

APPENDIX A.

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, 1918, AND YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1919.

Offences.	1918.	1919.										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.
CRIMES AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE ACTS, ETC.													
Unlawful assembly	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18
Seditious offences	24	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
<i>Misleading Justice.</i>													
Perjury and false oaths	2	6	6	5	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	4	..
False statements and declarations ..	8	32	31	18	6	3	..	2	2	15	5	24	..
Corrupting juries or witnesses ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
<i>Escapes and Rescues.</i>													
Breaking prison	1	7	5	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	6	..
Escaping from prison or lawful custody	21	49	49	3	..	18	26	2	..	3	..	28	..
Escaping from prison, attempted ..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
<i>Offences against Religion.</i>													
Assaulting ministers of religion ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Disturbing public worship	12	9	9	..	..	5	..	4	..	..	..	..	3
<i>Offences against Morality.</i>													
Unnatural offence	3	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1
Unnatural offence, attempted ..	2	3	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	..
Unnatural offence, assault with intent to commit	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Indecently assaulting a male ..	8	14	14	11	..	1	..	2	..	6	..	6	..
Incest	4	3	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	1
Indecent acts	23	28	28	3	..	19	..	6	..	2	..	5	..
<i>Offences against the Person, &c.</i>													
Neglecting duties tending to the preservation of life or health	..	3	3	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	3	..
Murder	4	9	9	2	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Murder, attempted	5	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	4
Murder, counselling or attempting to procure	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Manslaughter	21	12	12	8	1	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	9
Suicide, attempted	54	52	52	..	..	40	8	4	..	..	..	..	2
Concealment of birth	3	5	4	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	2	2	..
Disabling or stupefying with intent to commit a crime	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm	5	3	3	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
Endangering safety of persons on railways or tramways	2	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Putting explosive substances in places with intent to do bodily harm	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Assault causing actual bodily harm ..	60	48	47	24	1	15	..	7	..	17	..	..	12
Causing actual bodily harm under circumstances that, if death had been caused, would be manslaughter	4	5	5	4	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	1	..
Assault, indecent	83	72	66	50	..	4	..	12	..	32	..	..	11
Assault with intent to commit a crime	3	11	11	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Assault	697	870	855	3	..	684	39	122	7	3	..	173	..
Rape	1	8	7	3	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	7	..
Rape, attempted	6	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Carnally knowing girls under sixteen years	23	24	24	19	..	..	..	5	..	11	..	1	..
Carnally know girls under sixteen years, attempts to	9	8	8	5	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	1
Abortion, procuring	1	3	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..
Abortion, supplying means of procuring	1	3	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..
Abortion, conspiring to procure ..	2	5	5	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	..
Bigamy	14	12	12	7	5	..	..	..	..	5	4	..	2
Abduction	2	3	3	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	..
Stealing children under fourteen years	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Abandoning children under two years	2	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
<i>Offences against Rights of Property.</i>													
Theft (undescribed)	2,597	3,248	2,775	142	11	2,153	194	256	19	87	8	651	..
Theft, attempted	6	27	22	2	..	20	..	..	..	2	..	21	..
Theft from the person	14	31	27	13	2	6	..	6	..	8	1	17	..
Theft from the person, attempted ..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..