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REPORT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF POLICE, 29 PEMBERTON SQUARE,
BOSTON, Dec. 1, 1904.

To His Excellency JOHN L. BATES, *Governor.*

YOUR EXCELLENCY:—The Board of Police for the city of Boston, in compliance with the provisions of chapter 323 of the Acts of 1885, has the honor to submit the following report of the work of the police department for the year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

THE DEPARTMENT.

Officers.

The police department as at present constituted is composed of:—

Board of Police,	3	Matrons of station houses,	7
Clerk of the Board,	1	Director of signal service,	1
Superintendent of police,	1	Assistant director of signal	
Deputy superintendents of		service,	1
police,	2	Foreman,	1
Chief inspector,	1	Signalmen,	6
Captains,	21	Mechanics,	3
Inspectors,	26	Linemen,	5
Inspector of carriages (lieu-		Driver,	1
tenant),	1	Chauffeur,	1
Lieutenants,	36	Groundman,	1
Sergeants,	60	Firemen on police steamers,	8
Patrolmen,	1,005	Van drivers,	2
Reserve officers,	100	Foreman of stable,	1
Assistant keeper of city		Hostlers,	11
prison,	1	Assistant steward of city	
Matrons of house of deten-		prison,	1
tion,	4	Janitors,	19

Distribution of Force.

The distribution of the force is shown by Table I. On November 30 there were 4 vacancies, viz., 2 sergeants, 1 patrolman and 1 assistant keeper. During the year 171

officers were appointed (including 98 reserve men) and 1 reinstated, 15 discharged (including 1 reserve man), 19 resigned (including 6 reserve men), 29 retired on pension and 10 died. (See Tables III., IV., V., VI.)

POLICE OFFICERS INJURED WHILE ON DUTY.

The following statement shows the number of police officers injured while on duty during the past year, the number of duties lost by them on account thereof and the cause of the injury:—

HOW INJURED.	No. of Men Injured.	No. of Duties lost.
In arresting prisoners,	24	236
In pursuing criminals,	10	50
In quelling disturbances,	10	90
By slipping on ice,	8	136
By stopping runaways,	4	37
By cars and other vehicles at crossings,	5	190
Various other causes,	21	305
Totals,	82	1,044

WORK OF THE DEPARTMENT.

Arrests.

The total number of persons arrested was 50,265, against 43,033 the preceding year, being an increase of 7,232. The percentage of increase or decrease was as follows:—

	Per Cent.
Offences against the person,	Increase, 6.17
Offences against property, committed with violence,	Decrease, 5.65
Offences against property, committed without violence,	Decrease, 4.33
Malicious offences against property,	Decrease, 16.12
Forgery and offences against the currency,	Increase, 12.96
Offences against the license laws,	Decrease, 14.05
Offences against chastity, morality, etc.,	Increase, 25.53
Offences not included in the foregoing,	Increase, 20.50

There were 5,257 persons arrested on warrants and 42,632 without warrants; 2,376 persons were summoned by the court, 47,345 persons were held for trial and 2,920 were released from custody. The number of males arrested was 44,688; of females, 5,577; of foreigners, 23,251, or,

approximately, 46.25 per cent. : of minors, 5,947. Of the total number arrested 18,030, or 35.86 per cent., were non-residents. (See Tables X., XI., XII.)

The nativity of the prisoners was as follows:—

United States,	27,014	Wales,	32
British Provinces,	4,161	East Indies,	2
Ireland,	11,065	West Indies,	72
England,	1,459	Turkey,	43
France,	91	South America,	10
Germany,	393	Switzerland,	12
Italy,	1,397	Belgium,	46
Russia,	1,377	Africa,	6
China,	456	Hungary,	7
Greece,	384	Asia,	22
Sweden,	735	Arabia,	2
Scotland,	715	Mexico,	6
Spain,	33	Syria,	3
Norway,	219	Armenia,	6
Poland,	157	Australia,	4
Austria,	93	Japan,	3
Portugal,	64	Roumania,	1
Finland,	82	Egypt,	2
Denmark,	71		
Holland,	20	Total,	50,265

The number of arrests for the year is 50,265, being an increase of 7,232 over last year and 11,028 more than the average for the past five years. There were 33,511 persons arrested for drunkenness, being 5,754 more than last year, and 9,806 more than the average for the past five years. Of the increase in drunkenness this year 21.77 per cent. were males and 12.72 per cent. females. (See Tables XI., XII., XIII.)

Of the total number of arrests for the year (50,265), 1,216 were for violations of the city ordinances; that is to say, 1 arrest in 41 was for such offence, or 2.41 per cent.

Fifty-seven and twenty-eight hundredths per cent. of the persons taken into custody were between the ages of twenty and forty. (See Table XIV.)

The number of persons punished by fines was 13,808, and the fines amounted to \$111,383.41. (See Table XIII.)

