

COUNTY JAIL PRISONERS COST 27 CTS. DAY EACH

40th Annual Report and What It Shows—Increase in Drunkenness.

Forty-five jails and 12 lock-ups are the subject of the 40th annual report of the inspector of prisons, just issued by the provincial government.

The total expenditure for maintenance in 1906 was \$158,174 and in 1907 \$164,852, an increase of \$6,678.

The average cost for each prisoner per day in the county jails was 22 cents in 1906 and 27 cents in 1907. The persons incarcerated numbered 10,810 in 1906 and 11,804, an increase of 994 in 1907. There was a decrease of 51 in the number of insane committed to jail during the year. Less than 15 per cent. of the prisoners committed to jail during the year could not read or write.

Only 21 prisoners escaped from the 11,000 or so in jail during the year and 11,000 of these were caught.

The increase of persons sentenced, 683, during the year, was due to the larger number of minor offenses, such as drunkenness and vagrancy.

There were 4774 persons committed for drunkenness, a larger number than any year except 1888, at which time financial stringency and want of employment prevailed.

With the expenditure of \$44,827 on the maintenance of prisoners the report naturally regards the matter as important. Better and new methods are considered necessary and reformation instead of punishment is to be aimed at.

The probation system is dealt with at some length and information supplied respecting its application in England and the United States.

The correction farm is shown to work successfully, as in Ohio, where 2000 prisoners have been treated.

An industrial farm or prison colony in Northwestern Ontario is recommended and the indeterminate sentence is approved.

The report on Toronto Jail is largely quoted and some of the recommendations for fire protection and sanitation are reported as difficult of adoption, and the removal of the jail to the country is considered the best remedy.

Sentenced for Theft.
John Wase and Harry Dewsbury pleaded not guilty in four charges of theft in police court yesterday morning.

J. W. Blair, Hoberlin Bros., George Fawcett and George Chamberlain, merchants, are the sufferers.

The Hoberlin case and that of theft of boots from Blair were dropped. On the other two charges they were convicted and concurrent sentences of six months in the Central Prison were imposed.

The prisoners seemed pleased and shook hands.

AROUSING THE VILLAGE.
Trainmen Save Puce From Destruction by Fire.

WINDSOR, April 16.—The Village of Puce, situated on the Grand Trunk, about twenty miles east of here, narrowly escaped being wiped off the map this morning.

A fire broke out in the general store of Capt. John Stone, who also has the postoffice, and but for the timely warning by the crew of a passing train the whole community would have been laid low.

Capt. Stone and his family, together with Miss Henry, a school teacher, barely got out of the burning building in time. The store, contents and household effects were destroyed with a loss of \$3000.

The residents heard the repeated shrieks of the locomotive whistle, and formed themselves into a volunteer bucket brigade and did heroic work.

\$626,000 FOR TUNNEL.
City Engineer Rust's Estimate Agrees With Govt. Engineer's.

The estimate that it would cost \$626,000 for a tunnel under the western channel of the bay has been made by the city engineer. He figures that the bridges and approaches would cost \$476,000 and a tunnel 400 feet long \$150,000.

Mr. Rust had a conference yesterday with the Government Engineer, whose estimate is approximately the same. Both estimates will be sent to the minister of public works at Ottawa.

THREW CHILD OVERBOARD.
Little One May Have Been Buried Alive at Sea.

NEW YORK, April 16.—An extraordinary tale of the burial at sea of a child which may have been alive when thrown overboard was told by the officers of the steamer Statendam, when that steamer arrived to-day from Rotterdam.

The child is said to have been thrown overboard by her own mother, Mrs. Bertha Lutzky of Holland. She was coming to America with two children, the youngest of them, a girl, was about a year old.

On the way over the child was taken ill with convulsions during a gale, and in about an hour was apparently dead. The other passengers of the steamer objected to the presence of the body on board and informed the mother that unless the child was thrown overboard, a storm would overwhelm the steamer. About midnight the body of the child was thrown into the sea.

Officers of the steamer soon discovered what had happened and the ship's surgeon, who made enquiries, is said to have expressed the fear that the child was merely in a comatose condition and might have been revived under medical treatment. Mrs. Lutzky was taken to Ellis Island.

First-Class "Crow" Cars.
WASHINGTON, April 16.—The department of justice to-day decided to institute proceedings under the interstate commerce act to compel the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad Co. to furnish accommodation to negro passengers paying first-class fare equal in all respects to those furnished to the white passengers.

