

QUEEN MAKES NATIVES BEHAVE



As governor, magistrate, teacher and missionary, Mrs. M. Zabel has cleaned up the Island of Badu in Torres Straits, near Australia. She rules by virtue of appointment by the Queensland government. She has banned booze, and is shown presiding as judge, with two native councilors, at the trial of a liquor smuggler.

NEW ILLINOIS PENITENTIARY IS MODEL PRISON

Latest Methods of Construction and Sanitation Used in Building.

JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 10.—The new Illinois state penitentiary, a walled city of concrete and brick, is on the final lap of construction, and those in charge now figure that within five years the penal institution will be entirely completed.

The new prison is located at Statesville, near Joliet, and has been viewed by officials of seven European nations, as well as governor and wardens from practically every state in the union.

The prison wall incloses sixty-four acres. The walls, an innovation in cement construction, loom up thirty-three and a half feet in height and extend into the ground from ten to twenty feet. They cannot be scaled, it is figured, as there are no ledges at the top where hooks or ropes can be fastened. The smooth, gently-sloping sides afford no chances for footholds.

When completed there will be eight cell houses, circular in construction. Two cell-houses will be for the "less criminal" and four for those who are under regular prison discipline.

Use Brick and Concrete.

Henry M. Williamson, superintendent of construction, was confronted with a unique problem when he started the building of the second cell-house. The specifications called for brick walls, with white brick facing. Cost of materials and labor has advanced so far beyond the state allotment for the work that after considerable experimentation it was decided to pour concrete between two walls of brick. This saved 2,000,000 brick and, altogether, cost one-half the amount figured for solid brick construction. All of the other cell-houses are being built along the concrete-brick plan.

The prison building proper is in the center of the prison yard and is laid out in a circular fashion, with the dining room in the center and the cell-houses circling around it. The eight cell-houses will be connected to the central dining room by means of one-story corridors, with basements, making the plans resemble a petaloid flower, with the dining hall as its center.

The cell-surroundings in appointments the rooms of many hotels, each having a lavatory, with hot and cold running water, a toilet, an outside window, a steel bed, with ample clean bedding, a table and enamelled walls.

Lookout Tower.

In the center of the prison yard is a tower, with an underground entrance. From the platform in the tower the guard can look into every cell. He can open a single cell-door or all of them from his station and can switch on one light or all lights from the same switchboard.

If the inmate is suspected of any irregularity his cell can be illuminated instantly from the central tower and if some of the prisoners get in possession of firearms and open fire on the guard a steel shutter can be instantly dropped.

The prison has its own water system, supplied by two artesian wells. Workshops and a hospital at present are under construction. Before plans were finally drawn W. Carlus Zimmerman, former state architect, made an extensive tour of Europe, visiting ancient and modern prisons.

The "solitary," known in the old prison as "the black hole," is entirely different in design and object of past endeavors. Silence is the punishment meted out for infractions of rules, attempts to escape and other deviations from rules which draw sentences for the convicts. In the new solitary there is ventilation, but the walls inside and out are absolutely sound-proof. Not a sound can be heard within that little building. There is a cork linoleum floor, cork walls and an ingenious window shutter which keeps out noise.

Commercialism Helps Spiritual Regeneration

Non-Productive Idlers Not Entitled to Wealth, Letter Says.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—The Greenwich Villager, dabbling in art for art's sake, is overlooking a one beat bet.

Far from being a menace, the commercial spirit of the age holds the key to the "middle of spiritual well-being."

So said the American Exchange National bank, which in its current monthly letter, forsakes the dry field of finance to pay its respects to the young ladies and gentlemen who spend their time about cellular tea tables, denouncing the ways of commerce.

"In fact," avers the bank, "if it weren't for the commercial instincts

of someone gone before, those young people might be grabbing for their own living instead of dicking around."

The dissertation continues:

When War Was Main Job.

"In the days when war was the chief occupation of nations the warrior naturally held the mere trader in contempt, and as he usually profited from the war the trader did not object. Later, at the beginning of the modern economic system, the heir of the warrior class were still in possession of large land holdings, which the economists of that day sought to justify upon the ground that a leisure class was needed as a medium for the transmission of culture to the next generation, to carry on the traditions of the race and to bear forward the fruits of progress and civilization.

"In a degree these economists were right; the leisure class of that day, directly or indirectly, did not only in large part recover the culture of past ages, but they also created a new culture and raised new standards which they bore gloriously forward, standards which have elevated the entire human race, standards upon which the superstructure of modern civilization is firmly set.

