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THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1885.

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the former be carefully tried and that the office be not abolished until such trial is fairly made.

While our state is open to the world, no special efforts should be made to import labor, purely as such, while so many men are unemployed as at present.

THE IONIA HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

This institution needs, in my opinion, a thorough overhauling, and I commend to your careful consideration many suggestions and recommendations made by the warden in his official report. Under the present law this prison is filled far beyond its capacity with convicts, nearly one-half of whom are sentenced by justices of the peace from different parts of the state, mostly for drunkenness; and many instances of its abuse are known. A man found intoxicated by a constable or other officer is frequently taken before a justice of the peace and sentenced to the prison for that offense. He is thus disgraced for life, and is also his family, for the offense of getting drunk, or perhaps because he had no friend to intercede for him. The abuses that are liable to occur can best be described by the following which took place during Gov. Jerome's term of office. The facts were given me by the Hon. E. C. Watkins, then its warden:

A man arrived in Saginaw and applied at the office of a lumber firm for work. He was told to come in in the afternoon and he would be hired. Upon going out he met a man upon the street who asked him if he was a stranger, and answered that he was and from Canada and seeking employment. The man accosting him, who it seems was an officer, informed the stranger that it was necessary to "register" upon coming there, and to ask him to an office where another man, who it appears was a justice of the peace, was sitting at a desk. After remaining there a short time he was taken out and conducted to the depot by the officer and taken directly to Ionia under arrest. Arriving at the house of correction the warden examined his papers and found he had been committed for a year as a vagrant. He protested his innocence and the warden immediately wrote the facts as given by the man to Gov. Jerome who pardoned him, and I understand, took some action against the officer and justice of the peace who had thus conspired to send this man to prison for the purpose of getting the fees.

How far this abuse can extend can only be imagined; I therefore recommend that a law be passed prohibiting any person from being sentenced to this institution by a justice of the peace, and that no prisoner be sent there for a term less than six months. This institution should not be used as a "sobering-off" place for men who occasionally get intoxicated. Such men should be kept in the county jails where the offense is committed. I am informed that officers frequently make long journeys with a single prisoner where there are several to be taken, simply to increase their traveling fees. According to the state treasurer's report there was paid for transportation of convicts to that institution during the past year the sum of \$28,082 13, while the cost of carrying convicts for the same period at Jackson for the same period was \$4,805 93. Convicts received at this institution are clothed in prisoner's garb, and when discharged are furnished new clothing if that worn by them when taken in is not suitable for them to appear as comfortably dressed men. This item makes up a large account. There are two classes which should not be sent to that prison. First, those who are picked up when intoxicated, before mentioned, and second, worthless tramps who have no pride or home and are willing to go there for the winter. The prison is now filled to overflowing, with little work for its inmates, there being more than 200 confined within its walls in excess of its accommodations, and at the rate it is being filled, if that class of people are to be imprisoned as convicts, the state of Michigan cannot build prisons fast enough to hold those who are convicted, especially if the present stringent times should continue to exist. I sincerely hope the matter will be thoroughly investigated during the session of this legislature, and the earlier it is done the better for the public good.

THE CONTRACT LABOR SYSTEM, ETC.

I recommend the abolition of the contract labor system, and that a law be passed prohibiting the importation of criminals from other states or territories to be incarcerated within the walls of any prison in the state. It concentrates criminals in Michigan and competes with the honest labor of the state. Michigan is not so poor as to need aid of that kind.

I have asked the different boards connected with the several state institutions to make their wants simply what is absolutely necessary for carrying them through the next two years, and while under the present financial pressure not a dollar should be expended not absolutely necessary. I am sure that you will see that some of the state institutions suffer for lack of means to carry them along.

I recommend that as great a reduction in taxes be made as possible. That no money be collected for the purchase of a large premium of state bonds not yet maturing, or for any other purpose not absolutely essential, but that the greatest possible economy be practiced in every department of the state.

And now, gentlemen, let us hope that you will commence at once to push along the work of legislation, making the session as short as possible.

I hope and trust that the greatest harmony may prevail in all your deliberations and that all our actions may be guided by the Divine Hand.

(Signed) RUSSELL A. ALGER,
Executive Office, Lansing, Jan. 8, 1885.

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