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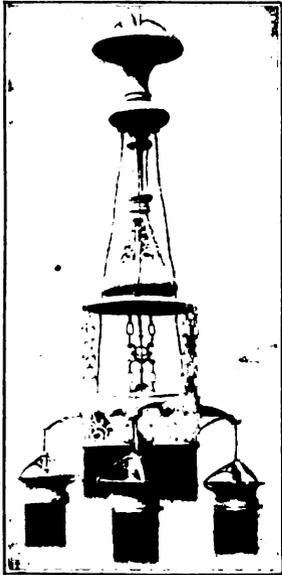
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Through the contract labor system the institution is made more than self-sustaining and the prisoners receive the benefit of a wholesome exercise and fresh air of a busy, useful life and to this fact is largely due the excellent general health and good physical condition of the men. This is the only prison in the United States wherein the income exceeds the expense of operation. The following table shows the daily average earnings and the daily average cost, together with the net profits for the biennial period ending December 31, 1904.

The total number of days for inmates was 1,544,443, or a daily average of 2,112.

All of the factories are modern, well ventilated and thoroughly equipped, being in every respect equal to the best in the United States, while in order and system of business they far excel many located outside of the prison walls. The power for the factories, electric light plants and the steam for heating and

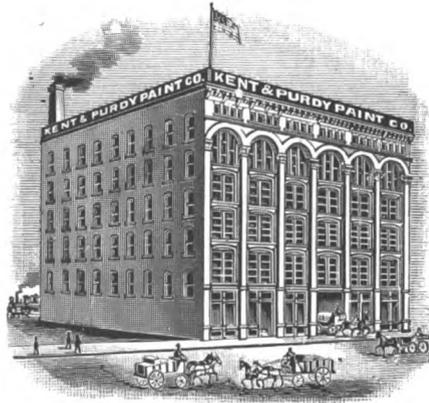
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Accounts.	Cost.		Earnings.	
	Total.	Per capita per day.	Total.	Per capita per day
Total net earnings			\$502,542 96	\$0.3255
Net cost of food	\$125,051 32	\$0.0810		
Net cost of fuel	87,265 47	.0566		
Net cost of clothing	34,777 00	.0255		
Net cost of officers and employes' salaries	171,849 67	.1112		
Net cost of repairs, hospital, water, discharged convicts, etc.	87,105 70	.0518	499,049 16	.3231
Earnings in excess of cost			\$6,493 80	.0024

The above table shows that the earnings for the biennial period ending December 31, 1904, exceeded every item of expense \$6,493.80.

No epidemic has existed in the prison for many years and the death rate has always been less than that of the average village. The State Prison property according to last inventory is valued at \$1,802,066.02.

The prison was opened for the reception of prisoners in 1836. The first prisoner received March 8th, of that year, was Wilson Eidson, 22 years of age, a native of Tennessee. He was sent from Greene County, Mo., under sentence of two years and forty-five days for grand larceny.



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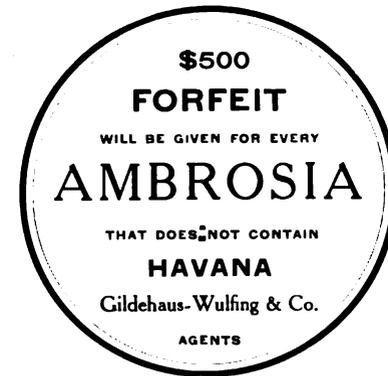
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Priests of both the Roman and the Anglican Catholic churches hold religious services for those of their faiths and also visit those who desire their ministry. With the incoming of the present Warden many humane and highly satisfactory reforms have been introduced which place this institution in the vanguard of State prisons.

The officers of the Missouri Penitentiary are Matt. W. Hall, Warden; R. E. See, Deputy Warden; Frank K. Moore, Asst. Deputy Warden; H. B. Trimble, Chief Clerk; Mrs. M. R. McMahan, Matron of the Female Department; Rev. B. G. Tutt, Chaplain and Dr. C. W. Chastain, Prison Physician.

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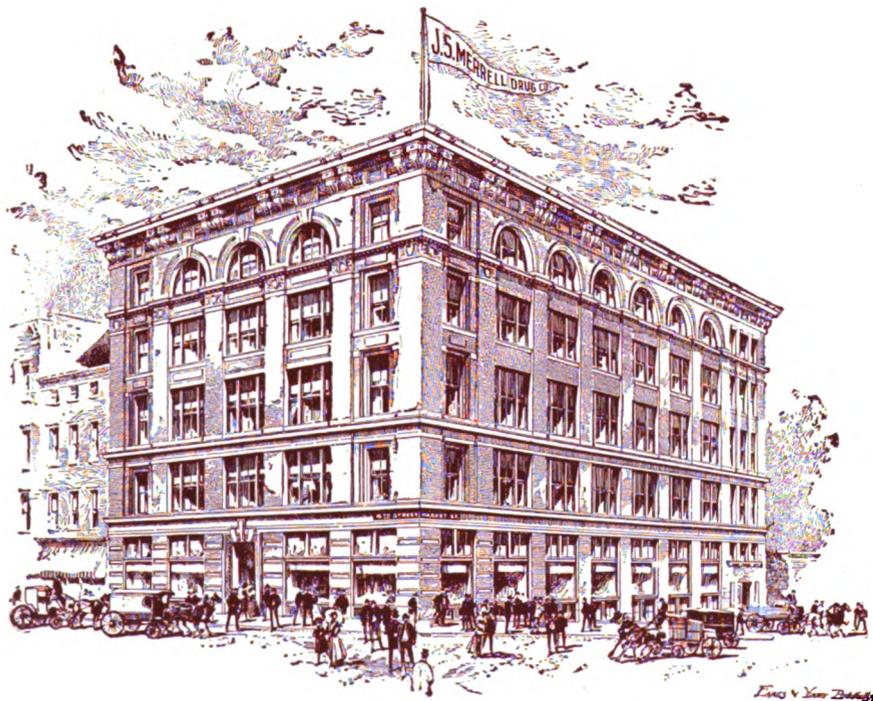
By an act of Congress, approved March 6th, 1820, for the admission of Missouri Territory into the Union as a State, four sections of land were granted by the Federal Government to the State for the purpose of locating the permanent seat of government thereon.

The Constitution of Missouri provided that no place should be selected for the Capitol which was not situated on the banks of the Missouri River and within forty miles of the mouth of the Osage. At the first session of the legislature of the new State an act was passed fixing the Permanent Seat of Government, and in the same act the legislature accepted, for the use and benefit of the State, the four sections of land selected by the commissioners, the act also stating that on the aforesaid sections a town should be laid out and the lots sold in such manner as should be ordered by law.

This act was approved December 31st, 1821. By an act of the General Assembly, approved January 1st, 1822, the town was to be laid out in at least one thousand lots and the principal streets were to be not less than one hundred feet wide, the other streets not less than eighty. On the first Monday in May, 1823, these lots were to be sold to the highest bidder, except such as would be reserved for public use. The act also provided that the new capital should be called the "City of Jefferson."

