABLISHMENT, HOBART TOWN.

*H. M. Gaol and Penal Establishment, Hobart Town, 16th April, 1878.*

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to submit herewith the Annual Returns of this Prison for the year 1877;  
viz.—

- A.—Receipts and Expenditure.
- B.—Value of labour and material supplied to departments.
- C.—Description and money value of public work performed.
- D.—Nominal list of prisoners received from Port Arthur.
- E.—Male prisoners tried and convicted at superior courts received during the year.
- F.—Ditto, ditto, discharged ditto.
- G.—Male prisoners tried and convicted at inferior courts received during the year.
- H.—Ditto, ditto, discharged ditto.
- I.—Offences tried at superior courts during the year.
- J.—Male prisoners tried and convicted at inferior courts remaining at end of year.
- K.—Ditto, ditto, superior courts ditto.
- L.—Juvenile prisoners who have passed through the Gaol to Training School, Cascades.
- M.—Visits of Sheriff and Visiting Magistrates during the year.
- N.—Boots and shoes made and repaired during the year, with value of same, &c.

During the year the following additions have been made; viz.—On the 10th April the female prisoners were transferred from the Cascade Factory, and on the 17th of the same month the whole of the prisoners remaining at Port Arthur were brought up: the necessary alterations required for their reception were done by prison labour.

It will be seen from Return I. that the number of male prisoners tried at the Supreme Court during the year was 38, of which 22 were convicted, being one less than in 1876.

### *Officers.*

I regret to have to record the death of Mr. Overseer Robert Large; he had been nearly nine years in the service; he was a good faithful servant. Mr. F. H. Ward transferred from the Cascades to this establishment as station and receiving officer, &c. Mr. Carlson, from Port Arthur, as overseer of carpenters. Two armed guard and four constables have been added to the staff consequent upon the removal of the Port Arthur prisoners to this establishment. I have much pleasure in stating that the conduct and discipline of the officers has been most satisfactory, with the exception of constable Brickhill, who was dismissed for neglect of duty in allowing four prisoners to make their escape from the building during the dinner hour.

### *Receipts and Discharges.*

The admissions for the year have been 481 as against 465 for the year 1876, and the daily average strength 177 as against 139 for 1876.

### *Escapes.*

Five effected their escape; four attempted, but were re-captured by the officers of the prison.

### *Conduct of Prisoners.*

Their conduct on the whole has been good; ten cases were tried before the Visiting Justices, seven for absconding, and three for breaches of prison discipline.

*Deaths.*

Three occurred.

*Trades.*

Since my last Report a carpenter's shop has been established, and supervised by a first-class tradesman as overseer.

*Labour.*

There is very great difficulty in procuring profitable employment for the several classes of prisoners; the effective men employed at stonebreaking: the labour attached to this work is too great, for every yard of metal broken has at least to be removed a dozen times, in consequence of the limited space there is to keep it in, thus wasting time and labour. Men exempt by the medical officer to light work: the only employment is oakum-picking, (with the exception of cracking metal by gauge, and the small quantity they break is a mere trifle), when it can be obtained at  $1\frac{1}{2}d.$  per pound, a man would only earn  $3d.$  per day.

In conclusion, I take the opportunity of calling your attention to the very defective state of this prison, both as to its insecurity for holding prisoners and its utter want of means for classification.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

R. ATKINS, *Superintendent.*

*The Sheriff.*

## A.

*RETURN showing the Cost and Proceeds from Labour at the Gaol and Penal Establishment, Campbell-street, Hobart Town, during the Year 1877.*

<i>Dr.</i>	<i>Heads of Expense.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>Cr.</i>	<i>Reimbursements.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Salaries and allowances	.....	3047	7	8	Cash payments to Treasury for sales of road metal, oakum, and labour, as per (B.) Return	.....	504	15	10
Clothing, bedding, stores, and stationery	..	1528	0	2	Labour and material supplied to the several Departments, as per Return (B.)	.....	1017	9	2
Provisions and medical comforts	.....	1739	15	1	Profits from Baking Establishment	.....	328	10	5
Fuel and light	.....	274	14	8	Labour, as per (C.) Return	.....	3260	13	4
Miscellaneous expenses	.....	34	13	6	To value of stores in hand	.....	560	17	9
Medicines and medical attendance	.....	55	0	0	Net cost	.....	1053	9	0
Alterations and repairs to buildings	.....	46	4	5					
<i>Total</i>	.....	<u>£6725</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6</u>	<i>Total</i>	.....	<u>£6725</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6</u>

