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PART ONE

THE PRISON ASSOCIATION IN 1913

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## PREFACE.

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FOR several years the Prison Association has presented its annual report in two parts. In 1912, the report contained, in addition to the report of the work of the Association for the year, the results of a study by Dr. O. F. Lewis, General Secretary of the Prison Association, of a number of foreign prisons and other correctional institutions. In 1913, Part Two of the annual report presented an exhaustive manual of the State's correctional system. This year the Prison Association of New York presents in considerable detail reports of inspections of correctional institutions, made by members of its staff. These inspections have been made possible, and will continue to be possible during the next two years, through the generosity of a number of gentlemen who have guaranteed the salaries of two assistant secretaries assigned primarily to this work.

The inspections, particularly in the matter of physical measurements, are given with considerable detail. Special care has been taken by the inspectors to secure accuracy of measurements, yet there are undoubtedly in some instances minor variations, not sufficient, however, to render of less value the facts as stated.

The report this year will in general be published in separate volumes. Those who receive but one volume can obtain the other by application to the Prison Association.





**THE PURPOSES**  
OF  
**THE PRISON ASSOCIATION OF NEW YORK**

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1. **The protection of society against crime.**
2. **The reformation of the criminal.**
3. **Protection for those unjustly accused.**
4. **Probation for first offenders.**
5. **Improvement in prisons and prison discipline.**
6. **Employment, and when necessary, food, tools, shelter and other assistance for released or discharged prisoners.**
7. **Necessary aid for prisoners' families.**
8. **Supervision for those on probation and parole.**
9. **Needed legislation.**
10. **Publicity in prison reform.**

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