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Article 220. Several prisoners should not be visited at the same time; but if on account of number it is impossible to avoid it, several may be in the conversation room at the same time, but not more than four. If their is not apt time, as indicated in art. 215, request shall be made to the Governor of the district for the necessary consent.

Article 221. The lists required under art. 216 shall be affixed outside the prison 3 days before the series begins. Likewise they shall be affixed in each one of the sections, at least in the parts where the convicts work.

Article 222. On their return to the section, after the visit, they shall be examined by the monitor to see that no prohibited articles are introduced.

Article 223. The convicts shall be able to communicate with their attorneys & with them during hours for them indulgence, commutation of penalty or conditional liberation, & for this purpose may appeal to the warden on day in the week. The visits shall be entitled in the conversation room of attorneys.

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General Rules.

Article 224. When an executive sentence is communicated to the prisoner, the judge, Tribunal or authority which has pronounced it, in view of the circumstances of the person, shall fix the treatment for the convict, conformably to the following conditions:

I. Convicts who have committed any an offense on occasion, under the influence of excitement or of passion, shall go directly to the division set apart for such, & shall live in common with the others sentenced to this division;

II. Criminals by habit or perversion, & those whose crimes reveal great perversity, shall be placed in isolation conformably to arts. 131, 132 & 134 of the Penal Code for 1 to 6 months, according to their antecedents & the gravity of their offense. On passing to the common division they shall not be placed with any prisoners mentioned in the previous paragraph.

In school the necessary sections will be formed, & special hours assigned, & they shall at least be collected in a gallery & not permitted to communicate with prisoners in other sections.

Article 225. When the judge, Tribunal or authority which has imposed the sentence has not designated the treatment, the warden shall ask for the orders & hold the prisoner in isolation till he receives them.

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Chapter IV.

[Encausados] Section of those on Trial.

Article 226. Persons on trial shall not be subjected to a fixed rule, save as ordered in this chapter, & shall enjoy the following immunities:

I. To employ themselves at work they may choose;

II. To receive food from without;

III. To keep in their room furniture & objects not forbidden, in proportion to their means, & which in the judgment of the warden do not present inconveniences.

Article 227. The food for those on trial shall from outside, shall be received between 11 & 12 daily, in baskets or bottles marked with the name of the prisoner or a ticket. These shall be received in presence of a guard, who shall keep a record and see that no contraband articles are introduced (see art. 55).

Article 228. At the same time that food is brought other permissible articles may be given to the persons on trial.

Article 229. Visits may be made weekly to persons on trial, in the order of the sub-warden's list. The first visit shall be on the day of admission, if there is request for communication, & if not, on the day following that when the is to begin.

Article 230. Visits shall be only in the communication room set apart for the purpose, in presence of a guard, shall continue an hour at most & be between 2-5 p.m.

Article 231. There shall be a place for interviews of the attorneys who are in an approved list of the warden.

To this room those on trial shall be conducted, first having a card signed by the attorney.

Article 232. The visits of attorneys may be verified each day, save in vacations of courts, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., & employes shall not be present. Notwithstanding, if the warden fears that there may be disciplinary offenses and infractions of the laws & of this Regulation, he may employ the means necessary to prevent the offense.

Article 233. The prosecutors may communicate with persons on trial on the same conditions as apply to advocates.

Article 234. To the bars of the tribunals only shall be conducted the prisoners summoned by the judges, by means of a ticket signed by them or their secretaries.

Article 235. At the entrance of the section shall be placed one or more summoners to call the prisoners. These callers shall be chosen from among persons on trial & have $3 a month for their remuneration.

Article 236. There shall be special departments for I. One for persons designated by the authorities which control them; II. one for the agents of police, judicial or administrative, for those also are liable for some charge connected with the penal branch.

Article 237. The distribution of food shall be at the same hours & on the same conditions as apply to the convicts. [? formando] the prisoners.

Article 238. The prisoners shall be locked in their respective halls, after the count, at 6 p.m., in the months October to February, & at 6 p.m. the other months of the year. From that hour to 6 a.m. the doors shall be locked with keys.

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Article 239. Non prisoners who are on trial may go from their department for work or visits only, & shall not be permitted to go out with a hat except when they leave the building.

Article 240. In each hall used as a dormitory there shall be a monitor in charge of order, & if there are more than 50 prisoners in the hall, there shall be added an assistant for each 50 prisoners or fraction of 25 or more. The assistants are responsible to the monitor. Further there shall be a superior monitor who, as head of all the others, shall care for the good order of the section. The superior monitor shall have $5 monthly pay, the monitors $2 & the assistants $1. The monitors & assistants shall be prisoners of the same section & shall be ruled by art. 209 & 211.

Article 241. Non on trial shall be regulated by art. 194-198 & 200-202.

Article 242. The Governor of the district shall dictate, by means of orders which he considers supplementary to this Regulation, the means which he thinks proper for the good order & security of the Section.

Chapter V.

Of the Section for Youths.

Article 243. This section shall be regulated by orders of the previous chapter, together with those contained in the following article.

Article 244. In this section there shall be a school in which all Youths shall take part who are not at work.

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The work of the school shall be from 8-12 a.m. and 2-5 p.m. Youths who are advanced in study shall be employed beside the general instruction.

Chapter VI.

[Detenidos]

Of the Section of Persons under Detention.

Art 245. This section is under the rules of Chap. IV, together with the following article.

Article 246. To the detained visits shall be permitted from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Chapter VII

Section for Political Prisoners.

Article 247. This section is under rules of Chap. IV, together with the legal requirements.

Chapter VIII.

[Separados]

Section of the Isolated.

Article 248. The prisoners of this section shall be divided into the following groups:

I. Culprits isolated by judicial order;

II. Those sentenced to death;

III. Habitual delinquents or of extraordinary penosity to whom of this par. II of art. 228 of this Regulation, & on whom isolation is imposed by par. VI-VIII of art. 95 of the Penal Code;

IV. Pederasts;

V. Those punished for discipline;

VI. Dangerous prisoners, those who must be isolated for the order & security of the prison, in the judgment of the warden & with the approval of the Governor of the district. In each of the

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groups shall be placed the individuals who belong them conformably to the orders of this Regulation.

Article 249. Prisoners of this section are subject to all the regulations which correspond to them, whether they are detained, or held, condemned to major or major arrest, to prison or to simple reclusion, but their conduction is modified by their relation to communication.

Article 250. All the detained at disposition of the common judges of the Federal District shall be isolated 3 days, without necessity of express order, and at the end of this time the isolation will be ended, also without express order. To cause the isolation to end before the 3 days, as well as to prolong it for a greater time requires an express order communicated in writing by the warden.

