

35.—Convictions by Classes of Offence, 1912-18.

A.—ABSOLUTE NUMBERS.

Classes of Offence.	1912.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Offences against the person.....	9,371	11,444	12,136	10,664	9,327	6,852	7,292
Offences against property with violence.....	1,195	1,472	1,810	2,234	1,478	1,321	2,049
Offences against property without violence.....	10,626	12,721	14,645	14,269	11,018	9,886	10,743
Other felonies and misdemeanours.....	1,540	1,724	1,952	1,525	1,459	1,271	1,390
Totals of Criminal offences.....	22,732	27,361	30,543	28,692	23,282	19,330	21,474
Breach of Municipal Acts and By-laws.....	27,712	34,183	33,570	31,312	28,411	32,718	38,401
Breach of liquor laws.....	5,671	5,969	5,871	5,452	6,248	7,339	7,472
Drunkenness.....	53,271	60,975	60,067	41,161	32,730	27,882	21,026
Vagrancy.....	12,110	12,240	15,263	11,461	6,634	4,406	3,867
Loose, idle and disorderly.....	5,480	7,239	9,063	6,435	4,688	2,264	2,614
Keeping bawdy houses and inmates thereof.....	2,439	4,357	4,935	5,464	4,374	4,443	5,620
Miscellaneous minor offences.....	17,112	20,814	23,723	23,078	17,424	15,629	22,795
Totals of minor offences.....	123,795	145,777	152,492	124,363	100,509	94,681	101,795
Grand totals.....	146,527	173,138	183,035	153,055	123,791	114,011	123,269