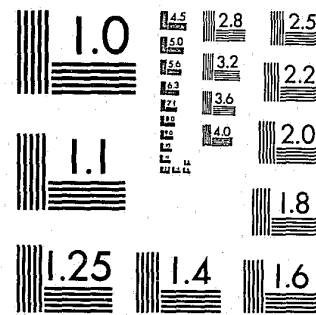


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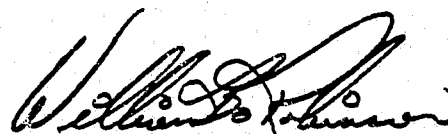
PREFACE

The Pennsylvania Bureau of Correction's *1978 Annual Statistical Report* presents various types of descriptive, statistical information for the Bureau of Correction's inmate population for the calendar year 1978. This report identifies major points of significant interest both to the individual user as well as to various state criminal justice agencies.

While this report focuses upon the 1978 prison population information, it in numerous cases examines the prior eighteen year period for selected population trend analysis. Additionally, for users who have an interest in the Bureau's inmate population identified on a county basis per offense category, appropriate tables have been included in the rear of the report.

This report should greatly assist Pennsylvania correctional administrators and planners with the daily problems they face which require reliable correctional statistics of a descriptive nature.

Since this report is intended only as a descriptive tool for examining the Bureau's inmate population, extreme caution is advised if the user attempts to create cause-effect relationships from the statistical information presented.


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INTRODUCTION

This report presents a descriptive, statistical summary of the inmates admitted to, released from, and confined in the Pennsylvania Bureau of Correction for the calendar year 1978.

The data provided in the Pennsylvania Bureau of Correction's *1978 Annual Statistical Report* are for the most part self-explanatory and hence does not merit narrative elaboration. However, a summary narrative has been provided to quickly identify major points of interest.

Legislative Mandate

The Pennsylvania Bureau of Correction was established by law through Act 407 of July, 1953. Prior to that enactment, Pennsylvania's state correctional institutions were governed by a Board of Trustees operating under the Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare.

Administrative Responsibility

Under the direction of Commissioner of Correction William B. Robinson, the Bureau of Correction is responsible for seven state correctional institutions, two state regional correctional facilities, fifteen community service centers, a committed inmate population of 7,845, and a staff complement of 3,056.

Purpose of the Report

The report has the following purposes:

1. It gives correctional administrators and planners within the Commonwealth summary data involving inmate population movements and counts of inmates committed to and confined in the Bureau of Correction.
2. It provides concerned legislators and judicial personnel with a yearly record of inmates confined in the Bureau of Correction.
3. It serves as the Bureau's official document for statistical correctional information, and subsequently is distributed to concerned state criminal justice agencies.

Source of Data

Demographic data is transmitted daily from the records office of each correctional facility to the Division of Planning and Research located at the Central Office of the Bureau of Correction. It is then reviewed for completeness and accuracy by the division's Records and Statistics Section, and subsequently processed by Correctional Industries Data Processing Section.

Definitions

1. State correctional institution - These institutions represent the Bureau's major correctional facilities, located at Camp Hill, Dallas, Graterford, Huntingdon, Muncy, Pittsburgh and Rockview. The State Correctional Institution at Muncy receives all female commitments to the Bureau of Correction.

2. State regional correctional facility - These are specialized facilities in two of the Commonwealth's six "Common Human Service Regions" which will essentially receive prisoners sentenced six months to two years. The State Regional Correctional Facility at Greensburg (located in Westmoreland County) was opened on April 21, 1969, upon transfer of the Westmoreland County Prison to the Commonwealth. The State Regional Correctional Facility at Mercer is the Bureau's newest correctional facility and was dedicated on September 8, 1978.

3. Community service centers - These centers provide community based programs for offenders as an alternative to incarceration. They are operated as a continuum to the rehabilitative services provided in state correctional institutions or regional correctional facilities. Community service centers are residences in the community with custodial structure and a strong emphasis on guidance and counseling, which prepare the inmate for eventual parole. The Bureau operates fifteen community service centers, three of which are exclusively for women.

4. Group homes - These homes provide another phase of transition from prison to community living. For those inmates who do not need the structured setting provided by the residential community service center, a group or individual home is an appropriate setting. This type of placement provides the former institutionalized inmate with a considerable amount of responsibility and freedom while they receive both supervision and an increased opportunity for rehabilitative treatment.

5. Diagnostic and classification centers - The Bureau's three diagnostic centers are contained within the institutional confines of the State Correctional Institutions at Camp Hill, Graterford and Pittsburgh. The centers receive their criminal court commitments from a previously defined catchment area, and after extensive educational, psychological and vocational review (usually taking place within fifteen working days), an appropriate correctional facility is determined for the inmate confinement.

6. Yearly average daily population - This represents the cumulative total of daily inmate population counts for the year divided by 365 days. The population count reflect those inmates who are physically confined.

7. Specified population movements - Generally, most population movements used in this report are self-explanatory. However, certain movements are defined for reader ease.

- a. Authorized temporary absences - Court authorized appearances for inmate writs, hearings, funerals, etc., always under the supervision of a sheriff.

b. Detentioners: Inmates awaiting trial or awaiting sentencing after a trial but in all cases without a sentence transferred from a county prison and detained in the Bureau of Correction for medical or security reasons.

c. Furlough: Inmates are released on furlough for the purpose of family visits, job applications and pre-release planning. Inmates on furlough are not supervised but are still under the jurisdiction of the Bureau.

d. Miscellaneous admissions and discharges: These groups represent returns or releases of inmates for special authorities under special conditions.

e. Status change adjustments: These are paper transactions which are necessary to change the status of an inmate without changing the physical count while he is still under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Correction.

8. Physically present inmate population - This type of inmate population count reflects only those inmates who are *physically present* within a *state correctional institution* or a *state regional correctional facility*.

9. Committed inmate population - This type of inmate population count reflects the total number of inmates who have been committed to the Bureau of Correction, and thus represents a more accurate representation of the Bureau's inmate population. Specifically, the committed inmate population count reflects the following:

1. Inmates physically present;
2. Inmates confined in community service centers and group homes;
3. Inmates on authorized temporary absences;
4. Inmates on bail;
5. Inmates detained by other authorities;
6. Inmates on furlough;
7. Inmates confined in local hospitals;
8. Inmates confined in mental hospitals;
9. Inmates listed on escape status;
10. Etc.

Wherever possible the inmate population figures will be those of the committed population; when this is not possible each table utilizing physically present inmate populations will be identified accordingly.

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

Inmate Population

The Pennsylvania Bureau of Correction (Bureau) experienced a 3.2 percent increase using the December 31st committed population count from 1977. The December 31st committed inmate population for 1977 and 1978 was 7,600 and 7,845, respectively.

The racial composition of the inmate population did not change significantly, with whites comprising 45.1 percent and non-whites 54.9 percent.

Court Commitments

The number of court commitments decreased 8.97 percent from that of 1977; the number of court commitments for 1977 and 1978 was 3,581 and 3,262, respectively.

Burglary and robbery continue to be identified as the two major committing offenses, providing 18.82 and 18.45 percent, respectively of the Bureau's total committed population for 1978. Part II's narcotic drug laws also continue to provide the highest percentage (6.96%) of the Bureau's court commitment for 1978.

The number of parole violators returned to the Bureau by the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole (PBPP) increased 33.39 percent over 1977's figure. It is interesting to note that this increase was primarily due to the number of technical violators of parole being returned to the Bureau, as that subgroup displayed an 84.5 percent increase over the number of returns from 1977.

