

TOTAL NUMBER OF CONVICTIONS—*Concluded.*

| PROVINCES. | Year ended 30th Sept. | Total Convictions. | SENTENCES. | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------|-------------------|
| | | | Committed to | | | Death | Various Sentences |
| | | | Penitentiary. | Jail or Fined. | Reformatories. | | |
| The Territories | 1884 | 39 | 10 | 22 | ..... | 3 | 4 |
| | 1885 | 123 | 62 | 41 | ..... | 7 | 13 |
| | 1886 | 60 | 10 | 40 | ..... | 7 | 3 |
| | 1887 | 37 | 4 | 31 | ..... | ..... | 2 |
| | 1888 | 151 | 7 | 133 | ..... | 2 | 9 |
| | 1889 | 232 | 6 | 210 | ..... | ..... | 16 |
| | 1890 | 311 | 20 | 260 | ..... | ..... | 31 |
| | 1891 | 353 | 19 | 325 | ..... | ..... | 9 |
| | 1892 | 412 | 15 | 370 | ..... | 1 | 26 |
| | 1893 | 749 | 14 | 673 | ..... | ..... | 62 |
| | 1894 | 876 | 24 | 756 | ..... | 2 | 94 |
| | 1895 | 1,028 | 13 | 925 | ..... | ..... | 90 |

Of the total number of convictions in 1895, 5,474 were for indictable offences, being 216 more than in 1894.

The following table gives the number of persons charged, the number detained for lunacy, the number convicted and the proportion of convictions to charges. It will be seen that the proportion of convictions to charges was considerably higher in 1895 than the average :—

INDICTABLE OFFENCES.

| YEAR. | Charged. | Detained for Lunacy. | Convicted. | Proportion of Convictions to Charges. |
|---------------|----------|----------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1884 | 4,400 | 6 | 2,506 | 57·0 |
| 1885 | 5,518 | 12 | 3,797 | 67·9 |
| 1886 | 5,497 | 11 | 3,509 | 63·9 |
| 1887 | 4,770 | 6 | 3,253 | 68·2 |
| 1888 | 5,867 | 12 | 3,747 | 63·8 |
| 1889 | 6,314 | 9 | 4,208 | 66·6 |
| 1890 | 5,819 | 10 | 3,934 | 67·6 |
| 1891 | 5,988 | 10 | 3,964 | 66·2 |
| 1892 | 5,925 | 9 | 4,030 | 68·0 |
| 1893 | 6,766 | 9 | 4,630 | 68·4 |
| 1894 | 7,601 | 14 | 5,258 | 69·1 |
| 1895 | 7,730 | 20 | 5,474 | 70·8 |
| 1896 | 7,395 | 13 | 5,204 | 70·4 |
| Average | 6,122 | 11 | 4,116 | 67·2 |

In the following table the number of convictions only are given, the convictions being treated as individuals :—