

**Inmates
Released From
Indiana Boys' School,
Plainfield, Indiana
(1880-1882)**

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Sixteenth annual report of the commissioners of the Indiana House of Refuge for Juvenile Offenders, for the year ending October 31, 1882 (Indianapolis: William B. Burford, 1882)

NOTE:

This is not a list of all of the inmates at the Indiana Boys' School during this time period, only the ones who had been released.

ABOUT THIS INSTITUTION:

The Indiana Boys' School was a state correctional institution established in Plainfield, Indiana in 1867 to reform male juvenile offenders through education and vocational training. Originally known as the "Indiana House of Refuge for Juvenile Offenders," its name was later changed to the Indiana Reform School for Boys and then the Indiana Boys' School. Judges from courts across Indiana could commit boys to the school if they had been charged with a crime or with being delinquent. In more recent times, the institution was called the Plainfield Juvenile Correctional Facility.

The Indiana State Archives has the records of the Indiana Boys' School; they have an online database of its inmates which covers the years 1867-1937.

Last Name	First Name	Discharged	Residence (1882)	Remarks
Alley	George	February 23, 1881	unknown	
Alley	Samuel	April 2, 1881	Danville	
Andrews	Charles	June 1, 1881	New York City	
Arnold	William	October 3, 1881	Columbus	
Arthur	Francis	June 5, 1882	Newberry	
Arwood	George	December 29, 1880	Brookville	
Ash	Frank	July 31, 1882	Indianapolis	
Ash	Sherman	April 1, 1880	Mitchell	drowned
Ashton	Charles	April 29, 1880	Milwaukee	
Baker	Leonard	July 5, 1880	Whitcomb	
Ball	Anson	April 11, 1881	Burnettsville	
Barbour	John	July 31, 1882	Indianapolis	
Barnes	Robert	June 1, 1881	LaPorte	
Bauer	Fred	August 30, 1881	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	
Bauer	Wilhelm	May 6, 1880	Anderson	
Bean	John	October 5, 1880	Madison	
Beaver	George	April 1, 1880	unknown	
Becker	Emil	October 15, 1881	Chicago, Illinois	
Belle	Charles	March 1, 1882	Vevay	
Belle	Peter	October 13, 1880	Indianapolis	
Bergin	Thomas	September 5, 1881	Lafayette	
Berry	Charles	January 7, 1881	Indianapolis	
Berth	Hiram	February 24, 1881	Indianapolis	
Bierlin	William	May 3, 1882	Crown Point	
Bingaman	A.L.	May 17, 1882	Logansport	
Bingman	Fred	March 1, 1882	Stryker, Ohio	

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Birdsley	John H.	June 24, 1880	Richmond	
Black	Leroy	August 17, 1882	Nettle Point	
Blake	Howard	October 20, 1881	Indianapolis	
Blakesley	Loveless	June 2, 1881	Vistula	
Bolger	James B.	December 13, 1881	Sullivan	
Bonafacino	Larence	November 9, 1881	Salem	
Bonawitz	B.E.	July 31, 1882	Roanoke	
Bowers	Abram	October 10, 1881	Compton	
Boyden	Francis	June 5, 1882	Anderson	
Bracken	Allen	December 30, 1880	Indianapolis	
Brennen	John	April 24, 1882	Terre Haute	
Brenner	William	June 24, 1880	South Bend	
Brittanham	Joseph	December 19, 1881	Clarksville	
Brockway	James	July 8, 1881	Boylston	
Brooks	Marshall	February 20, 1882	Milner's Corner	
Brown	Ellsworth	July 5, 1882	Brightwood	
Brown	Henry	October 2, 1882	New Albany	
Brown	James	February 16, 1882	Indianapolis	
Brown	Mickey	May 29, 1882	Angola	
Brown	Thomas	February 16, 1882	Indianapolis	
Brozius	Ellsworth	September 5, 1881	with circus	
Bryan	William	July 11, 1881	Warsaw	
Bundy	Charles	October 1, 1881	Spiceland	
Burgess	Edward	June 17, 1881	Richmond	
Burton	William	April 1, 1880	Hanover	
Buser	Harry	October 4, 1881	Indianapolis	

