

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, 1937, AND YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1938 *continued*.

Offences.	1937.	1938.										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 Sum- mons 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.
LICENSING ACT—continued.													
Permitting prohibited persons to be on premises	4	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Unlawfully employing females in or about a bar	2	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Employing minors in bars	4	4	4	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	3	..
Illegally supplying liquor to Natives ..	153	161	99	..	..	87	..	12	..	..	..	..	52
Obstructing Inspectors or refusing entrance to Inspectors or constables	5	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Using bottles with labels more than once	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Breaches of prohibition orders	517	641	636	..	..	617	13	5	1	..	..	124	..
Found on licensed premises after closing-hours	2,048	1,863	1,859	..	..	1,723	29	165	2	..	..	..	185
Refusing to quit licensed premises ..	15	30	30	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	..	15	..
Selling or exposing liquor for sale without a license	167	167	166	..	..	83	10	11	2	..	..	..	60
Found on premises where liquor was seized under a warrant	122	75	75	..	..	67	..	7	1	..	..	..	47
Offences against provisions in force in no-license districts	110	45	45	..	..	45	..	..	..	..	..	..	65
Selling, supplying, or giving liquor to Maoris in Native licensing districts	39	57	54	..	..	45	3	3	3	..	..	18	..
Offences against provisions of no-license in Native proclaimed areas	55	100	100	1	..	85	4	10	..	..	..	45	..
Supplying liquor to Natives in proclaimed districts	98	139	139	..	..	121	..	15	..	..	..	41	..
Permitting consumption of liquor in restaurants after hours	1	16	16	..	..	7	..	9	..	..	..	15	..
MISCELLANEOUS.													
Absconding from industrial schools ..	9	23	23	..	..	23	..	..	..	..	..	14	..
Bankruptcy offences	7	7	7	4	..	3	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
Brothels or houses of ill fame, keeping, &c.	6	4	4	..	1	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	2
Children, wilfully ill-treating, neglecting, abandoning, or exposing	2	7	6	..	..	2	4	..	..	..	..	5	..
Deserting or absenting from His Majesty's ships	33	43	25	..	..	25	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
Drunk or behaving in a violent or offensive manner, &c., on a railway, &c.	16	13	13	..	..	12	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
Failing to comply with conditions of release under First Offenders Probation Act	135	134	124	..	..	116	5	3	..	..	..	..	1
Habitual criminals or offenders, breach of conditions of probationary license	15	13	11	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Indecent Publications Act, offences under	5	26	26	..	..	26	..	..	..	..	..	21	..
Opium-smoking, &c.	96	66	66	..	..	62	..	4	..	..	..	..	30
Smuggling	6	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Trespassing on railway and refusing to leave, &c.	24	33	33	..	..	31	2	..	..	..	..	9	..
Arms Act, breaches of	297	333	332	..	..	325	1	6	..	..	..	36	..
Second-hand Dealers Act, breaches of	7	4	4	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
MOTOR-VEHICLES ACT.													
Causing death or bodily injury through reckless driving	59	73	73	60	2	4	..	7	..	30	1	14	..
Being intoxicated in charge of a motor-vehicle	634	810	806	1	..	755	3	47	..	1	..	176	..
Reckless or negligent driving	2,099	1,907	1,894	9	..	1,650	54	177	4	8	..	..	192
Other breaches of Act	5,975	11,174	11,160	5	..	10,557	253	316	29	3	..	4,199	..
Totals	38,629	44,308	41,618	1,267	20	37,080	1,288	1,859	104	1,106	14	7,435	1756
Increase	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,679	..