When any other isolation is in question different from that of art. 249 of the Code of Penal Procedure of the District, or as a general rule, which he must endure with his detention, either to impose it or end it, requires an express order of the judge. Isolation of the convicts shall be subject to art. 230 of the Code of Penal Procedure, and all things in relation shall be regulated by written orders of the judge.

Article 251. Those sentenced to death shall be subject to partial isolation; that is, they may not converse with other prisoners; but in the days & hours indicated in this Regulation for persons in bail, they may receive visits.

Article 252. The delinquents to whom refers par. III of art. 248. shall be entirely partially isolated according to the sentence of the Court.

Article 253. Pedernists & prisoners coming under par. III of art. 248 shall be partially isolated as in art 251; but if they are convicts [condemned] they always receive visits only

days shown fixed for that class of prisoners.

Article 254. Those under disciplinary punishment shall be totally isolated; that is, they may converse only with physicians, ministers of their faith, officers of the prison. Also the warden, in necessary cases, may permit communication with other persons.

Article 255. It shall be arranged that the cells designated for each of the classes enumerated in art. 248 shall be near the corresponding section of other proper classes of prisoners.

Article 256. When the number of prisoners who must be isolated exceeds the number of separate cells in the prison, several prisoners may be kept in the same room; but in no case shall be brought together those who is related by judicial order, nor the codefendants, & both shall be kept apart in separate cells.

Chapter IX

Of the Department of Women.

Article 257. The present department for women shall be subdivided into 3 sections: for the detained & on trial, the convicted & the isolated.

Article 258. Each of these sections shall be regulated according to the dispositions of the preceding articles, as in corresponding sections for men, with the exceptions of arts. 169, 170, 199 & 206.

Chapter X.

Of the Service of Identification & Anthropometry.

Article 259. There shall be taken an anthropometrical measurement of all prisoners discharged in the following enumeration:

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I. Those formally declared prisoners;
II. Those who, without formal previous declaration are condemned to a penalty exceeding 20 days;
III. Accused who are arrested pending trial.

Article 260. The anthropometrical measurement shall conform to the Bertillon system & include:
I. The following measurements: stature, arm, bust, longitudinal & transverse diameters of the head, length & width of the right ear, length of left foot, middle finger & [auricular] or little finger of the left hand & left fore-arm;
II Color of iris, expressed in the corresponding Bertillon number, from of [aureola] & color of the periphery;
III An impression of the center of the thumb, index finger, ring finger & little finger of left hand.

Article 261. The description of each prisoner shall be placed on a separate card on which shall also be written: I. Description notes in relation to the head & posterior part of the neck; face & anterior part of the neck; chest & abdomen; back; upper limbs; lower limbs; II. Number of page corresponding to the prisoner in the general register; III. Circumstances mentioned in para. I-X, art. 114.

Article 262. To the measurement cards of the prisoners shall be attached their photographs.

Article 263. When prisoners return a new card shall not be made, unless by lapse of time or for other cause there have been considerable changes which demand modifications in the description notes which cannot be placed with the previous ones.

Article 264. Aside from the case mentioned in the preceding article the new portraits shall be one

directed with the first card; yet so that the first portion shall not be made useless.

Article 265. The anthropometrical record shall be made, as a general rule the same day or at latest the day following that in which the prisoner has been included in the provisions of art. 259, if they are in prison; or, if they are first in a hospital, the record is made when they enter the prison. To carry this article into effect the warden shall daily send to the curator of the anthropometrical cabinet one or more lists of prisoners who are to be measured. The curator of the cabinet should make the signalements in the same or the following day, as provided; but should first print them marked by the warden in his lists as urgent.

Article 266. The cards are to be classified according to the Bertillon system, each being arranged for comparison with its proper group. If at the placing of the card it is evident that the prisoner has been recorded before, the new one will be placed with the older, & the signalement will be sent to the archives for its inscription in the general Register, the number & names inscribed on the older card being given.

Article 267. The service of the anthropometrical identification shall have a confidential character, & employes are prohibited to give the signalements or copies of documents without judicial order of the Governor of the district. The violation of this rule will be punished with a fine equal to the salary which the responsible person receives for a time not less than 8 days nor more than one month.

Article 268. The anthropometrical cabinet shall be in charge of the Medical Director, assisted by one of the physicians of the prison.

Chapter XI.

Of the Photographs.

Article 269. All prisoners shall be photographed who are finally sentenced to prison & those who are conceded provisional liberty.

Article 270. The photographic service may be under contract or under the administration; in either case subject to the following rules.

Article 271. Of each individual shall be taken two photographs of the bust, one of front view & face & the other of the profile, both of dimensions of 122 mm & 75 mm. In the portrait of the front view shall be seen the shoulders & in that of the profile the right side, care being taken that the ear & forehead shall not be concealed by hair. In both positions the head shall be uncovered, & care must be taken that the prisoners are not supplied with [Garafe?] handkerchiefs [Chemises?] mufflers, or any other protectional [Cuescada] [puffing] object which may conceal them. All the pictures shall be on a scale of one-seventh of the natural size, & be held in clasps [placas] 13 mm & 9 mm. The negatives shall not be retouched, & they shall be the property of the prisoner.

Article 272. Of each picture shall be made 6 copies for the judge or authority which committed the prisoner or conceded liberty, to the inspector general of police, to the Governor of the district, to the anthropometrical cabinet, to the Archives, & the last to form in the office of photography a collection of such copies, pasted & leaves of card, marked in numerical order corresponding to numbers in the

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anthropometrical cabinet. This collection shall not be taken from the files of photography, the photographers being responsible for their safe keeping.

Article 273. The orders for making the photographs shall be issued by the warden.

Article 274. All ~~copies~~ pictures shall be made at least in 4 days from the giving of the order; but those which the warden marks urgent shall be made immediately.

Article 275. The photographer shall be at the prison daily, except Sundays & national festivals, at least from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. & 3-4 p.m. to receive orders & make photographs.

Article 276. The photographer shall keep a book in which he notes the number of the consecutive orders corresponding to each plate, the name of the prisoner, the date of making the negative, the cause of imprisonment; the name of the prisoner & the number of the order & sentence being printed on the negative.

Article 277. The photographer shall be subject in the making of the portraits to the regulations given in preceding articles & other instructions of the chief of the anthropometrical cabinet.

Article 278. The service of photography is of a confidential character, & the photographers as well as the employes are forbidden to give out copies of pictures except on judicial authority or that of the Governor of the district. The violation of this article shall be punished with a fine equal to the salary of the culpable person for a period not less than 8 days nor exceeding one month, if an employe, and minimum $25 to $100.