"Our Own Age Is Greatest. "Our distinguished predecessors were also responsible for much foolishness for which we must excuse them, as they also were members of the human race. But they were rarely guilty of the foolishness of living in the past. They were seldom found going back to the cave men for standards with which to measure their contemporaries.

"Our own age is the greatest of any of which we know that the world has ever seen, and commercialism has made it what it is, for commercialism has applied the wisdom of the ages toward the improvement and the welfare of all mankind. And furthermore, unless it miserably passes its opportunities by commercialism will eventually solve the riddle of spiritual well-being.

"Except that the enthusiasm it invokes is rarely genuine, there is no objection to the pursuit of art as a diversion for those who are not artists, provided they do something to earn the leisure in which to carry on the pursuit. Loafing on unneeded money is an economic crime. The son of the rich man is no more entitled to leisure than the son of the poor man. Wealth in the hands of the individual is a trust which cannot rightfully be employed in support of idleness. The modern code requires that every man shall make his own contribution to society, and that is one of the canons that are leading commercialism toward the spiritual regeneration of the race."

Advice to Girls

By ANNIE LAURIE

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE: Please advise me what to do about keeping company with a young man when he makes dates and breaks them. He lives between 20 and 25 miles from here.

He seemed to think a good deal of me, but now he seems to have forgotten me. I've cared so much for him, but now I am trying hard to forget him.

He has been several hundred miles from home, but returned some time ago. He promised to see me two or three days after his return, but that was two or three months ago.

I wrote to him to send my letters to me several days ago. He has not sent them, at least I have not received them, nor have I heard from him. Please advise me what to do.

A LASSIE: If I were you I'd give up the so-called friendship of such an un dependable young man. If he were desirous of retaining your friendship he would call upon you. But he ignores you, my dear, so the best thing you can do is to put all thoughts of him out of your mind and associate with others who appreciate your true worth.

GREASING GRIDDLES. You can grease your griddle nicely by tying a thin piece of beef suet in a thin cloth and passing this over the griddle.

A potato will admit any school child to the Castle Saturday afternoon, the potatoes being donated by the Castle to the Orphans' Home.

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RUSSELL W. DOWNEY.

Secretary-treasurer of the St. Joseph Valley Lumber company.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

MAIN ST., N. E. 209—Large front room, suitable married couple or 2 young men; references; private family. Lincoln 8359.

UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY

One of the best homes in South Bend, beautiful surroundings, \$5,000 cash, balance monthly payments. Call owner, Phone Main 1478.

R. E. PARROTT, 1219 Beal Street.

The Tea Room will serve TURKEY DINNER Saturday Evening 5 to 7



Saturday Marks The Close of Our Seventeenth Anniversary Sale

Do Not Let The Day Pass Without Taking Advantage of Our Money Saving Offers

A Full Sample Line of Infants' Knitwear

goes on sale here Saturday at Manufacturers' Prices

This wonderful lot of Infants' Garments of all kinds is hand and machine made. There is a good variety but no duplicates in styles and sizes. An early selection will enable you to get just what you want.

The assortment includes—

- Sweaters
Sweater Sets
Sacques
Leggins
Toques
Bonnets
Mittens
Bootees

Infants' Dresses at Half Price

Because these Dresses are all slightly soiled from displaying on counters and in the windows, we are making this worth while reduction on them.

There are included long Dresses of Nainsook, trimmed with lace and embroidery. They have plain or ruffled bottoms and some have hand finished yokes.

55 regular \$1.00 Dresses are now 50c.
28 regular \$2.00 Dresses are now \$1.00.
10 regular \$2.50 Dresses are now \$1.50.
In this sale we also are including a few slightly soiled Infants' Gertrudes at \$1.00 each.

Satin Ribbons

For the last day of the Anniversary Sale we offer our popular Madison Square quality Satin Ribbons in all widths from No. 1 to No. 120, at 7c to \$1.25 a yard.

Smart Neckwear

We have a beautiful new showing of Vestees, made of dainty Organdie and Net, Georgette and Crepe de Chine. These all have collars attached—\$3.00 each.

Also we present sleeveless Guimps of Net and Tricolette, hand embroidered, at \$2.50 to \$4.75 each.

