

## 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 ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1919, AND YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1920—continued.

Offences.	1919.	1920.										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.		Increase.	Decrease.
				Committed for Trial.		Summarily convicted.		Dismissed.		for Trial.			
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
CRIMES AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE Acts, ETC.—continued.													
Offences against Rights of Property—ctd.													
Theft from dwellings .. ..	216	229	165	59	6	88	9	2	1	37	2	13	..
Theft from dwellings, attempted ..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Theft by clerks or servants .. ..	91	92	92	20	1	60	5	5	1	19	1	1	..
Theft of animals (specified) .. ..	46	57	48	15	..	28	..	5	..	4	..	11	..
Theft of animals, attempted .. ..	6	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
Bringing stolen property into New Zealand ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
False pretences .. ..	263	280	256	113	..	131	7	5	..	92	..	17	..
False pretences, attempted .. ..	12	6	5	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
Obtaining credit by fraud .. ..	20	5	5	2	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	15
False accounting by officials or clerks ..	1	4	4	3	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	3	..
Conspiracy to defraud .. ..	..	9	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	9	..
Fortune-telling or practising witchcraft ..	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Robbery and aggravated robbery .. ..	5	21	16	14	1	..	..	1	..	5	1	16	..
Assault with intent to rob .. ..	8	10	10	10	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	2	..
Extortion by threats .. ..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Burglary .. ..	34	49	28	16	..	9	..	3	..	9	..	15	..
Burglary, attempted .. ..	4	13	10	9	..	..	..	1	..	9	..	9	..
House or shop breaking, &c. .. ..	427	466	369	199	6	154	..	10	..	177	6	39	..
House or shop breaking, &c., attempted ..	56	45	39	11	1	27	..	..	..	8	1	..	11
Being found in dwellinghouse by night ..	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Being armed with intent to break or enter ..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Being disguised or in possession of housebreaking implements ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Receiving property dishonestly obtained ..	63	91	91	8	2	59	5	15	2	5	..	28	..
Forgery .. ..	90	132	112	88	14	3	..	7	..	85	6	42	..
Uttering forged documents or false certificates ..	22	17	15	11	..	4	..	..	..	8	..	..	5
Sending false telegram .. ..	1	5	4	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	4	..
Procuring execution of document by false pretences .. ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Personation .. ..	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Coin, offences relating to .. ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Arson .. ..	22	16	15	13	..	..	..	2	..	7	..	..	6
Arson, attempted .. ..	..	7	5	2	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	7	..
Setting fire to crops, attempted .. ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Wilfully placing obstruction on railways ..	1	6	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Placing explosive with intent to destroy buildings, ships, &c. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Mischief .. ..	682	604	570	17	..	489	13	50	1	9	..	..	78
Mischief on railways and tramways ..	23	35	33	..	..	28	..	5	..	..	..	12	..
Possessing or making explosive substance, &c., with intent thereby to commit a crime ..	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..
Sending threatening letters .. ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Threatening acts with intent to intimidate ..	6	5	5	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Counselling the commission of an offence ..	..	10	10	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	10	..
POLICE OFFENCES ACT.													
Breach of the peace or behaviour with intent .. ..	563	545	545	..	..	461	14	70	..	..	..	..	18
Cruelty to animals .. ..	172	196	196	..	..	149	1	45	1	..	..	24	..
Drunkenness .. ..	7,765	8,384	8,384	..	..	7,867	501	15	1	..	..	619	..
Drunk while in charge of horses, &c., or loaded firearms .. ..	147	190	190	..	..	189	..	1	..	..	..	43	..
Drunk and disorderly .. ..	304	406	405	..	..	387	7	11	..	..	..	102	..
Prostitutes behaving in a riotous or indecent manner .. ..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Soliciting prostitution .. ..	17	22	22	..	..	..	22	..	..	..	..	5	..
Exposure of person and grossly indecent acts .. ..	208	220	217	2	..	197	7	11	..	1	..	12	..
Using profane, indecent, or obscene language .. ..	950	975	970	2	..	893	23	50	2	1	..	25	..
Vagrancy (idle and disorderly persons, rogues and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues) .. ..	506	607	607	..	..	445	80	73	9	..	..	101	..
Assaulting, obstructing, or resisting constables, &c. ..	322	253	253	..	..	246	..	6	1	..	..	..	69
Intimidation to restrict lawful acts .. ..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Inciting violence, disorder, or lawlessness ..	4	3	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Unlawfully using horses, motor-cars, &c. ..	31	152	150	4	..	134	1	11	..	3	..	121	..
Refusing to assist police .. ..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..