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Chapter XII

The Archives.

Article 279. In the warden's office shall be kept these books: I. Of admissions; II. Of individuals declared prisoners; III Of individuals sentenced; IV. Persons liberated or for other reasons issued from the prison; V. Auxiliary books necessary in the judgment of the warden & the other books provided for in this Regulation.

Article 280. The book of admissions shall be kept according to art. 214, noting in addition the names of the father & mother, & in each case, the penal establishment or police inspection from whence the convict was sent.

Article 281. In the other books shall be entered the proper data, care being taken to indicate the personal ~~appelation~~ surname as well as the natural of the person.

Article 282. The general archives of the prison shall keep books called the Repistro General, in which a leaf shall be kept for each prisoner, beginning with the notices ~~post~~ required by art. 280, & setting down in chronological order the declaration of penal committal, sentence, or conclusion of the judge, the conveyance of prisoner, the end of sentence, & ~~&~~ where & all dates relating to the individual. ++ When prisoners are photographed the pictures shall be attached to the proper leaf & when a displacement is made it shall be copied. When a prisoner returns, a new page shall not be opened, ~~but~~ unless the previous entries have been cancelled, or when the person has not yet been identified at opening the new page; & as soon as identification has been made the entries shall be transferred to the first page, a note being

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placed in the other closing the account.

Article 283. Daily at 3 p.m. the warden shall receive from the archivist the books mentioned art. 279 in order to make entries for the day, which shall be closed in the evening & not taken from the archivist & his clerks upon (?) the termination. At the same time shall be delivered to the archivist the copy of the past corresponding to the previous day, & in general all the facts & documents which furnish the basis for the matter to be entered in the general register.

Article 284. In each part of the books of the wardens yard, & in each document delivered to the archivist, the number of the page shall be registered.

Article 285. All the folios of the general register shall be numbered in order, the numbers being continued from the previous book, & an index book shall be kept in which is noted the paternal & maternal surname of the prisoner & the number of his page.

Article 286. In addition to the index required in the preceding article, another shall be kept on cards which record the name & the paternal & maternal surname of the prisoner & the number of his page. These cards shall be kept in boxes especially suited to this purpose & in each alphabetical order, first the paternal surname, & then the maternal & after that his own name.

Article 287. The loss of any of these cards required in the preceding articles shall be a reason for suspension of the archivist from 3 to 15 days the first time, double period the second time & removal the third time.

Article 288. The archivist shall keep other books entitled (Ajustes). Settlements in duplicate by chronological order the date when the sentence of the prisoners

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express or in which notice must be sent to same authority. Daily notice shall be sent to the warden of the prisons in those books which refer to releases or arrest for the following day.

Article 289. The notices or orders of formal imprisonments, liberations or sentence received at the warden's office shall be delivered daily to the archivist for entering. He shall arrange them in packets, by months & years. The other documents are sent to the same office & shall be delivered to the archivist immediately upon their arrival.

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Article 290. The books kept in the warden's office shall be delivered to the archivist immediately after they have been finished.

Article 291. The archivist shall remain in the prison long enough to complete his work. The clerks of the archives shall be under the immediate direction of the archivist, & shall perform under his inspection all the work which belongs to them.

Article 292. The archivist shall make all the entries with great exactness, & in case of doubt about any of them, upon making the entry, he shall inquire in the warden's office, the anthropometric cabinet or the judge, tribunal or authority, for data & necessary information. While he is waiting for these information he shall make the entry provisionally in a book entitled the "book of pending entries" (Libro de asientos pendientes).

Article 293. Prisoners shall not enter the archives, but may have necessary communications with the archivist through a grating.

Article 294. The door of the archives shall remain closed during the time the archivist is there, &

when he goes out he shall lock the door & deliver the key to the warden.

Article 295. The rooms where the books & the general registers & the archives shall be securely locked, & the key shall be in possession of the archivist & not allowed to any person for any reason. If the books have a certificate it shall be known only to the archivist, the warden & the Governor of the district.

Article 296. The archives are subject to regulations Part. 267.

Article 297. The archives remain open from 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and from 3:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.; even if the work is not completed the archivist will portray the letters up to 8 p.m.

Chapter XIII,

Of the Medical Service.

Article 298. The medical service includes:
I. Care of imprisoned persons: II Care of persons injured within the prison; III. Making inspections & rendering of certificates required by law of this Regulation; IV. Watching of hygienic conditions of the prison & especially prevention of epidemics.

Article 299. Sick or wounded persons shall be helped only by the medical men of the prison, & may seek outside physicians only & written permit from the warden & the direction of the medical service,

Article 300. The Director & the physicians shall be graduates & have had at least 2 years practice in this profession. The internes ("practicantes") should be students at least in the 3rd year of medicine.

Article 301. The internes who have stood the last exami-

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ration of the medical course, shall cease from their employment at noon in the afternoon three months after having taken the examination; & those who the day following the closing of the inscription for the judicial courses do not present a card of inscription in the course corresponding & previously attended, shall be kept out.

Article 202. There shall be, also, two adjunct physicians who have the required qualifications of the principals & may be substituted for them in case of temporary deficiencies, in an order of numbering, & shall receive salary only when on duty. When for any reason the place of a principal is vacant, the adjunct shall occupy it in the order of numbering.

Of the Director.

Article. 303. The Director shall be subordinated in everything concerning the medical service, the physicians, assistants, the one in charge of medicines & the sick.

Article 304. It belongs to the Director, I. To care for the sanitary condition of the prisons, & give information to the Governor of the district, thro' the Warden, of the means necessary to correct evils which he has observed; II. To see that proper sanitary measures are taken, & watch especially on disinfection of halls; III. To inspect the food given the prisoners, & call attention of the Governor of the district, & the Warden, to any defects; IV. To see that the service is correct & punctual & that the books are kept; V. To examine orders for medicines from the dispensary & see that all is of good quality; VI. To see that the instruments, utensils & medicines do not go to the

employes of the prison, but only to assist the prisoners; VII. To keep an inventory & in alphabetical order, of names & numbers of all instruments & utensils of the service. A duplicate of this inventories shall be kept by the Director & the original shall remain in the prison; VIII. To examine orders given to substitutes; IX. To [crossed] in the medical service in case of accidental dispensing of the medical men or ~~guards~~ nurses, when this can not be cont otherwise; X. To distribute all orders necessary for a good service; XI. To give an account to the Governor of the district, of the Warden, of all new events which affect the order of the service; XII. To send to the Governor of the district of the Warden on the 15th of January statistical information of the service of the previous year; XIII. Other matters imposed by this Regulations or other legal rules.