NOTE.—The average number of prisoners for the year ..... 177  
 Of which non-effectives ..... 44  
 Effectives ..... 133

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
The actual cost of an effective prisoner, admitting Return C. ....	5	5	3
The actual cost of an effective prisoner, omitting Return C. ....	16	11	$5\frac{1}{2}$
The actual cost of a non-effective prisoner .....	33	10	0 $\frac{1}{2}$

## B.

*RETURN of Money Value of Labour performed during the Year 1877.*

<i>Department, &amp;c.</i>	<i>Particulars.</i>	<i>Amount.</i>
		<i>£ s. d.</i>
Cash payments to Treasury .....	Road metal sold .....	264 16 0
Ditto .....	Oakum picked .....	23 16 1
Ditto .....	Old bags sold .....	0 10 1
Ditto .....	Money forfeited by prisoners .....	0 16 11
Ditto .....	Boots and shoes made and repaired for Sheriff's and Police Departments .....	187 9 3
Ditto .....	Repayment by Warders for clothing .....	27 7 6
Queen's Asylum, New Town .....	Boots, shoes, and slippers made and repaired .....	58 16 9
Ditto .....	Tinware repaired .....	0 11 2
Invalid Depôt, Brickfields .....	Boots repaired .....	3 19 10
Ditto .....	Tinware and blacksmith's work .....	1 10 6
Invalid Depôt, Cascades .....	Carpenter's and tinsmith's work .....	5 2 0
Hospital for Insane .....	Boots and slippers made .....	38 5 0
Cascades .....	Carpenter's and tailor's work and tinware .....	6 8 4
General Hospital, Hobart Town .....	Slippers made .....	1 5 0
Ditto .....	Carpenter's work and tinware .....	3 14 6
Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk .....	Boots and shoes made, &c. ....	17 6 0
Invalid Depôt, New Town .....	Boots, shoes, and slippers made and repaired .....	11 5 0
Ditto .....	Tinware .....	0 4 10
Master Gunner .....	Slippers made and repaired .....	0 15 6
Public Works Department .....	Carpenter's work .....	5 5 0
Sheriff's Department .....	Stationery case made .....	1 11 6
Colonial Auditor .....	Ditto .....	1 11 6
Property Valuers .....	Carpenter's work .....	0 7 2
Parliamentary Library .....	Ditto .....	0 7 2
Port Arthur .....	Tinware .....	2 15 0
Gaol, Campbell-street, Males .....	Boots and shoes made and repaired, tin- ware .....	109 4 5
Gaol, Campbell-street, Females .....	Boots and shoes made and repaired .....	11 13 6
Colonial Storekeeper .....	Boots, shoes, and slippers made .....	725 12 0
Ditto .....	Tinware .....	6 3 6
Government House .....	Table for copying press, material found .....	2 10 0
Telegraph Depôt .....	Making cases .....	1 4 0
	<i>Total</i> .....	£1522 5 0

