

35.—Movement of Convicts in Penitentiaries, Years Ended Mar. 31, 1952-55

Item	1952	1953	1954	1955
	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>In Custody, Apr. 1</b> .....	<b>4,817</b>	<b>4,686</b>	<b>4,934</b>	<b>5,120</b>
Received—				
From gaols.....	1,847	2,136	2,434	2,378
By transfer.....	323	970	827	708
By cancellation of ticket-of-leave.....	12	13	14	10
Totals, Received.....	2,182	3,119	3,275	3,096
Discharged by—				
Expiry of sentence.....	1,554	1,463	1,810	1,456
Transfer.....	322	972	826	708
Ticket-of-leave.....	373	384	384	449
Deportation.....	—	5	—	—
Death.....	24	11	21	16
Pardon.....	25	21	36	66
Release to military authorities.....	1	—	—	—
Release on order of court.....	13	15	12	9
Return to provincial authorities.....	—	—	—	—
Instructions from Immigration Department.....	—	—	—	—
Other reason.....	—	—	—	5
Totals, Discharged.....	2,312	2,871	3,089	2,709
<b>In Custody, Mar. 31</b> .....	<b>4,687</b>	<b>4,934</b>	<b>5,120</b>	<b>5,507</b>

<sup>1</sup> This figure shows one inmate fewer than at Mar. 31, 1952. Sentence of one inmate was annulled by court order during year ended Mar. 31, 1952, but notification was not received by the penitentiary until the following fiscal year.

36.—Summary Statistics re Convicts in Penitentiaries as at Mar. 31, 1952-55

Item	1952	1953	1954	1955
	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Place of Birth—</b>				
Canada.....	4,272	4,554	4,712	5,123
British Isles and possessions.....	121	116	138	134
Austria and Hungary.....	20	14	14	13
Italy.....	9	9	9	7
Poland.....	33	38	29	33
U.S.S.R.....	53	30	24	24
Other Europe.....	63	66	84	67
United States.....	95	91	90	99
Other countries.....	21	16	20	7
<b>Marital Status—</b>				
Single.....	2,776	2,955	3,017	3,357
Married.....	1,575	1,607	1,592	1,603
Widowed.....	133	132	132	143
Divorced.....	84	132	131	130
Separated.....	119	108	248	274
<b>Sex—</b>				
Male.....	4,562	4,829	5,025	5,412
Female.....	125	105	95	95
<b>Age—</b>				
Under 21 years.....	485	564	639	694
21 to 29 “.....	2,091	2,151	2,192	2,299
30 to 39 “.....	1,245	1,293	1,364	1,467
40 to 49 “.....	543	572	597	701
50 to 59 “.....	212	239	213	232
Over 60 “.....	111	115	115	114
<b>Totals</b> .....	<b>4,687</b>	<b>4,934</b>	<b>5,120</b>	<b>5,507</b>