



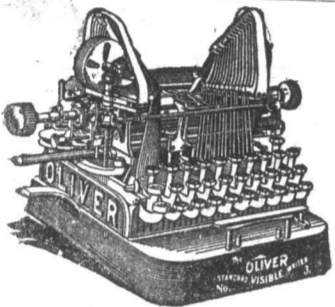
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Ned Kishman, alias Texas Ed, alias Brake Rod, alias Cinder, alias Globe Trotting Ted, a tramp who has been arrested in more countries than any other man on earth, is back in Chicago.

Kishman has carved his name on many stations all over the world, and has established a record of being incarcerated for vagrancy in the jails of forty-seven different countries. He has lost count of the number of times he has been arrested, but declares he has viewed from his viewpoint of the inside. He has looked through the bars upon the cities of the world, and claims a record of traveling 223,485 miles without paying a cent of railway fare.

He boasts that the only railroad fare he ever paid was from Hot Springs, Ark., to Malvern Junction, approximately thirty-five miles, when he was too tired to attempt to beat the road. He figures that had he paid first-class fare for all the riding he has done, he would have spent \$57,868.

The man who has kept half a million dollars out of the pockets of shareholders in railway stocks, a small, bronzed man, probably forty-five years of age. He was born in Clinton County, Ohio, and ran away from home at the age of fifteen. He has visited practically every county of the United States since then, and once came within three miles of his home, which he saw through a blur of cinders while riding on the rods of a freight express.

During his career of twenty-eight years Texas Ed has never yet been convicted of a crime, and has only twice been charged with crimes, and that only because he was gathered in by the police dragnets after some robbery or murder of suspicious characters were apprehended. He is worth \$80,000 and owns a tract of farm land near Highland, Clinton County, Ohio, which was left him by relatives who died. He is now a model citizen at Bangkok, Siam, where he spent three weeks against his will.

He declares the United States possesses, as a class, the best and the worst prisons in the world. He cites the Cook County (Ill.) jail as a model in the United States, and the municipal boomer at Hillsboro, Ohio, and the Lesner, Minn., and Waycross, Ga., as among the worst in which he has been locked up.

His comments on the lack of system, brutality and political control of American prisons are scathing. "The British system is the best," he says, "and the prison administration is undoubtedly the best. The public works system means hard and healthy labor. The city system exists, but mostly in the form of brick yards, on farms, or other public works. I had the honor (and Great Britain the benefit) of serving two months at Dover, England, where a line of forts to protect England was a result of having been accused of carrying it. It was there that I learned quarrying and stone cutting, which added one more trade to my list. The men get credit for exactly what they do—they are paid, really, in lessening of sentence, and I earned thirty days out of ninety days sentence by working hard.

Perhaps the worst and most wicked jail system in the world—taken as a whole—I found in Portugal. The Portuguese system makes beggars of all prisoners, besides hardening all rapidly.

"Mexico has advanced wonderfully in the last fifteen years. When I first visited Mexico I had the honor to be arrested in Mexico City and thrown into a hole, where all prisoners, most of them in iron, were kept. Most of them were again arrested in Mexico City and were pleased to note a vast improvement. The cellular system had been adopted, and the trades are taught. At Jalisco, where I served fifty-two days, a beautiful and humanitarian prison has been built."

Perhaps the strangest adventure of Kishman's prison career took place in Spain. He was arrested, charged with vagrancy, while stealing a side out of Madrid, trying to reach the Mediterranean coast. At that time he had pocketed \$140 in gold and silver with him. "Soon after I was thrown into the prison," he says, "the prisoners were talking of a probable change in the management of the prison, and I learned that it is the custom there to permit the jailer to bid, and the highest bidder is awarded the office. There was nine others in the room, each being forced to pay about eight or ten cents a day to the jailer or starve. The auction was held in the main corridor, and through the cell doors we could hear three men bidding for the office of jailer, each calculating to rob the prisoners if he got the place, or force their friends to pay him heavy toll. The scene amused me, and, calling through the bars, I commenced to bid against them. The fun of the situation was good to me, but they didn't deride at, and they got madder and madder as I ran up the price. Finally they all quit bidding and I was made jailer for one year, being forced to pay about \$200 in gold—French gold—for the position.

"They turned the keys over to me, and for several weeks I ran the prison, releasing three of my nice companions and holding the other six. I got tired of the job and gave it to an old cobbler on the next corner, who, I was sure, would treat the prisoners decently."

France, according to Brake Rod, is a bad place for tramps, and the prisons are extremely cruel places even at the expense of being deported to the convict colony in New Caledonia, Germany, he declares one of the best prisons in the world, each prisoner of over three months being forced to learn a trade.

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