

863. The birthplaces of those convicted are given in the following table:—

BIRTHPLACES OF PERSONS CONVICTED FOR INDICTABLE OFFENCES, 1891.

Birth-places of criminals, 1891.

OFFENCES.	BIRTHPLACES.							
	British Isles.			Canada.	United States.	Other Foreign Countries.	Other British Possessions.	Not given.
	Eng-land and Wales	Ire-land.	Scot-land.					
Class I.....	74	81	18	628	32	46	2	26
“ II.....	20	18	7	202	19	7	1	9
“ III.....	224	133	42	1,822	125	67	7	78
“ IV.....	3	3	1	34	3	2	.....	4
“ V.....	4	2	1	24	3	1	..... 1	.....
“ VI.....	10	12	4	127	20	3	.....	14
Total.....	335	249	73	2,837	202	126	11	131

It will be seen from the following percentages that almost all the offenders were born in Canada, the United Kingdom or the United States:—

	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.
	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
Canada.....	69·50	68·14	70·55	68·15	71·57
United Kingdom.....	18·48	19·85	16·80	18·56	16·57
United States.....	5·60	5·63	5·70	5·85	5·10
	93·58	93·62	93·05	92·56	93·24

The proportions have not varied much during the five years, except that there has been on the whole a decrease of offenders born in the United Kingdom.

864. The occupations of those convicted are given below.

OCCUPATIONS OF PERSONS CONVICTED FOR INDICTABLE OFFENCES, 1891.

Occupations of criminals, 1891.

OFFENCES.	OCCUPATIONS.						Not given.
	Agricul-tural.	Com-mercial.	Domes-tic.	Indus-trial.	Profes-sional.	Labour-ers.	
Class I.....	79	111	22	193	18	383	101
“ II.....	5	16	4	57	1	140	60
“ III.....	86	251	123	349	22	965	702
“ IV.....	11	5	1	4	.....	16	13
“ V.....	9	5	3	5	2	12	.....
“ VI.....	12	24	7	26	9	42	70
Total..	202	412	160	634	52	1,558	946