

## OFFENCES AND CRIMES.

TABLE CCXIII. Sentences for principal crimes 1885-1910—concluded.

Classes of crimes.	Year ended Sept. 30.	Death	Death	Death	Life
		sentences.	sentences executed.	sentences commuted to life in prison.	sentences in prison.
		NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
Rape.....	1906	-	-	-	1
Manslaughter.....	1906	-	-	-	2
Theft of registered mail.....	1906	-	-	-	2
Murder.....	1907	8	3	4	-
Murder, attempt at.....	1907	-	-	-	1
Manslaughter.....	1907	-	-	-	2
Rape.....	1907	-	-	-	2
Murder.....	1908	15	7	8	-
Murder, attempt to commit.....	1908	-	-	-	3
Robbery with menaces.....	1908	1	-	-	3
Murder.....	1909	18 <sup>1</sup>	13	4	-
Murder, attempt to commit.....	1909	-	-	-	1
Rape.....	1909	-	-	-	1
Murder.....	1910	21	19	2	-
Manslaughter.....	1910	-	-	-	1
Rape.....	1910	-	-	-	1
Totals.....	-	249	150	98	85

TABLE CCXIV. Occupation, civil condition, birthplace, etc., of persons convicted for indictable offences 1906-1910.

Schedule.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
Charges.....	10,900	12,041	15,240	15,350	15,305
Acquittals <sup>2</sup> .....	2,801	2,912	3,899	3,881	3,589
Persons detained for lunacy.....	7	19	7	20	16
Convictions.....	8,092	9,110	11,334	11,449	11,700
Males.....	7,716	8,620	10,831	10,893	11,140
Females.....	376	490	503	556	560
First conviction.....	6,984	7,914	10,000	9,826	10,283
Second conviction.....	379	555	698	763	796
Reiterated conviction.....	729	641	636	860	621
Sentences—					
Option of a fine.....	1,878	2,260	3,126	2,916	3,088
Under one year in gaol.....	2,685	3,062	3,794	3,579	3,621
One year and over in gaol.....	384	426	497	470	444
Two years and under five in penitentiary.....	622	533	779	844	729
Five years and over in penitentiary.....	180	204	202	275	151
For life in penitentiary.....	5	5	6	2	2
Death.....	2	8	14	18	21
Committed to reformatories.....	253	305	327	300	433
Other sentences.....	2,083	2,307	2,589	3,045	3,211

<sup>1</sup> One case appealed, granted new trial and convicted of manslaughter. <sup>2</sup> Includes cases where proceedings were stayed, disagreement of Jury, etc.