## C.

*VALUE of the Labour of Male Prisoners during the Year 1877.*

	<i>MEN.</i>	<i>£ s. d.</i>
<i>Overseer Cooke in charge.</i>		
Grubbing and clearing new Cricket Ground, at 2s. 6d. per day .....	1459	182 7 6
Making and repairing road to Elwick Race-course, ditto .....	307	38 7 6
Repairing Battery, Domain, ditto .....	21	2 12 6
Domain. Quarrying stone for gravel for Government House grounds, front of Parliament House, Public Offices, and Franklin Square, ditto .....	1166	145 15 0
Grubbing, cutting, and removing dead timber from Domain, ditto .....	101	12 12 6
Removing and sorting stores received from Port Arthur, Colonial Stores, to old Engineer Yard for sale, ditto .....	207	25 17 6
<i>Overseer Moore in charge.</i>		
Quarrying stone for gravel for Government House grounds, Parliament House, and Public Offices, ditto .....	216	27 0 0
Levelling and rolling walks, Franklin Square, ditto .....	32	4 0 0
Putting down gravel, &c. in front of Parliament House, ditto .....	18	2 5 0
Repairs at Cascades Hospital for Insane, ditto .....	12	1 10 0
<i>Overseer Parsey in charge.</i>		
Employed upon Government House grounds, ditto .....	2345	355 12 6
<i>Overseer M'Glynn in charge.</i>		
Employed in Royal Society Gardens, ditto .....	2590	323 15 0

*Overseer Carlson in charge.*

	MEN.	£	s.	d.
Carpenters.—Repairs and alterations to Male and Female Prisons, shingling shed, repairing fence for Police Department, old Engineer's Yard, making 12 earth closets for use of Prison, making 50 wheelbarrows and repairing 70, planing 306 flooring boards for the Cascades Hospital for Insane, at 4s. per day .....	457	91	8	0
Making 200 maul handles and 2000 stone-hammer handles for use of stone breakers, repairing horse-cart and drays for Cascades and Prisons, as also other work for other establishments, at 2s. 6d. per day .....	699	87	7	6
Blacksmiths.—General work for establishment and other Departments, at 4s. per day .....	304	60	16	0
Ditto, at 1s. 6d. per day .....	304	22	16	0
Mason, &c.—Repairs and alterations to Prisons, whitewashing, &c., at 4s per day .....	296	59	4	0
Ditto, at 2s. 6d. per day .....	211	26	7	6
Tinsmith.—Making and repairing tinware for prison and other establishments, at 3s. per day ..	220	33	0	0
Painters.—Painting throughout the Prison, and various articles for other Depôts, at 4s. per day ..	151	30	4	0
Ditto, at 2s. 6d. per day .....	26	3	5	0

*Overseer Harrison in charge.*

Tailors.—Making and repairing uniform for armed guard and constables, at 4s. per day .....	304	60	16	0
Making and repairing clothing and bedding for prisoners, making mail bags for Post Office, repairing flour sacks, &c. for Colonial Store, at 2s. 6d. per day .....	938	117	5	0

*Overseer Wigmore in charge.*

Quarry.—Quarrying, spalling, and removing 2582 tons of stone to shed, at 1s. 6d. per day ....	3040	228	0	0
Breaking 2368 yards road metal, at 1s. 6d. per day .....	7249	543	13	6

*Overseer Dixey in charge.*

Removing rubble from quarry and filling up under tramway, at 1s. 6d. per day .....	2454	184	1	0
Exempt to stone breaking, by Medical Officer, 212 yards broken, at 3d. per day .....	2504	31	6	0
Small metal, 30 yards, at 8s. ....	..	12	0	0

*Overseer Harrison in charge.*

Picking 3809 lbs. Oakum ..	4388	23	16	1
Bakers and Cooks, at 2s. 6d. per day .....	1673	209	2	6
Wardsmen and Scavengers, ditto .....	3650	456	5	0
Ditto, at 1s. per day .....	3651	182	11	0
Barber, at 2s. 6d. per day .....	304	38	0	0
Shoemaker's work (See Return N) .....	5198	1159	19	3
TOTAL .....	46,945	4782	18	4
Deduct amount as (B) Return .....	..	1522	5	0
Non-effectives .....	6463			
TOTAL .....	53,408	£3260	13	4

*NOMINAL Return of Prisoners received from Penal Establishment, Port Arthur, during the Year 1877.*