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* Of the Physicians

Article 305. It belongs to the physicians:
I. To make calls from 8-10 a.m. each day; II. To keep from the watches in each rooms. The service of the ~~guard~~ watches imposes the duty, in addition to daily visits, of assisting at the prison from 4-5 p.m., to assist any time of day or night when required by the Warden, with the cases which cannot be cared for by infirmers or nurses, & in general, to perform all duties which belong to the service. The order of watches may be changed by the physicians with [with] consent of the Director; III. Dictates to the infirmers the medical prescriptions by which they [ordinata] assist [assistenti] in the arrangement of the prescription list; IV. Authorizes the certificates of decease, wounds & other whatever else is necessary; V. To [crossed] on with that the infirmers, under

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his responsibility keep with exactitude & clearness the order & prescription list, & the book of certificates of wounds, & attend the prescription list with his signature on the day of his service; VI. To give on occasion the information requested by judges & tribunals, the Governor of the district & medical men & the medico-legal Council; VII. To on test the sentences, the apothecary & the sick houses fulfill their duties; VIII. To assist in the councils of his colleagues & aid them in operations; IX. To report to the Director in writing any faults in the service which he has noticed, & indicate a remedy which he believes proper; X. To be present when officials at capital punishments & attest them; XI. To keep the daily book of service & of the watches; XII. All other duties required by this Regulation & their legal rules.

Article 306. In preparing certificates the physicians shall proceed with the greatest prudence, fixing the details of each case with exactness, expressing the reasons for their judgment with the clearness necessary to make them the basis of further medico-legal investigations. Physicians shall abstain from attesting with their signatures any document made by witnesses, unless they have themselves made the investigations necessary for an opinion, & then they are personally responsible for their proper acts.

Article 307. The physician of a watch is personally responsible for everything which occurs which he is on duty & he may not entrust his tasks to any other.

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Of the Interns

Article 308. It is the duty of the Interns:

I. To keep their watches in exact time, which they may not change without consent of the Director, who

shall assume in writing. The watches shall be 24 hours, & shall be entered at 8 a.m., & one may not leave his post until the person who is to succeed him has assumed his place; II. To attest in the proper book on the day of his watch, that he has been constantly present; III. To do for the sick that technical knowledge requires, & not entrust it to the nurses; IV. To write out clearly the orders, prescriptions & other data which must be made. These documents should be distinctly written, without corrections or [Salvades] ? . . . . or scratchings, avoiding blots, & correctly mixed; V. To accompany the physician on his rounds, visits & execute his orders; VI. To note the decisive crisis, paroxysms & wounds, & decease, & passes to the hospital director & the physicians; VII. To place in the prescription list the forms ordered by the physicians; VIII. To see that the nurses give the medicines to the prisoners who are cared for in the infirmaries, & if they notice any fault to advise the physician who is on the watch; IX. To arrange when he comes on the watch a case of surgical instruments & appliances, ready for use, a thermometer, a syringe of Pravaz & a pair of forceps of Pean.

Article 309. The interne of the watch is responsable for all that occurs in the medical service, in the absence of the Director & of the physician of the watch.

Article 310. The interne of the watch shall not go from the room for any reason, shall assist in all cases & have immediate charge of a wounded person in the absence of the physician of the watch.

Article 311. The interne shall advise in writing when it is necessary to summon the physician of the watch, if the case is grave & above his skill, & the fact shall be precisely stated.

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Duties of the Apothecary.

Article 312. The duties of the apothecary are: I. To attend to the medicines from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. each day; II. To make an inventory in alphabetical order of all utensils & medicines in the store, & another book in which shall be daily noted the medicines supplied; III. To care for the neatness & order of all that is in the shop; IV. To see that no medicine is wanting & to give due notice of such; V. To make a sign in a proper book the wanted medicines & present it to the Director for approval; VI. To make a monthly list of the medicines needed & used, & give it to the warden who sent to the Governor of the district a copy approved by the Director; VII. To place in the ? Article of all medicines sent not the name of the prisoner & the use; & VIII. To give not no medicine which is not prescribed by the physicians or by the internes of the watch; IX. To see that the medicines & instruments remain in the shop. Medicines of value or dangerous shall be kept under a key & he alone may remove it when needed. In the night he give the key to the interne who is responsible for giving medicines during the night.

Article 313. The apothecary or chemist is responsible & should replace anything lost or broken by negligence or fault. Such responsibilities shall be fixed by the Director.

Article 314. No one, outside of the medical service, shall handle the utensils or the medicines.

Article 315. The nurse in charge may have an assistant named by the Director on approval of the Director.

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One of the prisoners in trial (encausados) who maintains good conduct may be named assistant.

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The Nurses

Article 316. In each infirmary there shall be a head nurse named by the Warden, on the suggestion of the Director, & who shall be chosen from among the prisoners of good conduct.

Article 317. The head nurse must be able to read & write & have aptitude for the discharge of his duty. His duties are; I. To accompany the physician on watch in his round of visits & take down the prescriptions for each prisoner; II. To fulfil all the orders of the physician on the watch & the prescriptions, & in case of doubt, to consult the interne of the watch, to decide; III. Personally to give the medicines to the nurses who assist in the infirmary; IV. To see that the assistants give the medicines at the right time; V. To treat the sick with kindness, & meet their wishes as far as possible; VI. To see that the assistants treat the sick in the same way; VII. When the recipes are filled & signed to carry them, together with the vessels to the apothecary; VIII. To distribute personally the medicines first to the sick in the infirmary, & then in order to each one who comes to him for counsel; IX. To watch constantly that the bed, clothes, linen, instruments & the infirmary in general are in good order; X. To execute the orders of the physician or interne relative to the service, & keep an account of new events which occur in his department; XI. Not to permit prisoners to enter the infirmary to talk with & disturb the sick, not those employed to assist in the service; nor no one should

of the infirmary except those who have duties there; XII. To visit at any time of the night when their services are needed; XIII. To advise immediately the internes of the watch in respect to any event which occurs [illegible] medical service; XIV. To take turns in the night with the nurses in order to care for the sick; XV. To see that the [expunged] caretakers [illegible] clean the infirmaries as many [illegible] times as is necessary to keep them in a proper state of cleanliness; XVI. To see that the [expunged] caretakers fulfil their duties, do not destroy the utensils & furniture, give information to the Director of any abuse which they commit that he may take the necessary steps; XVII. To keep an inventory of the utensils & furniture of his department, & to give each month a statement of their condition; XVIII. Not to eat or give objects which are in his care without a written order of the Physician or the interne of the watch; XIX. To replace the utensils or furniture which are lost or injured by his fault, according to the judgment of the Director.

