

This marked increase in the past seven years has been due almost entirely to breaches of traffic regulations, which have risen from 78,027 in 1926 to 217,827 in 1934, or from 46 p.c. to nearly 66 p.c. of the total of summary convictions. By sexes, the summary convictions appear as follows: in 1926, males 159,528, females 10,385; in 1930, males 292,557, females 16,202; in 1931, males 312,111, females 15,667; in 1932, males 281,318, females 16,591; in 1933, males 275,229; females 17,444; and in 1934, 311,542 males, 17,202 females.

Summary convictions are given by provinces from 1911 to 1934 in Table 9, and details of these offences are given for the four latest years in Table 10.

9.—Summary Convictions, by Provinces, years ended Sept. 30, 1911-34.

NOTE.—For figures for 1900-10, see p. 1020 of the 1933 Year Book.

Year.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Yukon.	N.W.T.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1911.....	375	5,306	2,766	17,729	34,871	12,366	7,317	9,350	10,380	145	28	100,633
1912.....	437	5,920	3,022	24,335	42,104	13,985	9,184	15,254	16,472	163	84	130,960
1913.....	443	6,353	3,136	29,714	51,396	16,513	11,711	17,513	17,882	157	-	154,818
1914.....	498	6,613	2,872	30,563	56,874	14,840	11,854	16,806	20,481	196	-	161,597
1915.....	346	5,774	2,833	24,152	49,942	11,266	9,650	12,331	15,993	143	-	132,430
1916.....	405	5,924	2,664	20,767	41,732	7,826	9,287	9,526	6,344	156	-	104,631
1917.....	323	4,700	2,564	22,560	42,655	7,065	6,007	5,726	6,768	84	-	98,452
1918.....	209	4,794	1,611	25,374	46,448	7,298	6,536	6,744	6,821	64	-	105,899
1919.....	236	5,533	2,447	30,881	44,587	8,128	6,180	5,961	7,638	32	-	111,623
1920.....	340	5,790	3,405	40,801	55,049	11,093	6,523	7,219	13,996	49	-	144,265
1921.....	373	4,639	2,680	45,042	63,874	9,563	6,137	8,571	14,460	37	-	155,376
1922.....	309	3,332	2,281	31,441	63,015	9,530	6,876	7,766	11,720	52	-	136,322
1923.....	321	3,033	2,179	27,563	64,639	11,377	8,346	8,359	11,639	37	-	137,493
1924.....	232	3,355	2,499	22,803	73,768	11,189	7,274	8,342	13,508	29	-	142,999
1925.....	235	2,790	2,417	25,364	79,470	10,724	8,020	7,840	14,875	29	61	151,825
1926.....	345	3,568	2,418	24,428	90,061	13,913	8,614	8,142	18,337	45	42	169,913
1927.....	392	4,362	2,565	28,732	101,345	16,420	8,243	8,801	22,292	54	34	193,240
1928.....	662	4,499	3,031	29,302	146,586	19,921	9,108	10,927	21,598	72	57	245,763
1929.....	783	6,231	4,032	51,099	153,385	26,536	11,413	13,939	22,499	94	32	290,043
1930.....	906	6,299	4,072	60,098	163,913	26,879	11,574	12,904	21,989	86	39	308,759
1931.....	838	5,324	4,533	99,381	153,451	22,625	10,691	13,113	17,671	80	71	327,778
1932.....	825	3,573	3,841	112,132	131,374	18,218	7,538	8,180	12,148	55	25	297,909
1933.....	655	3,922	3,483	117,433	124,589	15,396	6,355	9,698	11,051	68	23	292,673
1934.....	733	4,216	3,598	115,313	160,895	16,985	5,680	7,896	13,369	28	31	328,744

10.—Summary Convictions, by Offences, years ended Sept. 30, 1931-34.

Offence.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	Increase or Decrease, 1933-34.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Assault.....	4,809	4,107	3,658	3,777	+119
Carrying firearms and unlawful weapons..	592	525	361	280	-81
Contempt of court.....	38	33	26	13	-13
Cruelty to animals.....	272	445	244	305	+61
Disturbing religious and like meetings...	30	31	44	14	-30
Fishery and Game Acts, offences against.	2,420	2,005	1,755	1,442	-313
Gambling Acts, offences against.....	8,287	14,928	22,191	30,699	+8,508
Immigration Act, offences against.....	47	49	41	29	-12
Inspection and Sales Act, offences against.	180	394	303	423	+120
Adulteration of food (Food and Drugs Acts).....	119	81	162	202	+40
Weights and Measures Acts, offences against.....	103	92	155	181	+26
Liquor, Prohibition and Temperance Acts, offences against.....	16,185	12,226	10,489	10,754	+265
Malicious or wilful damage to property...	859	774	811	729	-82
Masters and Servants Acts, offences against.....	327	124	219	205	-14