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Ship.</i>	<i>Condition.</i>	<i>Sentence.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
Adams, William	L. Auckland	F. S.	8 years	
Aherne, Daniel	Emma	F. C.	Life	
Bush, Robert	Susan 2	F. S.	10 years	Discharged.
Bright, William	Louisa	F. S.	16 years	
Baker, William	M. Soames	F. S.	10 years	
Brown, George	L. W. Bentinck	F. S.	Life	
Burley, William	Elphinstone 2	F. S.	8 years	
Brown, Henry	Cornwall	F. S.	8 years	
Barnes, John	Mayda	F. S.	14 years	
Burton, Philip	D. Malcolm	C. P.	8 years	
Crockford, William	L. Lyndoch 2	F. S.	4 years	Discharged.
Clarkson, Luke	Westmoreland	F. S.	7 years	
Cavanagh, Henry	Kangaroo	F. C.	6 years	Discharged.
Creely, Thomas	S. W. F. Williams	F. C.	6 years	
Downes, Charles	Rodney 2	F. S.	Life	
Eales, Thomas	Cornwall	F. S.	15 years	
Foster, William	Equestrian 1	P. H.	Life	Discharged.
Finlay, John	P. Bomangee 3	F. S.	7 years	
Geary, James	Native	Free	6 years	
Garfitt, Charles	M. S. Elphinstone 2	F. S.	8 years	
Hughes, John	G. Grove	F. S.	5 years	
Hardwick, David	Native	Free	15 years	
Hefferman, Michael	London 2	F. S.	5 years	
Jeffrey, Mark	Eliza 2	C. P.	Life	
Kelly, Thomas	London 2	F. S.	Life	
Killeen, Peter	M. Watson	T. L.	7 years	
Kilburn, John	Cornwall	F. S.	8 years	
Marshall, Luke	J. Renwick	F. S.	8 years	Discharged.
Meaghan, Thomas	Native	Free	15 years	
Morgan, Frederick	Mary	F. C.	4 years	
Mitchell, Edward	Bangalore	F. S.	10 years	
M'Leod, John	Governor Philip	F. S.	10 years	
M'Cullem, Hugh	Ratcliffe 2	F. S.	10 years	
M'Cabe, Richard	Ditto	F. S.	10 years	
Meagher, William	Sir J. Bing	P. H.	10 years	
Mumford, William	Augusta Jessie	C. P.	10 years	
Marsh, John	Native	Free	Life	
Nicholls, John	Ditto	Free	8 years	
Nowlan, John	Bangalore	F. S.	Life	
Owens, Thomas	L. Lyndoch 1	F. S.	12 years	
Ogden, John	J. Soames	F. S.	10 years	
Prestidge, William	Triton	F. S.	Life	
Pearce, George	L. Nugent	F. S.	5 years	
Price, William	Triton	P. H.	Life	
Roberts, Henry	Rodney 2	F. S.	6 years	Discharged.
Rolando, James	Native	Free	8 years	
Roberts, Robert	W. Jardine	F. S.	8 years	
Roe, Edward	Native	Free	6 years	
Stewart, William	P. Bomangee 4	F. S.	7 years	Discharged.
Silwood, George	Layton 2	F. S.	7 years	
Smith, George	Goldseeker	F. C.	8 years	
Sayward, Robert	P. Bomangee 2	P. H.	10 years	
Styles, Robert	Asia 4	F. S.	6 years	
White (or Nutt), George	Fairlie	F. S.	10 years	
Wilson (or White), George	L. Lyndoch	F. S.	12 years	
Williams, John	Canton	F. P.	12 years	
Woods, Thomas	L. Nugent	F. S.	6 years	
Walmsley, Joseph	Isabella 2	F. S.	8 years	
Woodley, John	Moffatt 3	F. S.	10 years	
Williamson, Allan	M. Soames	T. L.	12 years	Discharged.
Yeomans, William	B. Merchant	P. H.	Life	

*RETURN of Male Prisoners tried and convicted at Superior Courts, received into Gaol and House of Correction, Campbell-street, during the Year 1877, showing Condition, Age, Sentence, &c.*

