Statistics, 1915.—Magistrates' Courts.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 6th May, 1915.

THE following tables showing the number of persons brought before the several Magistrates' Courts in New Zealand during the Quarter ended the 31st March, 1915, the offences charged, and the Civil cases heard, are published for general information.

MALCOLM FRASER, Government Statistician.

MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

TABLE 1.—Showing the NUMBER of PERSONS brought before the several MAGISTRATES' COURTS in New Zealand during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1915, and summarily dealt with, &c.

Courts.	Arrested or summoned. Total Offences, including Multiple Charges, each Offence being reckoned as a Distinct Person.			Discharged for Want of Prosecution or Want of Evidence.		Dismissed on the Merits.		Committed for Sentence.		Committed for Trial.		Summary Convictions.		Classification of Summary Convictions, according to Offences. Against the Person only. Sexual Offences.		Assaults and other Offences.		Burglary, Housebreaking, and Stealing; Robbery and Stealing from the Person.		Cattle and Sheep Stealing, Theft, and other Offences against Property only.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.		Against Good Order. Drunk, including Habitual Drunkards.		Prohibition Orders.		Other Offences.		Revenue Acts. Selling Liquor without a License.		Other Breaches.		Offences relating to carrying out Laws and against Public Welfare.		Excluding Multiple Charges included in Previous Columns. Distinct Arrests or Summonses.			Distinct Summary Convictions.		
	M. & F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	M.	F.
Auckland Provincial District—																																											
Ahipara—																																											
Arrest	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Auckland—																																											
Arrest	988	848	140	5	6	1	..	52	..	25	1	7 0	133	..	..	26	3	..	..	60	16	..	..	389	51	17	9	108	29	..	..	..	..	100	25	747	664	83	686	606	80
Summons	746	700	46	99	8	62	4	3	1	1	..	535	53	..	..	13	..	..	..	23	1	..	..	8	..	42	8	288	9	..	..	14	9	147	6	654	616	38	53	52	31
Cambridge—																																											
Arrest	14	14	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	5	..	4	4	..
Summons	11	11	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	10	10	..	6	6	..
Coromandel—																																											
Arrest	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	9	..	9	9	..
Summons	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	5	5	..	5	5	..
Dargaville—																																											
Arrest	19	19	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	10	10	..	7	7	..
Summons	42	42	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	6	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	37	37	..	27	27	..
Gisborne—																																											
Arrest	139	134	5	4	..	3	1	..	..	1	1	126	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	84	2	2	..	24	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	105	102	3	99	97	2
Summons	88	87	1	2	1	3	..	..	..	1	..	62	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	28	..	2	..	..	..	21	..	83	83	..	60	60	..
Hamilton—																																											
Arrest	88	88	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	83	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	53	..	2	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	71	71	..	67	67	..
Summons	99	87	12	3	..	6	..	..	..	2	..	47	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	7	..	20	2	..	..	..	..	19	5	86	77	9	53	44	9
Helensville—																																											
Arrest	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	2	2	..
Summons	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..
Hikurangi—																																											
Arrest	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..
Summons	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	2	2	..
Hohoura—																																											
Arrest	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..
Summons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..