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Callahan	William	April 19, 1881	Denver, Colorado	
Campaniott	Ellis	July 27, 1882	Evansville	
Canada	Edward	January 1, 1881	Cincinnati	
Canady	William	September 4, 1882	Marion	
Canfield	Willis	May 6, 1881	Colfax	
Carpenter	Edward	February 21, 1881	Fort Wayne	
Carter	George	July 16, 1881	Athens, Ohio	
Carter	James	December 13, 1881	Indianapolis	
Cassady	Peter	September 27, 1882	New Albany	
Castledine	James	September 4, 1882	Huntington	
Castler	Fred	October 23, 1881	Chicago, Illinois	
Chandler	William	March 16, 1881	Kokomo	
Cheatham	Boyd	September 9, 1882	Indianapolis	
Cheeseman	Thomas	May 30, 1882	Indianapolis	
Chinneth	W.H.	December 15, 1880	Kewanna	
Chrisman	H.B.	March 1, 1882	Richmond	
Clark	Fulton	November 15, 1881	Logansport	
Clark	Thomas	April 30, 1882	Indianapolis	
Clarke	Earl C.	January 5, 1882	St. Louis, Missouri	
Clarke	Eddie	September 14, 1882	Noblesville	
Clarke	Edgar	February 7, 1882	St. Louis, Missouri	
Comings	Louis	February 24, 1881	State Prison	
Conner	George	February 21, 1881	Cincinnati	
Conrad	Evander	November 30, 1880	Richmond	
Cook	Elmer E.	August 10, 1880	Greensburg	
Cook	Monroe	February 7, 1882	Madison	

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Coon	Alvadora	January 7, 1881	Hoxie, Texas	
Cory	Fred	May 5, 1880	Lima	
Cossa	William	July 31, 1882	Wabash	
Cox	William	August 28, 1882	Madison	
Crandall	Jesse	July 9, 1881	Woodville	
Crawford	Webster	June 7, 1880	Sullivan	
Dally	Lester	November 5, 1881	Angola	
Dalton	Joseph	September 29, 1881	Belle Union	
Daniels	Grant	August 3, 1881	Guion	
Daughtery	Charles	July 31, 1882	Mishawaka	
Davis	Lyman	April 22, 1881	Iowa	
Dawson	Charles	July 11, 1882	Vincennes	
Decker	John	October 2, 1880	Belle Union	
Denick	Charles	March 1, 1882	Lafayette	
Devers	William	October 11, 1881	Perryville	
Dixon	John	May 5, 1882	Elizabethtown	
Donoghue	Joseph	November 1, 1881	Altoona, Pennsylvania	
Doolittle	Holden	July 5, 1881	Mishawaka	
Dowden	T.N.	July 5, 1882	Officer at House of Refuge	
Draggoo	Ellsworth	May 2, 1881	Waterloo	
Dudley	Dennis	May 5, 1882	Michigan City	
Edwards	Charles	January 31, 1881	Middletown	
Ek	John	May 13, 1882	Belle Union, Pennsylvania	
Ellis	John	April 17, 1882	Middletown, Illinois	
Emell	William	August 12, 1880	Lafayette	imbecile
Endsley	William	March 19, 1882	Belle Union	