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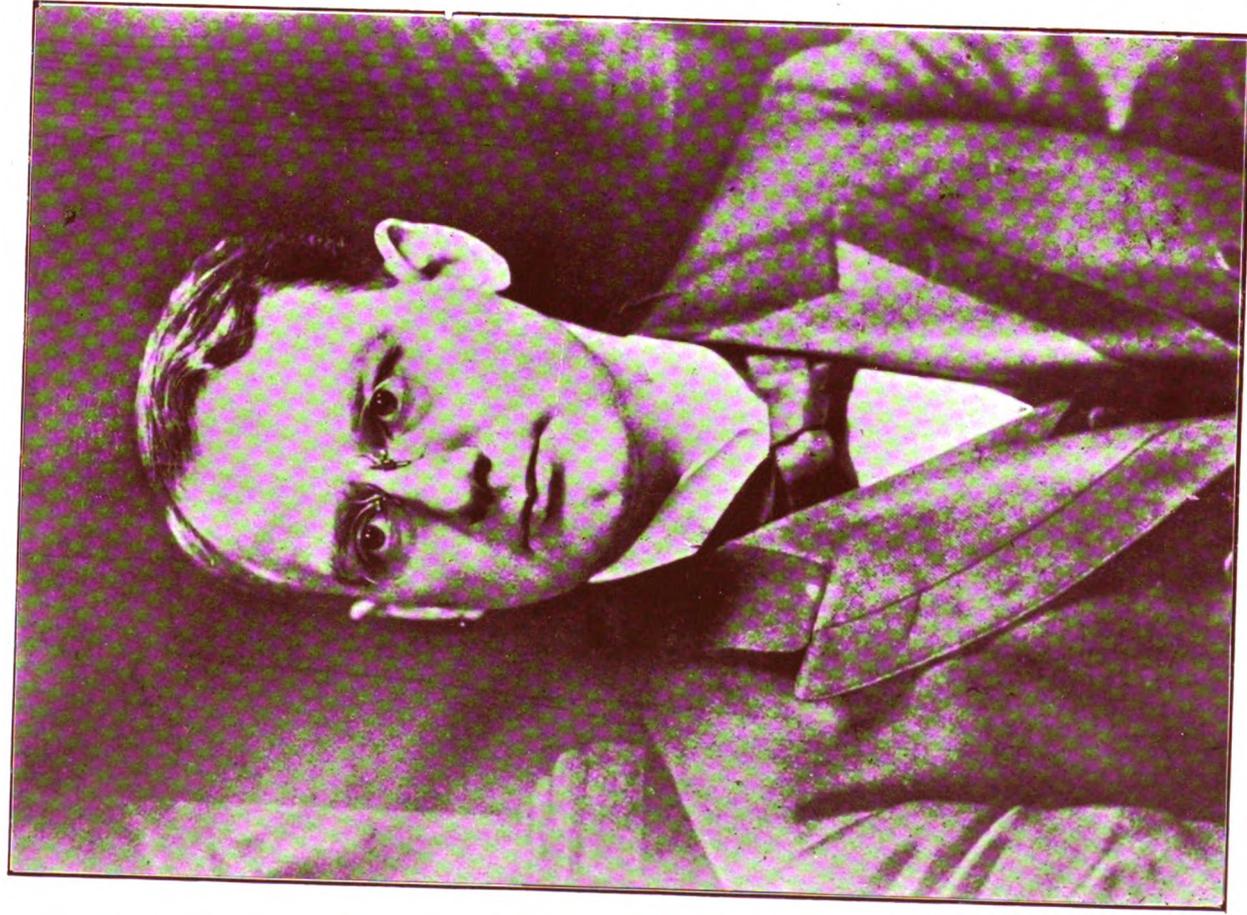


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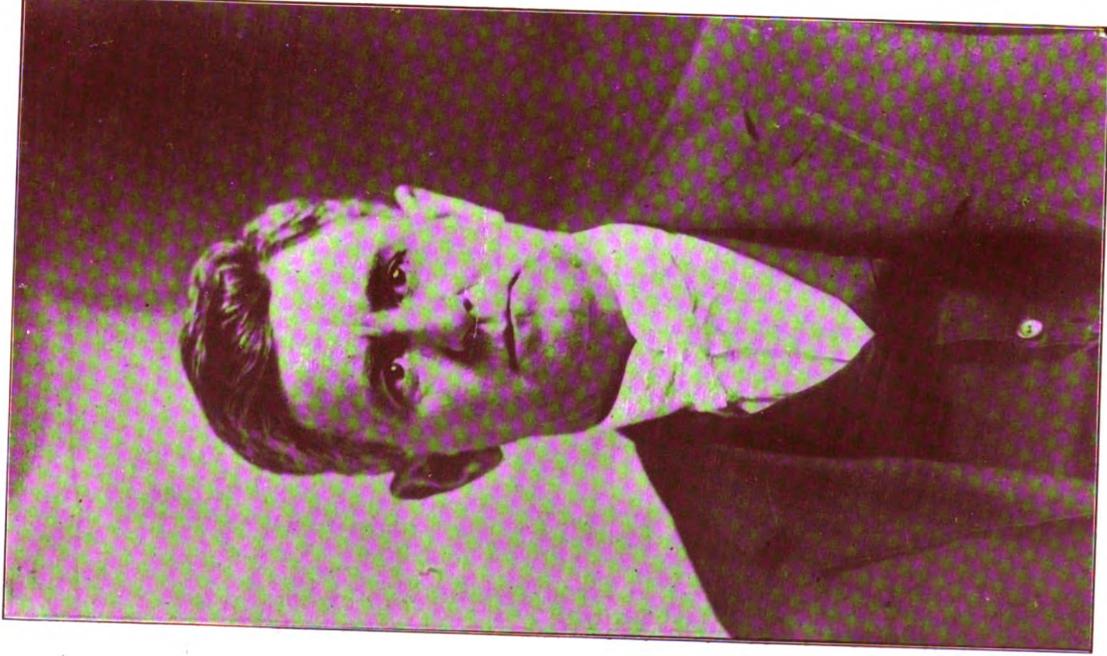