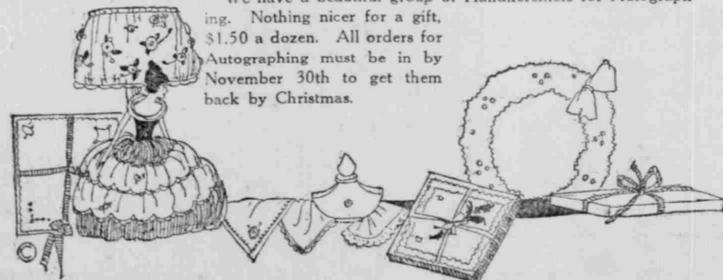
Handkerchiefs! Thousands of Them—For Christmas Gifts

Robertson's is the Handkerchief Center for the holidays. We have gathered in a wider range of Handkerchiefs than we have ever carried before, and we are giving more space to them than in previous years. We have now on display everything in Handkerchiefs for young and old; all grades are here, all colors, all sizes. You can find exactly what you want, be your taste what it may, because we have the most extensive showing in this vicinity. Come down tomorrow and see it.

- Daintily hand embroidered Handkerchiefs, 15c, 25c, 3 for \$1.00 and 50c.
All Linen Irish Prints in neat designs and colorings—25c.
Initial and embroidered corner Handkerchiefs, 3 in a fancy holiday box—35c, 50c, 69c, 75c and \$1.00 a box.
Men's fast color, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 15c and 25c.
Meh's All Linen Handkerchiefs, 25c, 35c, 50c to \$1.00.
Boys' All Linen Handkerchiefs—25c.
Women's All Linen, plain hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 15c, 25c, 35c to 50c.
Cleverly embroidered kiddie Handkerchiefs in boxes of 3 or 6—15c, 35c, 59c, 59c and 95c.

Order Your Autographing Right Away

We have a beautiful group of Handkerchiefs for Autographing. Nothing nicer for a gift, \$1.50 a dozen. All orders for Autographing must be in by November 30th to get them back by Christmas.



Underwear

Good grade Flannel Bloomers, pink and white, small, medium and large—50c.

Women's unfleeced Vests and Pants, sizes 34 to 44—95c.

Girls' Cotton Union Suits \$1.00.

Girls' heavy Union Suits, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Boys' cotton ribbed Union Suits, open back, \$1.69.

Infants' half wool Bands, 50c.

Infants' wool tint Bands, 39c.

Hosiery

Women's full fashioned Hose in black with lavender Lisle top, toe and heel—\$1.00.

Women's full fashioned Lisle, lace front Hose, in white and cordovan, \$1.45.

BORATED COCOANUT OIL SHAMPOO

Cleans the hair and makes it fluffy. Soothes and heals the pores of the scalp. 50c size bottle for 35c.

A Good Value in Fox Furs

One of the best items in our Anniversary Sale has been our Fox Scarfs. This has been proven by the way they have been received. Saturday is the last day of the Sale, so do not wait longer if you have been intending to have one of these

American and Russian Fox Scarfs

Black, Brown or Taupe, at \$18.50 to \$95.00 each.

Last Call for These Splendid Winter Dresses at \$35.00 Each

This lot, including styles for the miss and matron, has rapidly decreased. There are, however, still several very good models left. A few dresses in Poiret Twill, Tricotine, Velour, Tricolette, Crepe de Chine and Georgette still are available. Saturday will be your last opportunity to have one of these \$35.00 Dresses during the Anniversary Sale.

Kid Gloves

A very suitable Glove for this season is either a 12-button Kid Glove in black, grey or brown, at \$5.95 and \$6.75 a pair, or a 16-button Kid Glove in black and brown at \$6.50 to \$7.95 a pair.

Children's Shoes

As a last feature of our Anniversary Sale we offer 2 pairs of Dress or Play Shoes at \$5.00. This special is for Saturday only.

The Boys' Shop

Stocking Caps—75c.
Corduroy Norfolk Suits—\$5.00.
Gauntlet Gloves—75c.
Knit Mittens—35c and 50c.
Cloth Caps—\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.95.



Mens' Furnishings

Now is the best time to select Christmas gifts for Men. Our lines in the Men's Store are fresh and complete. We list here some of the items especially good for holiday remembrances:

- Wool and Silk Mufflers—\$1.98, \$2.98 and \$5.00.
Lined Cape Gloves—\$1.98 and \$3.00.
Knit Gloves—50c.
Fur back Gauntlets—\$5.00 and \$5.95.
Plain Gauntlets—\$3.25.
Bath Robes—\$6.50 to \$30.00.
Wool Sweaters—\$7.00 to \$10.00.
Flannel Shirts—\$2.25 to \$5.00.
Silk Neckties—59c to \$1.50.
Wool Hose—75c and \$1.00.
Silk Stripe Shirts—\$2.50 and \$3.00.
Silk Shirts—\$4.50 and \$5.95.