Article 38. There shall be at the service of each infirmary two ~~orderlies~~ nurses or caretakers, designated by the Warden on the suggestion of the Director, who shall be under the immediate orders of the head nurse, & be selected from among the prisoners of good conduct.

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The duties of the caretakers are: I. To cleanse the utensils of medical treatment & the infirmaries as many times as necessary; II. To treat the sick with kindness. He who transgresses this rule shall be deprived of his charge & be punished by way of discipline; III. To aid the sick in what is

necessary, when they cannot get no close; LXV.
To be on watch at night in each Room.

Of the Infirmaries

Article 319. That all sick person may enter an infirmary requires an order from the Physician or Assistant, in writing, the visitors or others. The isolated prisoners when sick are cared for in their separate cells.

Article 320. No sick person shall remain in the infirmary a longer time than is necessary for recovery, in the judgment of the Physician of the watch.

Article 321. All the sick shall remain in bed & may rise in the day only when the Physician orders.

Article 322. No patient shall go to visit or write friend when his infirmity permits, in the opinion of the Physician.

Article 323. It is forbidden the sick to bring into the infirmary articles, furniture, tools or work which cause trouble or disturbance.

Chapter XIV

Of the General Staff of the Employes.

Article 324. The corps of employes of the General Prison shall be as follows: (clerks)
? I. The Warden; II. Deputy Warden; III Monitors; IV. Administrator; V. Book-keeper; VI. Archivist; VII. Clerks; VIII. Physicians, of whom one shall be Director of the medical service; IX. Internes; X. Apothecary; XI. Teacher of men; XII. Teacher of women; XIII. Barber; XIV. Servants.

The salaries of these employes as well as their number may vary; they shall be annually fixed by
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Article 325. All the employes shall be named

by the Secretary of the Government on nomination of the Governor of the district. The Warden in his turn presents persons whom he considers suitable, when monitors & clerks are in question, and the Director of the medical service nominates physicians, nurses & apothecary. Excepted from this article are the barber & servants, whom the Warden appoints, with approval of the Governor.

Article 326. The Secretary of the Government may at any time remove the Warden & the other employees of the Prison. The Warden may (General) discharge the barber & laborers when he thinks best.

Article 327. The Governor of the district & the Warden, in case of some fault, may suspend at once any one of the employees, immediately giving ~~notice~~ on account to the Secretary of the Government, that poca que si lo encuentran
, of the definition of the culprit & the name of the substitute. probable

Article 328. The Warden may concede permission to employees not to present in the prison for 3 days, if they have sufficient reason; but in no case may permission be conceded to the same employee to be absent for more than 3 days in one month.

Article 329. The Governor of the district will be able to concede permission to the Warden & other employs of the prison to be away from duty 15 days; but no one may authorize an employee to be absent more than 15 days in one semester.

Article 330. To license for a greater time than that designated in the previous article, a written request goes to the Secretary of the Government, first applying to the Warden of Medical Director, according to the case,

upon ~~the~~ [illegible] of them presented by the Governor of the district. At the application a substitute shall at once be proposed. The concession of permits shall be subject to the proper laws.

Article 331. Every employee, in leaving his post, shall formally deliver to an inventory to his substitute all valuable objects in his charge, as well as of the prisoners under his custody. This delivery shall be by the medium of the Warden or Deputy Warden, or by the Warden himself for the persons designated by the Governor of the district.

Article 332. The employee who, without securing a permit or having resigned, or upon the substitute is present & upon his makes the delivery required in the previous article, abandons his post & and charge, shall be arrested as responsible for the misdemeanor of abandoning his employment, & the Warden shall give notice of the fact to the Governor of the district.

Article 333. When an employee is conceded a permit for absence for a time not exceeding 15 days, a substitute shall not be named, unless the Secretary of the Government considers it indispensable for the good of the service, the following general rule being observed: I. The Warden and Deputy warden shall supply each other's place; II. The ministers and clerks may take turns at discharging the duties of those who are absent; III. The Administrator and Accountant shall supply each others' places; IV. The auditor's place is taken by one of the Clerks detailed for the archives; V. The physician take each others' places, as also the sisters, & one of the latter is substitute for the apothecary; VI. The woman teacher of women shall be

to be supplied by one of the assistants of the clerk, & the teaching of men by a monitor.

Article 334. The employes who, being prevented against for acts or responsibilities relating to the discharge of their duties, have been confined in prison, shall receive half their customary salary during the time of their detention, & if they are absolved they shall receive all that belongs to them. If they have been condemned to any corporal punishment, for this alone they shall be removed from their employ, but after repetition they may not obtain employment in any other prison.

Article 335. The Warden shall keep a book which shall be called "the Pass of Service of Employes", in which, setting apart a page for each employe, he shall note the date of his nomination, his task, his promotions, the permits he requests, with a remark on them enacted, & in general all that throws light on his conduct & abilities, terminating with his removal & the cause of it.

Article 336. All employes are held to fulfil the duties assigned to them in the preceding chapters of this Regulation, & parties to fulfil the duties imposed by the following articles:

Article 337. The Warden shall indicate daily in an Order of the Day the distribution of the service & watch among the monitors & Clerks, as well as the orders & decisions they have to execute. Especially must be determined the monitors who come the night watch and the Clerks who are to keep guard in the middle of the day. The disciplinary penalties imposed on the employes he shall likewise place in the Order of the Day, & all actions which the Warden considers

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proper knowledge.

Article 338. The Order of the Day shall be made known to the evening & for this purpose shall be placed in sight in the Warden's office.

Article 339. The Warden shall render to the Governor of the district each day, upon 10 a.m., a report in which, in relation to the preceding day, he shall give specific details of the number, the admissions & exits of prisoners, & in which he shall mention the decisions & orders which he has dictated in relation to the service, the faults committed by the employes, & in general, all the new occurrences in the prison. The form of this report shall be fixed by the Governor of the district.

Of the Warden & Deputy Warden.

Article 340. There shall be kept in the Warden's office a copying book, in which shall be copied by a press the reports referred to in the previous article, & in general, all the official communications sent by the Warden.

Article 341. It belongs to the Warden, as superior head of the prison, to dictate in respect to the economic & internal order, all means which will promote security & order in all things not provided for in this Regulation, in supplementary decisions dictated by the Governor of the district, nor in other rules.

Article 342. The Warden shall remain constantly in the prison without going away, except for grave cause and urgent reasons for the service or by order of the Governor of the district a judge, or by permission

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of the Governor.

Article 343. The Deputy Warden shall be the second head of the prison, shall assist the Warden & perform all the duties and labors delegated to him. The Deputy Warden shall take the place of the Warden in his absence, if he gives him permission & perform his tasks ~~in~~ during ~~employe~~ his work, or when he is ill, or for other cause is away, until a new Warden is named.

