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38.—Number of Convictions by Classes of Offences and the Proportion per cent. of each class to the total, 1881, 1891, 1908-12.

Total Number.

Class of Offences.	1881.	1891.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Offences against the person.	4,353	4,788	7,379	6,856	7,793	8,352	9,371
Offences against property with violence	144	283	893	848	943	977	1,195
Offences against property without violence Malicious offences against	1,932	3,104	7,477	7,228	7,375	8,228	9,695
property	499	254	596	643	816	796	931
Forgery and offences a ai st the currency Other indictable of ences Offences against municipal	35 248	36 190	262 807	279 1,053		328 866	$\frac{415}{1,125}$
bye-laws	2,563	3,777	12,841	14,918			27,712
Offences against liquor laws Drunkenness	$\frac{1,747}{9,575}$	$2,309 \\ 12,997$	3,579 $31,089$	$3,999 \ 31,105$	$4,665 \\ 34,068$		5,671 $53,271$
Vagrancy, disorderly conduct and kindred offences. Other minor offences	5,898 $2,231$	$7,149 \\ 2,730$	16,367 $7,343$	$15,659 \\ 7,364$	16,404 8,739		23,457 13,684
Total	29,225	37,617	88,633	89,952	102,903	113,260	146,527
Class of Offences.	Proportion of each class to the total.						
	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.
Offences against the person. Offences against property	15.0	12.7	8.3	7.6	7.5	7.3	6.4
with violence	0.5	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8
Offences against property without violence	6.6	8.3	8.4	8.0	7.2	7.3	6.8
Malicious offences against property	1.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.6
the currencyOther indictable offencesOffences against municipal	0.9	$\begin{array}{c} 0.1 \\ 0.5 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 0.3 \\ 0.9 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 0.3 \\ 1.2 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 0.2 \\ 0.8 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 0.3 \\ 0.8 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 0.3 \\ 0.8 \end{array}$
bye-lawsOffences against liquor laws	$\frac{8.7}{6.0}$	$ \begin{array}{c} 10.0 \\ 6.1 \end{array} $	$14.5 \\ 4.0$	$16.6 \\ 4.4$	$\frac{20.3}{4.5}$	$16.0 \\ 4.2$	$\frac{19.0}{3.8}$
Drunkenness	32.8	34.6	35.2	34.6	33.1	36.5	36.3
duct and kindred offences. Other minor offences.	$\frac{20.2}{7.6}$	$\substack{19.0\\7.3}$	$\substack{18.5\\8.2}$	$\begin{array}{c} 17.3 \\ 8.4 \end{array}$	$\substack{16.2\\8.5}$	$\begin{array}{c} 17.0 \\ 9.0 \end{array}$	$\substack{16.0\\9.2}$

Note.—In Tables 35-38 the population upon which the averages are based is that of the Census for the years 1881, 1891, 1901, and 1911; for other years it is estimated.