Discharges

Release movements continue to indicate that the PBPP is responsible for the greatest amount of conditional releases, though in 1978 there was a 9.8 percent decrease from the number of conditional releases of 1977.

The number of inmates being released due to the expiration of their maximum sentence varied slightly from 1977 with 1977 and 1978 releasing 205 and 200 inmates, respectively.

Sentence Status

As of December 31, 1978, the following sentence categories were responsible for containing over 70 percent of the inmate population: (1) 5-10 years (23.45%); (2) 10-15 years (20.01%); (3) 20 years and over (17.25%); and (4) life sentences (10.26%).

Inmate Escapes

Of major interest is that the number of escapes declined for the sixth consecutive year since 1973; the number of escapes declined 20.55 percent during 1978, as well as experiencing the greatest decline over a one year period (30) since 1974.

TABLE 1

1978 Quarterly Committed Inmate Populations in the Bureau of Correction *

Type of Correctional Facility	Mar. 31	June 30	Sept. 30	Dec. 31
<u>Diagnostic & Classification Centers</u>				
Camp Hill	138	119	107	99
Graterford	227	306	290	361
Pittsburgh	205	189	202	199
Total	570	614	599	659
<u>State Correctional Institutions</u>				
Camp Hill	1,091	1,066	1,064	1,065
Dallas	876	906	930	976
Graterford	1,644	1,581	1,605	1,503
Huntingdon	989	1,032	1,053	1,058
Muncy	233	213	225	214
Pittsburgh	863	832	872	857
Rockview	820	832	870	889
Total	6,516	6,462	6,619	6,562
<u>Regional Correctional Facilities</u>				
Greensburg	242	217	232	239
Mercer	-	-	11	89
Total	242	217	243	328
<u>Community Service Centers, and Group Homes</u>				
	305	328	322	296
Total	7,633	7,621	7,783	7,845

* Inmate population as defined by Data Processing Section's computer printout.

TABLE 2

Committed Inmate Population in the Bureau of Correction
December 31, 1977 and 1978*

Type of correctional facility	Dec. 31 1977	Dec. 31 1978	Change, 1977-78	
			Amount	Percent
<u>Diagnostic and Classification Center</u>				
Camp Hill	118	99	-19	-16.1
Graterford	205	361	156	76.1
Pittsburgh	196	199	3	1.5
Total	519	659	140	27.0
<u>State Correctional Institutions</u>				
Camp Hill	1,073	1,065	-8	-0.7
Dallas	875	976	101	11.5
Graterford	1,616	1,503	-113	7.0
Huntingdon	976	1,058	82	8.4
Muncy	242	214	-28	11.6
Pittsburgh	923	857	-66	7.2
Rockview	833	889	56	6.7
Total	6,538	6,562	24	
<u>Regional Correctional Facilities</u>				
Greensburg	239	239	0	0.0
Mercer	-	89		(a)
<u>Community Service Centers, and Group Homes</u>				
	304	296	-8	-2.6
Total	7,600	7,845	245	3.2

a. Not calculated for base populations (1977) under 25.

* Inmate populations as defined by Data Processing Section's computer printout.

TABLE 3

Yearly Average Daily Populations
in the Bureau of Correction
1977 and 1978

Type of correctional facility	1977	1978	Change, 1977-78	
			Amount	Percent
<u>Diagnostic & Classification Centers</u>				
Camp Hill	84	104	20	23.8
Dallas	25 ^a	-	-25	-
Graterford	244	268	24	9.8
Huntingdon	49 ^a	-	-49	-
Pittsburgh	122	188	66	54.1
Rockview	32 ^a	-	-32	-
Total	556	560	4	0.7
<u>State Correctional Institutions</u>				
Camp Hill	1,038	1,026	-12	-1.2
Dallas	840	880	40	4.8
Graterford	1,557	1,562	5	0.3
Huntingdon	948	992	44	4.6
Muncy	224	218	-6	-2.7
Pittsburgh	920	828	-92	-10.0
Rockview	832	825	-7	-0.8
Total	6,359	6,331	-28	-0.4
<u>Regional Correctional Facilities</u>				
Greensburg	209	187 ^c	-22	-10.5
Mercer	-	14 ^c	14	(b)
Total	209	201	-8	-3.8
<u>Community Service Centers, Total</u>	262	283	21	8.0
<u>Group Homes, Total</u>	14	17	3	(b)
Total	7,400	7,392	-8	-0.1

a. Low population due to deactivation effective March 1, 1977.

b. Not calculated for base populations (1977) under 25.

c. Actual operating days average from September 11 was 46.

Note: These inmate population figures represent the physically present count only.

TABLE 4

Racial Distributions of the Committed Inmate Population
in the Bureau of Correction
as of December 31, 1978

Type of correctional facility	White	Percent	Non-white	Percent	Total
<u>Diagnostic & Classification Centers</u>					
Camp Hill	73	73.7	26	26.3	99
Graterford	123	34.1	238	65.9	361
Pittsburgh	104	52.3	95	47.7	199
Total	300	45.5	359	54.5	659
<u>State Correctional Institutions</u>					
Camp Hill	468	43.9	597	56.1	1,065
Dallas	473	48.5	503	51.5	976
Graterford	290	19.3	1,213	80.7	1,503
Huntingdon	610	57.7	448	42.3	1,058
Muncy	105	49.1	109	50.9	214
Pittsburgh	348	40.6	509	59.4	857
Rockview	529	59.5	360	40.5	889
Total	2,823	43.0	3,739	57.0	6,562
<u>Regional Correctional Facilities</u>					
Greensburg	179	74.9	60	25.1	239
Mercer	78	87.6	11	12.4	89
Total	257	78.4	71	21.6	328
<u>Community Service Centers and Group Homes</u>					
	162	54.7	134	45.3	296
Total	3,542	45.1	4,303	54.9	7,845

TABLE 5

Inmate Population in the Bureau of Correction
December 31, 1960-1978, Inclusive
by Race and Sex with Population Percentage

Year	Sex				Race				Total
	Male	Percent	Female	Percent	White	Percent	Non-White	Percent	
1960 . .	7,535	96.6	267	3.4	4,259	54.6	3,543	45.4	7,802
1961 . .	7,782	96.7	265	3.3	4,398	54.7	3,649	45.3	8,047
1962 . .	7,897	96.8	263	3.2	4,453	54.6	3,707	45.4	8,160
1963 . .	7,575	97.1	229	2.9	4,110	52.7	3,694	47.3	7,804
1964 . .	7,429	96.9	238	3.1	3,886	50.7	3,781	49.3	7,667
1965 . .	6,878	96.7	238	3.3	3,486	49.0	3,630	51.0	7,116
1966 . .	6,291	96.5	228	3.5	3,122	47.9	3,397	52.1	6,519
1967 . .	5,504	97.0	170	3.0	2,799	49.3	2,875	50.7	5,674
1968 . .	5,043	97.8	116	2.2	2,563	49.7	2,596	50.3	5,159
1969 . .	5,651	97.8	129	2.2	2,658	46.0	3,122	54.0	5,890
1970 . .	6,126	97.4	163	2.6	2,775	44.1	3,514	45.9	6,289
1971 . .	5,179	98.0	105	2.0	2,298	43.5	2,986	56.5	5,284
1972 . .	5,222	97.5	133	2.5	2,142	40.0	3,213	60.0	5,355
1973 . .	5,511	97.6	138	2.4	2,226	39.3	3,433	60.7	5,659
1974 . .	5,935	97.4	159	2.6	2,646	43.4	3,448	56.6	6,094
1975 . .	6,633	96.8	220	3.2	3,051	44.5	3,802	55.5	6,853
1976 . .	6,820	96.9	219	3.1	3,082	43.8	3,957	56.2	7,039
1977 . .	6,855	96.4	240	3.4	3,118	44.0	3,977	56.0	7,095
1978 . .	7,241	97.0	222	3.0	3,358	45.0	4,105	55.0	7,463

Note: These inmate population figures represent the physically present count only.

