

# BARGAINS

ON THE NEW  
**"THRIFT TABLE"**  
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## FANS

**\$2<sup>95</sup>**

Four blades—8-inch size. Noiseless. Art metal base enameled in silver, black.

## PERCOLATORS



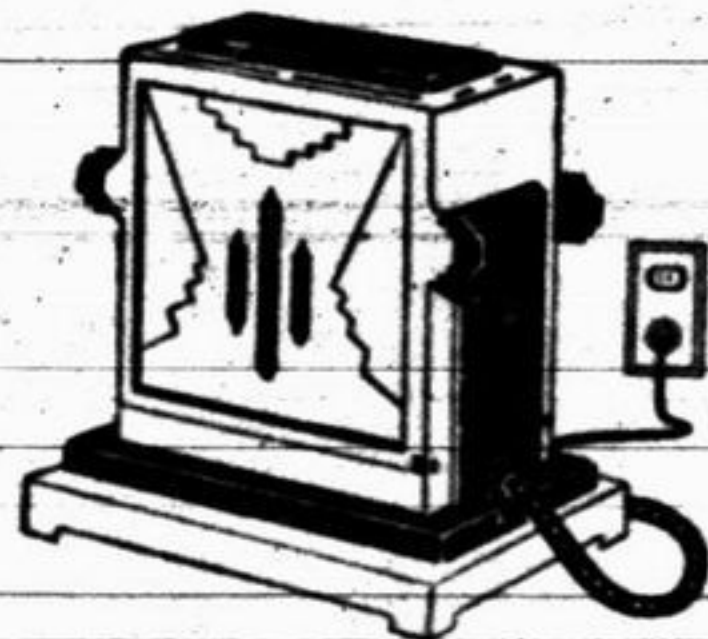
**\$1<sup>45</sup>**

Seven-cup size, aluminum finish. Handy every-day coffee-maker. (Cord extra.)

## TOASTERS

**\$1<sup>19</sup>**

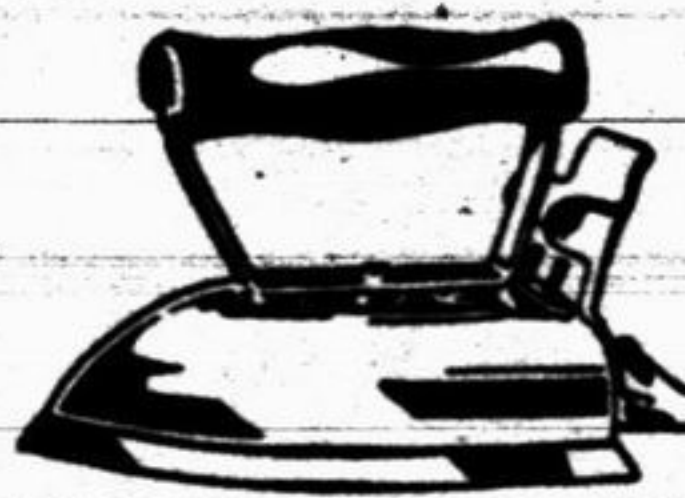
Two-slice oven type. Finished in ebony with polished nickel trim.



## IRONS

**\$1<sup>00</sup>**

Handy all-purpose six-pound electric iron. Finished in polished nickel. Has tip-up back rest. (Cord extra.)



## WAFFLE IRONS

**\$1<sup>29</sup>**

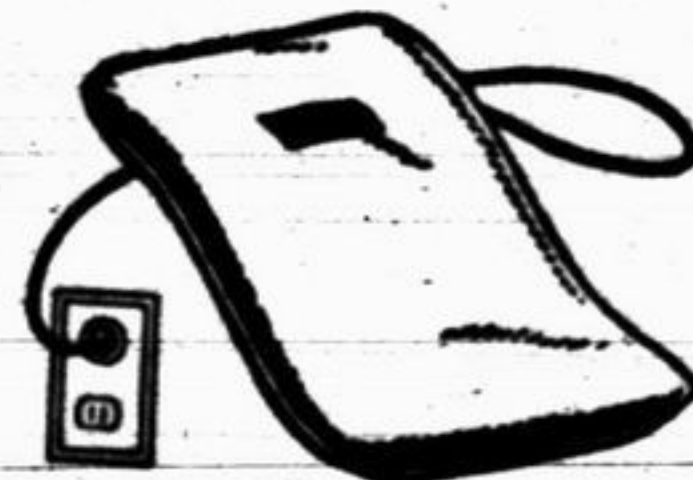
Made of heavy pressed steel with nickel finish. Expansion hinge. Aluminum grids. (Cord extra.)



## HEAT PADS

**\$3<sup>15</sup>**

Automatic 3-heat control. Blue eiderdown cover. 12 x 15 inches.



## TOASTERS

**\$2<sup>55</sup>**

Finished in chromium. Toasts two slices at once. Very fine quality.



## WAFFLE IRONS

**\$3<sup>65</sup>**

Full size complete with automatic heat indicator. Finished in chromium.



On the new "Thrift Table" at your Public Service Store you will find a selection of good quality appliances at dollar-saving prices. All appliances approved by our Testing Laboratory. Come in and see them.

## PENAL FIGURES IN STATE SHOWS GAIN

More Inmates in Institutions Last Year Than Year Before, Report

Population of Illinois state penal institutions for the year on April 1, last, totaled 11,055, an increase of 5.43 per cent as compared with the year ending April 1, 1931, according to figures, made available here today by the State Department of Public Welfare.

Greatest increase was recorded at the New State Woman's Reformatory at Dwight, where 133 women were reported incarcerated last month as compared to 43 in April 1931. The increase however, it was pointed out, is due to the fact that most of the inmates were brought there from the Old Woman's Prison at Joliet where all women, convicted of crimes had been sent previously. Eventually it is planned to transfer all women violators to Dwight.

### Pontiac Reformatory

Next to the woman's reformatory, was the state reformatory for men under 321 at Pontiac where the population in 1932 represented was 2,811 an increase of 357 over the number in 1931.

According to penal statistics the increased number of inmates at Pontiac was due to crimes involving robbery. Surveys of causes leading to crimes by inmates of the Pontiac institution attribute blame mostly to lack of religion and economics.

Following are population statistics of state penal institutions as of April 1, this year, as compared with April 1, 1931.

Institutions	1932	1931	Pct.
Dwight Reform...	131	43	5.43
Joliet prison .....	4,693	4,525	3.73
Menard prison ...	2,356	2,298	2.52
Pontiac Reform. ...	2,811	2,454	14.54
Vandalia farm ...	524	595	
Chester (criminal insane) .....	446	438	1.82
Total .....	11,555	10,485	5.43

According to Col. Fred D. Whipp, superintendent of state prisons, housing conditions at the Southern Illinois State Penitentiary at Menard have been relieved by the completing of two galleries of a new cell house, giving accommodations to 400 convicts, 200 to each gallery. The cell house, when completed, will have five galleries accommodating 1,000 convicts.

### Brief News Items

The City of Waukegan last week petitioned the supreme court for a rehearing of the Higley (city building) cast in which the officials hope to avoid carrying out an agreement made by the last administration to buy the property for \$100,000.

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