

Reformatory for boys at Penetanguishene, is in accord with the published evidence regarding the working of boys' reformatories in other countries: *Resolved*,—That this Conference fully concurs in the same, and respectfully urges the Ontario Government to take immediate steps for the purchase of a suitable farm, not too far removed from the centres of population, with a view (1) to the adoption of the cottage system, (2) a better system of classification, and (3) with a view to the adoption of farm life on the part of the boys to a much greater extent than appears to be now possible."

NOTE.—This latter recommendation is also endorsed by the Inspector of Prisons, in his Report for 1981, page 127.

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