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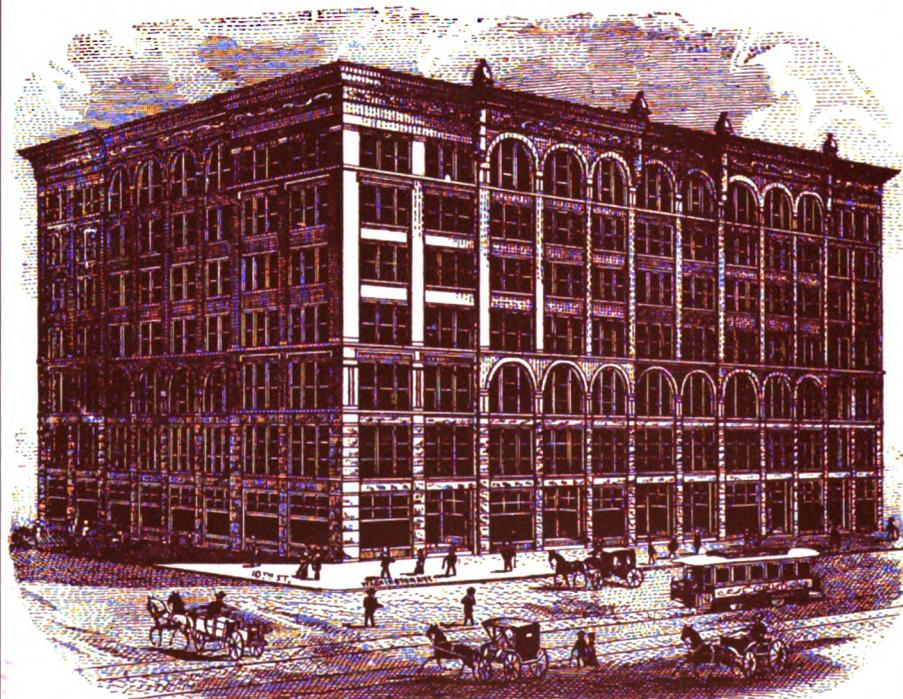
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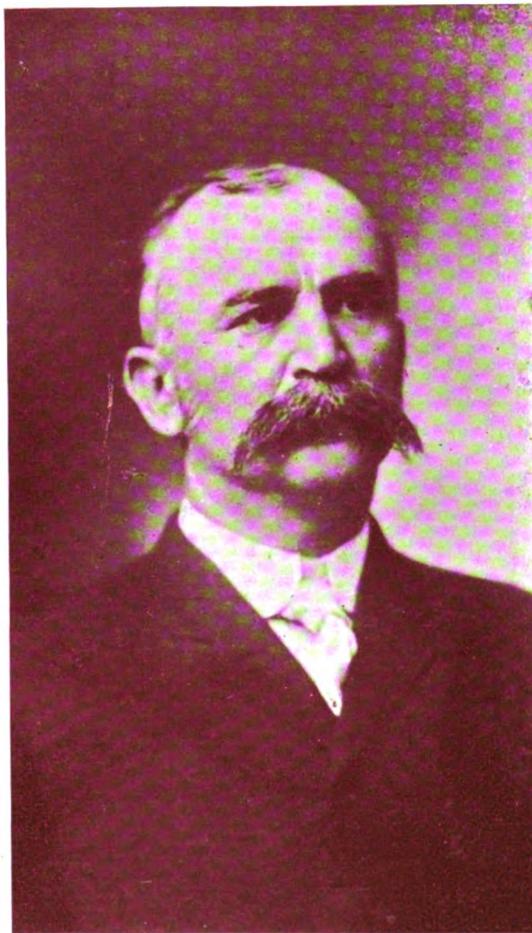
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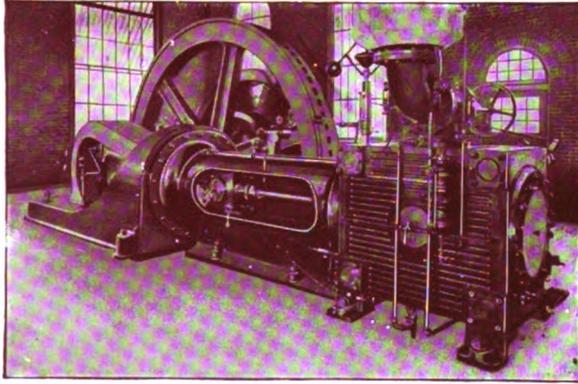
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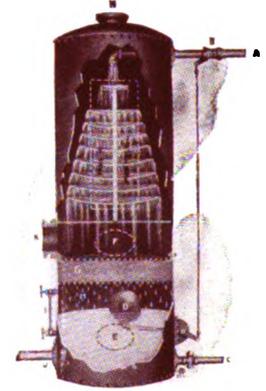
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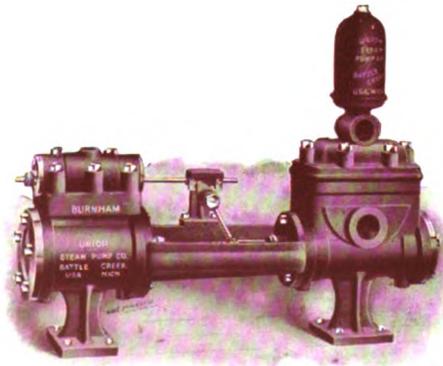


