

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS AND JUVENILE COURT DETENTION HOME

The Maritime Home for Girls
Halifax Boys' Industrial School
St. Patrick's Home for Boys
Juvenile Court Detention Home
Monastery of The Good Shepherd
The I.O.D.E. Home

THE MARITIME HOME FOR GIRLS TRURO, N.S.

STAFF

The staff consists of the Superintendent, two house matrons, two sewing matrons, laundry matron, school teacher, and caretaker.

MAINTENANCE

This institution, which was built in 1919 by the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches, is supported by the governments of the Maritime Provinces and municipalities, and \$225 per annum for each girl is received. The Presbyterian and Methodist Churches make up the deficit, although other Churches contribute—the Anglicans 8% and the Baptists 15%. The Home serves the Maritime Provinces—New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island.

INMATES

The girls in the Home are of the delinquent class, and are received from the three Maritime Provinces. All are legally committed by the Children's Aid Society, the Courts, or the Superintendent of Neglected Children. The length of commitment varies according to the province from which the case comes—Nova Scotia, 3 years; New Brunswick, 5 years; Prince Edward Island indeterminate sentence. The ages of the girls vary from 7 to 16 years. Fifty-seven girls are in residence.

BUILDING

There is a main building (of brick construction), with accommodation for 49 girls, a second residence, and a third new cottage in course of construction. The present buildings, together with 250 acres of land, are valued at \$65,000, and the new cottage will cost \$40,000. 70 acres of land are at present under cultivation.