APPENDIX A—*continued.*

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF OFFENCES REPORTED, THE NUMBER OF OFFENCES FOR WHICH PERSONS WERE APPREHENDED OR SUMMONED, AND COMPARISON OF CRIME DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1930, AND YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1931—*continued.*

Offences.	1930.	1931.										Increase or Decrease in Number of Offences reported.	
	Number of all Offences reported.	Number of all Offences reported.	Number of Offences in which Arrests or Summonses resulted.	Results of Cases in which Persons were apprehended or summoned. (Charges against Males and Females separately.)						Number of Convictions amongst those committed for Trial.			
				Committed for Trial.		Summarily convicted.		Dismissed.					
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Increase.	Decrease.
POLICE OFFENCES ACT—*continued.*													
Intimidation to restrict lawful acts ..	..	29	29	..	..	6	..	19	4	..	..	29	..
Inciting violence, disorder, or lawlessness	19	24	24	..	..	14	1	9	..	..	..	5	..
Unlawfully using horses, motor-cars, &c.	708	717	436	1	..	411	1	23	..	1	..	9	..
Unlawfully on premises by night without criminal intent	186	210	210	..	..	182	10	12	6	..	..	24	..
Sunday trading	52	174	173	..	..	118	43	11	1	..	..	122	..
GAMING ACT.													
Common gaming-house, keeping or managing, &c.	87	76	76	..	..	69	1	6	..	..	..	..	11
Found in a common gaming-house ..	124	84	84	..	..	78	..	6	..	..	..	..	40
Gaming with instruments	55	26	25	..	..	23	..	2	..	..	..	..	29
Publishing advertisements relating to betting on horse-races	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lotteries, unlawfully establishing or conducting, &c.	18	35	35	..	..	29	..	5	1	..	..	17	..
Betting, unlawful	56	38	38	..	..	32	2	4	..	..	..	..	18
Following occupation of a bookmaker	22	35	35	1	..	30	1	3	..	..	..	13	..
Trespass on racecourses	35	49	49	..	..	49	..	..	..	..	..	14	..
Publishing betting-charts	..	11	11	..	..	9	..	2	..	..	..	11	..
POST AND TELEGRAPH ACT.													
Illegally opening or delaying postal packets	17	12	12	..	..	9	3	..	..	..	..	..	5
Stealing postal packets, mail-bags, &c.	32	72	66	20	..	46	..	..	..	20	..	40	..
Stealing money, &c., from postal packets	33	40	34	26	..	7	..	1	..	25	..	7	..
Unlawfully opening mail-bags ..	..	2	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	..
Fraudulently secreting or detaining misdelivered mail-bags, &c.	6	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	6
Injuring post-office pillars or boxes ..	11	18	15	..	..	13	..	2	..	..	..	7	..
Damaging telegraph equipment ..	26	188	124	4	..	111	..	9	..	..	..	162	..
Posting indecent postcards or letters..	3	5	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
False statement *re* posting postal packet	2	6	6	3	1	2	..	..	..	3	1	4	..
DESTITUTE PERSONS ACT.													
Failing to maintain wife or children ..	2,197	1,842	1,718	..	..	1,470	12	231	5	..	..	..	355
Failing for fourteen days to pay maintenance moneys	3,233	3,300	3,162	..	..	2,678	18	457	9	..	..	67	..
Offences by husbands while separation orders are in force	33	22	22	..	..	18	..	4	..	..	..	..	11
Offences prescribed in sections 52 to 58 of Destitute Persons Act	5	6	5	1	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	1	..
SHIPPING AND SEAMAN ACT.													
Ship-desertion	49	18	16	..	..	15	..	1	..	..	..	..	31
Absent without leave	18	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17
Offences against discipline	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Embezzling cargo	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Stowing away	100	122	118	..	..	118	..	..	..	..	..	22	..
LICENSING ACT.													
Permitting drunkenness or violent conduct	7	6	6	..	..	4	..	1	1	..	..	..	1
Selling or supplying liquor to intoxicated persons	14	8	8	..	..	3	..	5	..	..	..	..	6
Selling or supplying liquor, or exposing for sale, or opening or keeping open premises at unauthorized times	466	658	651	..	..	406	32	190	23	..	..	192	..
Supplying liquor to persons under twenty-one years	33	26	26	..	..	17	2	7	..	..	..	..	7
Selling or supplying liquor to prohibited persons	45	31	31	..	..	24	..	7	..	..	..	..	14
Permitting prohibited persons to be on premises	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Unlawfully employing females in or about a bar	3	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
Employing minors in bars	2	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Illegally supplying liquor to Natives ..	61	58	57	..	..	41	..	16	..	..	..	..	3
Selling adulterated liquor	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1