Of the Monitors (Guards).

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Article 344. The Monitors shall have charge of the security & good order of the prisons. The Warden, in making distribution of work among them, shall assign them as is necessary for each one of the departments or stations & for the services of greatest importance. The guard entrance of the prison, as well as that of the stations for convicts, and detained, & department of women, shall be watched carefully of the Monitors. [azoteas] Nine shall be Monitors who are to watch the flat roofs, the rooms for interviews & other places which, in the judgment of the Warden, should be the object of special care.

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Article 345. There shall be Monitors of the 1°, 2° & 3° class. To be a Monitor of the 1° class it is necessary to have discharged satisfactorily discharged the duties of the 2° class, at least for 6 months; so also the named to this class it is necessary to have been Monitor of the 3° class for an equal time. The most important services shall be assigned to Monitors of the 1° class, & those of less importance to the 3° class; the Warden in each case determining the class of the Monitors that should be entrusted with the service.

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Article 346. The Monitors shall take their meals in the prison and may not go away from their posts which have been committed to them, unless previously relieved, at least by urgent necessity, when they may retire from the post for a time strictly necessary, taking with himself the keys of the department which belongs in his charge & leaving it secure.

Article 347. The Monitors shall remain in the prison from 6 in the morning till 7 at night. They shall give immediate reports to the Warden or Deputy Warden of any abuses and offenses noted & bring them to attention, & at night shall give reports in writing of any new occurrences in the service.

Article 348. The teachers of the Schools shall be considered as Monitors, & in addition to their special obligations, shall hold them which correspond to their offices as instructors of the prisoners.

Article 349. The Monitor of the ~~dep~~ isolated prisoners, in addition to his special duties, shall have the following:

I. To hold in his keeping the keys of the cells;

II. To give out food to the isolated ones;

III. To see that they do not communicate with each other nor with persons outside, save as permitted by this Regulation;

IV. To receive a written order from the prison authority, or from the Warden, without which he shall not obey any order, to place a prisoner in seclusion or to release him to his department;

V. To record in a book all orders received, as also the exit of prisoners from his charge. In the same book there shall be made an

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Monday of each week a general list of all prisoners found in the department, specifying the date of entrance & the authority which ordered the measure.

Article 350. The ministers charged with watching the general entrance to the prisons, the sections of their entrance, or bail, & the women's department, shall have the following duties, in addition to their general tasks;

I. To note in a book kept for the purpose the entrance or exit of each prisoner. When a prisoner has gone out of a department or section returns to enter on the same day, the notice of his entrance shall be made on the margin with that of his exit;

II. Not to permit any prisoner to go out without written order of the Warden; or if it is a question of going out to the pratios of the tribunals or to the interviews with the advocates, without order of the judge or his secretary, or without a card signed by the counsellor in such a case. During the visits of the authorities to the prisons these prisoners will be permitted to go out whose presence is required by a previous order of the authority who makes the visit.

Article 351. All Ministers to whom any department or section is entrusted must note in a book kept for the purpose the names of all prisoners under their custody. Each Monday of each week there shall be written in this book a list of the prisoners present.

Article 352. All the ministers in turn shall keep watch at night; & for this purpose shall be divided into groups & each number as the Warden thinks necessary for night duty,

Mexico (78) under the orders of the Warden or Deputy Warden. who also shall alternate in this duty. The mounted men on night guard shall retire at 7 a.m. & not return to service until 6 a.m. of the day following.

Article 353. All the Ministers shall use a Club, which, besides the Governor of the district orders, shall be armed with pistols provided by the prison.

Article 354. The Ministers & other employees are responsible for all offenses committed in their department or section, unless they give notice promptly or use means necessary to prevent them.

Article 355. The officers of the employees of the prison shall be punished by the Governor of the district, by fine & suspension of the employee, according to the gravity of the case; & if there is any misdemeanor the person shall be committed to the proper authority.

Article 356. On Sundays & national holidays the Warden shall determine how many Monitors shall be on guard. This service shall be performed in turn, & among them who have Day duty shall be taken, also in turn, them necessary for the night watch.

Of the Administration

Article 357. The Administrator shall have charge of the employment, guarding, distribution, & inspection all that relates to the funds and property of the prison, & consequently it belongs to attend to all which refers to the following branches:

I. Food of the prisoners;

II. Work of the prisoners and shops;

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III. Furniture, utensils, pictures and articles for the service of the prison or of the employes or prisoners, if the use is for the prisons;
IV. Disbursements of the prisons
V. Payment of wages of employes;
VI. Repairing buildings & construction of new departments.

Article 358. The purchase of materials, & whatever is necessary shall be made by the Administrator, on approval of the Governor of the district, in the following cases:
I. Contracts for supply of meats;
II. Purchase of rice, beans, corn, flour, grain & other articles of food;
III. Purchase of materials for building, furniture, books, writing materials or any others, provided that the amount do not exceed $100 or the articles in no manner do not exceed that quantity.

Article 359. The approval of the Governor of the district may act on the basis of a contract negotiated by the Administrator or consist in an authorization for him to proceed on a certain fixed basis of price, form of payment, etc.

Article 360. No contract shall be celebrated in virtue of which an obligation will be contracted for another fiscal year, or to be fulfilled in a year different from that in which the contract is made.

Article 361. The determination of the wages to be paid to the prisoners who labor on prison account, or the prices for articles ~~foods~~ made by them, shall be made by the Administrator in agreement with the Warden, whose approval shall be made known in writing.

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Article 362. The Administrator shall not approve any payment not previously approved by the Governor of the district, & therefore he shall send on the 20th day of each month to the Governor of the district a budget of payments which must be made the next month. The Governor shall send back the proposal with his approbation & modifications at latest on the last day of the month. For the payments made in the course of the month & not included in the budget, a special approval of the Governor must be procured.

Article 363. When it is a question of payments for articles received, the payments shall not be authorized unless the proper invoice or receipt signed by the employee has been received.

Article 364. The Administrator shall not make any loans to the employees or servants of the prison, nor any advances on their accounts or credits.

Article 365. The effects or articles destined for the use of the prison or prisoners shall not be received by the Administrator without a written order of the Warden & a receipt signed by the Warden or by the employee indicated in the order. The Administrator shall be responsible for every reception verified without requisitions, & he shall be required to replace the articles.

Article 366. The Administrator shall keep receipts for all articles of value or moneys or goods which come to the hands of the prisoners, & he shall be personally responsible for negligence if anything is lost.

