

8.—Indictable Offences of Adults, by Classes, Years Ended Sept. 30, 1936-38
—concluded.

Class and Offence.	1936.		1937.		1938.	
	Charges.	Con- victions.	Charges.	Con- victions.	Charges.	Con- victions.
Class I.—Offences Against the Person —concluded.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Shooting and wounding.....	144	90	153	99	115	86
Wife desertion.....	14	10	8	6	12	7
Other offences against the person.....	1	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	-
Totals, Class I.....	6,238	4,457	6,508	4,824	7,466	5,624
Class II.—Offences Against Property With Violence.						
Burglary, house- warehouse- and shop- breaking.....	4,982	4,487	4,690	4,215	5,632	5,080
Robbery and demanding with menaces..	454	354	496	389	555	429
Totals, Class II.....	5,436	4,841	5,186	4,604	6,187	5,509
Class III.—Offences Against Property Without Violence.						
Bringing stolen goods into Canada.....	3	3	6	6	2	2
Embezzlement.....	180	120	261	190	116	85
False pretences.....	3,041	2,618	3,423	2,930	3,627	3,123
Feloniously receiving stolen goods.....	2,258	1,742	2,375	1,762	2,497	1,881
Fraud and conspiracy to defraud.....	485	395	499	403	681	544
Horse, cattle, and sheep stealing.....	217	181	180	145	178	138
Theft.....	12,791	11,026	13,838	11,905	14,635	12,612
Theft of mail.....	44	43	31	18	33	27
Theft of automobile.....	1,051	894	1,249	1,135	1,422	1,271
Totals, Class III.....	20,070	17,022	21,862	18,494	23,191	19,683
Class IV.—Malicious Offences Against Property.						
Arson.....	131	82	94	62	114	67
Malicious injury to horses and cattle and other wilful damage to property.....	532	410	658	529	682	517
Totals, Class IV.....	663	492	752	591	796	584
Class V.—Forgery and Other Offences Against the Currency.						
Offences against the currency.....	43	31	65	52	38	32
Forgery and uttering forged documents..	1,118	1,063	1,259	1,190	1,376	1,287
Totals, Class V.....	1,161	1,094	1,324	1,242	1,414	1,319
Class VI.—Other Offences Not In- cluded in the Foregoing Classes.						
Driving car while drunk.....	1	1	1	1	1,932	1,877
Breaches of the Trade Marks Act.....	41	37	31	31	15	12
Attempt to commit suicide.....	198	163	175	135	207	164
Carrying unlawful weapons.....	320	280	292	241	319	278
Criminal negligence.....	159	88	267	127	288	148
Conspiracy.....	222	143	236	139	415	270
Indecent exposure and other offences against public morals.....	172	160	224	193	266	241
Intimidation.....	180	122	143	93	172	121
Keeping bawdy houses and inmates thereof.....	1,747	1,661	1,934	1,877	2,335	2,248
Offences against gambling and lottery Acts.....	3,917	3,747	2,889	2,674	3,522	3,395
Offences against Opium and Narcotic Drug Act.....	184	149	226	209	212	174
Offences against revenue laws.....	484	453	520	479	747	695
Illicit stills.....	349	335	499	460	510	440
Perjury and subornation of perjury.....	166	97	161	107	221	162
Prison breach and escape from prison....	245	233	184	180	179	162
Riot and affray.....	310	249	297	229	287	234
Sodomy and bestiality.....	159	136	163	134	189	137
Various other misdemeanours.....	120	100	95	85	128	120
Totals, Class VI.....	8,973	8,153	8,336	7,393	11,944	10,880
Grand Totals.....	42,541	36,059	43,968	37,148	50,998	43,599

1 Classed as a non-indictable offence prior to 1938.