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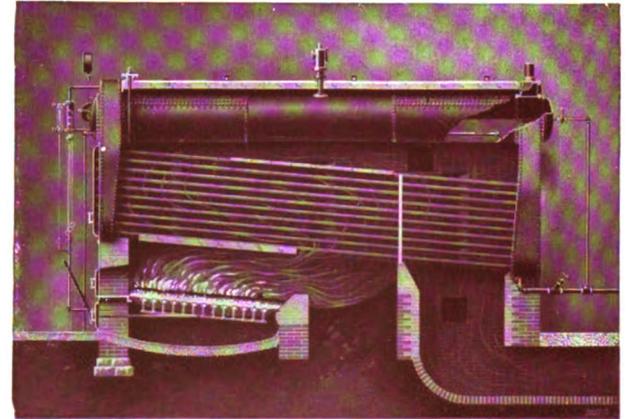
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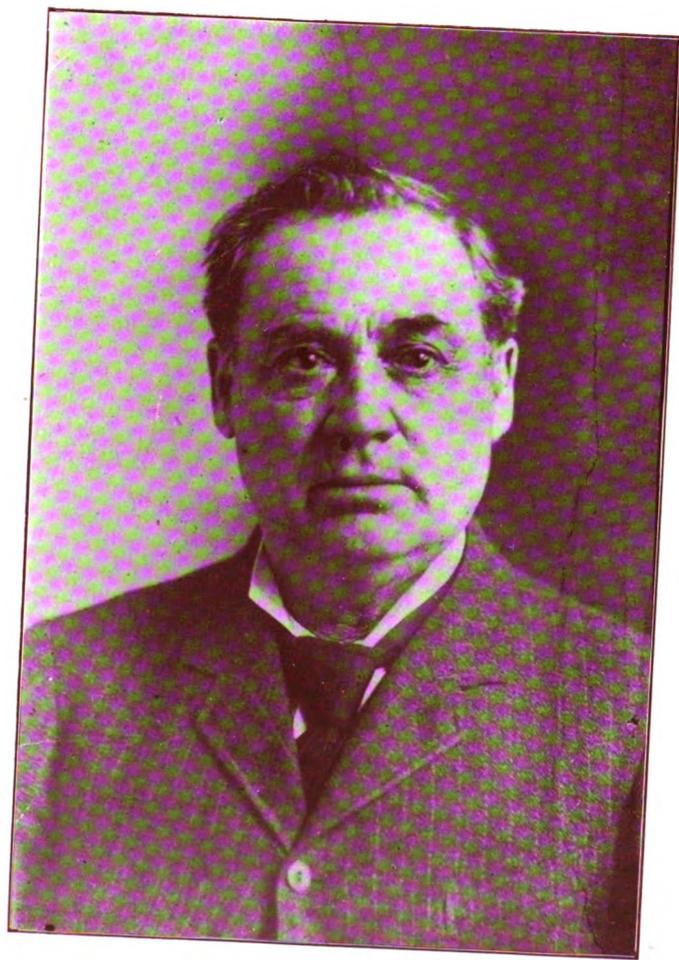
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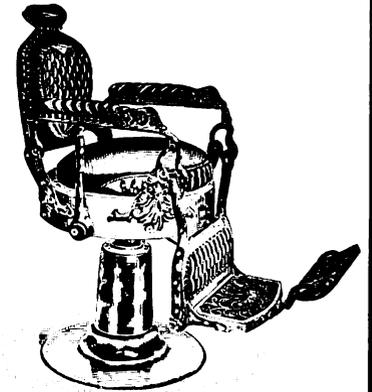
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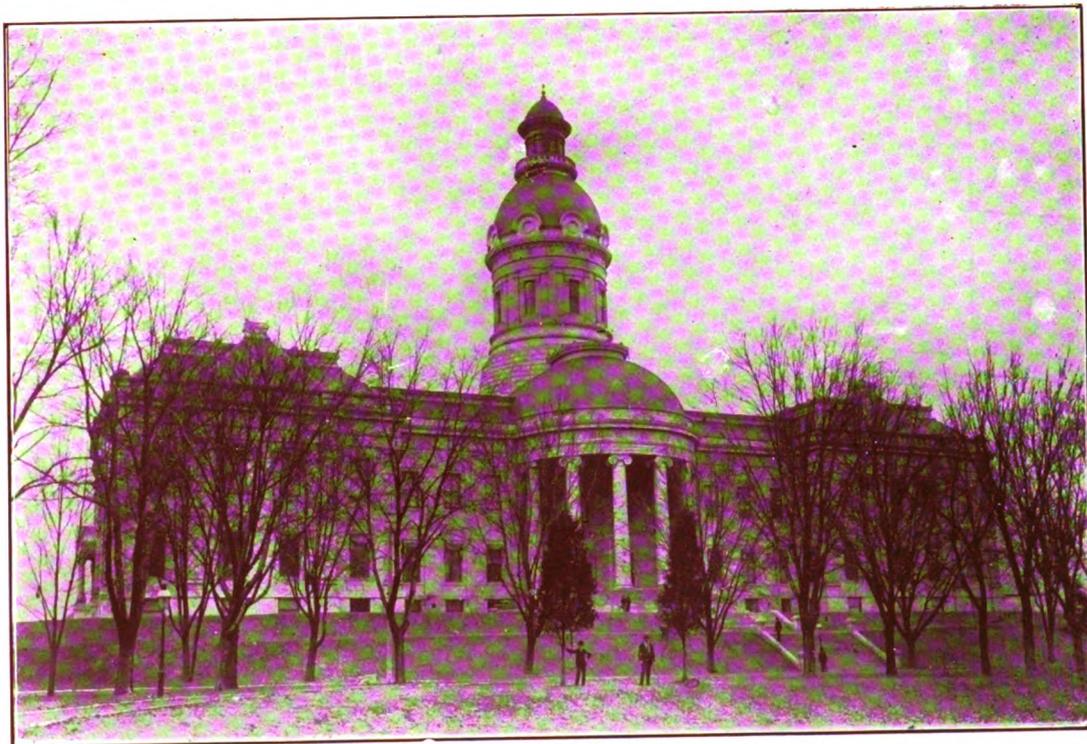
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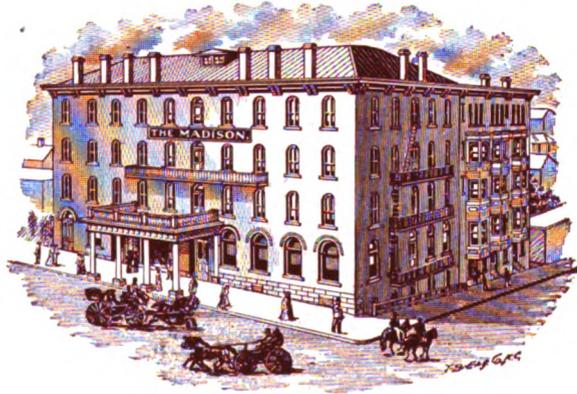
