

Sex Crime Curbing

Sex offenders are psychopathic idlers, with inadequate personality to equip them to cope with the realities of life. Usually destitute of moral sense, they fall victim to their baser instincts, lacking the inhibitory or restraining influence which is concomitant with emotional and moral maturity.

The remedy lies in indeterminate sentences, on first offense, to a State institution for as much rehabilitation as is possible.

This need not be a prison as usually known, but a place where useful employment is a paramount requirement. The installation could be reasonably small to start and expanded as necessary. Rehabilitation should include as much intellectual, emotional and moral development as the individual would react to.

These cases are much more a menace to the public outside of an institution than if they were held under reasonable restrictions. Responsible relatives should reimburse the State as much as possible.

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