	Remaining 31 Dec. 1876.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
<b>Religion.</b>														
Protestant .....	43	..	4	2	32	2	1	3	2	9	1	1	3	103
Roman Catholic .....	34	3	2	1	19	5	..	..	2	2	..	..	4	72
Read and write .....	44	3	2	2	28	4	..	3	2	3	1	..	5	102
Read only .....	6	..	..	..	9	..	1	..	1	3	..	1	..	21
Read nor write .....	27	..	4	1	14	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	52
Forgery and uttering .....	8	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	15
Burglary and larceny .....	4	..	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9
Obtaining by false pretences ..	2	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Housebreaking and larceny ..	9	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	16
Sheepstealing .....	6	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9
Assault and robbery .....	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Burglary .....	4	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	11
Receiving stolen property .....	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	9
Manslaughter .....	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
Cattle and horse-stealing .....	4	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Indecent assault .....	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Unnatural offence .....	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4
Attempt to commit ditto .....	1	2	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Assault with intent to rape .....	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Rape .....	3	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	10
Breaking and entering .....	5	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	10
Causing grievous bodily harm ..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	6
Housebreaking .....	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	9
Pig-stealing .....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Larceny, &c. from the person ..	..	..	2	..	4	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	8
Ditto ditto a dwelling .....	3	..	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Murder .....	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Wounding .....	5	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	8
Perjury .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
On premises unlawfully .....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Unlawfully presenting fire-arms	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Misdemeanor .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>175</b>
<b>Sentence.</b>														
Life .....	8	..	1	..	9	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	20
16 years .....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
15 years .....	2	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
14 years .....	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
12 years .....	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5
10 years .....	14	..	..	1	10	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	28
8 years .....	8	2	..	..	7	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	21
7 years .....	3	..	..	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
6 years .....	6	..	..	..	4	..	..	1	1	3	..	..	2	17
5 years .....	9	..	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
4 years .....	3	..	1	1	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	14
3 years .....	7	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	11
2 years .....	11	..	3	..	1	5	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	24
Under 2 years .....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>175</b>
<b>Convictions.</b>														
First conviction .....	16	1	1	..	9	3	..	1	1	3	1	..	3	39
Second conviction .....	13	2	3	..	7	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	31
Third conviction and over ..	48	..	2	3	35	3	..	2	2	7	..	..	3	105
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>175</b>
<b>Condition.</b>														
Native .....	16	3	2	..	5	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	3	34
Free to Colony .....	5	..	1	..	3	..	1	..	..	3	1	1	1	16
Free by servitude .....	48	..	2	3	33	3	..	2	3	6	..	..	3	103
Free pardon .....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Conditional pardon .....	4	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Ticket-of-leave .....	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5
Passholders .....	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	





*RETURN of Male Prisoners tried and convicted at Inferior Courts received into Gaol and House of Correction, Campbell-street, during the Year 1877; showing Condition, Age, Sentence, &c.*

