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THE PRISON PROBLEM

Ohio's recent tragedy, in which more than 320 prisoners were buried dead in a series of fires supposed to have been set by inmates of the penitentiary at Columbus, bring forcibly to public notice once more the acute situation which is overwhelming the American prison house brought about.

This prison was built in 1890 to house only 1,500 convicts, yet 4,200 were confined there at the time of the disaster. Just what bearing this development had upon the horribleness cannot be definitely judged, but there is no doubt that there is some connection between them. In a report recently made the National Society of Penal Information said:

"The ancient plant of the state penitentiary in Columbus, one of the state penitentiaries in the country, suffers from a condition of overcrowding worse than that in any other prison."

Recent disastrous prison mutinies in Colorado, New York and elsewhere have been attributed to the conditions brought about by such overcrowding. That men would become so desperate as to deliberately set fire to the penitentiary in the hope of escaping during the confusion indicates that their situation must have been almost intolerable.

Only a few days ago Attorney General Mitchell warned against a further congection of the Federal prison population, and it appears that a condition of overcrowding is general, both in jails and penitentiaries, throughout the country.

MOUNT VERNON

In 1932 the nation will celebrate the 200th anniversary of Washington's birth. It has been suggested that this occasion be marked by the purchase of Mount Vernon, his home and last resting place, by the government.

This national shrine was saved for posterity by the patriotic efforts of the Mount Vernon Ladies Association which took over the property in 1852. It is maintained with its priceless collection through the charge of a small fee for visitors who view the premises in great numbers each year.

Only by this means could the priceless heritage of Mount Vernon have been preserved, in view of the negligence of the government in the past. It is felt that this greatest of all American landmarks should become the common property of the whole nation, and that all who desire to visit it should be permitted to do so without the payment of even the small fee now charged.

It is not that anyone particularly objects to the fee, but in principle a pilgrimage to the home and tomb of Washington should be free from any suggestion of commercialism.

Congress should purchase Mount Vernon outright and present it to the nation and to the world on Washington's 200th anniversary.

THE NOSE-COUNTERS

Many amusing stories are being told of the woes of Uncle Sam's census enumerators, who have been laboring faithfully during the last few weeks to get an accurate count of our population, together with such other information as the census act requires.

In Iowa an enumerator found a man whose house stood on a county line, and whose bed had its head in one county and its foot in the other. After due consideration it was decided that the "head of the family" was in the county in which the head of his bed was located.

President Hoover was required to confide to the enumerator that was able to

read and write, and that he was married to his first (and only) wife at the age of 25.

One nose counter made 12 cents extra by happening to arrive after triplets had been born. In another case a baby had not been named and the enumerator suggested the name of Alice, which was accepted by the parents.

A few census takers admitted that they had habitually added from 10 to 15 years to the ages given by certain ladies in their territory, when their questions had appeared to be embarrassing.

One lady enumerator was unable to get information from a Chinese who thought she was trying to obtain a laundry package without presenting her ticket.

FARMERS' ADVICE

During the last few weeks the Farm Board has made repeated appeals to farmers to reduce their acreage of crops of which there is now a world surplus, especially wheat and cotton.

The fact that the board has been constrained to make these appeals direct to the farmers is evidence that Chairman Legge and his fellow members recognize the full gravity of trying to overcome the law of supply and demand by artificial means.

It is also evidence that the so-called farm relief act will not automatically bring relief or prosperity to the American farmer. The farmer must co-operate in at least two ways: He must curtail crops of which there is a world surplus, and he must organize for co-operative marketing purposes.

If the farmers of the country could be induced to do these things themselves there would be little need of a Farm Board or the costly government machinery which its establishment has made necessary.

OLD CITIES' NEW NAMES

Those of us who go our smattering of political geography back in the nineteenth century have seen much of it repeated by the changes which have followed the World War.

The map of Europe as we imperfectly knew it is now something vastly different. The names of several of the world's most famous capitals have been changed, some of them twice.

St. Petersburg was changed to Petrograd early in the World War, and after the rise of Lenin to power it was called Leningrad, and so remains. Norway's capital, Christiania, reverted to its ancient name of Oslo. Pekin or Peking was changed to Peiping, and some say Peiping is the present form.

Now we hear that the old favorite spelling, Constantinople, has been abolished, and that Turkish city no longer the capital, is henceforth to be known as Istanbul, after discarding at various times its former names of Stamboul, Byzance, Byzantium, etc.

But we should worry. So long as they don't change Washington to Hoovergrad or Grundyville.