TABLE 6

Adult Court Commitments Received
in the Bureau of Correction
1960-1978, Inclusive

Year	Number*	Year	Number
1960	1,545	1970	2,504
1961	1,797	1971	2,916
1962	1,747	1972	3,254
1963	1,509	1973	3,402
1964	1,456	1974	3,146
1965	1,046	1975	3,575
1966	1,434	1976	3,615
1967	1,278	1977	3,581
1968	1,295	1978	3,262
1969	1,559		

* Includes federal commitments.

TABLE 7

1978 Criminal Court Commitments for Part I & Part II Offenses
Received by the Bureau of Correction, by Race and Sex

Offense Classification	Total	% of Total	Race		Sex	
			White	Non-White	Male	Female
Part I Offenses						
Criminal Homicide	317	9.71	123	194	283	34
Murder	219	6.71	84	135	200	19
First degree	(59)	(1.81)	(25)	(34)	(55)	(4)
Second degree	(31)	(.95)	(12)	(19)	(31)	-
Third degree*	(129)	(3.95)	(47)	(82)	(114)	(15)
Manslaughter	98	3.00	39	59	83	15
Voluntary	(66)	(2.02)	(23)	(43)	(54)	(12)
Involuntary	(32)	(.99)	(16)	(16)	(29)	(3)
Forcible rape	182	5.58	66	116	182	-
Robbery	602	18.45	200	402	590	12
Aggravated assault	211	6.47	82	129	204	7
Burglary	614	18.82	395	219	602	12
Larceny - Theft	249	7.63	142	107	224	25
Automobile-theft	15	.46	12	3	14	1
Total	2190	67.14	1020	1170	2099	91
Part II Offenses						
Simple Assault	97	2.97	59	38	94	3
Fraud	30	.92	24	6	28	2
Stolen property	81	2.48	44	37	79	2
Forgery	65	1.99	37	28	58	7
Statutory rape	15	.46	12	3	14	1
Sex offenses (other)	83	2.54	67	16	82	1
Narcotic drug laws	227	6.96	126	101	208	19
Weapons	46	1.41	16	30	45	1
Drunk driving	30	.92	30	-	30	-
Arson	31	.95	23	8	30	1
Prison breach	136	4.17	97	39	122	14
Kidnapping	21	.65	13	8	21	-
All others	210	6.44	146	64	193	17
Total	1072	32.86	694	378	1004	68
Total	3262	100.00	1714	1548	3103	159

* Includes 14 "unspecified" murders (4 white, 8 non-white males; 2 non-white females).

TABLE 8

Criminal Court Commitments for Criminal Homicides
Received by the Bureau of Correction
1960-1978, Inclusive

Year	Murder				Manslaughter			Total
	First Degree	Second Degree	Third Degree	Sub-total	Vol.	Invol.	Sub-total	
1960 . .	26	31	-	57	33	3	36	93
1961 . .	25	54	-	79	36	3	39	118
1962 . .	26	61	-	87	31	3	34	121
1963 . .	29	49	-	78	33	2	35	113
1964 . .	15	54	-	69	38	5	43	112
1965 . .	21	61	-	82	36	6	42	124
1966 . .	12	52	-	64	33	4	37	101
1967 . .	28	69	-	97	53	2	55	152
1968 . .	23	61	-	84	61	4	65	149
1969 . .	24	82	-	106	51	8	59	165
1970 . .	50	144	-	194	86	18	104	298
1971 . .	53	145	-	198	92	13	105	303
1972 . .	55	172	-	227	107	23	130	357
1973 . .	87	169	-	256	108	25	133	389
1974 . .	86	212	-	298	98	19	117	415
1975 . .	91	108	113	312	109	23	132	444
1976 . .	61	55	196	312	117	15	132	444
1977 . .	57	45	173	275	58	38	96	371
1978 . .	59	31	129	219	66	32	98	317

Note: Third degree murder includes "unspecified" murders.

TABLE 9

The Top Ten Counties with Regard to both 1978 Commitments and End-of-Year Count

Highest Committing Counties in 1978					*Bureau Commitments by County, as of 12/31/78				
Rank	Committing county	Commitments	Percent	Cum. percent	Rank	Committing county	Commitments	Percent	Cum. percent
1.	Philadelphia	802	24.58	24.58	1.	Philadelphia	2,488	33.33	33.33
2.	Allegheny	598	18.33	42.91	2.	Allegheny	990	13.26	46.59
3.	Montgomery	181	5.54	48.45	3.	Montgomery	389	5.21	51.80
4.	Dauphin	120	3.67	52.12	4.	Dauphin	387	5.18	56.18
5.	Westmoreland	99	3.03	55.15	5.	York	184	2.46	58.64
6.	Fayette	87	2.66	57.81	6.	Delaware	176	2.35	60.99
7.	Berks	80	2.45	60.26	7.	Berks	174	2.33	63.32
8.	Delaware	60	1.83	62.09	8.	Erie	159	2.13	65.45
9.	Mercer	59	1.80	63.89	9.	Lancaster	131	1.75	67.20
10.	Erie	56	1.71	65.60	10.	Lehigh	123	1.64	68.84

*These inmate population figures represents the physically present count only.

TABLE 10

Admissions Movements in the Bureau of Correction
1977-1978

Admissions	1977	1978	Change: 1977-78	
			Number	Percent
Court commitments	3,581	3,262	-319	-8.9
Parole violators, Total	518	691	173	33.4
by Pa. PBPP	487	658	171	35.1
Technical	(129)	(238)	(109)	84.5
Convicted	(358)	(420)	(62)	17.3
by county court	31	33	2	6.5
Escapees returned	138	89	-49	35.5
Transfers received, Total	7,386	6,714	-672	-9.1
Intrasystem transfers	5,592	4,983	-609	-10.9
Intersystem transfers	614	703	89	14.5
From county prisons	(278)	(327)	(49)	17.6
From Farview State Hospital	(27)	(37)	(10)	37.0
From other mental hospitals	(33)	(47)	(14)	42.4
Other intersystem transfers	(276)	(292)	(16)	5.8
Temporary transfers and transits	1,180	1,028	-152	-12.9
Authorized temporary absences	5,925	5,145	-780	-13.2
Special escorted leave	2,033	2,577	544	26.8
Returned from furlough	4,743	4,090	-653	-13.8
Detentioners received	295	247	-48	-16.3
Miscellaneous admissions	535	837	302	56.4
Status change adjustments	365	302	-63	-17.3
Total	25,519	23,954	-1,565	-6.1
Total population, January 1	7,040	7,096	56	0.8
Total population, December 31	7,096	7,463	367	5.2

Note: These inmate population figures represent the physically present count only.

