

APPENDIX A—continued

Offences.	1948.	1949.	
	Number of Offences Reported.	Number of Offences Reported.	Number of Offences in Which Arrests or Summonses Resulted.
CRIMES AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE ACTS, ETC.— <i>ctd.</i>			
<i>Offences Against Rights of Property</i>			
Theft (undescibed)	8,682	7,925	4,723
Theft, attempted	43	31	25
Theft from the person	23	16	7
Theft from dwellings	466	397	182
Theft from dwellings, attempted	14	16	4
Theft by clerks or servants	47	91	88
Theft by clerks or servants, attempted	1	..	..
Theft of animals (specified)	35	36	35
Theft of animals, attempted	4	3	2
Bringing stolen property into New Zealand .. .. .	..	1	1
False pretences	956	855	790
False pretences, attempted	14	28	28
Obtaining credit by fraud	95	123	115
False accounting by officials or clerks	2	7	7
Conspiracy to defraud	46	12	12
Fortune-telling or practising witchcraft .. .. .	..	8	8
Robbery and aggravated robbery	33	13	9
Robbery and aggravated robbery, attempted	1	..	..
Assault with intent to rob	14	1	1
Demanding with intent to steal .. .. .	..	1	1
Extortion by threats	1	2	2
Burglary	90	107	75
Burglary, attempted	10	4	2
House or shop breaking, &c.	1,519	1,424	898
House or shop breaking, &c., attempted	152	174	73
Being found in dwellinghouse by night	7	16	13
Being disguised or in possession of housebreaking implements	3	6	6
Receiving property dishonestly obtained	215	131	131
Forgery	223	100	94
Uttering forged documents or false certificates	117	27	26
Sending false telegram .. .. .	..	1	1
Procuring execution of document by false pretences .. .. .	..	5	5
Personation	4	1	1
Arson	33	28	23
Arson, attempted	3	4	4
Wilfully placing obstruction on railways	5	5	3
Mischief	723	700	588
Mischief on railways and tramways	11	9	8
Possessing or making explosive substance, &c., with intent thereby to commit a crime	1	..	..
Threatening acts with intent to intimidate	2	4	4
Breach of Secret Commissions Act	2	..	..
POLICE OFFENCES ACT			
Breach of the peace or behaviour with intent, &c.	776	487	479
Cruelty to animals	26	14	14
Drunkenness	2,949	3,029	3,029
Drunk while in charge of horses, &c., or loaded firearms	7	20	20
Drunk and disorderly	139	150	150
Exposure of person and grossly indecent acts	243	211	160
Using profane, indecent, or obscene language	335	314	339
Vagrancy (idle and disorderly persons, rogues and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues)	300	268	268
Assaulting, obstructing, or resisting constables, &c.	143	138	138