

3.—Summary Statistics *re* Convicts in Penitentiaries, at Mar. 31, 1942-49—concluded

Item	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Religious Denomination—								
Anglican.....	483	505	506	516	587	710	760	802
Baptist.....	135	126	122	136	122	135	143	150
Doukhobor.....	4	3	2	19	16	2	59	45
Eastern religions.....	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1
Greek Catholic.....	33	27	20	11	12	15	11	9
Greek Orthodox.....	40	35	36	27	34	27	35	39
Jewish.....	56	52	55	44	48	63	63	62
Lutheran.....	76	67	62	59	57	54	54	68
Methodist.....	29	34	37	34	28	33	31	23
Presbyterian.....	274	214	233	275	294	287	265	282
Roman Catholic.....	1,614	1,473	1,597	1,534	1,705	1,884	1,833	2,039
Salvation Army.....	17	16	20	21	21	28	29	33
United Church.....	328	302	293	323	309	381	390	426
Other ²	143	115	95	127	129	133	178	247
Totals.....	3,232	2,969	3,078	3,129	3,362	3,752	3,851	4,225

¹ None reported.² Includes persons with no religion and atheists.

The Ticket-of-Leave System.—The parole system in Canada is legalized under the Ticket-of-Leave Act (R.S.C. 1927, c. 107) and is administered by the Minister of Justice. It is described in detail at pp. 305-308 of the 1948-49 edition of the Year Book.

Section 2.—Reformatories and Training Schools

A census of reformatories and training schools is taken at five-year intervals, the latest being for June 1, 1946. At that date there were 28 such institutions in Canada. The 25 institutions that reported had a total inmate population of 3,662, of whom 2,930 were males and 732 were females. The males were confined in 13 institutions and the females in 12. A table showing inmates by age groups is given at p. 340 of the 1950 Year Book.

Reports on movement of population are received yearly from penal institutions and training schools. These figures are given for the years 1945-48 in Table 1, p. 286.

PART VI.—CRIME AND DELINQUENCY IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Statistics of criminal and other offences in Newfoundland will not be included in the regular tables until such time as the Criminal Code of Canada comes into effect in that Province. By June, 1950, legislation had been passed establishing seven district courts but no appointments had as yet been made.

The Newfoundland Constabulary polices the city of St. John's and 40 outpost stations including all the major settlements of the Island. The Newfoundland Ranger Force covers the remainder of the Island and Labrador.

Offences of Adults.—Prosecutions and convictions of adults for indictable and non-indictable offences in 1948 and 1949 are shown in Table 1.