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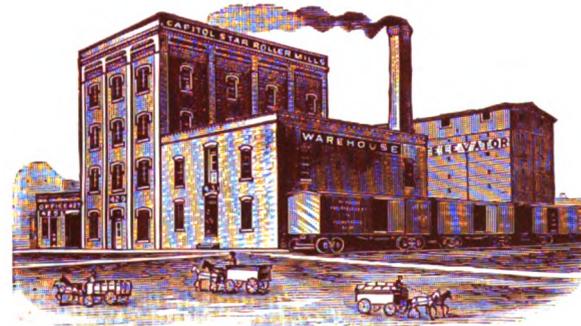
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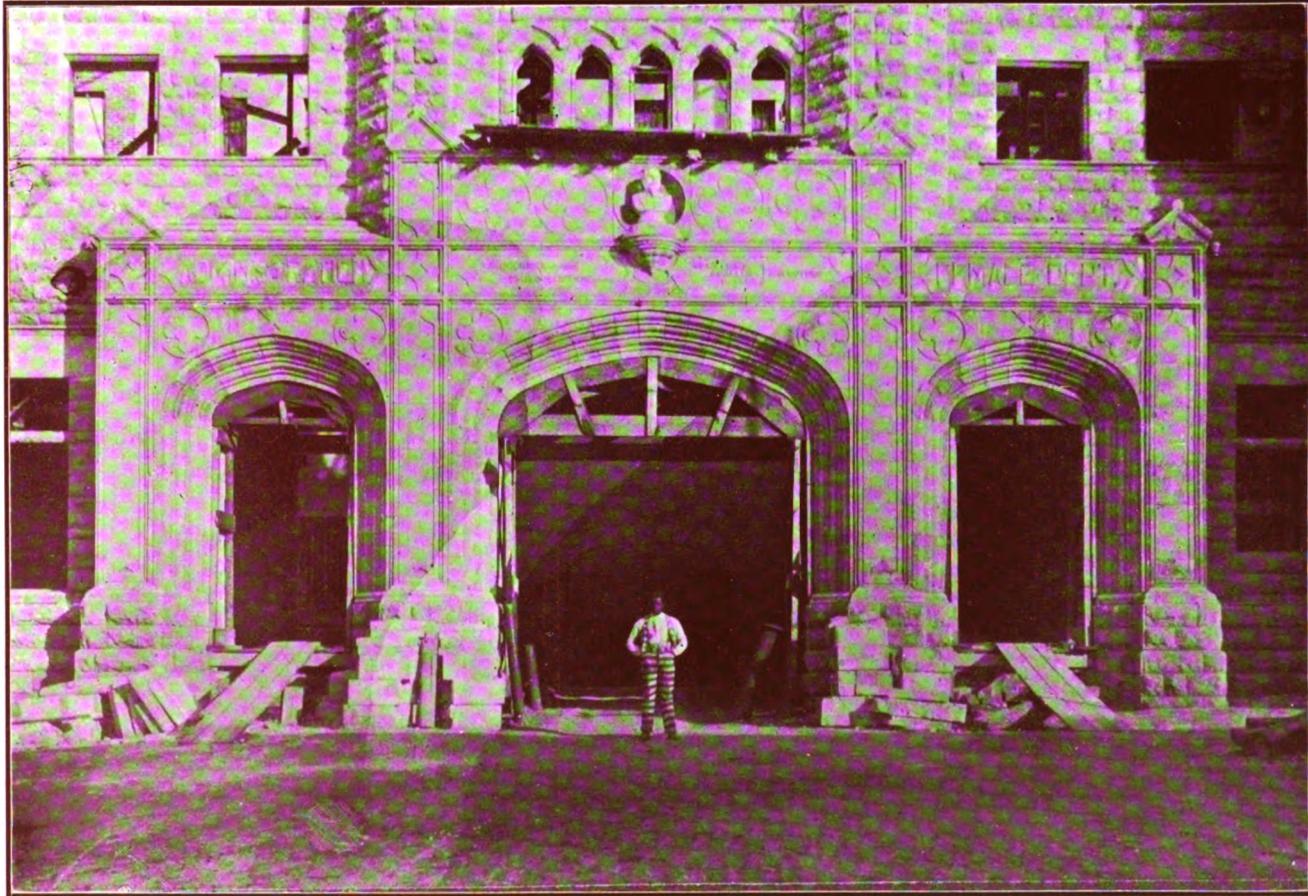
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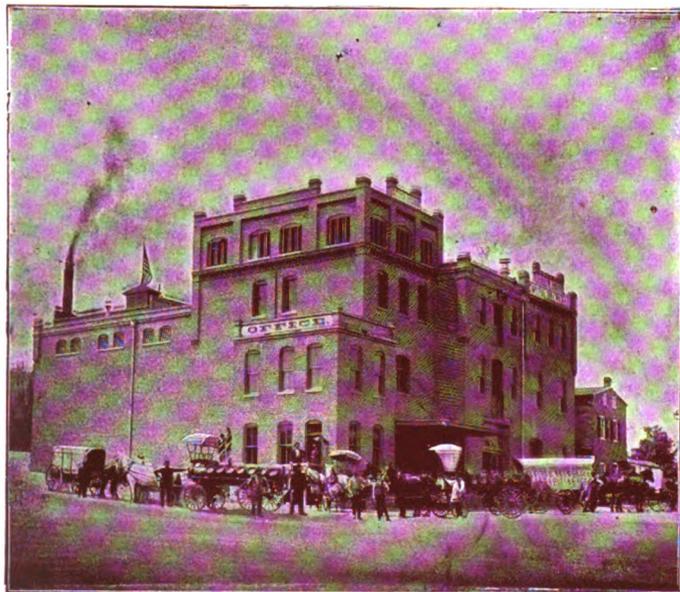
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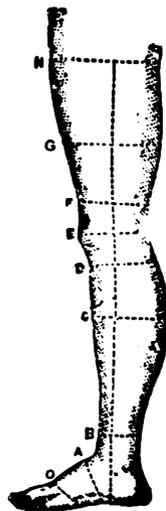