Article 367. The Administrator shall

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He shall have as many assistants as is necessary; in all cases keeping account of the convicts who work, of the quantity they deliver, of the product of their work, for a reserve fund or for the payment of their civil obligations. He shall keep a special account of each shop & of the food in the form that is necessary to determine with all exactness the results of each workshop & the average cost of the rations.

Article 368. The proceeds of the work of prisoners shall enter quincadalmente into the Municipal Treasury of Mixco for safe keeping. In making the deposit the Administrator shall state precisely how much belongs to the reserve fund of the convicts, how much to the civil responsibilities (claims) & how much to imprisonment of prisoners.

Article 369. Monthly there shall be a balance of the general books of accounts & all the auxiliary books. The balances shall be remitted to the Governor of the district in the first 8 days of the following month.

With the balances shall also be remitted to the Governor of the District a summary or general statement of the operations of the administration in the month, giving all the data necessary for an exact idea of its course, & especially the following: Value of the articles made by the prisoners; amounts of daily payments, of materials bought & consumed & the sales of manufactures; quantity & value of each one of the articles consumed for food; cost of each ration of the diet; amount of salaries paid and expenses disbursed during the month; & cost & expense per prisoner per month. The form & date of this statement

shall be appoints by the Governor of the district.

Article 370. In addition to what is provided in this Regulation the Administrator shall submit all that relates to the distribution of funds, approval of payments, [illegible] of the [illegible] funds and rendering of accounts, the regulations in effect for the public employees who manage the federal funds, & the orders received from the Secretary of [illegible] or from the General Treasury of the Federation.

Article 371. The Administrator shall be aided in his labors of administration by the bookkeepers & clerks as [illegible] is necessary. For the service of the [illegible] Cellars [bodegas], kitchens & workshops he shall have under his orders persons necessary, whose number and remuneration shall be fixed by the Governor of the district on suggestion of the Administrator.

Article 372. The Administrator, as head of all the administration service shall be charged with dictating all the measures necessary for the security & good management of the funds & valuables of the prison, distributing & regulating the labors as is most convenient. When it is necessary, because his measures may affect other services, he shall consult the Warden, who shall be informed of the ~~Orders~~ Affairs of administration & for whose use all necessary documents shall be provided, which are sent by the Governor of the district, as well as all the advice that he thinks necessary.

Article 373. In the administration of ~~the~~ food the Warden shall daily send to the Administrator a ticket which shall designate the number of rations necessary for the following day in view of the

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present population & the probable admissions & discharges. To avoid having more rations than is necessary the Warden should make a list of the prisoners in trial who do not receive rations from the prison & deduct from his requisition this number of rations.

Article 374. The Administrator & the Book Keeper shall be compel to conform their management to the regulations of the matter.

Of the Clerks.

Article 375. The clerks shall be assigned to the different posts of the prison according to the necessities of the service. Those assigned to the archives, to the administration & to the anthropometrical cabinet shall be subject to the orders of the respective heads & give themselves to the corresponding labors.

Article 376. The clerks assigned to the post of the Warden shall keep in books lists of entrances & departures of prisoners, declarations of penal imprisonment, sentences & other decisions which have been communicated to the Warden, & attend to other labors of writing & correspondence in the post. They shall come at 8 a.m. & go away at 7 p.m., altho the Warden may permit them to go earlier if there is no further work to be done. For dinner they may go out from 1–3 p.m., but during this time ~~each~~ one in his turn shall keep guard.

Article 377. The assignments of the clerks shall be made by the Warden, with a hearing of the heads to whose service ~~the~~ each assignment is made, & modifications in the same ~~form~~ (way) may be made at any time.

When there is a new task in any branch of the service, & the Warden shall order clerks in another branch to assist, if it can be without injury to the work which belongs to them & within the hours fixed by the Warden, they shall aid in the office when there is the work; the work required & assigned shall have the preference, but not excluding.

Of the Servants.

Article 378. Of the servants of the prison one shall be appointed to ~~stand~~ at the door gate keeper of the Warden's Wife & the other as guard. The servants shall be under the orders of the Warden & discharge their duties according to rules made by him.

Chapter XV.

General Regulations.

Article 379. On Monday of each week after Thursday, if in the opinion of the Warden it is necessary, shall be issued the utensils & materials for the labor of prisoners & the other articles sent them by their families. All the articles and materials distributed for a prisoner shall be placed in one parcel, which shall be marked with his name. If too large they may be divided into several parcels. Articles prepared by prisoners & sent out shall be delivered on Wednesday & Saturday of each week.

Article 380. Each day from 8 to 9 a.m. shall be received & sent the letters for & from prisoners.

1860 (85) The distribution of food shall be made simultaneously in all departments & sections of the prison.

Article 382. On Sundays & national festivals the ~~tasks~~ schools shall be suspended & work shall not be obligatory except with them other permitted or other things which may not be interrupted. On the morning them may be churches or moral subjects, without reference to any special confession, given by persons authorized for this purpose by the Governor of the district. These addresses shall be given in the places assigned to schools; but prisoners of different sections may not be brought together.

Article 383. The hour of rising, of taking food, of dining & suspending labor & silence shall be announced with three strokes of the bell. The arrival of the physician shall be announced with 4 strokes of the bell.

Article 384. The utensils & articles necessary for cleansing & service of the prison shall be received weekly by the Administrator of the employes & in the prison determined by the warden (art. 365).

Article 385. The lash or any other violent physical punishment shall be employed. The guards, monitors & assistants may use their clubs only when assaulted or to prevent the commission of a crime or offense; in these cases, & to subdue resistance & exact obedience to orders they may employ straps, manacles & other appliances or similar implements, & without maltreating the prisoner may make it impossible for him to do mischief or ~~start~~ violence.

Article 386. Outside of the regulation ~~in~~ art. 44

no fm person shall pass further than the room fr conversation nor penetrate to places reserved fr prisoners. The Governor of the district may give special permission to visit the prison & such visits may be authorized ~~by judges~~ on Thursdays from 2 to 5 p.m., unless the Governor indicates expressly in the permit another day or hour. The visitors shall abstain from conversation with the prisoners.

Article 389. When an offense has been committed in a place of the prisoners refuse to declare who has done it, all those in the same place or at least all who presumptively ~~have~~ may be the actors or know the culprit, shall be punished as doers of the act.

Article 388. Youths condemned to reclusion in an establishment of penal correction, conformably to art. 7, in a house of correction, shall be sent on order fm the Executive to the Warden.

Article 389. Criminals condemned shall not go out from the prison without express order of the Governor of the district, dictated upon request of the judicial authority, upon when the convict appears in a trial where a corporal procedure is necessary & which cannot be properly made in the prison.

