

SECTION 25.

CRIMINAL STATISTICS.

## 1. CRIMES REPORTED TO THE POLICE, AND PERSONS PROCEEDED AGAINST ON CHARGE OF CRIME.

Crime	Crimes Reported or Known to the Police			Persons Proceeded Against				
	Total	Not brought before a Magisterial Court for want of Evidence	Brought before a Magisterial Court	Number			Apprehended	Summoned
				Total	M	F		
1. Homicide ... ..	3	—	3	3	2	1	3	—
2. Other offences against the person ...	140	8	132	132	120	12	70	62
3. Praedial larceny ... ..	114	108	6	6	6	—	—	6
4. Other offences against property... ..	514	224	320	320	206	14	92	228
5. Other crimes ... ..	230	22	208	208	191	17	24	184

## 2. PERSONS DEALT WITH IN SUMMARY COURTS FOR CRIMES AND OFFENCES.

Crime or Offence	Number			Discharged		Committed for Trial	Convicted Summarily				
	Total	M	F	For want of Prosecution	On the Merits of the Case		Total	Sentences			
								Imprisonment	Whipping	Fine	Bound over or otherwise disposed of
1. Homicide ... ..	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
2. Other offences against the person	7	6	1	5	2	33	156	43	—	50	* 63
3. Praedial larceny ... ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	2	—	1	3
4. { Malicious injuries to property ...	7	7	—	4	3	—	11	—	—	6	‡ 5
4. { Offences against property (other than praedial larceny and malicious injuries to property) ...	54	52	2	8	46	45	260	110	—	29	† 121
5. Other crimes ... ..	5	5	—	2	3	43	216	73	—	116	§ 27
Offences against the Master and Servant Act, including Acts relative to Indentured Coolies	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Offences against Revenue Laws, Municipal, Road and other Laws relating to the social economy of the Colony ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	12	—
Miscellaneous minor offences ...	494	370	124	407	87	—	19,702	234	—	15,262	4,206

\* Two (2) remitted to Lunatic Asylum. \*  
 † One (1) Do.  
 ‡ One (1) remitted to Salvatore Reformatory.  
 † Seven (7) Do.

## 3. PERSONS FOR TRIAL IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Crime or Offence	Number			Sex		Not Tried (Nolle Prosequi &c.)	Found Insane before Trial	Ac- quitted	Convicted						
	Total	In Circuit Courts	In Resident Magis- trates' Courts	M	F				Sentences						
									Total	Death	H.L. Penal Service	Imprisonment	Whip- ping	Fine	Bound over or other- wise disposed of
1. Murder of wife or concubine ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Murder of child ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Murder other than wife, concubine or child ...	3	—	—	2	1	—	—	1	2	—	1	1	—	—	—
Manslaughter ...	6	—	—	6	—	1	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	3	—
2. Attempted murder ...	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Rape ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Unnatural crime ...	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—
Other offences against the person...	24	—	—	20	4	3	—	6	18	—	2	11	—	1	4
3. Praedial larceny ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Offences against property with violence to the person ...	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—
Other offences against property ...	43	—	—	37	6	11	—	13	30	—	22	—	—	1	7
5. Other crimes...	43	—	—	38	5	12	—	5	38	—	19	11	—	—	† 8

\* One Imprisonment and interdiction.

† One remitted to Salvatore Reformatory.

## 4. COMPARATIVE TABLE.

COMPARATIVE TABLE showing the number of convictions for various crimes and offences for the last four years.

	1923	1924	1925	1926
The number of summary convictions:—				
1. Offences against the person ...	118	140	163	156
2. Praedial larceny ...	25	19	10	6
Malicious injuries to property ...	30	21	17	11
3. Offences against property (other than praedial larceny and malicious injuries to property) ...	310	270	286	260
4. Other crimes ...	272	327	223	216
Offences against the Master and Servant Act, including Acts relative to Indentured Coolies ...	—	—	—	—
Offences against Revenue Laws, Municipal, Road and other Laws relating to the social economy of the Colony...	7	4	15	12
Miscellaneous minor offences ...	28,737	24,497	19,607	19,702
The number of convictions in the Superior Courts:—				
1. Murder of wife or concubine ...	—	—	—	—
Murder of child ...	—	—	—	—
Murder other than wife, concubine or child ...	3	2	2	2
Manslaughter ...	—	—	—	3
Attempted Murder ...	—	1	3	1
2. Rape ...	—	—	—	—
Unnatural crime ...	1	2	1	2
Other offences against the person ...	7	12	9	18
3. Praedial larceny ...	—	—	—	—
Offences against property with violence to the person ...	—	2	5	2
4. Other offences against property...	36	29	34	30
5. Other crimes ...	35	29	18	38

