

1918.

III.—APPREHENSIONS, COMMITMENTS, ETC. TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF PERSONS OF EITHER SEX SUMMONED OR BROUGHT BEFORE MAGISTRATES IN NO-LICENSE DISTRICTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1918, 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.									
Attempted suicide	3	3	..	2	..	..	..	1	..
Manslaughter	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Assault, aggravated	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Assault, common	23	23	..	3	..	..	..	20	..
Incest	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Unlawful carnal knowledge, and attempts at	5	5	..	1	..	4	..	..	..
Indecent assault	6	6	..	2	..	4	..	..	..
II. OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON AND PROPERTY.									
Burglary	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Housebreaking, entering, and theft	36	34	2	4	..	18	..	12	2
III. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY ONLY.									
Theft (other), and attempts at	167	156	11	60	4	15	1	81	6
Cattle or horse stealing	3	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
Receiving stolen property	20	20	..	12	..	2	..	6	..
Fraud and false pretences	15	15	..	3	..	9	..	3	..
Wilful damage	55	54	1	22	..	..	..	32	1
IV. FORGERY AND OFFENCES AGAINST THE CURRENCY.									
Forgery and uttering	4	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
V. OFFENCES AGAINST GOOD ORDER.									
Drunkenness	277	266	11	1	1	..	..	265	10
Prohibition orders	94	90	4	16	1	..	..	74	3
Indecent, riotous, or offensive behaviour	41	39	2	..	1	3	..	36	1
Obscene, threatening, or abusive language	36	34	2	8	..	..	..	26	2
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing the police	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Keeping a brothel or disorderly house	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Cruelty to animals	7	7	..	1	..	..	..	6	..
Offences relating to gambling	5	4	1	..	..	..	..	4	1
Vagrancy	16	12	4	3	1	1	..	8	3
Breaches of by-laws, &c.	386	375	11	21	2	..	..	354	9
Other offences against good order	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
VI. OFFENCES NOT INCLUDED PREVIOUSLY.									
(a.) <i>Relating to carrying out Laws.</i>									
Perjury	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Contempt of Court	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(b.) <i>Relating to Revenue.</i>									
Selling liquor without a license	36	27	9	11	4	..	..	16	5
Other offences against revenue laws	105	102	3	30	2	..	..	72	1
(c.) <i>Against Public Welfare.</i>									
Licensing	151	141	10	33	7	..	..	108	3
Destitute persons (bastardy)	16	16	..	3	..	..	..	13	..
Destitute persons (failing to maintain)	144	135	9	60	2	..	..	75	7
Industrial schools	12	5	7	..	2	..	..	5	5
School attendance	82	65	17	20	4	..	..	45	13
Factories Act	18	18	..	2	..	..	..	16	..
Shops and offices	12	12	..	..	..	..	..	12	..
Defence	189	189	..	30	..	..	..	159	..
Military service	34	32	2	8	1	..	..	24	1
War Regulations	44	43	1	38	..	..	..	5	1
Impounding Act	123	109	14	5	2	..	..	104	12
Motor Regulations	321	308	13	20	2	..	..	288	11
Noxious weeds	25	24	1	3	..	..	..	21	1
Stock Act	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Rabbit nuisance	29	28	1	..	..	..	..	28	1
Fisheries and game	8	8	..	6	..	..	..	2	..
Animals Protection Act	10	10	..	4	..	..	..	6	..
Births, Deaths, and Marriages Registration Act	3	2	1	..	..	1	1	1	..
Offences relating to the sale and use of firearms	6	6	..	4	..	..	..	2	..
Registration of Aliens Act	9	8	1	..	..	..	..	8	1
Prisons Act	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Other offences against public welfare	28	21	7	2	2	..	..	19	5
Totals	2,630	2,484	146	440	39	66	2	1,978	105