TABLE 11

Release Movements in the Bureau of Correction
1977-1978

Releases	1977	1978	Number	Percent
Unconditional discharges, total	480	419	-61	-12.7
Expir. of max. sent.	205	200	-5	2.4
By court's order	275	219	-56	-20.4
Conditional discharges, total	3,891	3,528	-363	-9.3
Paroled by PBPP*	3,255	2,935	-320	-9.8
After expir. of orig. min. sent.	(2,623)	(2,372)	(-251)	-9.6
After commutation of orig. min. sent.	(12)	(13)	(1)	8.3
Reparoled	(620)	(550)	-70	11.3
Paroled by county court	636	593	-43	6.8
Deaths	14	16	4	28.6
Escapes	146	116	-30	-20.5
Transfers released, total	7,155	6,447	-708	-10.0
Intrasystem transfers	5,592	4,981	-611	-10.9
Intersystem transfers	383	442	59	15.4
To county prisons	(28)	(35)	(7)	25.0
To Farview State Hospital	(37)	(53)	(16)	43.2
To other mental hospitals	(33)	(55)	(22)	66.7
Other intersystem transfers	(285)	(299)	(14)	4.9
Temporary transfers and transits	1,180	1,024	-156	13.2
Authorized temporary absences	6,164	5,313	-851	-13.8
Special escorted leave	2,035	2,577	542	26.6
Released on furlough	4,780	4,072	-708	14.8
Detentioners	277	199	-78	28.2
Miscellaneous releases	521	898	377	72.4
Total	25,463	23,587	-1,876	-7.4

* Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole

TABLE 12

Conditional Releases on Parole
from the Bureau of Correction
1960 to 1978, Inclusive

Year	Pa. Bd. of Prob. and Parole			Re-paroled	Totals		
	After orig. min. sentence	After comm. of min. sent.	Total first paroles		Total state paroles	Court ordered	Total cond. releases
1960 . .	1,237	65	1,302	179	1,481	718	2,199
1961 . .	1,233	71	1,304	251	1,555	680	2,235
1962 . .	1,307	28	1,335	244	1,579	648	2,227
1963 . .	1,454	41	1,495	271	1,766	688	2,454
1964 . .	1,386	28	1,414	256	1,670	619	2,289
1965 . .	1,403	23	1,426	292	1,718	772	2,490
1966 . .	1,304	16	1,320	235	1,555	676	2,231
1967 . .	1,422	23	1,445	258	1,703	618	2,321
1968 . .	1,272	50	1,322	239	1,561	443	2,004
1969 . .	1,215	21	1,236	250	1,486	440	1,926
1970 . .	1,497	27	1,524	379	1,903	509	2,412
1971 . .	2,309	61	2,370	608	2,978	765	3,743
1972 . .	2,134	60	2,194	447	2,641	820	3,461
1973 . .	2,145	33	2,178	449	2,627	773	3,400
1974 . .	2,220	22	2,242	510	2,752	884	3,636
1975 . .	2,069	20	2,089	492	2,581	901	3,482
1976 . .	2,285	17	2,302	618	2,922	741	3,663
1977 . .	2,623	12	2,635	620	3,255	636	3,891
1978 . .	2,372	13	2,385	550	2,935	593	3,528

TABLE 13

Parole Violators Recommitted to the Bureau of Correction
1960-1978, Inclusive

Year	Court of Record	Pa. Bd. of Prob. & Parole			Total Violators Recommitted
		Convicted	Technical	Total	
1960 . .	39	288	209	497	536
1961 . .	48	338	211	549	597
1962 . .	44	301	265	566	610
1963 . .	42	307	242	549	591
1964 . .	52	294	238	532	584
1965 . .	39	277	257	534	573
1966 . .	38	226	228	454	492
1967 . .	27	236	233	469	496
1968 . .	17	233	265	498	515
1969 . .	10	198	295	493	503
1970 . .	2	231	343	574	576
1971 . .	7	235	346	481	488
1972 . .	16	310	294	604	620
1973 . .	27	385	266	651	678
1974 . .	26	369	256	625	651
1975 . .	24	341	269	610	634
1976 . .	30	350	181	531	561
1977 . .	31	358	129	487	518
1978 . .	33	420	238	658	691
		x	x		

TABLE 14
Status of Inmates in the Bureau of Correction on December 31, 1978
by Race and Sex

Maximum status	Race				Sex				Sent. Totals	Percent	Cum. percen
	White	Percent	Non-white	Percent	Male	Percent	Female	Percent			
Under 2 years	294	3.94	168	2.25	438	5.86	24	.32	462	6.19	6.19
2 yrs. to under 5 yrs.	619	8.30	349	4.58	912	12.22	56	.70	968	12.97	19.16
5 yrs. to under 10 yrs.	915	12.26	835	11.19	1,699	22.76	51	.69	1,750	23.45	42.61
10 yrs. to under 15 yrs.	579	7.75	914	12.25	1,456	19.51	37	.50	1,493	20.01	62.62
15 yrs. to under 20 yrs.	197	2.64	392	5.25	571	7.65	18	.24	589	7.90	70.52
20 yrs. and over	392	5.25	896	12.00	1,277	17.11	11	.15	1,288	17.25	87.77
Lifers	276	3.70	490	6.56	745	10.00	21	.28	766	10.26	98.03
Execution cases	1	.01	6	.08	7	.09	0	.00	7	.09	98.12
Detentioners	54	.72	20	.27	72	.96	2	.03	74	1.00	99.12
Unknown	31	.42	35	.47	64	.85	2	.03	66	.88	100.00
Total	3,358	45.00	4,105	55.00	7,241	97.00	222	3.00	7,463	100.00	100.00

* Note: The status of detentioners and unknowns are not considered "maximum".

Note: These inmate population figures represent the physically present count only.

TABLE 15: Populations in the Bureau of Correction on December 31, 1977 and 1978,
By Committing County, by Race and Sex

Note: These inmate population figures represent the physically present count only.