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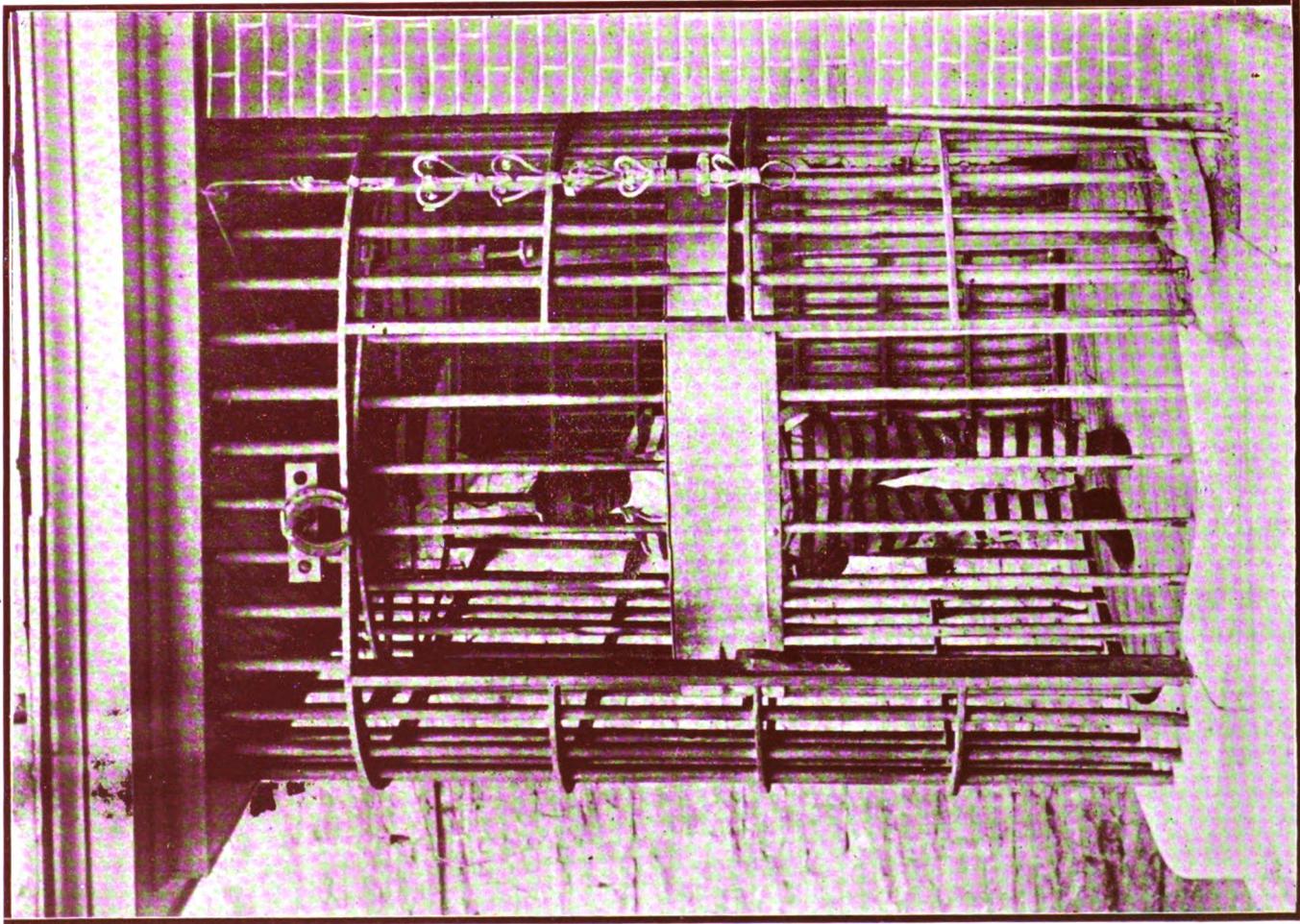
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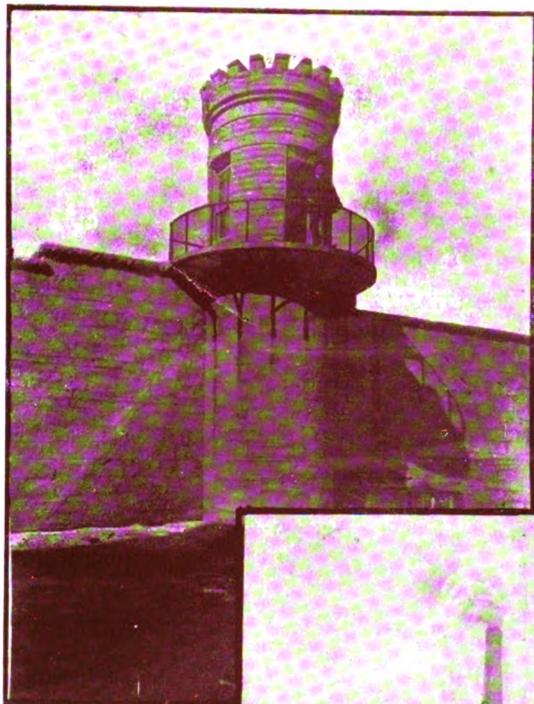
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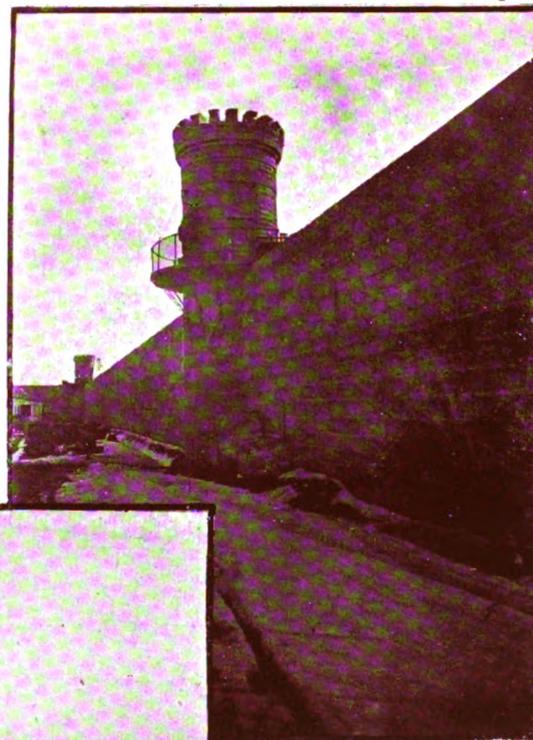
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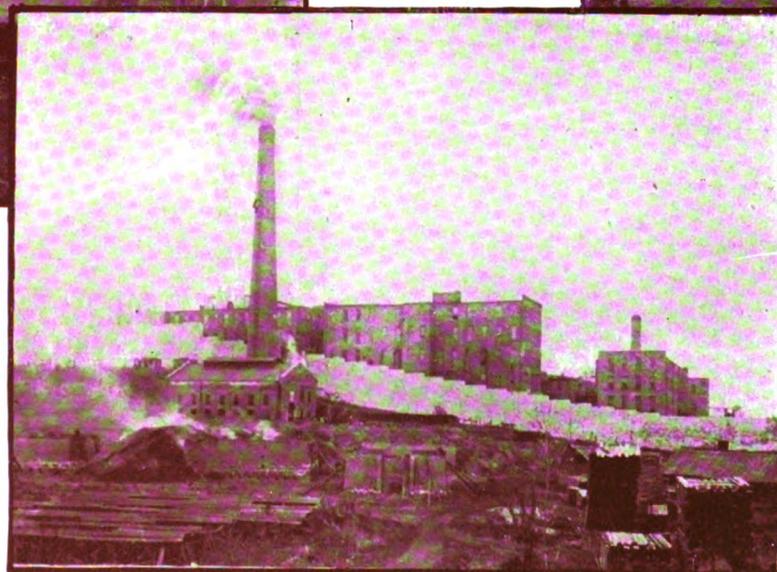
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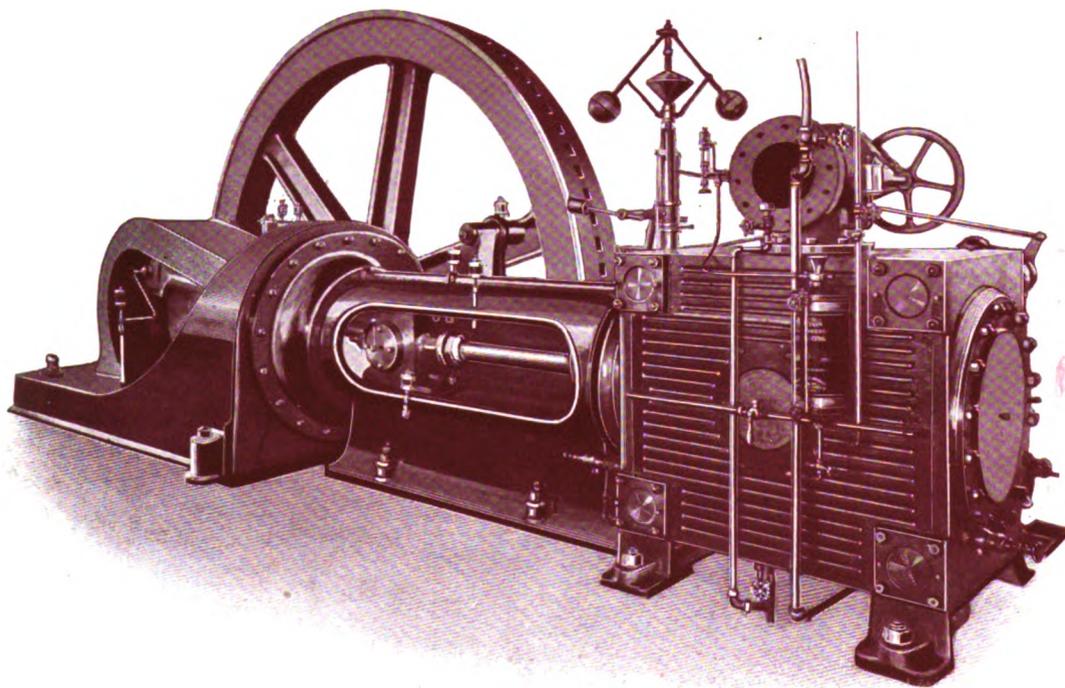