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Evans	Charles	April 6, 1881	Evansville	
Evans	Edward	April 6, 1881	Evansville	
Fairman	William	March 4, 1882	Dayton	
Faulk	Marcus D.	April 27, 1882	U.S. Army	
Ferguson	Lloyd	February 18, 1882	Plainfield	
Ferriter	Timothy	November 11, 1881	Indianapolis	
Fisher	Olive J.	November 1, 1881	Fort Wayne	
Flanigan	John	August 5, 1881	Aurora	
Folenies	George	June 6, 1881	Logan	
Ford	Charles	February 7, 1882	Madison	
Forrest	Thomas	August 15, 1881	Danville	
Foster	Harry	April 13, 1881	Goshen	
Foster	William	November 2, 1880	Plainfield	
Freel	Cornelius	July 19, 1880	Lafayette	
Fuqua	Charles	November 12, 1880	Terre Haute	
Gallion	Charles	May 2, 1882	Logansport	
Gardner	Thomas	December 31, 1880	Indianapolis	
Garrity	James	December 29, 1880	Indianapolis	
Gause	Harvey	February 8, 1881	Indianapolis	
Gause	Monroe	February 8, 1881	Indianapolis	
Gentry	Jerry	September 5, 1881	Petersburg	
Ghol	Charles	January 7, 1881	Chicago, Illinois	
Gibbs	George	April 22, 1881	Logansport	
Gilbreath	R.A.	May 27, 1880	Richville	
Givens	John	March 13, 1882	Muncie	
Goble	Wesley	April 1, 1880	Hadley	

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Goit	Richard	November 17, 1881	Walkertown	
Goodrich	Alvin	April 24, 1882	St. Louis, Missouri	
Goodrich	Alvin	July 6, 1881	St. Louis, Missouri	
Gordon	John	September 4, 1882	Michigan City	
Graham	Nathan	February 15, 1882	Argus, Iowa	
Gray	Patrick	February 26, 1881	unknown	
Grimes	Charles	July 5, 1880	Thorntown	
Guffin	Harry	March 16, 1881	Rushville	
Guncle	Bryam	December 31, 1880	Richmond	
Hahn	Rudolph	March 11, 1881	Cairo, Illinois	
Haley	Andrew	October 23, 1881	Groves	
Hamilton	William	December 2, 1881	Lebanon	
Harper	James	November 2, 1880	Sullivan	
Harris	George	February 21, 1882	Missouri State Prison	
Hartman	John	April 24, 1882	Fort Wayne	
Hausles	Hugo	October 10, 1881	Northern Prison	
Hicks	Henry	April 26, 1881	Martinsville	
Hill	E.O.P.	July 31, 1882	Attica	
Hill	Willie	August 16, 1880	Richwoods	
Hogers	Henry	September 21, 1882	Decatur, Illinois	
Holding	Elbert	March 4, 1882	Greenfield	
Holding	William	March 4, 1882	Greenfield	
Honicutt	Hiram	May 15, 1882	Indianapolis	
Honicutt	Sherman	January 2, 1882	Indianapolis	
Hope	Peter	July 30, 1881	Indianapolis	
Hubbard	Jacob	February 8, 1881	Anderson	

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Hubbard	Sherman	August 25, 1880	Terre Haute	
Hughes	Joseph	January 24, 1882	Connersville	
Hunter	Joseph	August 7, 1881	Danville	
Hunter	William	September 9, 1882	Madison	
Hupp	Thomas J.	July 1, 1882	South Bend	
Hurd	Jack	August 8, 1881	Hawthorn, Illinois	
Hurkett	George	June 16, 1880	Scioto City	
Hurkett	Henry	August 12, 1881	Denver, Colorado	
Jacobs	Richard	September 14, 1882	Danville	
Jacobson	Moses	March 2, 1882	Fort Wayne	
Jameson	William	October 4, 1880	Jamestown	
Jaquith	Edward	February 7, 1882	South Bend	
Jaquith	Lewis	February 7, 1882	South Bend	
Jenks	C.F.	October 27, 1881	Indianapolis	
Johnson	Clarence	August 13, 1880	Fort Wayne	
Johnson	Finis	September 4, 1882	Evansville	
Jolly	John P.	May 4, 1880	Indianapolis	
Jones	Samuel	July 31, 1882	Indianapolis	
Jumper	John	August 16, 1882	Indianapolis	
Kantner	John	July 5, 1880	Brownsville	
Keehn	Millard	April 24, 1882	Milford	with circus
Kennedy	Matthew	May 2, 1882	Indianapolis	
Kennedy	Thomas	September 5, 1881	Goshen	
Kerl	Samuel	August 7, 1882	Spencer	
Kerns	John	October 3, 1882	Fort Wayne	
Kerns	John A.	September 19, 1881	Richmond	

