

FAILED TO RENEW.

MOTOR CAR REGISTRATION.

INNISFAIL, May 5.

Stanley Siwczynski was proceeded against in the Summons Court this morning on a charge by Acting-Sergeant E. M. James (officer in charge of the South Johnstone Police Station), that on February 22 last, at Innisfail, defendant being the owner of a registered motor car, to whom an identification number had been issued under the Main Roads Board regulations, failed, on the expiration of such registration, to apply for a renewal.

Defendant pleaded guilty.

"The facts are," said Acting-Sergeant James, "that defendant was interviewed by the police on several occasions to renew the registration. He has been out of work for some time and I know he made an endeavour to collect the money. There is cash owing to him by certain farmers, but he has been unable to secure it from them. I think if he is given a month's time he will be in a position to pay the registration fee.

Mr. Aitkin (to defendant): Have you anything to say?

Defendant: No.

Mr. Aitkin: Is what Acting-Sergeant James has stated correct?

Defendant: Yes.

James has stated correct.
Defendant: Yes.

Mr. Aitkin: You will be fined 10/-, with 3/6 costs; in default, 12 hours' imprisonment. I order that he pay the registration fee of £4/16/-, and I allow one month in which to pay.