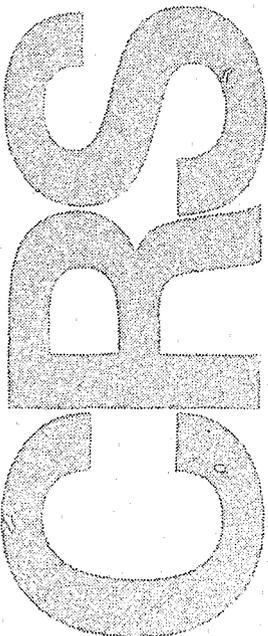


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SUMMARY

This bibliography focuses on the causes of juvenile delinquency, prevention, and rehabilitation programs. It also has a section on the juvenile courts and corrections. This bibliography supersedes Report no. 87-394.

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