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CRIMINAL STATISTICS

1904-1905

## I.—OFFENCES.

TABLE showing the number of Offences reported to the Police or the Magistrates during 1904-5.

Total Number of Offences reported	Offences against the person	Offences against the good order of families	Offences against Property *	Other Offences
22,525	1,921	103	1,151	19,350

\* Include both Offences against rights of Property and Injuries to the subjects of Property.

## II.—APPREHENSIONS AND SUMMONSES.

TABLE showing the Number of Persons brought before the Magistrates' Courts by Arrest, Warrant or Summons for Offences, and how their Cases were disposed of in the Magistrates' Courts.

	Number discharged for want of Prosecution by the Party complaining or for want of evidence	Number of cases dismissed on the Merits	Number of Persons summarily Convicted	Number of Persons Committed for trial in the Superior Courts
Offences against the Person	293	6	602	81
Offences against the good order of families	21	—	28	24
Offences against Property *	99	1	213	26
Other Offences ... ..	817	85	16,254	13
Total Number of Persons Summoned or apprehended	1,230	92	17,097	144

NOTE—Purely Civil Cases in which Magistrates exercise jurisdiction are not included in this or the following table.

\* See foot-note above.

## III.—SUMMARY CONVICTIONS.

TABLE showing the Number of Summary Convictions for various Classes of Offences, and the kind of Punishments inflicted.

Punishment	Total Number of Offences *	Assaults and other Offences against the Person	Malicious Injuries to Property	Offences against the good order of families	Other Offences
Fine ... ..	14,277	421	103	18	13,735
Fine and Imprisonment...	20	14	1	2	3
Admonition ... ..	2,400	77	23	—	2,300
Imprisonment ... ..	383	84	78	8	213
Bound over with or without sureties ...	17	6	8	—	3
Total ... ..	17,097	602	213	28	16,254

\* Each person convicted as a separate case.

IV.—INDICTMENTS AND INFORMATIONS IN THE SUPERIOR COURTS.  
His Majesty's Criminal Court.

How the Cases were disposed of in the year 1904-5.  (Each prisoner to be considered as forming a separate case)	Total	Murder other than Wife or Child Murder	Manslaughter	Attempt at Murder	Murders of Wife, Reputed Wife, or Concubine	Child Murder	Concealment of Birth	Abortion	Other Offences against the Person	Malicious Injuries to property	Robbery with Violence	Other Offences against property	Offences against the good order of families	Rape	False Evidence	Miscellaneous Offences
Judgment for the Crown (convicted) ... ..	96	1	—	1	...	...	...	...	53	...	3	15	17	...	...	6
Judgment for the Prisoner (liberated) ... ..	48	1	—	1	...	...	...	...	24	...	—	8	7	...	...	7

V. COMPARATIVE TABLE.

Showing the Number of Offences, Apprehensions, Convictions, and Acquittals for the last Five Years.

	1900	1901	1902-3	1903-4	1904-5
The number of offences reported to the Police ...	6,279	10,436	15,119	19,830	22,525
The number of persons apprehended by the Police or summoned before the Magistrates... ..	9,810	11,536	15,722	17,523	18,563
The number of summary convictions:—					
1. For offences against the person ... ..	1,106	904	619	804	602
2. For offences against the good order of families	41	18	19	58	28
3. For offences against property ... ..	374	607	210	368	213
4. For other offences ... ..	7,762	9,027	13,610	14,784	16,254
The number of convictions:—					
1. For offences against the person ... ..	73	73	69	58	55
2. For offences against the good order of families	36	27	2	15	17
3. For offences against property ... ..	54	47	32	30	18
4. For other offences ... ..	31	41	33	31	6
The number of persons acquitted:—					
1. In the Inferior Courts ... ..	527	792	1,078	1,288	1,322
2. In the Superior Courts ... ..	41	56	50	87	48

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The following table shows the number of persons who have been admitted to the hospital during the year ending 31st December 1900. The total number of admissions is 1,234. The number of persons who have been discharged is 1,098. The number of persons who have died is 136. The number of persons who have been cured is 1,062. The number of persons who have been transferred to other hospitals is 236. The number of persons who have been admitted from other hospitals is 123. The number of persons who have been admitted from the community is 1,111. The number of persons who have been admitted from the workhouse is 123. The number of persons who have been admitted from the streets is 100. The number of persons who have been admitted from the workhouse is 123. The number of persons who have been admitted from the streets is 100.

The following table shows the number of persons who have been admitted to the hospital during the year ending 31st December 1901. The total number of admissions is 1,345. The number of persons who have been discharged is 1,200. The number of persons who have died is 145. The number of persons who have been cured is 1,055. The number of persons who have been transferred to other hospitals is 290. The number of persons who have been admitted from other hospitals is 134. The number of persons who have been admitted from the community is 1,211. The number of persons who have been admitted from the workhouse is 134. The number of persons who have been admitted from the streets is 100. The number of persons who have been admitted from the workhouse is 134. The number of persons who have been admitted from the streets is 100.