

PENITENTIARIES' REPORT

Some Recommendations Made by Superintendent W. S. Hughes.

There is hardly time to peruse the report of one year's work of any government department, before the estimates are brought down for another year, says the Ottawa Citizen.

The report of the superintendent of penitentiaries, up to March 31st, 1920, has been printed for some considerable time; but it is safe to say that very few members of parliament have seen it, though the house will soon be called upon to pass the estimates of the department of justice for the fiscal year ending in 1922.

An annual report on penitentiaries is not the most likely place to find items of what, in newspaper parlance, is called human interest. The dominion superintendent's report begins with some formidable statistics, giving in detail the sum total of information that the number of convicts in custody increased from 1,659 to 1,931, during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1920.

Under the heading of social habits, 548 are registered as abstainers, 975 as temperate, and 408 as intemperate. There are twice as many single as married convicts.

RHEUMATISM-RELIEF

From Its Dreadful Pains and Aches, Stiffness, Soreness—

Is properly to be sought in a good blood medicine, because authorities say rheumatism is a blood disease; acid has entered the blood, settling in the muscles and joints.

Hood's Sarsaparilla comprises remedies that every physician prescribes for rheumatism, combined with other blood-purifying, tonic and strength-building ingredients in a formula vastly superior in make-up and in curative power.

HOME RULE ACT TO OPERATE APRIL 19

Ulster Parliament Will Probably Hold First Meeting on June 21st.

London, March 10.—The Chronicle's political correspondent writes that the date which the government wish to fix as the appointed day for the present Irish Home Rule Act to come into operation is April 19th.

The board of control will deal with the question, which was left unsettled this afternoon.

NEWS OFF THE WIRES IN CONDENSED FORM

Tidings From Places Far and Near Are Briefly Recounted.

The Canadian naval squadron reached Esquimaux late Wednesday afternoon.

British warships are reported to have been sighted off Cuxhaven, off the coast of Germany.

Denton Garfield makes a confession at Woodstock and says: "I did not shoot, it was my brother."

A despatch to the London Times from Riga states that the ninth revolutionary forces have captured the entrance to Petrograd.

Fares on passenger traffic to the United States are to increase on March 15th, so as to cover the difference in exchange.

Information received at Chicago headquarters of the railway labor department indicated that virtually all railroads in the United States are preparing to put wage reductions into effect.

Complete returns of government liquor sales, giving liquor sales for Alberta during the year 1920, were tabled in the legislature, and show a net revenue of \$811,389.

Farm Changes at Glenora. John Brown, Glenora, has moved to the farm of Mr. Wilman, his father-in-law, owing to the ill health of the latter.

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DO NOT GIVE UP HOPE OF HEALTH

Often All That Is Needed is a Tonic To Build Up the Blood.

There are many women who have been invalids or semi-invalids so long that they accept their condition as a life burden.

General W. S. Hughes has this desirable change in mind when he advocates some progressive steps in the management of penitentiaries, especially in the direction of giving the convicts sufficient government work and providing facilities for adequate segregation.

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Construction with a view to classification in separate institutions has again been taken up. The report says: "Classification by institutions is now essential to the successful reformation and instruction in inmates."

This matter should be taken up whole-heartedly and at least two new thoroughly up-to-date institutions created to make this most important and desirable work possible.

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"Boys who could not be made to attend school when free devote themselves heartily to their studies while in penitentiary."

Literature furnished. It is suggested by the superintendent that at least six copies of all educational reports and pamphlets issued by the dominion government should be placed in the penitentiary libraries.

These publications are eagerly sought after, particularly those relating to agriculture in its various branches, forestry, mining, conservation, etc.

Among other pertinent recommendations, the dominion superintendent says:

In conclusion, I again suggest that those in charge of penitentiaries be invested with power to manage the affairs of same.

The report of the superintendent of penitentiaries in Canada is worthy of the attention of members of parliament, and of the public. It deals with conditions up to March 31st, 1920. Doubtless the minister of justice will be able to report considerable progress when the estimates come before the house.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I could not stand work, and my head ached almost all the time. I would grow dizzy and everything would turn dark and specks seemed to float before my eyes.

HOPE FOR TELLETT

Expectation That Death Sentence Will Be Commuted.

London, March 10.—The papers in the case of Charles Tellett, a member of the Third Canadian Battalion, under sentence of death for killing his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ada Jane Woodbine Askew, and who was refused a new trial by the court of criminal appeals, have been forwarded to the home secretary, Rt. Hon. Edward Shortt.

The case will probably be deferred until the arrival of affidavits from Canada relating to the man's mental condition. It is confidently expected in Canadian circles in London that the death sentence will be commuted.

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Who comes from Belgium in search of him. The big heart of Lupino takes the mother into the fold with Flora acting as chaperone. The little family therefore remains intact.

Lupino makes a mistake when he finds his sex mended and an occasional flower and from there on Mayme runs things on his dresser. He believes the Belgian mother responsible when as a matter of fact Flora is the performing angst. Complications follow which almost result in disaster to the happiness of all.

Mayme Ladd is just a little shop girl to begin with and it takes a clairvoyant to start her on the path to success. Said clairvoyant convinces impressionable Mayme that she is the reincarnation of Rosa Alara, a Spanish beauty.

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AMONG THE MOVIE STARS



Pearl White

Pearl White Starts Career At Early Age—"Her Husband's Friend"—William Duncan's Latest Thriller—"What Happened to Rosa"—"One Man in a Million"

MISS WHITE is a Missourian. Her father was an Irish-American and her mother an Italian. White is her real name.

Her first step in the career that brought her fame and fortune was the rendition of Hamlet's soliloquy when very small. The next step, the role of little Eva in "Uncle Tom's Cabin," for one consecutive performance, made a professional of her.

When this show came to an untimely end, Miss White turned to New York for recognition, but found none. After a stock engagement in South Norwalk, Conn., she became convinced that moving pictures were the thing.

That she had the right idea was very soon shown. Success came to her rapidly. Her bodily training and the way she now turned into calm in pictures. Her name next became famous in connection with serials, notably,



George Beban, Helen Jerome Eddy, and George Beban, Jr. in "One Man in a Million"

made by her husband at the time of the divorce.

William Duncan

While working on his current chapter play, William Duncan conceived the idea of a new thriller. To escape a crowd of villains he jumps on a moving train and climbs to the top of one of the coaches.

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The story of "One Man in a Million" has to do with the reward brought by kindness. Mr. Beban in the role of Lupino Delchini, an humble and big hearted Italian, becomes pound master in a Western town as the result of a good turn he performed for a secret service operative.

A Belgian waltz, adopted by Lupino, plays a great part in the lives of Flora and Lupino. All would have been well but for the arrival of the boy's mother,



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