	Remaining 31 Dec. 1876.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
<b>Religion.</b>														
Protestant .....	32	19	19	20	16	15	8	13	26	14	26	22	28	258
Roman Catholic .....	25	17	13	7	17	16	10	18	18	11	8	12	11	182
Read and write .....	31	22	19	7	16	13	12	21	35	11	15	20	22	244
Read only .....	4	4	2	6	9	2	4	2	4	3	2	1	2	45
Read nor write .....	22	10	11	14	8	15	2	8	5	11	17	13	15	151
Breach of Merchant Seamen's Act .	3	2	3	..	1	1	..	..	12	2	4	5	4	37
Ditto Masters and Servants ditto	..	2	2	..	1	1	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	10
Drunkenness .....	1	2	5	6	9	2	..	4	9	4	3	5	7	57
Using obscene language .....	3	..	5	2	4	..	1	..	3	1	3	1	6	29
Idle and disorderly .....	4	11	3	5	2	1	1	4	4	2	5	7	8	57
Unlawfully beating and assault ....	6	1	2	2	2	11	1	3	1	2	3	4	..	38
Obtaining by false pretences .....	..	..	..	..	3	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	1	8
Disturbing the peace .....	3	2	5	3	3	..	5	3	2	1	1	2	..	30
Indecent behaviour .....	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	2	1	..	8
Larceny .....	26	7	3	4	3	4	4	9	..	1	5	4	6	76
Non-maintenance .....	1	1	..	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7
Escaping .....	5	1	1	..	2	..	..	1	..	3	2	..	..	15
Begging alms .....	2	1	..	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	11
Wilful destruction of property .....	..	1	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	7
Having property unlawfully .....	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Breach of Public Charities Act .....	..	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Attempting self-destruction .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Embezzlement .....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	3
Insulting passers by .....	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	2	1	8
Resisting the police .....	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	2	8	8	..	..	1	23
Default in bail .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
Breach of Naval Discipline Act .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Ditto Dog Licence ditto .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Receiving stolen property .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>440</b>
<b>Sentence.</b>														
2 years .....	7	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
18 months .....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
12 months .....	8	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	15
9 months .....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
6 months .....	7	5	1	2	3	11	1	4	..	2	5	1	2	44
4 months .....	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	7
3 months .....	14	8	..	6	3	5	2	4	3	2	2	8	5	62
2 months .....	6	4	1	5	3	..	2	1	4	1	5	2	2	36
1 month .....	5	9	8	1	2	3	3	4	3	5	3	8	10	64
12 weeks .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	11
10 weeks .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
8 weeks .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
6 weeks .....	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	4
4 weeks .....	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	5	3	1	14
21 days .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
14 days .....	2	4	6	3	10	4	3	5	9	4	10	6	6	72
7 days .....	..	2	12	9	10	3	4	8	12	7	5	4	6	82
4 days .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
3 days .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
48 hours .....	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
24 hours .....	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Default in bail .....	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>440</b>
First conviction .....	17	8	6	6	8	16	5	14	18	8	9	9	9	133
Second ditto .....	10	2	3	2	5	..	6	1	6	6	3	9	10	63
Third ditto, and over .....	30	26	23	19	20	14	7	16	20	11	23	16	19	244
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>440</b>

	Remaining 31 Dec. 1876.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
<b>Condition.</b>														
Native.....	13	4	4	6	7	13	9	9	10	10	8	7	9	109
Free to Colony.....	12	7	9	6	7	2	2	9	13	1	4	7	9	88
Free by servitude.....	28	24	19	14	18	13	7	13	18	14	20	17	20	225
Conditional pardon.....	2	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	9
Free pardon.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	4
Ticket-of-leave.....	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	5
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>440</b>
<b>Age.</b>														
From 10 to 18 years.....	4	1	2	3	2	2	5	4	6	6	2	3	2	42
Ditto 18 to 20 years.....	5	3	2	1	3	8	1	1	5	1	2	..	1	33
Ditto 20 to 30 years.....	11	3	..	2	7	5	4	11	8	4	7	9	8	79
Ditto 30 to 40 years.....	2	3	..	3	1	..	..	..	3	..	1	1	1	15
Ditto 40 to 50 years.....	9	5	5	3	7	..	3	6	6	3	3	..	5	55
Ditto 50 to 60 years.....	13	7	16	6	10	10	3	6	6	7	8	15	10	117
Ditto 60 to 70 years.....	9	11	6	5	2	4	1	2	7	3	11	2	8	71
Ditto 70 to 80 years.....	4	3	1	4	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	4	3	28
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>440</b>

H.

RETURN of Male Prisoners tried and convicted at Inferior Courts, discharged from Gaol and House of Correction, Campbell-street, during the Year 1877, showing Condition, Age, Sentence.