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*Section Outer Wall
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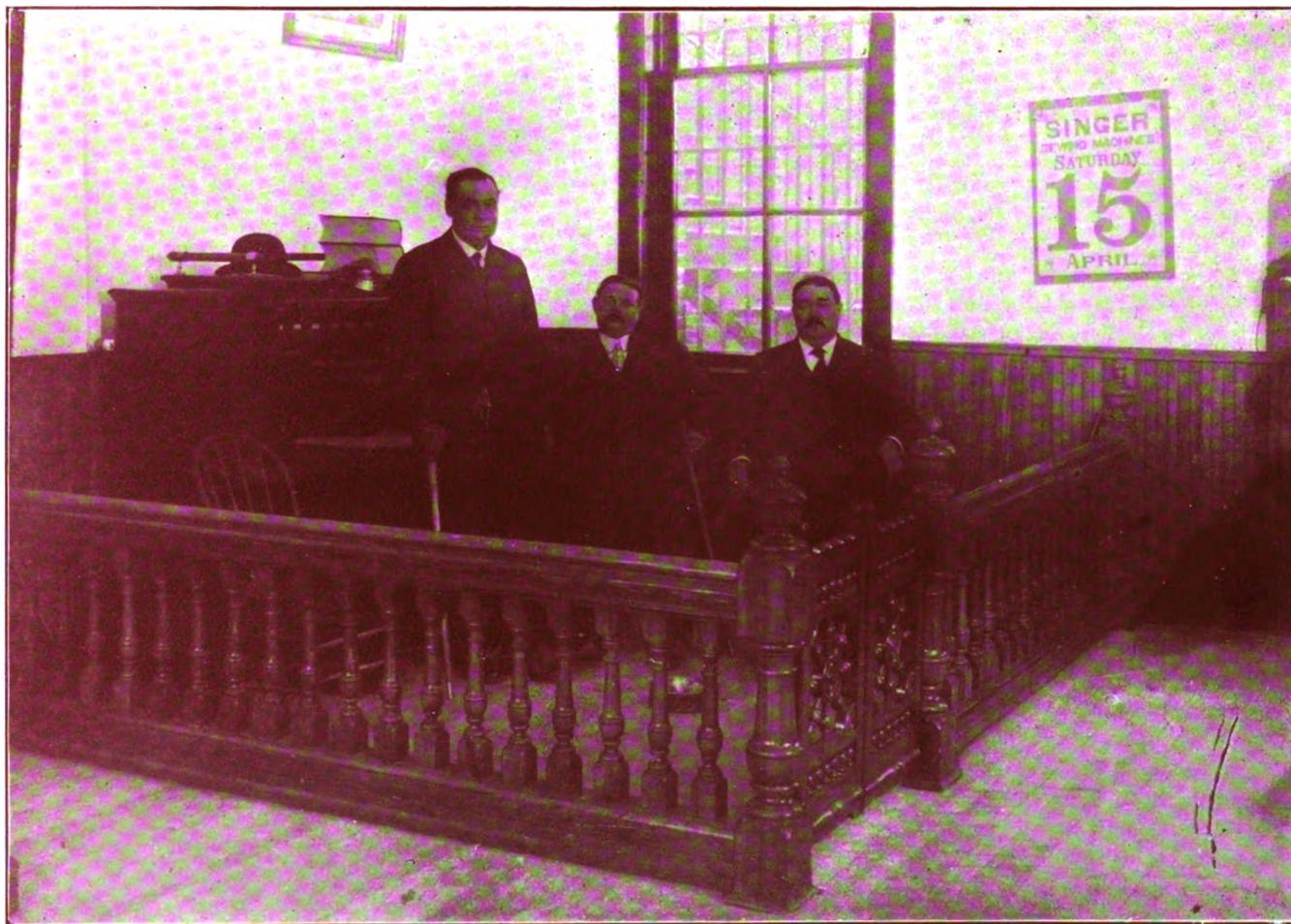
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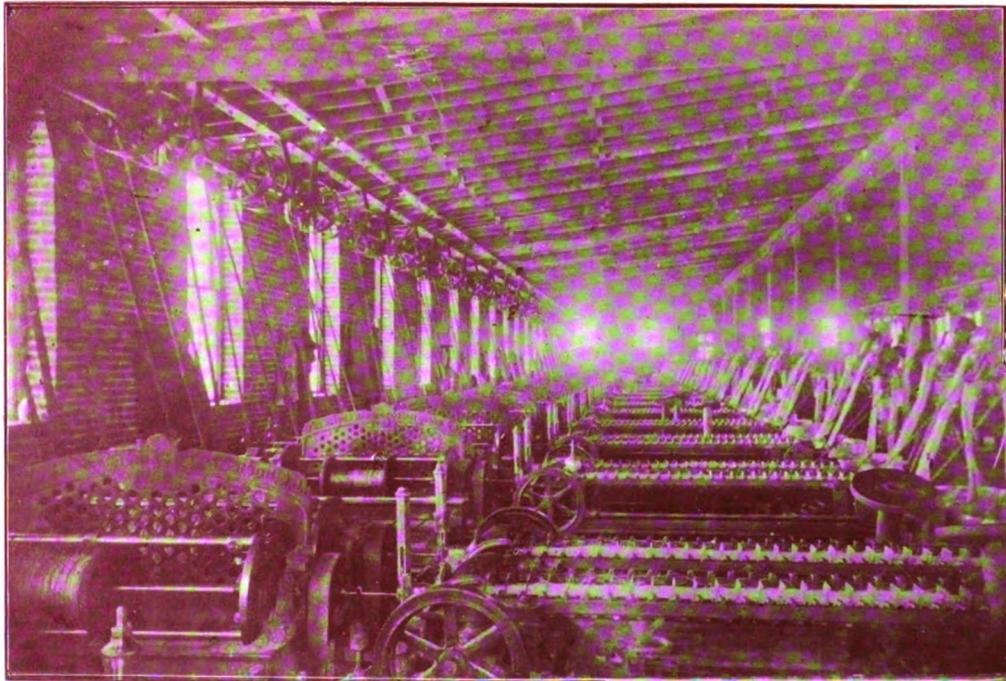
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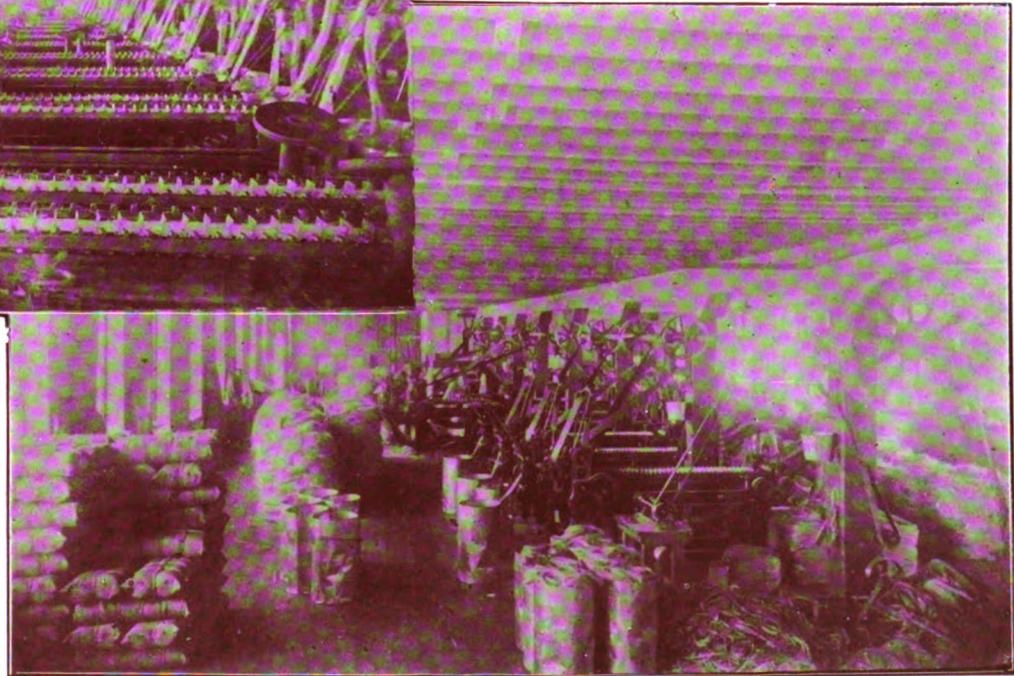
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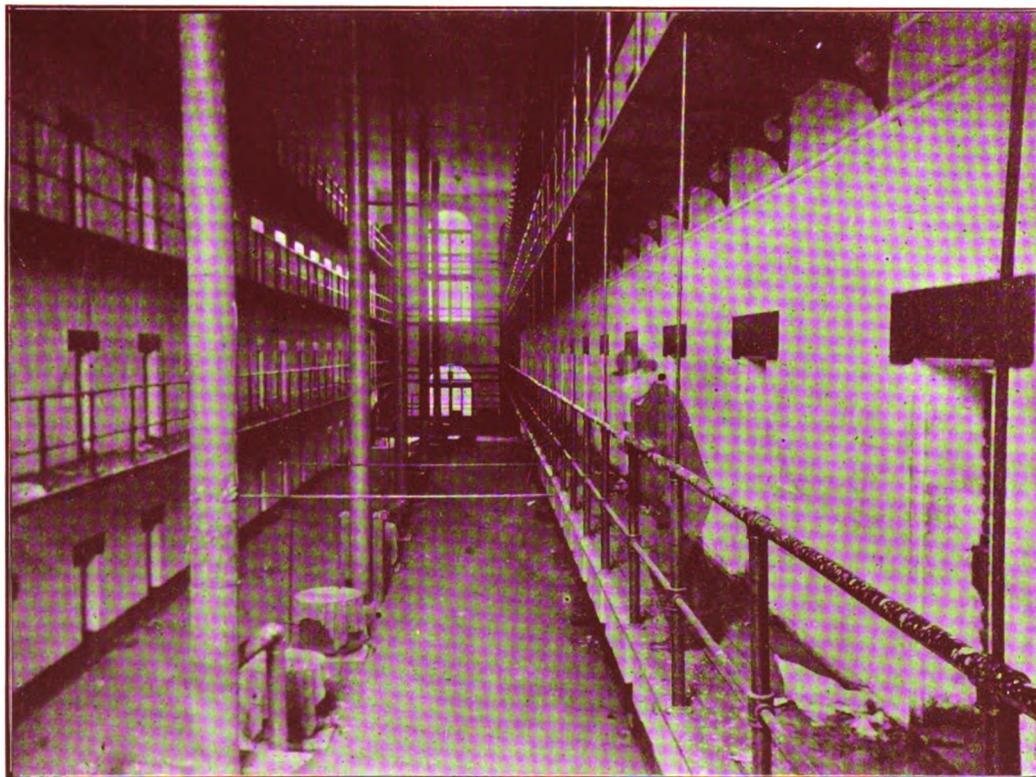