Committing County	1977					1978				
	White	Non- white	Male	Female	Total	White	Non- white	Male	Female	Total
Adams	32	6	38	-	38	29	6	33	2	35
Allegheny	350	691	995	46	1,041	336	654	954	36	990
Armstrong	26	-	26	-	26	22	-	22	-	22
Beaver	50	37	86	1	87	43	38	81	-	81
Bedford	11	-	11	-	11	15	-	15	-	15
Berks	113	43	149	7	156	124	50	167	7	174
Blair	75	3	71	7	78	69	4	71	2	73
Bradford	9	1	10	-	10	15	1	16	-	16
Bucks	61	33	92	2	94	71	46	115	2	117
Butler	96	2	97	1	98	76	3	77	2	79
Cambria	31	11	42	-	42	32	14	45	1	46
Cameron	-	-	-	-	0	4	-	4	-	4
Carbon	13	-	13	-	13	16	-	16	-	16
Centre	49	6	54	1	55	56	3	57	2	59
Chester	42	47	86	3	89	51	57	105	3	108
Clarion	7	-	7	-	7	19	-	19	-	19
Clearfield	25	-	24	1	25	37	-	37	-	37
Clinton	33	-	32	1	33	32	-	30	2	32
Columbia	33	1	33	1	34	35	-	34	1	35
Crawford	88	11	95	4	99	83	14	93	4	97
Cumberland	65	15	75	5	80	74	18	95	7	92
Dauphin	133	280	390	23	413	124	263	368	19	387
Delaware	69	98	159	8	167	87	39	169	7	176
Elk	7	-	7	-	7	10	-	10	-	10
Erie	91	77	160	8	168	93	66	154	5	159
Fayette	64	24	87	1	88	75	29	103	1	104
Forest	4	-	4	-	4	2	-	2	-	2
Franklin	41	1	41	1	42	39	5	43	1	44
Fulton	3	-	3	-	3	2	1	3	-	3
Greene	35	-	35	-	35	28	-	27	1	28
Huntingdon	27	4	31	-	31	34	6	38	2	40
Indiana	23	3	25	1	26	28	4	30	2	32
Jefferson	13	-	13	-	13	14	-	14	-	14
Juniata	9	-	9	-	9	11	-	11	-	11
Lackawanna	32	7	39	-	39	44	5	48	1	49
Lancaster	72	55	120	7	127	81	50	126	5	131
Lawrence	36	8	42	2	44	55	9	62	2	64
Lebanon	41	2	41	2	43	42	3	42	3	45
Lehigh	79	46	116	9	125	77	46	113	10	123
Luzerne	46	16	61	1	62	56	8	63	1	64
Lycoming	51	22	60	13	73	49	14	53	10	63
McKean	15	-	15	-	15	10	-	10	-	10
Mercer	76	35	108	3	111	76	42	115	3	118
Mifflin	30	1	31	-	31	32	1	33	-	33
Monroe	22	5	27	-	27	21	5	25	1	26
Montgomery	164	170	320	14	334	211	178	372	17	389
Montour	8	-	8	-	8	6	-	5	1	6
Northampton	33	21	54	-	54	39	20	58	1	59
Northumberland	28	2	29	1	30	45	2	44	3	47
Perry	13	-	13	-	13	16	2	17	1	18
Philadelphia	216	2,082	2,252	46	2,298	246	2,242	2,446	42	2,488
Pike	7	-	7	-	7	7	-	7	-	7
Potter	5	-	5	-	5	10	-	9	1	10
Schuylkill	22	3	25	-	25	18	2	20	-	20
Snyder	5	-	5	-	5	2	-	2	-	2
Somerset	21	-	20	1	21	28	1	28	1	29
Sullivan	2	-	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	2
Susquehanna	7	-	7	-	7	4	-	4	-	4
Tioga	25	-	23	2	25	17	-	16	1	17
Union	5	-	5	-	5	6	1	7	-	7
Venango	22	-	21	1	22	26	1	27	-	27
Warren	41	-	40	1	41	54	-	51	3	54
Washington	50	21	70	1	71	53	18	70	1	71
Wayne	7	-	6	1	7	9	-	7	2	9
Westmoreland	43	15	60	3	63	69	17	86	-	86
Wyoming	11	-	11	-	11	17	-	17	-	17
York	140	66	198	8	206	124	60	182	2	184
Outside states	5	4	9	-	9	6	4	12	-	12
Federals	5	2	5	2	7	14	1	14	1	15
Total	3,118	3,977	6,355	240	7,095	3,358	4,105	7,241	222	7,463

TABLE 16: 1978 Criminal Court Commitments for Part I Offenses
Received by the Bureau of Correction, by County

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Committing County	Criminal Homicide			Man- slaughter	Forc. rape
	Murder 1	Murder 2	Murder 3		
Adams	1	-	-	-	-
Allegheny	4	1	16	20	26
Armstrong	-	-	-	-	-
Beaver	-	1	4	3	2
Bedford	-	-	1	-	-
Berks	2	1	1	1	5
Blair	-	-	-	1	-
Bradford	-	-	-	-	-
Bucks	-	-	1	-	-
Butler	-	-	3	-	2
Cambria	-	-	1	-	-
Cameron	-	-	-	-	2
Carbon	-	-	-	-	-
Centre	-	-	-	-	-
Chester	1	2	3	-	4
Clarion	-	-	-	1	-
Clearfield	1	-	-	-	-
Clinton	-	-	-	-	1
Columbia	-	-	3	-	1
Crawford	4	1	1	-	1
Cumberland	1	-	2	1	1
Dauphin	1	1	5	2	7
Delaware	2	1	5	3	7
Elk	-	-	-	1	-
Erie	-	-	3	1	6
Fayette	1	-	1	4	-
Forest	-	-	-	-	-
Franklin	-	-	1	1	-
Fulton	-	-	-	-	-
Greene	-	-	-	2	-
Huntingdon	1	-	-	-	-
Indiana	-	-	1	-	1
Jefferson	-	-	-	1	-
Juniata	-	-	-	-	-
Lackawanna	-	-	2	-	-
Lancaster	1	-	1	1	3
Lawrence	-	-	-	-	1
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	-
Lehigh	-	-	2	-	5
Luzerne	1	-	2	1	-
Lycoming	-	-	-	-	2
McKean	-	-	-	-	-
Mercer	1	-	-	2	3
Mifflin	-	-	1	-	-
Monroe	-	-	-	-	-
Montgomery	1	-	1	6	4
Montour	-	-	-	-	-
Northampton	1	-	-	-	1
Northumberland	-	-	2	-	-
Perry	-	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia	31	20	54	37	87
Pike	-	-	-	-	-
Potter	-	-	-	-	-
Schuylkill	-	-	1	-	1
Snyder	-	-	-	-	-
Somerset	-	-	-	-	-
Sullivan	-	-	-	-	-
Susquehanna	-	-	-	-	-
Tioga	1	-	-	-	-
Union	-	-	-	-	-
Venango	-	-	-	-	1
Warren	-	-	1	3	1
Washington	1	-	2	1	-
Wayne	-	-	-	-	-
Westmoreland	-	-	1	3	2
Wyoming	1	2	1	-	-
York	1	1	5	2	4
Federals	-	-	-	-	-
Total	59	31	129	50	182

TABLE 16: 1978 Criminal Court Commitments for Part I Offenses
Received by the Bureau of Correction, by County

Committing County	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny-theft	Auto theft	Part I Offenses Total
Adams	-	4	5	2	1	13
Allegheny	114	44	97	54	5	381
Armstrong	3	-	5	2	-	11
Beaver	7	-	8	9	-	34
Bedford	1	-	4	1	-	7
Berks	12	4	25	5	-	56
Blair	2	-	3	3	-	9
Bradford	2	-	1	-	-	3
Bucks	6	3	7	3	-	20
Butler	6	2	8	6	-	27
Cambria	1	-	2	-	-	6
Cameron	-	-	1	1	-	2
Carbon	1	-	-	-	-	1
Centre	4	2	5	3	-	14
Chester	6	1	8	-	-	25
Clarion	-	1	3	1	-	6
Clearfield	-	2	2	3	-	8
Clinton	3	1	5	3	-	13
Columbia	-	-	6	2	-	12
Crawford	2	1	12	1	-	23
Cumberland	5	1	7	6	-	24
Dauphin	22	12	16	11	-	77
Delaware	15	3	10	2	-	49
Elk	-	2	1	1	-	5
Erie	13	2	11	2	-	38
Fayette	12	3	21	12	-	54
Forest	-	-	-	-	-	0
Franklin	2	1	1	2	-	8
Fulton	-	-	-	-	1	1
Greene	2	-	14	3	1	22
Huntingdon	-	2	1	2	-	6
Indiana	-	-	7	2	-	11
Jefferson	-	-	3	-	-	4
Juniata	-	1	1	1	-	3
Lackawanna	4	2	13	-	-	21
Lancaster	8	5	14	3	-	36
Lawrence	5	1	10	4	-	21
Lebanon	2	1	2	1	1	7
Lehigh	7	2	5	1	-	22
Luzerne	1	3	4	-	-	12
Lycoming	4	-	10	3	-	19
McKean	-	1	2	-	-	3
Mercer	10	2	15	5	-	38
Mifflin	2	1	2	1	-	7
Monroe	3	-	2	-	-	5
Montgomery	19	6	50	30	2	119
Montour	1	-	1	-	-	2
Northampton	3	-	7	1	-	13
Northumberland	2	3	3	5	2	17
Perry	3	-	-	2	-	5
Philadelphia	241	74	117	19	1	681
Pike	1	-	1	-	-	2
Potter	-	-	4	1	-	6
Schuylkill	-	-	-	-	-	2
Snyder	-	-	-	-	-	0
Somerset	4	-	2	3	-	9
Sullivan	-	1	1	-	-	2
Susquehanna	-	-	-	-	-	0
Tioga	-	-	1	1	-	3
Union	1	-	1	-	-	2
Venango	1	1	5	3	-	11
Warren	2	1	7	-	1	16
Washington	5	1	7	3	-	20
Wayne	-	-	3	2	-	5
Westmoreland	21	8	16	12	-	63
Wyoming	-	-	1	2	-	7
York	7	6	7	3	-	36
Federals	4	-	1	1	-	6
Total	622	211	614	249	15	2,190

