

## Section 2.—Offences of Adults.

Statistics of the total numbers of convictions registered for offences committed by adults (persons 16 years of age or over) are shown in Table 4, for the years 1933-37. The statistics in this table are comparable with those shown for juvenile offenders in Table 18. The separation between adult and juvenile offenders is only available for the years beginning with 1922, but totals of adult offences for the years 1922-32 may be obtained by subtracting those of Table 18 from those of Table 1.

## 4.—Convictions for Indictable and Summary Offences, by Class of Offence, Compared as to Numbers and Ratios, years ended Sept. 30, 1933-37.

Class of Offence.	NUMBERS.				
	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.
<b>Indictable Offences—</b>					
Offences against the person.....	4,019	3,588	3,985	4,457	4,824
Offences against property with violence.....	4,347	4,238	4,147	4,841	4,604
Offences against property without violence.....	16,868	16,337	16,600	17,514	19,085
Other indictable offences.....	7,708	7,521	8,799	9,247	8,635
<b>Totals, Indictable Offences.....</b>	<b>32,942</b>	<b>31,684</b>	<b>33,531</b>	<b>36,059</b>	<b>37,148</b>
<b>Summary Offences—</b>					
Gambling Acts.....	22,191	30,699	25,889	40,670	14,360
Liquor Acts.....	10,439	10,754	8,826	10,073	11,142
Traffic Regulations.....	186,848	217,827	246,123	237,183	298,688
Vagrancy and loose, idle, and disorderly conduct.....	13,467	11,211	13,610	14,595	16,453
Drunkenness.....	18,910	20,764	25,643	28,433	34,606
Frequenting bawdy houses.....	3,980	2,618	2,674	2,725	3,598
Other summary offences.....	36,788	34,871	39,877	44,027	51,385
<b>Totals, Summary Offences.....</b>	<b>292,673</b>	<b>328,744</b>	<b>362,642</b>	<b>377,706</b>	<b>420,212</b>
<b>Grand Totals.....</b>	<b>325,615</b>	<b>360,428</b>	<b>396,173</b>	<b>413,765</b>	<b>457,360</b>

Class of Offence.	RATIOS PER CENT OF TOTAL AND PER 100,000 OF POPULATION.									
	1933.		1934.		1935.		1936.		1937.	
	Per Cent.	Per 100,000 Pop.	Per Cent.	Per 100,000 Pop.	Per Cent.	Per 100,000 Pop.	Per Cent.	Per 100,000 Pop.	Per Cent.	Per 100,000 Pop.
<b>Indictable Offences—</b>										
Offences against the person.....	1.2	38	1.0	33	1.0	37	1.1	41	1.0	44
Offences against property with violence.....	1.3	41	1.2	39	1.1	38	1.2	44	1.0	41
Offences against property without violence.....	5.2	157	4.5	152	4.2	152	4.2	158	4.1	171
Other indictable offences.....	2.4	72	2.1	69	2.2	80	2.2	84	2.0	78
<b>Totals, Indictable Offences.....</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>334</b>
<b>Summary Offences—</b>										
Gambling Acts.....	6.8	208	8.5	283	6.5	237	9.8	309	3.2	129
Liquor Acts.....	3.2	98	3.0	99	2.2	81	2.4	91	2.4	100
Traffic Regulations.....	57.3	1,749	60.4	2,010	62.2	2,251	57.4	2,151	63.1	2,596
Vagrancy and loose, idle, and disorderly conduct.....	4.1	126	3.1	104	3.4	124	3.5	132	3.6	148
Drunkenness.....	5.7	177	5.8	192	6.4	235	6.9	258	7.6	311
Frequenting bawdy houses.....	1.2	37	0.7	24	0.7	24	0.7	25	0.8	32
Other summary offences.....	11.6	345	9.7	322	10.1	364	10.6	399	11.2	463
<b>Totals, Summary Offences.....</b>	<b>89.9</b>	<b>2,749</b>	<b>91.2</b>	<b>3,034</b>	<b>91.5</b>	<b>3,316</b>	<b>91.3</b>	<b>3,426</b>	<b>91.9</b>	<b>3,779</b>
<b>Grand Totals.....</b>	<b>106.0</b>	<b>3,448</b>	<b>106.0</b>	<b>3,327</b>	<b>106.0</b>	<b>3,623</b>	<b>106.0</b>	<b>3,753</b>	<b>106.0</b>	<b>4,113</b>