

III.—APPREHENSIONS, COMMITMENTS, ETC. TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF PERSONS OF EITHER SEX IN NO-LICENSE DISTRICTS SUMMONED OR BROUGHT BEFORE MAGISTRATES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1914, THE OFFENCES CHARGED AGAINST THEM, AND HOW THEY WERE DISPOSED OF.

(NOTE.—In this table each offence is reckoned as a distinct person.)

Offences.	Total Number summoned or taken into Custody.			Discharged.		Committed for Trial or Sentence.		Summarily convicted, held to Bail, &c.	
	M. & F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
I. OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.									
Murder	2	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Wounding with intent	2	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Attempted suicide	5	4	1	..	..	..	..	4	1
Assault, aggravated	3	3	..	2	..	1	..	..	..
Assault, common	64	60	4	25	4	..	..	35	..
Assault and robbery	2	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Rape, and attempts at	2	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Unlawful carnal knowledge, and attempts at	3	3	..	2	..	1	..	..	..
Incest	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Indecent assault	9	9	..	1	..	7	..	1	..
Other offences against the person	3	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
II. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY ONLY.									
Housebreaking, entering, and stealing	28	28	..	5	..	11	..	12	..
Theft (other, and attempts at)	178	166	12	42	3	13	..	111	9
Receiving stolen property	10	9	1	7	1	..	..	2	..
Fraud and false pretences	28	28	..	4	..	18	..	6	..
Arson, and attempts at	2	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Wilful damage	95	94	1	27	..	..	..	67	1
III. FORGERY AND OFFENCES AGAINST THE CURRENCY.									
Forgery and uttering	4	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
Other offences against the currency	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
IV. OFFENCES AGAINST GOOD ORDER.									
Drunkenness	453	446	7	11	..	..	..	435	7
Prohibition orders	94	89	5	12	2	..	..	77	3
Indecent, riotous, and offensive conduct	101	99	2	29	1	..	..	70	1
Obscene, threatening, or abusive language	83	82	1	21	1	..	..	61	..
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing the police	19	19	..	2	..	..	..	17	..
Cruelty to animals	11	10	1	2	..	..	..	8	1
Offences relating to gambling	16	16	..	7	..	..	..	9	..
Vagrancy	48	47	1	12	..	1	..	34	1
Working or trading on Sunday	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Breaches of by-laws, &c.	605	584	21	50	..	..	..	534	21
Other offences against good order	5	5	..	1	..	..	..	4	..
V. OFFENCES NOT INCLUDED PREVIOUSLY.									
<i>(a.) Relating to carrying out Laws.</i>									
Perjury	2	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Breach of Bankruptcy Act	4	4	..	1	..	..	..	3	..
Breach of First Offenders' Probation Act	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Other offences relating to carrying out laws	6	6	..	1	..	2	..	3	..
<i>(b.) Relating to Revenue.</i>									
Selling liquor without a license (including storing for sale)	69	62	7	27	2	..	..	35	5
Other offences against revenue laws	49	48	1	38	..	..	..	10	1
<i>(c.) Against Public Welfare.</i>									
Licensing (by others)	299	280	19	100	7	..	..	180	12
Destitute persons (bastardy)	43	43	..	15	..	..	..	28	..
Destitute persons (failing to maintain)	233	232	1	117	..	..	..	115	1
Infants Act	2	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..
Industrial Schools	28	12	16	1	5	..	..	11	11
School attendance	59	54	5	15	5	..	..	39	..
Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration	14	14	..	..	..	..	..	14	..
Shops and Factories	16	15	1	..	..	..	..	15	1
Shipping and Seamen	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Noxious Weeds	45	45	..	11	..	..	..	34	..
Fisheries and Game	5	5	..	2	..	..	..	3	..
Defence Act	815	815	..	292	..	..	..	523	..
Other offences	165	162	3	49	..	..	..	113	3
Totals	3,739	3,628	111	935	32	72	..	2,621	79