

1454. The following table gives the educational status of persons convicted for indictable offences in 1892 :—

OFFENCES.	Convictions.	EDUCATIONAL STATUS.			
		Superior.	Elementary.	Unable either to read or write.	Not given.
Class 1.	1,030	23	786	187	34
“ 2.	251	5	193	48	5
“ 3.	2,446	44	1,784	541	77
“ 4.	50	1	42	7
“ 5.	41	8	32	1
“ 6.	212	10	159	36	7
Totals.....	4,030	91	2,996	820	123

TOTALS FOR 1884-1892.

Class 1.	7,446	118	5,655	1,189	482
“ 2.	2,231	15	1,726	353	137
“ 3.	20,051	198	14,977	3,617	1,261
“ 4.	436	2	299	74	61
“ 5.	363	37	294	14	18
“ 6.	2,421	47	1,749	375	250
Totals.....	32,948	417	24,700	5,622	2,209
Average.....	3,661	46	2,744	625	245

PROPORTION OF CONVICTIONS, ACCORDING TO EDUCATIONAL STATUS, TO THE TOTAL NUMBER FOR THE YEAR 1892 AND THE PERIOD 1884-1892.

1892	2 26	74 34	20 35	3 05
1884 to 1892.....	1 27	74 97	17 06	6 70