

6.—Indictable Offences, by Classes, years ended Sept. 30, 1931-33—concluded.

Class and Offence.	1931.		1932.		1933.	
	Charges.	Convictions.	Charges.	Convictions.	Charges.	Convictions.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
CLASS V.—FORGERY AND OTHER OFFENCES AGAINST THE CURRENCY.						
Offences against the currency.....	16	14	55	52	35	30
Forgery and uttering forged documents..	963	885	912	850	874	795
Totals, Class V.....	979	899	967	902	909	825
CLASS VI.—OTHER OFFENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING CLASSES.						
Breach of the Trade Marks Act.....	51	45	38	37	53	53
Attempt to commit suicide.....	182	151	196	157	214	178
Carrying unlawful weapons.....	180	159	178	157	230	192
Criminal negligence.....	190	97	205	83	159	59
Conspiracy.....	373	295	243	170	218	151
Indecent exposure and other offences against public morals.....	117	100	147	127	186	168
Intimidation.....	43	29	62	40	101	62
Keeping bawdy houses and inmates thereof.....	1,002	702	1,759	1,550	1,780	1,712
Offences against Gambling and Lottery Acts.....	2,200	2,064	2,308	2,120	2,740	2,623
Offences against Opium and Narcotic Drug Act.....	269	229	233	188	193	161
Offences against revenue laws.....	228	198	375	318	430	385
Illicit stills.....	445	428	471	435	483	459
Perjury and subornation of perjury.....	167	101	175	102	184	102
Prison breach and escape from prison....	206	198	205	201	172	166
Riot and affray.....	206	168	239	147	290	230
Sodomy and bestiality.....	107	81	124	102	166	146
Various other misdemeanours.....	97	77	176	86	54	36
Totals, Class VI.....	6,663	5,122	7,134	6,020	7,653	6,883
Grand Totals.....	38,189	31,542	37,621	31,383	38,927	32,942

7.—Charges, Acquittals, Convictions and Sentences in respect of Indictable Offences, years ended Sept. 30, 1927-33.

NOTE.—Juvenile delinquencies not included in these statistics.

Item.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Charges.....	23,563	26,693	29,572	34,751	38,189	37,621	38,927
Acquittals ¹	4,685	4,935	5,432	6,246	6,589	6,206	5,942
Persons detained for lunacy.....	42	38	43	48	58	32	43
Convictions.....	18,836	21,720	24,097	28,457	31,542	31,383	32,942
Males.....	16,823	19,520	21,460	25,797	28,935	28,181	29,465
Females.....	2,013	2,200	2,637	2,660	2,607	3,202	3,477
First conviction.....	14,761	17,314	18,638	21,319	23,474	23,841	24,576
Second conviction.....	1,632	1,955	2,396	3,051	3,159	2,895	3,584
Reiterated conviction.....	2,443	2,451	3,063	4,087	4,909	4,647	4,782
Sentences—							
Option of a fine.....	5,606	6,719	7,050	7,473	8,036	8,143	8,973
Under one year in gaol.....	5,016	5,737	5,966	7,474	8,794	9,307	10,128
One year and over in gaol.....	1,456	1,668	1,715	2,502	2,728	2,760	2,656
Indeterminate.....	—	—	457	115	7	7	4
Two years and under five in penitentiary	1,370	1,622	1,781	2,501	2,551	2,347	2,018
Five years and over in penitentiary.....	364	362	374	508	568	536	451
For life in penitentiary.....	5	7	9	4	10	9	15
Death.....	12	19	26	17	25	23	24
Committed to reformatories.....	195	227	319	224	597	376	168
Other sentences.....	4,812	5,359	6,400	7,639	8,226	7,875	8,505

¹Including cases where proceedings were stayed, jury disagreed, etc.