

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, 1934, AND YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1935—*continued.*

Offences.	1934.	1935.										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.					
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
POLICE OFFENCES ACT—continued.													
Vagrancy (idle and disorderly persons, rogues and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues)	399	321	319	1	..	254	39	21	4	..	..	..	78
Assaulting, obstructing, or resisting constables, &c.	140	105	105	..	..	99	1	5	..	..	..	..	35
Intimidation to restrict lawful acts ..	1	2	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Inciting violence, disorder, or lawlessness	12	4	4	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	8
Unlawfully using horses, motor-cars, &c.	353	454	382	..	..	360	1	21	..	..	..	101	..
Unlawfully on premises at night without criminal intent	98	125	125	..	..	102	9	13	1	..	..	27	..
Sunday trading	292	235	232	..	..	161	62	6	3	..	..	..	57
False allegation, <i>re</i> commission of offence	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
GAMING ACT.													
Common gaming-house, keeping, or managing, &c.	137	131	131	..	..	124	4	3	..	..	..	..	6
Found in a common gaming-house ..	214	239	239	..	..	228	..	11	..	..	..	25	..
Gaming with instruments	9	10	10	..	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Publishing advertisements relating to betting on horse-races	9	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Lotteries, unlawfully establishing or conducting, &c.	47	39	37	..	..	31	1	5	..	..	..	..	8
Betting, unlawful	21	33	33	..	..	32	..	1	..	..	..	12	..
Following the occupation of bookmaker	65	63	63	..	..	61	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
Publishing betting charts	8	6	6	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Trespass on racecourse	51	57	57	..	..	56	..	1	..	..	..	6	..
POST AND TELEGRAPH ACT.													
Posting packet containing explosive, &c.	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Putting explosive, &c., into post-office, &c.	1	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Illegally opening or delaying postal packets	9	5	4	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	4
Stealing postal packets, mail-bags, &c.	9	55	53	8	..	26	1	18	..	8	..	46	..
Stealing money, &c., from postal packets	7	21	21	1	..	19	1	..	..	1	..	14	..
Fraudulently secreting or detaining misdelivered mail-bags, &c.	2	11	11	9	..	2	..	..	..	8	..	9	..
Injuring post-office pillars or boxes ..	5	32	25	..	..	25	..	..	..	..	..	27	..
Damaging telegraph equipment	103	103	87	..	..	77	..	10	..	..	..	..	..
Posting indecent postcards or letters ..	1	3	3	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	2	..
False statement <i>re</i> posting postal packet	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
DESTITUTE PERSONS ACT.													
Failing to maintain wife or children ..	1,529	1,563	1,529	..	..	1,289	33	187	20	..	..	34	..
Failing for fourteen days to pay maintenance moneys	2,189	2,188	2,135	..	..	1,731	17	376	11	..	..	..	1
Offences by husbands while separation orders are in force	10	13	13	..	..	12	..	1	..	..	..	3	..
Offences prescribed in sections 52 to 58 of Destitute Persons Act	7	5	5	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
SHIPPING AND SEAMEN ACT.													
Ship-desertion	13	16	11	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Absent without leave	4	38	38	..	..	38	..	..	..	..	..	34	..
Offences against discipline	87	26	26	..	..	26	..	..	..	..	..	..	61
Embezzling cargo	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Harbouring deserters	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Stowing away	30	30	30	..	..	29	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
LICENSING ACT.													
Permitting drunkenness or violent conduct	6	2	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
Selling or supplying liquor to intoxicated persons	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Permitting gaming, gambling, &c. ..	..	3	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Selling or supplying liquor, or exposing for sale, or opening or keeping open premises at unauthorized times	641	662	662	..	..	414	36	192	20	..	..	21	..