

**Female Offenders.**—There were 1,936 female offenders convicted of indictable offences in 1951, 46 of them in Newfoundland. Nova Scotia, Quebec and Alberta were the only provinces showing an increase over the previous reporting period. Nearly 44.8 p.c. of the women convicted in 1951 were found guilty of theft and receiving stolen goods, while 10 p.c. were committed for assault. Nine women were convicted of manslaughter and one of murder.

**4.—Females Convicted of Indictable Offences, by Province, Years Ended Sept. 30, 1949 and 1950, and Dec. 31, 1951**

NOTE.—See headnote to Table 1, p. 280.

Province or Territory	Females Convicted			Females Convicted to Total Convictions		
	1949	1950	1951	1949	1950	1951
	No.	No.	No.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.
Newfoundland.....	..	..	46	..	..	9.4
Prince Edward Island.....	1	3	3	0.8	2.4	2.8
Nova Scotia.....	50	66	74	3.4	4.5	5.7
New Brunswick.....	34	33	25	4.5	3.6	3.4
Quebec.....	359	335	349	5.5	5.2	6.1
Ontario.....	796	772	742	6.8	6.0	6.3
Manitoba.....	137	192	167	9.3	10.7	10.7
Saskatchewan.....	51	64	62	4.7	5.6	5.9
Alberta.....	154	166	178	7.2	6.9	7.7
British Columbia.....	253	303	287	7.1	7.3	7.5
Yukon and Northwest Territories.....	1	9	3	0.9	6.3	4.0
<b>Canada.....</b>	<b>1,836</b>	<b>1,943</b>	<b>1,936</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>6.7</b>

**Persons with Multiple Convictions.**—Table 5 shows the number of persons having more than one conviction at a court appearance for the years 1947-51. Multiple convictions occur most often in cases of forgery and uttering, false pretences, theft, receiving stolen goods and burglary.

**5.—Persons Convicted of More than One Offence at the Time of Trial compared with Persons Convicted of One Offence, Years Ended Sept. 30, 1947-50 and Dec. 31, 1951**

NOTE.—See headnote to Table 1, p. 280.

Item	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Persons Convicted of—					
2 offences.....	2,364	2,260	2,593	1,769	1,669
3 ".....	646	590	814	507	562
4 ".....	308	332	363	275	248
5 ".....	157	154	195	174	162
6 ".....	111	98	120	108	117
7 ".....	46	56	63	70	75
8 ".....	47	47	63	50	50
9 ".....	41	42	46	46	26
10 ".....	26	27	56	31	32
11 to 20 offences.....	83	93	107	88	84
21 offences or over.....	33	25	30	14	28
Totals, Convicted of More than One Offence.....	3,862	3,724	4,450	3,132	3,053
Totals, Convicted of One Offence.....	31,271	28,959	26,472	28,253	25,927
<b>Grand Totals.....</b>	<b>35,133</b>	<b>32,683</b>	<b>30,922</b>	<b>31,385</b>	<b>28,980</b>