

IN DARKEST ENGLAND, AND THE WAY OUT.

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WORK FOR ALL

SALVATION ARMY SOCIAL CAMPAIGN

CRIME
DRINK
SHAME

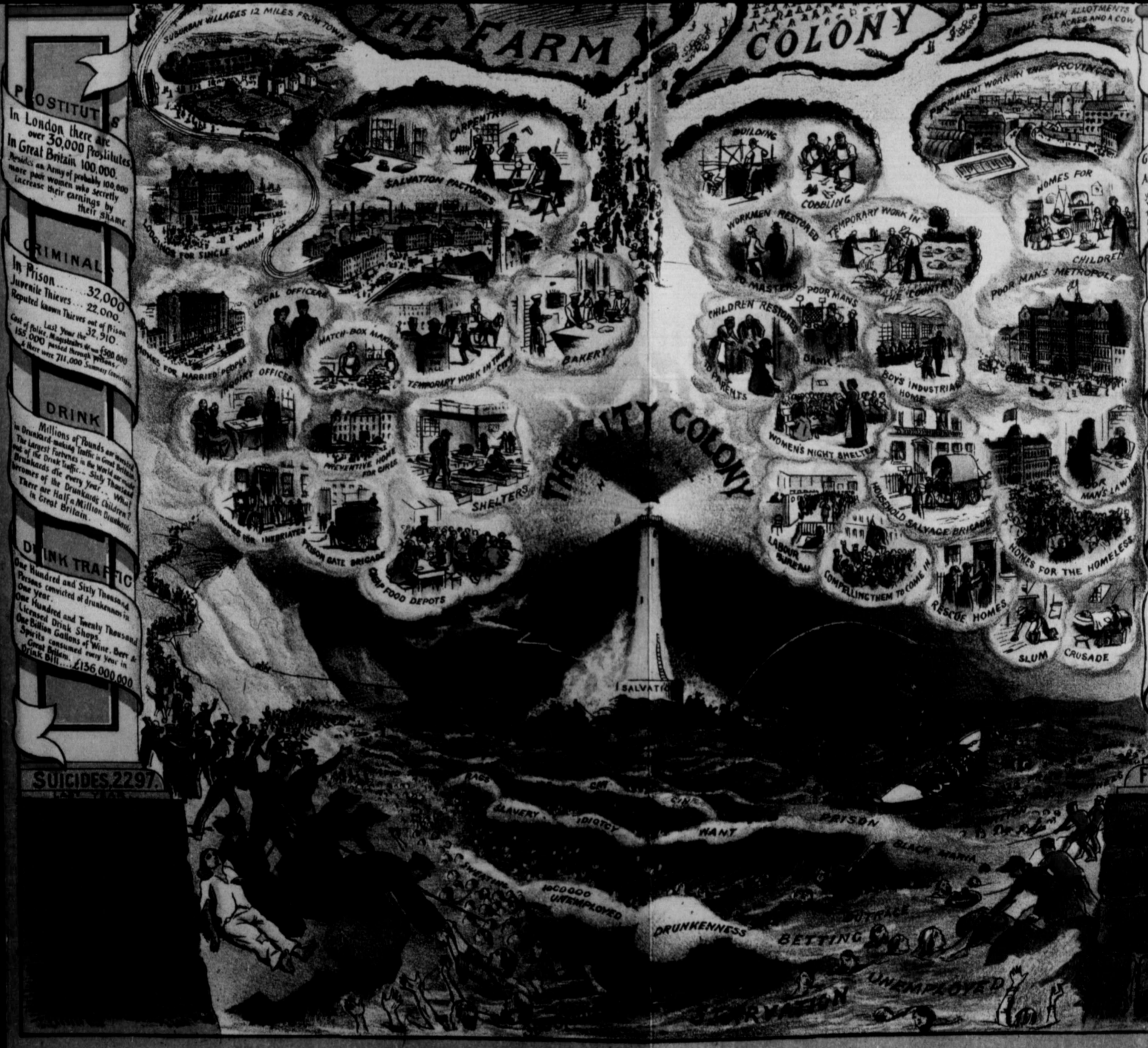
DESTITUTION
DESPAIR
DEATH

PROSTITUTE
In London there are over 30,000 Prostitutes
In Great Britain 100,000
Prostitute an Army of probably 100,000 more poor women who secretly increase their earnings by their shame.

CRIMINAL
In Prison 32,000
Juvenile Thieves 22,000
Expended money Thieves out of Prison 150,000
Last Year the cost of Prison 150,000

CHARITY
Given by Public Charities £10,500,000
Approximate Amount of Poor Charity £7,000,000
Yet 10,700 children die through want of regular food
There are 10,000,000 in the world in which 8000 children die

DESTITUTION
In London alone 51,000
Workhouses 33,000
Asylums 300,000
Homes for the Poor 222,000
Shelters 287,000
Total 693,000



KEY TO THE CHART.

The Chart is intended to give a birdseye-view of the Scheme described in this book, and the results expected from its realization.

The figures on the pillars represent the appalling extent of the misery and ruin existing in Great Britain, as given in Government and other returns.

In the raging Sea, surrounding the Salvation Lighthouse, are to be seen the victims of vice and poverty who are sinking to ruin, but whom the Officers appointed to carry out the Scheme are struggling to save.

On the left, a procession of the rescued may be seen on their way to the various Factories, Workshops, and other Establishments for Industrial Labor in the CITY COLONY, many of which are already in existence.

From the CITY COLONY in the centre, another procession can be seen, of those who, having proved themselves worthy of further assistance, are on their way to the FARM COLONY, which, with its Villages, Co-operative Farms, Mills, and Factories, is to be created, far away from the neighborhood of the public-house.

From the FARM COLONY are to be seen Steamers hurrying across the sea, crowded with Emigrants of all sorts, proceeding either to the existing Colonies of the British and other Empires, or to the COLONY-OVER-SEA, yet to be established; whilst the sturdy baker on the left and the laundress on the right suggest, on the one hand, plenty of work, and on the other, abundance of food.

The more the Chart is examined the more will be seen of the great blessings the Scheme is intended to convey, and the horrible destruction hourly going on amongst at least Three Millions of our fellow-creatures, which we are anxious to bring to an end. And the more the Scheme contained in this book is studied and assisted, the more will the beautiful prospect held out on the Chart be likely to be brought into reality.