THE VALUE OF TRAVEL

Soon the vacation season will be upon us, and many thousands of persons will visit various interesting places for the first time, some in our own country and others abroad. While recreation will be the principal aim of many, a majority will seek to learn something of permanent value during their travels.

In order that one may derive the most benefit from his travel experiences, it would be well to find out as much as possible about the places to be visited ahead of time. Then, when he actually sees the places and objects of which he has studied, he will gain a more lasting impression of their significance.

Information gained from guides and handbooks during one's travels is valuable of course, but it is generally superficial, and lacking in the historical background which is necessary for a full understanding and appreciation of the famous places where history has left its mark.

This can come from Washington, A. I. who announced that on the following Sunday he would speak on "Lanes" and requested all flock to the Kirk Chapel of Zion in the meantime.

The educational value of travel depends largely upon knowing beforehand what one wants to see, and why.

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Church News

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

500 East Main St.

Sunday service, 10:45 a. m.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Golden Text: *Lamentations 3:38-40.* Wherefore I will instruct you, O men, concerning the punishment of his sins: Let us search and try our ways, and turn again to the Lord.

Reading room and lending library at 110 N. High street, open to the public daily except Sunday.

Telephone, 2-1000. Open 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. Wednesday evening from 7 to 8:30 and Saturday evening from 7 to 8:30.

Baptism by appointment.

REV. JOHN A. DUFFY, Pastor

57 JAMES CHURCH, GLENDALE

Washington and 6th streets.

Unit further notice: 10:45 a. m.

The monthly service will be at 10:45 a. m. Sunday afternoons.

REV. S. R. S. GAY, Revertor

SALEM EVANGELICAL

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Morning worship, 10:30 a. m. This will be the regular service.

And will be held every Sunday morning except the first.

L. C. L., 6:45 p. m. The adult league will remember to be prepared for the second evening.

Evening service, 7:30 p. m. The pastor will speak at this service as well.

It will be his pleasure to speak again before leaving.

The following Sunday the Rev. Philip Phillips will speak at the public services.

Monday afternoon school the educational class will be held.

The Y. P. C. W. will meet on Tuesday evening, May 5.

Wednesday evening of next week the prayer meeting will be in the upper room.

Thursday in the upper room, the service will be at 7:30 p. m.

W. M. S. will meet in the church parlor at 2:30 p. m.

W. J. DAVIS, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST

9:30, Bible study.

10:30, Morning worship.

4:30-5:30, Evening service.

At the morning hour the communion will be observed in the upper room.

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Morning day service will be held at our church Sunday evenings at 7:30 p. m.

All are cordially invited to these services.

CHARLES E. DRUSSEL, Pastor

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL

Sunday school, May 4

9:30 a. m. Bible school.

10:30 a. m. English morning worship.

Wednesday evening.

Tuesday, May 6

Sunday School Training Class.

5:30 Church rehearsal.

CHARLES E. DRUSSEL, Pastor

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Germany is the biggest gopher in the world, the Great Gophers. America has been sold

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LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

George P. Acker of No-Cook street visited George M. Wagner at the Sherman Hospital. George M. Wagner and his wife, Mrs. Mary, have Calvary and Son, friends, of Chicago, with Mr. O'Connor, Mrs. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Calvary's mother, Mrs. Mrs. Padde, and Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Padde, 255 E. Illinois avenue and Mrs. Stella Strachan of 100 E. Illinois, who had come to see Mrs. Henry Steury, who is in St. Mary's Hospital there.

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Shredded Wheat, 2 boxes	19c
Coffee, Rosemary, Very Best Quality, 1 lb. can	43c
Tea, English Breakfast, each pound.	25c
Soap, P. and G., white laundry, 7 bars	22c
Argo Glass Starch, 3 lb. pugs.	19c
Birds, large pugs	19c
Pork and Beans, 16-oz. cans, compare size of other 10-oz. cans, 3 cans Rosemary Brand	25c
Sweatheart Toilet Soap, for Toilet, Bath, Nursery, Carton containing 4 cakes, 1 oz.	19c
Milk, Carnation, Pet or Rosemary, (assorted if you wish) 3 tall cans	25c
Sardines, 16-oz. oval cans in tomato sauce, 2 for	22c
Tomatoes, Gibbs, fully ripe, No. 2 cans, 2 for	19c
Chocolate Covered Sugar Wafers, per lb.	29c
For Saturday Only, 10-lb. Cloth Bag Fine Sugar	49c
Alarm Clocks, in colors, each only	98c
Dress Goods, Figure Pique, dyed, 49c; Silk	59c
Mixed, yd.	59c

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Rib Rolled Roast	lb. 35c
Milk Fed Leg of Veal	lb. 25c
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