

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 ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1924, AND YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1925.

Offences.	1924.	1925.										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.	M.	F.			
CRIMES AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE ACTS, ETC.														
Seditious offences	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	
Misleading Justice.														
Perjury and false oaths	6	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	5	
False statements and declarations ..	51	31	31	9	5	15	1	1	..	8	5	..	20	
Escapes and Rescues.														
Breaking prison	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
Escaping from prison or lawful custody	25	25	24	14	1	9	..	..	..	14	..	..	..	
Offences against Religion.														
Disturbing public worship	4	9	9	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	
Offences against Morality.														
Unnatural offence	33	6	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	27	
Unnatural offences, attempted ..	..	5	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	5	..	
Unnatural offence, assault with intent to commit	1	4	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	3	..	
Indecently assaulting a male ..	65	52	47	42	..	1	..	4	..	40	..	..	13	
Incest	15	7	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	8	
Indecent acts	19	42	38	2	..	34	..	2	..	1	..	23	..	
Publishing obscene matter	4	3	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Incest, attempted	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	
Offences against the Person, &c.														
Neglecting duties tending to the preservation of life or health	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	
Murder	8	6	5	3	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	
Murder, attempted	3	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	
Manslaughter	16	19	18	16	1	..	..	1	..	9	..	3	..	
Suicide, attempted	55	60	59	1	..	47	10	1	..	1	..	5	..	
Concealment of birth	2	7	5	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	3	5	..	
Wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
Endangering safety of persons on railways or tramways	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Assault causing actual bodily harm ..	20	26	26	8	..	8	..	10	..	4	..	6	..	
Causing actual bodily harm under circumstances that, if death had been caused, would be manslaughter	9	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	7	
Assault, indecent	113	106	98	84	1	6	..	7	..	65	..	..	7	
Assault with intent to commit a crime	6	4	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	2	
Assault	654	838	826	5	..	712	17	84	8	4	..	184	..	
Rape	6	11	8	7	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	5	..	
Rape attempted	4	12	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	8	..	
Carnally knowing girls under sixteen years	34	55	55	50	..	..	..	5	..	36	..	21	..	
Carnally know girls under sixteen years, attempts to	10	9	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	1	
Carnally know idiots or imbecile women, attempts to	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Defilement of women or girls, procuring, permitting, or conspiring to induce, &c.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Abortion, procuring	8	11	11	1	10	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	
Abortion, supplying means of procuring	9	5	5	4	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	4	
Bigamy	12	11	11	8	2	1	..	..	..	8	..	..	1	
Unlawfully detaining children ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Assault aggravated	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Offences against Rights of Property.														
Theft (undescribed)	4,098	4,146	3,217	136	4	2,719	220	116	22	118	3	48	..	
Theft, attempted	21	20	19	..	..	18	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	
Theft from the person	40	23	14	6	1	6	..	1	..	5	1	..	17	
Theft from the person, attempted ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Theft from dwellings	265	295	158	35	..	109	5	7	2	29	..	30	..	
Theft from dwellings, attempted ..	6	13	11	3	..	4	1	3	..	3	..	7	..	
Theft by clerks or servants	139	149	149	105	6	26	6	6	..	50	4	10	..	
Theft of animals (specified)	52	44	35	15	..	15	..	4	1	10	..	..	8	