

## OFFENCES AND CRIMES.

TABLE CCXXXIV. Occupation, civil condition, birthplace, etc., of persons convicted for indictable offences, 1901-1905.

Schedule.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
Charges .....	8,158	8,539	9,622	9,901	10,951
Acquittals .....	2,510	2,792	3,042	3,089	3,275
Persons detained for lunacy .....	14	11	15	10	29
Convictions .....	5,634	5,660	6,521	6,754	7,624
Males .....	5,333	5,313	6,117	6,377	7,210
Females .....	301	347	404	377	414
First conviction .....	4,420	4,498	5,172	5,295	6,159
Second conviction .....	629	698	760	843	863
Reiterated conviction .....	585	464	589	616	602
Sentences—					
Option of a fine .....	9.9	1,130	1,261	1,302	1,796
Under one year in goal .....	2,057	2,149	2,260	2,454	2,697
One year and over in goal .....	249	214	268	367	368
Two years and under five in penitentiary .....	383	358	431	501	519
Five years and over in penitentiary .....	139	116	172	156	153
For life in penitentiary .....		1	1		2
Death .....	6	11	6	14	12
Committed to reformatories .....	248	245	325	232	305
Other sentences .....	1,593	1,436	1,797	1,728	1,772
Occupations—					
Agricultural .....	198	215	248	296	281
Commercial .....	709	675	810	874	1,061
Domestic .....	173	248	193	273	216
Industrial .....	652	541	634	727	1,007
Professional .....	45	44	42	44	48
Labourer .....	2,127	2,206	2,464	2,795	3,066
Not given .....	1,730	1,731	2,130	1,745	2,005
Civil conditions—					
Married .....	1,291	1,370	1,541	1,679	1,806
Single .....	3,754	3,620	4,107	4,195	4,775
Widowed .....	102	110	104	120	153
Not given .....	487	560	769	760	890
Educational status—					
Unable to read or write .....	668	592	683	659	712
Elementary .....	4,337	4,367	4,921	5,122	5,719
Superior .....	125	105	142	143	163
Not given .....	504	596	775	830	1,030
Ages—					
Under 16 years .....	1,017	859	1,038	697	800
16 years and under 21 .....	882	955	991	1,169	1,336
21 years and under 40 .....	2,391	2,394	2,744	3,073	3,586
40 years and over .....	806	809	849	934	935
Not given .....	538	643	899	881	967
Use of liquors—					
Moderate .....	3,432	3,535	3,828	4,085	4,301
Immoderate .....	1,683	1,509	1,921	1,825	2,096
Not given .....	519	616	772	844	1,227