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Kerns	Shannon	August 24, 1881	Warsaw	
Kerns	Ulyssis	September 19, 1881	Richmond	
Kinnister	Henry	May 30, 1882	Indianapolis	
Krapp	William	April 3, 1882	Southern Prison	
Krouse	Herman	April 1, 1880	Muncie	
Kuntzler	Joseph	March 2, 1881	Noblesville	
LaDuke	George	August 23, 1881	Grape Creek, Illinois	
LaDuke	William	August 23, 1881	Grape Creek, Illinois	
Lampman	Frank	October 4, 1880	Leina	
Lampman	Frank	September 5, 1881	Lima	
Langdon	Eugene	June 11, 1880	Indianapolis	
Langdon	Walter	November 7, 1881	Indianapolis	
Laughlin	George	December 13, 1881	Frankton	
Lawson	Amos	August 6, 1880	Nashville	
Leachman	Abijah	March 9, 1881	Kokomo	
Leinahan	Timothy	January 2, 1882	Lafayette	
Lewis	Henry	August 8, 1881	Jeffersonville	
Lewis	Richard	January 2, 1882	Richmond	
Linsley	Adolph	June 20, 1882	Indianapolis	
Long	Joseph	July 28, 1881	Spiceland	
Long	Robert	June 5, 1882	Indianapolis	
Lore	Samuel	November 8, 1881	Cosse	
Major	William	August 26, 1881	Danville	
Mallet	Eddie	May 6, 1881	Vincennes	
Malone	John	August 27, 1880	Anderson	
Manning	Daniel	March 4, 1882	Montezuma	

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Marrs	Elisha	September 29, 1881	Indianapolis	
Marshall	Frank	September 5, 1881	Fort Sill	
Matler	Stephen	August 17, 1882	Nettle Point	
Matthews	Charles	October 2, 1882	Wolf Lake	
McAlpine	John	June 2, 1881	Anderson	
McCarthy	Kirk	April 19, 1880	unknown	
McClain	Creed	May 8, 1882	Lebanon	
McClain	John	March 4, 1882	Delphi	
McClellan	James	March 1, 1882	Plainfield	
McCool	Lain	February 6, 1882	Urbana, Ohio	
McFann	S.W.	November 14, 1881	Kokomo	
McGarvey	Frank	March 21, 1881	St. Mary's	
McIntosh	Henry	October 6, 1880	Waveland	
McKee	J.H.L.	November 26, 1880	Muncie	
McKinnon	William	October 8, 1880	Marion	
McMab	Howard	October 16, 1881	Florence, Arizona	
McMillan	Everett	January 7, 1882	Madison	
McMillan	Willie	April 1, 1880	Princeton	
McNemery	William	August 15, 1881	Northern Prison	
Mendenhall	Clarence	July 12, 1880	Earlham, Iowa	
Merdith	Malcolm	November 25, 1881	Roanoke	
Metz	James	April 6, 1881	Plainfield	
Milbrath	Charles	November 9, 1881	Elkhart	
Miller	George A.	August 25, 1880	Leavenworth	
Miller	Henry	November 15, 1881	Adams Station	
Monroe	Eugene	June 5, 1882	Halion	

