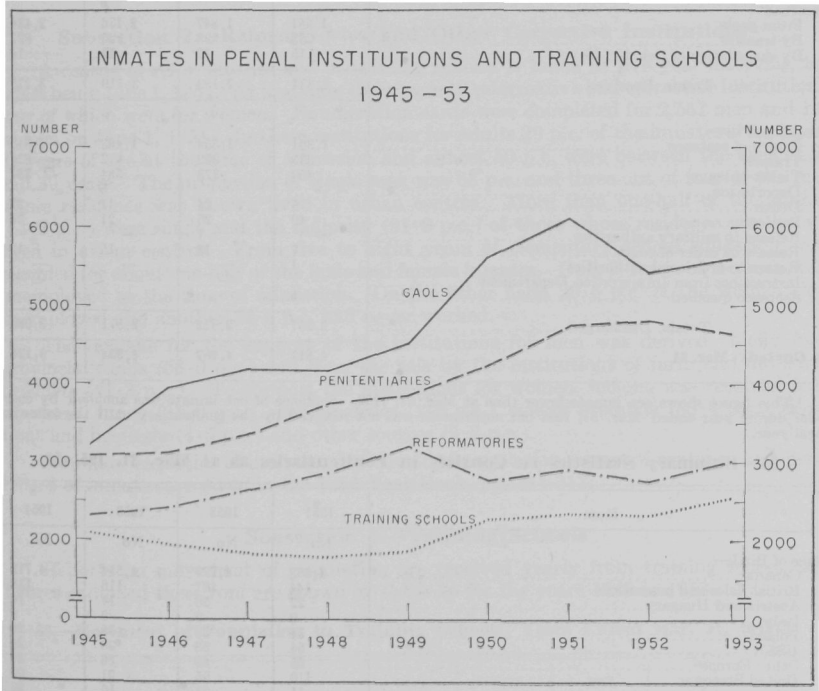


33.—Movement of Population in Penitentiaries, Reformatories and Gaols 1950-53
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Type of Institution and Item	1950	1951 ¹	1952 ²	1953
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Reformatories for Women—				
Inmates in custody at beginning of year.....	230	197	160	178
Admitted during the year.....	367	379	451	513
Discharged during the year.....	400	416	433	531
In custody at end of year.....	197	160	178	160
Common Gaols—				
Inmates in custody at beginning of year.....	5,625	6,102	5,445	5,599
Admitted during the year.....	85,062	88,555	87,917	93,890
Discharged during the year.....	84,697	89,235	87,763	93,710
In custody at end of year.....	5,990	5,422	5,599	5,779
Totals—				
Inmates in custody at beginning of year.....	12,671	13,767	13,044	13,291
Admitted during the year.....	95,811	99,062	99,162	106,853
Discharged during the year.....	94,827	99,861	98,915	106,453
In custody at end of year.....	13,655	12,968	13,291	13,691

¹ Newfoundland included from 1951.

² In 1952 the Bowden Institution, Innisfail, Alta. and Young Offenders' Unit, South Burnaby, B.C. reported for the first time.



Subsection 1.—Penitentiaries

The Penitentiaries Branch of the Department of Justice is charged with the administration of the various penitentiaries of Canada. Eight institutions are included in the system, the two largest being at Kingston, Ont. and St. Vincent de Paul, Que. Others are