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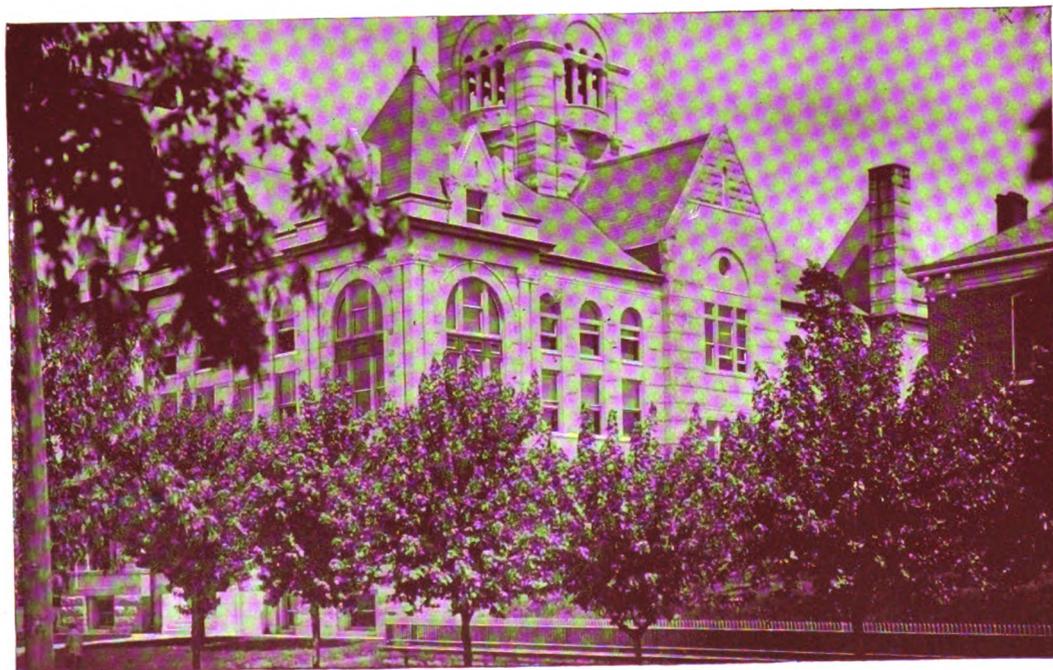
Interior View Cell House, "A" Hall, Missouri State Penitentiary.



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“Floral Court” looking towards Dining Room, Missouri State Penitentiary.



Cole County Court House, Jefferson City.

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