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Moore	Frank	April 13, 1881	Vincennes	
Moore	Fred	April 13, 1881	Vincennes	
Moore	Malcolm	April 13, 1881	Vincennes	
Myres	Charles	October 23, 1881	Kankakee, Illinois	
Myres	William	May 5, 1880	Fort Wayne	
Neff	Frank	April 26, 1882	Allegan, Michigan	
Neiter	Henry	January 12, 1881	Richmond	
Newby	James	June 13, 1881	Louisville, Kentucky	
Newby	John	December 19, 1881	Columbus	
Newby	Joseph	December 19, 1881	Columbus	
Newby	Otto	December 19, 1881	Columbus	
Newman	George	August 8, 1881	Rushville	
Norris	Charles	March 21, 1881	unknown	
Oakley	John	June 12, 1882	Kokomo	
Parker	Edward	May 2, 1882	Las Vegas, New Mexico	
Payne	Charles	March 2, 1881	unknown	
Pearce	Francis	February 24, 1881	Lafayette	
Periguay	Peter	August 23, 1881	Fort Wayne	
Perkins	A.J.	April 26, 1880	Humbolt, Nebraska	
Philabam	James	September 4, 1882	Bluffton	
Pierce	W.D.	November 1, 1881	Altoona, Pennsylvania	
Pitts	William	January 1, 1881	Richmond	
Polentz	Richard	January 16, 1882	Fort Wayne	
Porter	Albert	February 18, 1882	Stone Bluff	
Prater	William	July 16, 1881	Farmersburg	
Procius	W.D.	October 25, 1881	Indianapolis	

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Pyles	Francis	February 21, 1881	Belle Union	
Reed	James	January 24, 1882	New Albany	
Reed	John	January 24, 1882	New Albany	
Reese	Joseph	August 7, 1880	Onargo, Illinois	
Rice	James	December 29, 1880	Chicago, Illinois	
Rice	William	April 2, 1881	Danville	
Richards	William	July 5, 1881	Louisville, Kentucky	
Richardson	J.G.	April 19, 1880	Blind Asylum	
Robinson	William	June 5, 1882	Lafayette	
Rocky	William	October 8, 1880	Jeffersonville	dead
Rogers	Frank	July 7, 1882	Muncie	
Rogers	Harry	May 11, 1882	Yorktown	
Rogers	John	August 15, 1881	South Bend	
Rogers	Oliver	March 2, 1881	Springfield	
Rogers	Robert	August 15, 1881	South Bend	
Rombke	Jacob	January 1, 1881	Fort Wayne	
Ronan	Patrick	April 21, 1880	unknown	
Ross	John	December 26, 1881	Indianapolis	
Ross	William	August 25, 1881	Indianapolis	
Russ	George M.	December 13, 1881	Galveston	
Rutledge	Rosco	August 4, 1882	Martinsville	
Rutledge	Rosco	January 16, 1882	Martinsville	
Sanders	Charles	March 2, 1881	Rockville	
Sanders	Orlando	July 31, 1882	New Winchester	
Sauer	Arnold P.	August 4, 1882	Evansville	
Schmaltz	Fred	June 13, 1881	Lafayette	

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Schmaltz	Max	June 13, 1881	Lafayette	
Schrank	William	May 16, 1882	Connersville	
Sebode	Henry	May 10, 1882	Evansville	
Seibert	Charles	June 23, 1882	Indianapolis	
Shane	Barney	November 1, 1880	Greensburg	
Shane	Ralph	April 2, 1881	Greensburg	
Shetron	Fred	May 26, 1881	Elkhart	
Shine	Willie	September 17, 1881	Plainfield	
Shingledecker	Henry	November 4, 1880	Bluffton	imbecile
Shoemaker	William	December 29, 1880	unknown	
Smallwood	John	April 3, 1882	Southern Prison	
Smiley	Willie	May 18, 1881	Elkhart	
Smith	Carswell	April 24, 1882	Indianapolis	
Smith	Harry	March 16, 1881	Evansville	
Smith	James	July 16, 1881	New Albany	
Somesky	Charles	July 5, 1882	Fort Wayne	
Stanton	Edward	November 1, 1881	Cicero	
Stanton	John	November 1, 1881	Cicero	
Stearns	William	January 4, 1881	Indianapolis	imbecile
Steavens	Robert	January 31, 1881	Iowa	
Stephens	John	May 5, 1882	New Castle	
Stewart	Charles	July 5, 1882	Terre Haute	
Stewart	Frank	February 3, 1881	Indianapolis	
Stewart	George O.	July 20, 1881	Springfield	
Stocker	Authur	October 13, 1880	Brazil	
Stokes	James S.	June 11, 1881	Indianapolis	