<b>Religion.</b>		<b>Embezzlement.....</b>	2	<b>Sentence.</b>	
Protestant.....	213	Insulting passers by.....	8	2 years.....	5
Roman Catholic.....	162	Resisting the police.....	23	18 months.....	2
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>375</b>	Default in bail.....	2	12 months.....	8
		Breach of Naval Discipline Act....	1	9 months.....	2
		<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>375</b>	6 months.....	30
Read and write.....	210	<b>Condition.</b>		4 months.....	5
Read only.....	39	Native.....	92	3 months.....	48
Read nor write.....	126	Free to Colony.....	84	2 months.....	33
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>375</b>	Free by servitude.....	187	1 month.....	54
		Free pardon.....	4	6 weeks.....	3
Breach of Merchant Seamen's Act..	32	Conditional ditto.....	5	4 weeks.....	13
Ditto Masters and Servants Act	10	Ticket-of-leave.....	3	21 days.....	1
Drunkenness.....	56	<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>375</b>	14 days.....	71
Using obscene language.....	25	<b>Age.</b>		7 days.....	81
Idle and disorderly.....	43	From 10 to 18 years.....	41	4 days.....	1
Assault and unlawfully beating....	34	From 18 to 20 years.....	19	3 days.....	1
Obtaining by false pretences.....	6	From 20 to 30 years.....	76	48 hours.....	2
Disturbing the peace.....	30	From 30 to 40 years.....	12	24 hours.....	2
Indecent behaviour.....	8	From 40 to 50 years.....	41	Default in bail.....	2
Larceny.....	49	From 50 to 60 years.....	97	12 weeks.....	11
Non-maintenance.....	7	From 60 to 70 years.....	63	<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>375</b>
Escaping.....	13	From 70 to 80 years.....	26	First conviction.....	119
Begging alms.....	9	<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>375</b>	Second conviction.....	50
Wilful destruction of property.....	7			Third ditto and over.....	206
Having property unlawfully.....	4			<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>375</b>
Breach of Public Charities Act.....	5				
Attempting self-destruction.....	1				



K.

RETURN of Male Prisoners tried and convicted at Superior Courts, in the Gaol and House of Correction, Campbell-street, on the 31st December, 1877, showing Condition, Age, Sentence, &c.

OFFENCES.	CONDITION.						AGE.						SENTENCE.																									
	Native.	Free to Colony.	Free by Servitude.	Free Pardon.	Conditional Pardon.	Ticket-of-Leave.	Passholders.	TOTAL.	15 to 20 Years.	20 to 30 Years.	30 to 40 Years.	40 to 50 Years.	50 to 60 Years.	60 to 70 Years.	70 to 80 Years.	TOTAL.	Life.	16 Years.	15 Years.	14 Years.	12 Years.	10 Years.	8 Years.	7 Years.	6 Years.	5 Years.	4 Years.	3 Years.	2 Years.	Under 2 Years.	TOTAL.	First Conviction.	Second Conviction.	Third Conviction.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Read nor Write.	
Forgery and uttering	-	3	6	1	-	-	1	11	-	2	1	1	3	2	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	1	3	2	-	-	-	11	11	3	-	8	9	1	1
Burglary and larceny	-	8	1	-	-	-	9	9	-	1	1	1	5	3	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	2	1	1	-	9	9	1	1	8	5	1	3	
Obtaining by false pretences	1	-	-	-	1	-	3	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Housebreaking and larceny	-	13	-	-	-	1	15	15	-	1	4	7	3	1	15	-	1	-	2	1	2	5	1	1	1	1	-	-	15	15	14	9	2	4	-	-		
Sheep-stealing	2	1	2	-	-	-	5	5	-	1	1	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	1	3	2	-	-		
Assault and robbery	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-		
Burglary	-	7	-	-	1	1	9	9	-	-	1	7	1	-	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	2	1	-	-	-	9	1	1	8	6	1	2		
Receiving stolen property	4	-	3	-	-	-	8	8	-	3	-	3	2	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	2	1	-	-	-	8	4	1	3	6	1	1		
Misdemeanor	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-		
Cattle-stealing	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	1	2	-	-	-		
Indecent assault	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	1	2	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	3	2	-	-		
Unnatural offence	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-		
Attempting to commit ditto	2	-	4	-	-	-	6	6	-	2	1	2	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	1	4	1	3	-	-		
Assault with intent to rape	1	-	2	-	-	-	3	3	-	1	-	1	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	1	1	1	-	-		
Rape	3	-	4	-	1	-	8	8	1	2	-	2	2	1	8	5	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	5	5	8	-	-	-		
Horse-stealing	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	3	1	1	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	3	2	1	1	-	-	-		
Breaking and entering	-	4	-	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	2	3	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	1	1	4	-	-	-		
Causing grievous bodily harm	2	1	1	-	1	-	5	5	3	-	1	-	-	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	5	5	2	2	1	3	2	2		
Housebreaking	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	1	-	3	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	4	3	-	-	-		
Pig-stealing	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-		
Larceny	2	-	1	-	-	-	3	3	-	2	-	1	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	1	-	2	2	1	-		
Larceny from the person	1	-	2	-	1	-	4	4	-	1	-	1	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	4	1	-	3	2	-	-		
Larceny in a dwelling	1	-	3	-	1	-	5	5	-	-	-	2	1	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	5	5	1	1	3	4	-	-		
Murder	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-		
Wounding	-	3	1	-	-	1	5	5	-	2	1	2	2	-	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	5	5	2	1	2	3	1	1		
Perjury	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-		
On premises unlawfully	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-		
Attempting to break into a store	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-		
Manslaughter	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	1	1	-	-	-		
	22	12	77	1	8	3	4	127	5	18	4	22	45	28	5	127	14	1	4	2	2	22	19	7	12	13	9	7	11	4	127	30	20	77	77	15	35	