TABLE 17: 1978 Criminal Court Commitments for Part II Offenses
Received by the Bureau of Correction, by County

Committing County	Simple assaults	Fraud	Stolen property	Forgery	Sex offenses
Adams	1	-	-	1	-
Allegheny	28	10	27	6	8
Armstrong	3	-	-	-	2
Beaver	3	-	-	-	1
Bedford	-	-	1	-	-
Berks	3	-	-	3	2
Blair	-	-	-	-	1
Bradford	-	-	-	-	-
Bucks	-	-	2	-	5
Butler	1	-	3	-	3
Cambria	-	-	-	2	-
Cameron	-	-	-	-	-
Carbon	-	-	-	-	1
Centre	-	-	1	1	-
Chester	1	-	-	-	-
Clarion	-	-	-	-	-
Clearfield	1	1	-	-	2
Clinton	-	-	-	1	1
Columbia	-	1	2	-	2
Crawford	-	1	-	-	2
Cumberland	1	-	-	2	-
Dauphin	1	-	5	4	4
Delaware	-	1	1	-	3
Elk	-	1	-	-	-
Erie	2	-	4	1	1
Fayette	3	-	-	1	7
Forest	-	-	-	-	-
Franklin	1	1	1	1	1
Fulton	1	-	-	-	-
Greene	2	1	1	-	-
Huntingdon	-	-	2	1	-
Indiana	3	-	3	-	2
Jefferson	-	-	1	-	-
Juniata	-	-	-	-	-
Lackawanna	-	-	-	-	-
Lancaster	-	1	-	-	2
Lawrence	3	1	2	-	-
Lebanon	1	-	-	-	2
Lehigh	3	-	-	-	2
Luzerne	1	-	-	2	1
Lycoming	-	-	-	2	2
McKean	-	-	-	-	-
Mercer	1	2	4	3	1
Mifflin	-	-	-	1	2
Monroe	-	-	-	-	-
Montgomery	2	2	4	9	3
Montour	-	-	-	-	-
Northampton	2	-	-	2	1
Northumberland	2	-	-	3	4
Perry	1	-	-	2	-
Philadelphia	11	2	3	9	13
Pike	-	-	1	-	-
Potter	-	-	-	-	3
Schuylkill	-	-	-	-	-
Snyder	-	-	-	-	-
Somerset	1	-	-	-	-
Sullivan	-	-	-	-	-
Susquehanna	-	-	-	-	-
Tioga	-	1	-	-	-
Union	1	-	-	-	-
Venango	3	1	-	-	1
Warren	-	-	-	2	2
Washington	-	-	-	-	5
Wayne	-	-	-	-	-
Westmoreland	11	1	2	-	2
Wyoming	-	-	-	-	1
York	-	-	1	1	3
Federals	-	2	-	3	-
Total	97	30	31	65	98

TABLE 17 1978 Criminal Court Commitments for Part II Offenses
Received by the Bureau of Correction, by County
(Continued)

Committing County	Narcotic drug					Total Part II Offenses
	laws	Weapons	Arson	Prison breach	All others	
Adams	-	-	-	1	-	3
Allegheny	55	25	1	14	43	217
Armstrong	2	-	-	-	1	3
Beaver	3	-	-	-	7	14
Bedford	-	-	-	-	-	0
Berks	-	1	1	6	7	24
Blair	1	1	-	3	-	6
Bradford	-	-	-	-	-	0
Bucks	6	-	1	1	2	17
Bucler	8	-	-	-	10	25
Cambria	-	2	-	2	1	7
Cameron	1	-	-	-	-	1
Carbon	-	-	-	-	2	4
Centre	-	-	-	20	1	23
Chester	-	-	1	-	2	5
Clarion	-	-	-	2	-	2
Clearfield	2	-	-	-	4	10
Clincon	1	-	2	-	2	7
Columbia	1	-	-	-	-	6
Crawford	1	-	1	1	12	19
Cumberland	7	-	2	9	2	23
Dauphin	20	1	2	2	4	43
Delaware	4	-	1	-	2	12
Etk	1	-	-	-	-	2
Erie	1	-	-	1	7	18
Fayette	12	-	-	3	3	33
Forest	-	-	-	-	-	0
Franklin	2	-	1	1	2	11
Fulton	-	-	-	-	-	1
Greene	-	-	1	2	10	17
Huntingdon	-	-	-	13	1	17
Indiana	-	-	-	2	3	13
Jefferson	-	-	-	-	-	1
Juniata	-	-	1	1	1	4
Lackawanna	2	-	-	1	3	6
Lancaster	3	1	1	1	5	14
Lawrence	5	1	-	-	4	16
Lebanon	3	-	-	2	1	9
Lehigh	3	-	-	2	3	18
Luzerne	-	-	1	2	3	10
Lycoming	4	1	-	16	2	27
McKean	1	-	-	-	-	1
Mercer	4	-	1	-	5	21
Mifflin	1	-	-	1	1	6
Monroe	-	-	-	-	-	0
Montgomery	13	2	4	12	11	62
Montour	-	-	-	-	-	0
Northampton	-	-	-	-	1	6
Northumberland	3	-	-	-	6	18
Perry	-	-	-	-	-	2
Philadelphia	22	8	7	3	38	121
Pike	-	-	-	-	1	1
Pottar	-	-	-	-	-	4
Schuylkill	-	-	-	1	1	2
Snyder	-	-	-	-	-	0
Somerset	1	-	1	3	2	8
Sullivan	-	-	-	-	-	0
Susquehanna	-	-	-	-	-	0
Tioga	2	-	-	1	1	5
Union	-	-	-	-	-	1
Venango	-	-	-	2	1	8
Warren	2	1	-	-	7	14
Washington	5	-	-	1	3	14
Wayne	1	-	-	-	1	2
Westmoreland	9	1	1	3	6	36
Wyoming	1	-	-	-	1	3
York	7	-	-	-	2	14
Federals	2	-	-	-	23	30
Total	227	46	31	136	261	1,072

TABLE 18 1978 Conditional and Unconditional Discharges
From the Bureau of Correction, by Method and County

