

1931.
NEW ZEALAND.

NO-LICENSE DISTRICTS

(CHARGES AND CONVICTIONS FOR DRUNKENNESS IN, AND QUANTITY AND KIND OF LIQUOR SENT INTO) DURING THE YEAR 1928.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated Saturday, 25th day of October, 1930.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing separately—(1) The number of charges and convictions for offences for drunkenness, and the number of persons so convicted under twenty-one years of age, between twenty-one and twenty-five, and above twenty-five years of age, in each no-license district from the 1st January to 31st December, 1928; and (2) the quantity and kind of liquor sent into each no-license district from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1928."—(Mr. McCOMBS.)

(1) RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF CHARGES AND CONVICTIONS FOR DRUNKENNESS, AND THE NUMBER OF PERSONS SO CONVICTED UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE, THE NUMBER BETWEEN TWENTY-ONE AND TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE, AND THE NUMBER ABOVE TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE, IN EACH NO-LICENSE DISTRICT, FROM THE 1ST JANUARY TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1928.

District and Court.	Ages.									
	Under 21.		21 and under 25.		25 and over.		Not stated.*		Totals.	
	Charges	Convictions.	Charges	Convictions.	Charges	Convictions.	Charges	Convictions.	Charges	Convictions.
Masterton—										
Eketahuna
Masterton	32	32	2	1	34	33
Pongaroa	2	2	..	..	2	2
Totals	34	34	2	1	36	35
Oamaru—										
Hampden
Oamaru	1	1	..	..	25	24	1	1
Palmerston
Totals	1	1	..	..	25	24	1	1
Clutha—										
Kaitangata
Lawrence	1	1	..	..	2	2	..	3
Milton
Balclutha	1	1	..	1
Clinton	2	2	..	2
Owaka	1	1	1	1
Totals	1	1	..	..	6	6	1	1
Mataura—										
Gore	1	1	..	..	7	6	..	8
Mataura	1	1	..	1
Tapanui	3	3	..	3
Wyndham	1	1	3	3
Totals	1	1	..	..	12	11	3	3
Invercargill—										
Invercargill	8	7	13	13	79	77	13	10
Grand totals	11	10	13	13	156	152	20	16
									200	191

* Summons cases

(2) RETURN SHOWING THE QUANTITY AND KIND OF LIQUOR SENT INTO EACH NO-LICENSE DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1928.

Place.	Beer and Stout.	Brandy.	Gin and Schnapps.	Rum.	Whisky.	Wine.	Total.
	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.
Clutha	21,692 $\frac{3}{8}$	78 $\frac{2}{8}$	76 $\frac{3}{8}$	89	1,319 $\frac{4}{8}$	605 $\frac{1}{8}$	23,861 $\frac{1}{8}$
Eden	8,102 $\frac{2}{8}$	80 $\frac{3}{8}$	70 $\frac{5}{8}$	3 $\frac{2}{8}$	399 $\frac{5}{8}$	328 $\frac{2}{8}$	8,985 $\frac{1}{8}$
Grey Lynn ..	5,189 $\frac{3}{8}$	20	20 $\frac{1}{8}$	3 $\frac{4}{8}$	166 $\frac{2}{8}$	288 $\frac{4}{8}$	5,688 $\frac{4}{8}$
Invercargill ..	76,375	132 $\frac{5}{8}$	228 $\frac{3}{8}$	248 $\frac{1}{8}$	2,081 $\frac{5}{8}$	1,514	80,580 $\frac{2}{8}$
Masterton ..	37,680	96	178	46	1,588	1,219	40,807
Mataura	29,426 $\frac{1}{8}$	111	141 $\frac{3}{8}$	400 $\frac{1}{8}$	1,283 $\frac{1}{8}$	808	32,170
Oamaru	21,118 $\frac{5}{8}$	201 $\frac{1}{8}$	120 $\frac{1}{8}$	60 $\frac{2}{8}$	1,511 $\frac{5}{8}$	703 $\frac{2}{8}$	23,715 $\frac{4}{8}$
Roskill	8,555 $\frac{4}{8}$	251 $\frac{3}{8}$	118 $\frac{1}{8}$	18 $\frac{5}{8}$	644 $\frac{4}{8}$	940 $\frac{3}{8}$	10,529 $\frac{2}{8}$
Wellington Suburbs..	10,811 $\frac{3}{8}$	32 $\frac{4}{8}$	107 $\frac{2}{8}$	5 $\frac{2}{8}$	288 $\frac{1}{8}$	657 $\frac{2}{8}$	11,903 $\frac{1}{8}$
Wellington South ..	7,320 $\frac{4}{8}$	3	11 $\frac{4}{8}$	43 $\frac{4}{8}$	71	142	7,592
Totals	226,272 $\frac{5}{8}$	1,007	1,073 $\frac{2}{8}$	918 $\frac{3}{8}$	9,354 $\frac{3}{8}$	7,206 $\frac{2}{8}$	245,832 $\frac{2}{8}$

R. P. WARD, Under-Secretary.

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