

“Other Punishments” include irons, bread and water, hard bed, loss of supper, light, school, letters and books, and reprimands and admonitions. There was an increase of 151 in the number of punishments as compared with 1888, but only in the lighter kinds, such as admonition, loss of light, &c.

696. The following table gives the offences for which persons were committed to the Penitentiaries in the years 1888 and 1889, and the sex of the offenders :—

Offences of prisoners, 1888 and 1889.

OFFENCES.	1888.			1889.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Murder and attempt at	12	.....	12	8	3	11
Manslaughter	9	1	10	20	1	21
Rape and other sexual offences	16	.....	16	15	.....	15
Bigamy	4	.....	4	3	.....	3
Shooting at, or wounding with intent to do bodily harm	13	.....	13	21	2	23
Assault	22	.....	22	14	1	15
Burglary and robbery with violence.....	66	.....	66	92	.....	92
Horse, cattle and sheep stealing	23	.....	23	18	.....	18
Other offences against property.....	135	14	149	185	1	186
Forgery and offences against currency.....	19	.....	19	22	.....	22
Arson	13	1	14	11	.....	11
Other felonies and misdemeanors	11	.....	11	15	1	16
Total	343	16	359	424	9	433

697. Particulars of all persons committed to the Penitentiaries during the years 1888 and 1889 are given in the next table :—

Particulars of convicts, 1888 and 1889.