

CRIMINAL STATISTICS.

18.—Juvenile Criminals convicted for indictable Offences by Classes of Offence 1911, with yearly average for the period 1885-1911.

Offences.	Under 16 years.		16 years and under 21.		Totals.	
	m.	f.	m.	f.	m.	f.
I. Offences against the person.....	33	—	150	9	183	9
II. Offences against property with violence.....	230	—	235	1	465	1
III. Offences against property without violence.....	1,062	56	991	89	2,053	145
IV. Malicious offences against property.....	42	2	20		62	2
V. Forgery and offences against the currency.....	4	—	67		71	
VI. Other offences not included in the above offences.....	9	1	73	5	82	6
Totals.....	1,380	59	1,536	104	2,916	163
Yearly average 1885-1911.....	779	35	937	73	1,716	108

19.—Occupation, Civil Condition, Birthplace, etc., of persons convicted for Indictable Offences, 1907-1911.

Schedule.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Charges.....	12,041	15,240	15,350	15,305	16,625
Acquittals ¹	2,912	3,899	3,881	3,589	3,975
Persons detained for lunacy.....	19	7	20	16	23
Convictions.....	9,110	11,334	11,449	11,700	12,627
Males.....	8,620	10,831	10,893	11,140	12,008
Females.....	490	503	556	560	619
First conviction.....	7,914	10,000	9,826	10,283	11,233
Second conviction.....	555	698	763	79	800
Reiterated conviction.....	641	636	860	621	594
Sentences—					
Option of a fine.....	2,260	3,126	2,916	3,088	3,071
Under one year in gaol.....	3,062	3,794	3,579	3,621	3,994
One year and over in gaol.....	426	497	470	444	568
Two years and under five in penitentiary.....	533	779	844	729	821
Five years and over in penitentiary.....	204	202	275	151	259
For life in penitentiary.....	5	6	2	2	5
Death.....	8	14	18	21	17
Committed to reformatories.....	305	327	300	433	315
Other sentences.....	2,307	2,589	3,045	3,211	3,577

¹Includes cases where proceedings were stayed, disagreement of Jury, etc.