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Stone	Edward	March 1, 1882	Chicago, Illinois	
Stoops	Charles	June 2, 1881	Dillsboro	
Stribley	Charles	April 11, 1881	Fort Wayne	
Stuchman	George	August 7, 1882	Columbus	
Sulgrove	Calvin	May 18, 1881	Landersville	
Sulgrove	John	May 11, 1881	Landersville	
Sulgrove	Joseph	May 11, 1881	Landersville	
Sworville	William	February 24, 1881	Carthage, Missouri	
Taylor	Charles	April 13, 1881	New Winchester	
Taylor	Harry	April 30, 1881	Evansville	
Taylor	Oliver	October 4, 1881	Vincennes	
Thompson	George W.	September 2, 1881	Rushville	
Thompson	John W.	October 8, 1881	Belle Union	
Thompson	William	June 5, 1882	Indianapolis	
Thurston	Gilmore	January 30, 1882	Rockville	
Thurston	Learoy	February 18, 1882	Belle Union	
Tracy	Edward	February 21, 1881	Belle Union	
Tryon	Thomas	May 1, 1882	Connersville	
Tuell	John	October 13, 1880	Merom	
Tyre	William	August 11, 1882	Reno	
Tyre	William	August 13, 1881	Glenns Valley	
Valroff	August	June 11, 1880	Fort Wayne	
Van Horn	Milo	October 10, 1881	LaPorte	
Van Sickle	William	July 4, 1881	Richmond	
Vandesypt	Charles	June 17, 1881	Mishawaka	
Vertrees	Isaac	August 7, 1882	Haubstadt	

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Vihman	Charles	March 7, 1881	Monrovia	
Vineyard	Adolphus	March 28, 1881	Brookston	
Vineyard	Robert E.	May 11, 1882	Burlington	
Waldron	Tobe	August 7, 1882	Martinsville	
Walker	Ben	September 4, 1882	Corydon	
Walker	James	August 28, 1881	Danville	
Walsh	Charles	December 28, 1880	Knightstown	
Walter	Frank	May 3, 1882	St. Louis, Missouri	
Ward	Charles	July 7, 1882	Indianapolis	
Watson	B.F.	July 21, 1882	Ragglesville	
Welches	Jacob	October 7, 1881	Huntington	
Welches	William	October 7, 1881	Huntington	
Wells	John	June 2, 1882	Belleville	
Weston	David R.	May 2, 1882	South Whitley	
Wheeler	Frank	March 12, 1881	unknown	
Williams	George	March 4, 1882	Kokomo	
Willis	George B.	December 31, 1880	Carlisle	
Wilson	Ben	January 8, 1881	Indianapolis	
Wilson	Joseph	March 2, 1882	Milton	
Winslow	Edward	September 6, 1881	Spiceland	
Woods	Ralph	April 1, 1880	Knightstown	
Wright	Marshall	December 13, 1881	Pittsburg	
Wright	William D.	October 10, 1881	Covington	
Yahne	Anday	May 23, 1882	Leo	
Young	Elisha	August 11, 1881	Clifford	
Young	George	July 17, 1882	Indianapolis	

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Young	William	July 5, 1881	Jeffersonville	

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