The case grew out of a complaint filed with the interstate commerce commission against the railway company by a negro woman, alleging discrimination.

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\$2300 — ST. JAMES AVENUE, FRAME, six rooms, bath, conveniences.

\$2500 — HARBOR STREET, BRICK, seven rooms, bath, conveniences.

\$2550 — GIVENS STREET, BRICK, semi-detached, eight rooms and bath, gas, electric light, concrete cellar.

\$2800 — OLIVE AVENUE, SOLID brick, six rooms and bath, gas, electric light, fireplace, mantel, furnace, large bright room.

\$3000 — GARDEN AVENUE, SOLID brick, nine rooms, bath, square hall, gas, electric light, laundry tubs, furnace. This must be sold.

\$3000 — PALMERSTON AVENUE, brick detached, eight rooms and bath, hall to kitchen, furnace, verandah, side entrance, wide lot.

\$3200 — SHAW STREET, NEW, solid brick detached, six rooms, bath, open plumbing, hot air heating, every convenience.

\$3600 — GRACE STREET, SOLID brick, seven rooms, bath, slate roof, gas, electric light, fireplace, mantel, laundry tubs, verandah, side entrance.

\$4000 — MANNING AVENUE, SOLID brick, fireplace, mantel, verandah, wide side entrance.

\$3300 — BARTON AVENUE, NEW, solid brick, eight rooms and bath, gas, electric light, all conveniences.

\$3700 — MARGUERETTA STREET, brick detached, new, nine rooms, bath, gas, electric light, hot water heating, verandah and balcony.

\$3800 — HAVELOCK STREET, SOLID brick, semi-detached, slate roof, stone foundation, nickel plumbing, hot water heating, verandah, side entrance.

\$3800 — HEPBURN STREET, detached, brick, detached, eight rooms and bath, slate roof, gas, electric light, furnace, verandah and side entrance.

\$4000 — ST. CHARLES STREET, detached, brick, detached, ten rooms, bath, conveniences.

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\$5500 — EUCLID AVENUE, SEMI-detached, nine rooms, hot water heating, bath, cellar and electric light.

\$3000 — EUCLID AV. BRICK, NINE rooms, bath, furnace, etc.

\$2500 — HILLSBORO AVE., ROUGH-cut, 4-roomed dwelling, lot 100 feet frontage.

\$2500 — HARBOR STREET, SOLID brick, seven rooms, bath, gas, cellar, etc.

\$7500 — LABURNAM AVENUE, DETACHED, twelve rooms, two bathrooms, hot water heating, gas, etc.

\$12000 — MADISON AVE., DETACHED, 10 rooms, hot water heating, fifteen rooms, two bathrooms, square hall.

\$6000 — MCCAUL ST., SOLID BRICK, ten rooms, bath, gas, furnace, etc.

\$2500 — ONTARIO STREET, EIGHT rooms, furnace, etc.

\$7000 — RICHMOND STREET WEST, three dwellings, conveniences.

\$6500 — SHERBOURNE STREET, DETACHED, brick, eleven rooms, bath, gas, furnace, etc.

\$15000 — SPADINA ROAD, DETACHED, brick, thirteen rooms and two bathrooms, square hall, hardwood finish, furnace, gas and electric light.

\$6500 — SPADINA AVENUE, SEMI-detached, brick, nine rooms and bathroom, hardwood finish, gas and electric light.

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139 SPADINA ROAD.

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\$3000 — HOUSE CENTRAL, 7 ROOMS, 8 rooms and bath, all conveniences. We will sell this one at \$200 cash.

\$4000 — DETACHED HOUSE, EIGHT rooms, all conveniences; overlooking Riverdale ravine.

\$4000 — RUSHOLME ROAD, DETACHED, 7 rooms and bath; everything modern and of the best quality. Lot 25x170; electric light, laundry tubs, etc.

\$4400 — CONCORD AVE., 8 ROOMS in the city for this price; little time in the city for this price; three fire places, verandah, oak panelling in hall and drawing room.

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\$10000 — SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, 8 rooms, combination of modern and old, fine location; handsome rooms with hardwood finish; central.

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THE UNION TRUST COMPANY, Limited, 114 Bay-street.

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\$2600 — SOLID BRICK, SIX ROOMS and bath, mantel, gas, furnace, concrete cellar; \$200 cash.

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\$2850 — CRAWFORD, BUILT LAST year, newly decorated, 8 rooms and bath, mantel, gas, furnace, concrete cellar, side entrance; large lot; only \$400 cash.

J. A. GODDARD, 291 ARTHUR ST.

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