L.

NOMINAL Return of Juvenile Prisoners who have passed through the Gaol, Campbell-street, to the Training School, Cascades, during the Year 1877.

Name.	Con- dition.	Age.	Sentence.		Offence.	When Dis- charged.	No. of Days in Gaol.
			Date.	Extent.			
M'Grath, Edward	Free	Yrs. 15	22. 3. 77.	14 days and 1 year	Stealing from the Malay	4. 4. 77.	14 days.
Stewart, Robert	ditto	15	19. 2. 77.	10 days and 4 months	Idle and disorderly	28. 2. 77.	10 days.

M.

VISITS of the Sheriff and Visiting Magistrates.

The Sheriff ..... 65 visits.  
 George Crisp, Esquire ..... on 23 February, 1877.  
 George Crisp, Esquire ..... on 2 March, 1877.  
 George Crisp, Esquire ..... on 20 March, 1877.  
 George Crisp, Esquire ..... on 14 April, 1877.  
 George Crisp and John Perkins, Esquires ..... on 27 April, 1877.  
 George Crisp and John Perkins, Esquires ..... on 3 September, 1877.  
 George Crisp and John Perkins, Esquires ..... on 16 September, 1877.  
 George Crisp and John Perkins, Esquires ..... on 1 October, 1877.



*Gaol and Penal Establishment, Campbell-street, 16th April, 1878.*

SIR,

I BEG leave to submit a Return showing the cost of the Female Prisoners confined in this establishment from the 11th April to the 31st December, 1877; also a Return showing the receipts and discharges for the same period.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

R. ATKINS, *Superintendent.*

*The Sheriff.*

*RETURN showing the Cost and Proceeds from Labour at the Gaol and Female House of Correction, Campbell-street, Hobart Town, from 11th April to 31st December, 1877,—265 Days.*

(44 Women and 2 Children.)

Dr.	£ s. d.	Cr.	£ s. d.
Salaries .....	153 6 8	Cash payments to Treasury for clothing and flags made and repaired .....	101 13 7
Provisions and medical comforts .....	221 2 8	Cash for private washing .....	50 13 4
Clothing, bedding, stores, and stationery. ....	103 11 4	Cash for public washing.....	96 5 10
Fuel and light .....	87 8 9	Net cost.....	428 9 7
Medical attendance and medicine.....	9 10 0		
Miscellaneous—Incidental expenses .....	2 10 0		
Allowances .....	45 16 6		
Alterations and repairs to buildings.....	53 16 5		
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>£677 2 4</b>	<b>Total .....</b>	<b>£677 2 4</b>

Cost per head..... £9 6s. 3½d.

*RETURN showing the Number of Women and Children received from the Female House of Correction, Cascades, at the Female House of Correction, Campbell-street, on the 11th and 12th of April, 1877; also the Number received and discharged from that date to the 31st December, 1877, and the Strength on the 1st day of January, 1878.*

	Women.	Children.
Received from Cascades on the 11th and 12th April, 1877..	42	3
Since received .....	216	9
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>12</b>
Discharged.....	215	10
<b>Remains on 1st January, 1878 .....</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>2</b>