Article 390. The established workshops for the making of cigars for the special consumption of prisoners shall continue, & no cigars made elsewhere shall be consumed in the prison.

Article 391. The Governor of the district shall have power to give all necessary orders for the good order & security of the prison, when no provision has been made in the penal Regulation or in other orders.

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Title III

Of the prision (Carcel) of the City of Mexico.

Chapter I.

Article 392. The prison of the City shall depend upon the Secretary of the government & shall be immediately in charge of the Governor of the district. Its expenses shall be entirely covered by the Municipality [Ayuntamiento] of Mexico.

Article 393. In the prision of the city shall be observed the provisions of Title I of this Reglation & others contained in the following articles.

Article 394. The prison shall be divided into two departments: one of men & another of women, & each one of them shall be divided into three sections, one for the detained [detenidos], another for the condemned & another for the isolated, for the prisoners who are placed in isolation [separos] for disciplinary punishment.

Article 395. The regimen to which prisoners of this prison shall be subjid shall be that established in the present Reglation in its Title II for the detained & for the condemned on minor arrest found in the General Prison.

Article 396. Food for the prisoners shall be distributed by the General Prison, which shall be paid

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[quincenalmente] of the magistracy according to its actual cost price. The Warden of the City Prison shall send daily to the Administrator of the General Prison &, before 5 p.m., a note stating how many rations shall be needed the next day. In the same note he shall certify the receipt of rations already distributed. These notes shall be collected as vouchers in the liquidation [quincenalmente] presented to the Magistracy for payment.

Article 397. The employees of the City Prison shall have the same duties & be subject to the same rules as those of the General Prison in all that relates to their respective charges, with such modifications as are made necessary by the difference of purpose & organization of each prison.

Article 398. The Warden shall form a monthly budget of expenses of the prison for the month following, & send it before the 20th day to the Governor of the district that he may communicate it to the Magistracy with his approval & his modifications, that it may be included in the budget of the Municipality & ordered paid. For the unforeseen & urgent expenses which occur during the month, the Warden shall [adding] the Governor of the district, & if this officer considers the proposition well founded, he shall transmit it to the Magistracy to be ordered paid. The Warden shall be charged with keeping the salaries as well as the distribution and charge of the expenses, & shall render [quincenalmente] his account to the Administration of the municipal taxes.

Mexa (89) Article 399. The corps of employes shall be as follows:

	Annual salary.
I. Warden - - - - -	$ 120.00
II Deputy warden	100.00
III Official archivist in charge of books	60.
IV Two clerks. each	50.
V Two Monitors, 1st class, each	50,
VI. Four " 2 " "	40.
VII. Ten servants	25.

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Article 400. The nominations shall be made by the Governor of the district, who may at any time remove the employes. Permission to absent over 3 days shall be asked of the Governor.

Article 401. When it is necessary to make some modification in the corps, whether in regard to the number or salaries of employes, the Governor of the district shall direct to the Secretary of Mexico a memorandum of the changes & reasons in the assignment of funds for the expenses of the prison.

Temporary orders.

Article 1° This Regulation shall be in effect on the day that the Penitentiary of Mexico is opened, & from that date all the rules relative to penal establishments shall be abolished.

Article 2°. The plans referred to in art. 149 shall be formulated for the first time & sent up to the Governor of the district within 2 months after the promulgation of this Regulation. The work essential to be finished in the prisons for the fulfillment of this Regulation shall be terminated at the latest Dec. 31 of the current year.

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Article 3° For the time the corps and salaries of the employes of the General Prison shall be assigned on the proposal of the Governor of the district, by the Secretary of the Government, who shall decide whether the present employes of the present municipal prison of Mexico shall continue to serve or he shall make the nominations necessary to complete the corps which is ~~for~~ decided on.

Article 4°. Convicts who, in virtue of the order in the penitentiary list of Art. 77 of the Penal Code, shall be assigned by judicial sentence to the outside works, shall be sent to this work, not being subject to art. 172 of this Regulation.

Therefor I order that it be printed, published & circulated & be executed. Given in the Palace of Executive Power of the Union, in Mexico, September 14, 1900. Porfirio Diaz.- To C. General Manuel Gonzalez Cosio, Secretary of State & of Affairs of Government. ....

Liberty and Constitution. Mexico. September 14, 1900

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Regulations of the Penitentiary of Mexico.

"The earlier part was "Reglamento de Cárceles".

Secretary of State and Affairs of Government.

(Second Section)

Chapter I.

Of the Object of the Penitentiary.

Art. 1°. The Penitentiary is designed exclusively for the ~~admission~~ confinement ..... (vannelo?) who are classified as follows: I. Those condemned to extraordinary imprisonment; II Recidivists condemned to ordinary imprisonment; III. Those condemned to ordinary imprisonment for 3 years or more; IV. Those condemned to imprisonment under 71, 73 of the Penal Code, whatever may have been the prison in which they have served; V. Those condemned to imprisonment who, for their incorrigibly bad conduct in the General Prison of Mexico have been assigned to the Penitentiary by the Warden of said prison, with the approval of the Governor of the Federal District.

Art. 2°. The provisions of the previous article include not only the convicts condemned by the judges or tribunals of the Federal District, but also those condemned by the judges & tribunals of the Federation resident in the City of Mexico, if the latter are in the General Prison when the sentence is pronounced.

Art. 3°. When the Warden of the General Prison considers it proper that any convict who is guilty of incorrigibly bad conduct shall pass to the Penitentiary he

his amendment or contrast, he shall give information to the Governor of the district, who, after an examination of the convict's record, shall grant or refuse his approval. If the order is affirmative the Governor shall order the transfer of the convict.

The Governor is also able to give order himself, without necessity of initiative from the Warden, that convicts of rigid conduct be consigned to the Penitentiary, if he judges it necessary in view of the information.

Art. 4°. The convicts who should serve their term in the Penitentiary & shall be sent to it are:

I. Those included in paragraphs I to III of art. 1°, as soon as the Governor of the district has communicated the proper writ;

II. Those included in par. IV of the art. cited, as soon as the Warden of the prison in question has real information in respect to the judgment which caused the retention, even when an appeal has been interposed;

III. Those included in par. V of the same article, when the Governor of the district has approved the request of the Warden & ordered the transfer.

Art. 5°. When from lack of disposable cells in the Penitentiary it is not possible to receive all the convicts consigned to it under art. 1°, the convicts not received shall remain in the General Prison until they can be admitted to the Penitentiary. As soon as there are all disposable, the prisoners whose admission has been deferred shall be received in the order in which they are classified in art. 1, and, if several are included in the same division, those condemned to a longer term shall be preferred.