Committing County	County parole	Conditional Discharges			Total conditional
		Pa. Bd. of Prob. & Parole	1st parole	Re-parole	
Adams	-	12	5	17	17
Allegheny	297	329	58	387	684
Armstrong	14	5	2	7	21
Beaver	13	38	4	42	55
Bedford	-	3	-	3	3
Berks	1	73	12	85	86
Blair	-	28	5	33	33
Bradford	-	4	1	5	5
Bucks	6	37	12	49	55
Bucler	27	31	3	34	61
Cambria	2	10	3	13	15
Cameron	-	-	-	-	-
Carbon	-	7	1	8	8
Centre	-	26	7	33	33
Chester	1	24	5	29	30
Clarion	-	1	-	1	1
Clearfield	4	7	-	7	11
Clincon	1	19	4	23	24
Columbia	-	15	-	15	15
Crawford	2	44	8	52	54
Cumberland	3	42	7	49	52
Dauphin	6	151	36	187	193
Delaware	-	54	14	68	68
Etk	-	5	-	5	5
Erie	3	69	7	76	79
Fayette	39	33	3	36	75
Forest	-	2	-	2	2
Franklin	2	18	6	24	26
Fulton	-	4	1	5	5
Greene	17	11	3	14	31
Huntingdon	-	19	4	23	23
Indiana	3	8	2	10	19
Jefferson	-	2	-	2	2
Juniata	1	8	1	9	10
Lackawanna	-	18	6	24	24
Lancaster	6	43	6	49	55
Lawrence	3	13	2	15	18
Lebanon	-	18	2	20	20
Lehigh	3	43	9	52	55
Luzerne	3	18	8	26	29
Lycoming	20	36	7	43	63
McKean	2	5	1	6	8
Mercer	2	44	6	50	52
Mifflin	9	23	6	29	38
Monroe	-	5	2	7	7
Montgomery	15	141	27	168	183
Montour	-	3	1	4	4
Northampton	-	9	4	13	13
Northumberland	4	11	2	13	17
Perry	-	3	1	4	4
Philadelphia	25	615	219	834	859
Pike	-	5	2	7	7
Pottar	1	5	-	5	6
Schuylkill	-	8	-	8	8
Snyder	-	2	-	2	2
Somerset	-	8	3	11	11
Sullivan	-	2	-	2	2
Susquehanna	-	2	1	3	3
Tioga	-	15	4	19	19
Union	-	1	-	1	1
Venango	-	11	3	14	14
Warren	-	20	-	20	20
Washington	9	14	3	17	26
Wayne	-	3	-	3	3
Westmoreland	42	25	2	27	69
Wyoming	-	2	-	2	2
York	1	56	9	65	66
Federals	-	19	-	19	19
Total	593	2,335	550	2,935	3,528
Percent of Total	15.0	60.1	13.9	74.0	39.0

TABLE 18: 1978 Conditional and Unconditional Discharges
(continued) From the Bureau of Correction, by Method and County

Committing County	Unconditional Discharges				Total conditional & unconditional
	Expir. Max. Sent.	Court's order	Death	Total unconditional	
Adams	1	-	-	1	18
Allegheny	28	23	4	55	739
Armstrong	3	1	-	4	25
Beaver	4	2	-	6	51
Bedford	-	1	-	1	4
Berks	4	2	-	6	92
Blair	3	1	-	4	37
Bradford	-	-	-	-	5
Bucks	6	5	-	11	66
Butler	5	3	-	8	69
Cambria	3	-	-	3	18
Cameron	-	-	-	-	-
Carbon	1	-	-	1	9
Centre	-	-	1	1	34
Chester	-	5	-	5	35
Clarion	-	1	-	1	2
Clearfield	-	-	-	-	11
Clinton	2	2	-	4	28
Columbia	2	1	-	3	18
Crawford	8	1	-	9	63
Cumberland	3	-	-	3	55
Dauphin	6	4	1	11	204
Delaware	2	4	1	7	75
Elk	-	-	-	-	5
Erie	2	2	-	4	83
Fayette	2	4	-	6	81
Forest	-	-	-	-	2
Franklin	4	-	-	4	30
Fulton	-	-	-	-	5
Greene	1	32	-	33	64
Huntingdon	2	-	-	2	25
Indiana	1	4	-	5	24
Jefferson	-	-	-	-	2
Juniata	-	2	-	2	12
Lackawanna	2	1	-	3	27
Lancaster	8	5	-	13	68
Lawrence	-	1	-	1	19
Lebanon	3	2	-	5	25
Lehigh	1	5	-	6	61
Luzerne	3	-	-	3	32
Lycoming	2	3	1	6	69
McKean	-	3	-	3	11
Mercer	1	2	-	3	55
Mifflin	-	2	-	2	40
Monroe	-	1	-	1	8
Montgomery	24	8	2	34	217
Montour	-	-	-	-	4
Northampton	-	1	-	1	14
Northumberland	-	1	-	1	18
Perry	-	-	-	-	4
Philadelphia	47	54	6	107	966
Pike	-	-	-	-	7
Potter	2	-	-	2	8
Schuylkill	1	1	-	2	10
Snyder	-	-	-	-	2
Somerset	-	2	-	2	13
Sullivan	-	-	-	-	2
Susquehanna	-	-	-	-	3
Tioga	1	3	-	4	23
Union	1	-	-	1	2
Venango	2	-	1	3	17
Warren	3	-	-	3	23
Washington	-	10	1	11	37
Wayne	-	-	-	-	3
Westmoreland	3	3	-	6	75
Wyoming	-	-	-	-	2
York	2	6	-	8	74
Federals	1	5	-	6	25
Total	200	219	18	437	3,365
Percent of Total	5.0	5.5	0.5	11.0	100.0

TABLE 19

1977-1978 Adult Court Commitments Received by the Bureau of Correction
by Committing County, Race and Sex

Committing County	1977					1978				
	White	Non-white	Male	Female	Total	White	Non-white	Male	Female	Total
Adams	12	2	14	-	14	12	4	14	2	16
Allegheny	288	465	705	48	753	243	355	574	24	598
Armstrong	21	1	22	-	22	17	2	19	-	19
Beaver	33	25	58	-	58	23	25	48	-	48
Bedford	4	-	4	-	4	7	-	7	-	7
Berks	33	16	41	8	49	53	27	76	4	80
Blair	30	2	32	-	32	15	-	15	-	15
Bradford	3	-	3	-	3	3	-	3	-	3
Bucks	17	12	28	1	29	24	13	35	2	37
Butler	68	-	67	1	68	50	2	50	2	52
Cambria	16	1	17	-	17	7	6	13	-	13
Cameron	-	-	-	-	0	3	-	3	-	3
Carbon	7	-	7	-	7	5	-	5	-	5
Centre	29	2	31	-	31	34	3	36	1	37
Chester	16	15	31	-	31	17	13	27	3	30
Clarion	5	-	4	1	5	8	-	8	-	8
Clearfield	11	-	8	3	11	18	-	16	2	18
Clinton	24	-	23	1	24	19	1	20	-	20
Columbia	16	-	16	-	16	18	-	17	1	18
Crawford	56	6	61	1	62	35	7	39	3	42
Cumberland	38	8	43	3	46	33	14	45	2	47
Dauphin	64	99	152	11	163	51	69	110	10	120
Delaware	21	35	53	3	56	36	24	58	2	60
Elk	5	-	5	-	5	7	-	7	-	7
Erie	40	45	80	5	85	33	23	54	2	56
Fayette	52	9	60	1	61	68	19	86	1	87
Forest	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	0
Franklin	20	2	22	-	22	17	2	18	1	19
Fulton	2	-	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	2
Greene	39	-	39	-	39	38	1	38	1	39
Huntingdon	14	2	16	-	16	19	4	21	2	23
Indiana	17	2	19	-	19	22	2	22	2	24
Jefferson	9	-	9	-	9	5	-	5	-	5
Juniata	9	-	9	-	9	7	-	7	-	7
Lackawanna	11	2	13	-	13	24	3	25	1	27
Lancaster	47	23	67	3	70	34	16	48	2	50
Lawrence	14	4	18	-	18	32	5	37	-	37
Lebanon	12	-	10	2	12	16	-	14	2	16
Lehigh	34	25	47	12	59	28	12	38	2	40
Luzerne	16	15	30	1	31	17	5	22	-	22
Lycoming	43	19	40	22	62	37	9	30	16	46
McKean	6	-	6	-	6	4	-	4	-	4
Mercer	48	24	68	4	72	38	21	57	2	59
Mifflin	18	1	19	-	19	13	-	12	1	13
Monroe	6	2	8	-	8	4	1	5	-	5
Montgomery	62	81	135	8	143	100	81	160	21	181
Montour	2	-	2	-	2	2	-	1	1	2
Northampton	11	2	13	-	13	11	3	17	2	19
Northumberland	9	-	9	-	9	35	-	29	6	35
Perry	9	-	9	-	9	4	3	6	1	7
Philadelphia	113	832	916	29	945	95	707	781	21	802
Pike	-	-	-	-	0	3	-	3	-	3
Potter	-	-	-	-	0	10	-	9	1	10
Schuylkill	8	-	8	-	8	4	-	4	-	4
Snyder	3	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	0
Somerset	17	-	16	1	17	17	-	17	-	17
Sullivan	1	-	1	-	1	2	-	2	-	2
Susquehanna	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	0
Tioga	14	-	13	1	14	3	-	3	-	3
Union	3	-	3	-	3	3	-	3	-	3
Venango	15	-	15	-	15	18	1	19	-	19
Warren	24	-	24	-	24	30	-	28	2	30
Washington	33	12	45	-	45	22	12	33	1	34
Wayne	3	-	3	-	3	7	-	5	2	7
Westmoreland	63	12	71	4	75	30	19	99	-	99
Wyoming	5	-	5	-	5	10	-	10	-	10
York	61	30	85	6	91	31	19	49	1	50
Federals	12	4	15	1	16	25	10	29	7	36
Total	1,744	1,837	3,400	181	3,531	1,714	1,548	3,103	159	3,262
Percent of Total	49.70	51.29	94.94	5.05	100.0	52.54	47.45	95.12	4.87	100.0

TABLE 20 Frequency Distribution of 1978 Adult Court Commitments
Received by the Bureau, by Age and County

Committing County	17 & under	18- 20	21- 24	25- 29	30- 34	35- 39	40- 49	50- 59	60 & over	Unk.	Total	Avg. Age
Adams	-	4	2	5	2	2	1	-	-	-	16	27.3
Allegheny	4	66	172	154	89	34	41	18	19	1	598	29.4
Armstrong	1	8	4	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	19	23.9
Beaver	-	5	12	22	2	5	-	2	-	-	48	27.4
Bedford	-	-	1	3	-	-	2	1	-	-	7	34.4
Berks	1	12	18	20	13	8	5	2	1	-	80	29.1
Blair	-	3	4	2	4	1	1	-	-	-	15	27.3
Bradford	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	27.3
Bucks	-	1	8	15	10	1	-	1	1	-	37	29.0
Butler	1	10	10	20	3	3	4	-	1	-	52	27.1
Cambria	-	2	2	4	1	1	2	1	-	-	13	30.3
Cameron	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21.0
Carbon	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	27.8
Centre	-	3	16	7	4	2	3	-	2	-	37	28.9
Chester	1	4	12	5	5	2	1	-	-	-	30	25.9
Clarion	1	2	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	8	23.9
Clearfield	-	5	4	4	3	1	-	1	-	-	19	26.4
Clinton	-	5	5	4	1	-	2	2	1	-	20	30.7
Columbia	3	6	4	2	-	2	-	1	-	-	18	24.2
Crawford	-	11	7	6	5	2	6	1	4	-	42	32.9
Cumberland	-	3	18	13	6	1	4	2	-	-	47	28.1
Dauphin	1	18	26	26	22	11	12	3	1	-	120	29.0
Delaware	1	6	9	16	12	10	6	-	-	-	61	29.6
Elk	-	1	1	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	7	27.4
Erie	-	12	17	10	8	3	4	1	1	-	56	27.3
Fayette	1	14	34	20	5	4	2	3	3	1	87	27.3
Forest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Franklin	-	1	7	5	2	1	1	2	-	-	19	29.4
Fulton	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	31.5
Greene	-	10	15	7	1	6	-	-	-	-	39	24.3
Huntingdon	-	2	4	9	5	3	-	-	-	-	23	27.8
Indiana	-	2	7	8	4	2	-	-	-	1	24	28.6
Jefferson	-	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	27.0
Juniata	-	1	2	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	7	26.7
Lackawanna	1	3	7	8	4	1	2	1	-	-	27	28.3
Lancaster	-	4	13	20	7	3	3	-	-	-	50	27.4
Lawrence	-	10	14	11	1	-	-	1	-	-	37	24.0
Lebanon	-	1	4	2	-	4	3	2	-	-	16	33.3
Lehigh	-	6	10	11	5	3	4	1	-	-	40	28.3
Luzerne	-	2	3	4	4	5	2	2	-	-	22	33.1
Lycoming	2	5	17	12	5	2	1	2	-	-	46	26.5
McKean	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	4	25.8
Mercer	-	12	16	14	9	3	4	1	-	-	59	27.0
Mifflin	-	-	5	3	-	2	-	3	-	-	13	32.5
Monroe	-	3	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	5	25.0
Montgomery	-	18	41	63	30	12	9	6	1	1	181	28.5
Montour	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	21.5
Northampton	1	5	3	3	3	3	-	1	-	-	19	27.2
Northumberland	-	10	11	7	2	2	2	-	1	-	35	26.7
Perry	-	1	3	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	7	27.9
Philadelphia	8	105	216	225	127	43	53	18	7	-	802	28.0
Pike	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	3	33.7
Potter	-	1	4	1	-	2	-	1	1	-	10	32.4
Schuylkill	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	4	34.8
Snyder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Somerset	-	6	8	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	17	26.3
Sullivan	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	33.5
Susquehanna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tioga	-	-	2	1	3	-	-	2	-	-	8	34.4
Union	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	19.7
Venango	-	4	4	4	3	1	2	1	-	-	19	27.9
Warren	-	3	9	7	5	1	-	-	-	-	30	24.4
Washington	-	7	10	7	5	2	1	1	-	1	34	26.5
Wayne	1	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	21.6
Westmoreland	-	21	31	19	10	7	6	2	3	-	99	28.0
Wyoming	-	2	4	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	10	24.7
York	-	9	8	9	5	2	7	5	1	-	50	32.3
Federals	-	2	-	5	2	3	3	2	18	-	36	55.4
Total	28	470	882	348	449	213	205	95	68	4	1,265	28.6
Percent of Total	.35	14.40	27.03	25.99	13.76	6.52	6.28	2.91	2.09	.12	100.0	99.94

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