Ninety-nine persons were committed to the State Prison, including 4 persons sentenced for life, 5,985 to the House of Correction, 95 to the Women's Prison, 160 to the Re-

formatory Prison and 1,018 to other institutions. The total years of imprisonment was $3,177\frac{6}{12}$, the total number of days' attendance in court by officers was 38,963 and the witness fees amounted to \$10,435.61.

The value of property taken from prisoners and lodgers was \$73,996.24.

One hundred and one witnesses were detained at station houses and 83 persons were accommodated with lodgings, a decrease of 9.78 per cent. from last year. There was an increase of about 18.44 per cent. over last year in the number of insane persons taken in charge, an increase of about .44 per cent. in the number of sick and injured persons assisted and a decrease of about 5.85 per cent. in the number of lost children cared for.

The average amount of property reported stolen in the city for the five years from 1900 to 1904, inclusive, was \$120,969.01; in 1904 it was \$124,792, or \$3,822.99 more than the average. In the same period the average amount of property reported stolen in and out of the city which was recovered by the Boston police was \$269,316.93; in 1904 it was \$346,831.79, or \$77,517.86 more than the average.

The average amount of fines imposed by courts for the five years from 1900 to 1904, inclusive, was \$96,700.40; in 1904 it was \$111,383.41, or \$14,683.01 more than the average.

The average number of days' attendance in court was 32,909; in 1904 it was 38,963, or 6,054 more than the average. The average amount of witness fees earned was \$8,872.13; in 1904 it was \$10,435.61, or \$1,563.48 more than the average. (See Table XIII.)

Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

The "Rogues' Gallery" now contains 19,593 photographs, 14,368 of which are photographs with Bertillon measurements, a system used by this department during the past six years. In accordance with an act passed by the Legislature March 28, 1899 (chapter 203, sections 1 and 2), we are allowed photographs, with Bertillon measurements, of all convicts now in the several prisons in this State, and of

those who have been confined there and who are measured under that system and photographs taken, — a number of which have already been added to our Bertillon cabinet. This, together with the adoption of the system by this department in 1898, is and will continue to be of great assistance in the identification of criminals. A large number of important identifications have thus been made during the year, for this and other police departments, through which the sentences in many instances have been materially increased. The records of 1,266 criminals have been added to the records kept in this Bureau, which now contains a total of 27,397. This Bureau has issued 385 prison reports of discharged convicts, containing the full records, description, distinguishing marks, etc., of 232 convicts who were discharged during the year, and whose records were considered of sufficient importance to preserve. Other police departments were furnished with 143 copies of these reports. The number of cases reported to this office which have been investigated during the year are 11,759, — 6,598 of which are recorded on the assignment books kept for this purpose, and reports made on these cases are filed away for future reference. Letters and telegrams, to the number of about 2,000 yearly, are now filed with the numbered reports to which they refer, so that all the papers pertaining to a case can be found in the same envelope, thus simplifying the matters when information is desired on any case. The system of indexing, adopted by this Bureau for the use of the department, now contains a list of records, histories, photographs, dates of arrests, etc., of about 76,000 people; there are also "histories and press clippings," now numbering 5,590, kept by this Bureau, in envelope form, for police reference.

The statistics of the work of this branch of the service are included in the statements of the general work of the department; but as the duties are of a special character, the following statement will be of interest: —

Number of persons arrested, principally for felonies,	1,061
Fugitives from justice from other States arrested and delivered to officers from those States,	25
Number of cases investigated,	11,759

Number of cases of homicide and supposed homicide investigated, and evidence prepared for trial in court,	32
Number of days spent in court by officers,	3,363
Amount of stolen property recovered,	\$240,796 43
Amount of fines imposed by court,	4,432 00
Number of years' imprisonment imposed by court,	473 years, 5 months,
Number of photographs added to the "Rogues' Gallery,"	1,764

Drunkenness.

Arrests for drunkenness averaged 92 per day during the year, or 5.51 per cent. of the population. There were 5,754 more persons arrested than in 1903, an increase of 20.72 per cent.; 43.36 per cent. of the arrested persons were non-residents and 49.26 per cent. were of foreign birth. (See Table XI.)

Miscellaneous Business.

	1901-02.	1902-03.	1903-04.
Abandoned children cared for,	8	14	15
Accidents reported,	2,277	2,550	2,711
Buildings found open and made secure,	2,601	2,851	2,898
Cases investigated,	21,131	21,674	25,518
Dangerous buildings reported,	11	23	19
Dangerous chimneys reported,	4	4	28
Dead bodies cared for,	219	264	204
Defective cesspools reported,	399	222	213
Defective drains and vaults reported,	2	5	3
Defective fire alarms and clocks reported,	1	-	3
Defective gas pipes reported,	125	81	105
Defective hydrants reported,	160	108	105
Defective lamps reported,	8,543	11,170	9,282
Defective sewers reported,	32	25	30
Defective streets and walks reported,	11,073	9,755	10,740
Defective water pipes reported,	250	259	251
Disturbances suppressed,	1,472	1,611	1,774
Extra duties performed,	33,734	33,532	35,768
Fire alarms given,	1,132	1,136	1,367
Fires extinguished,	598	661	631
Intoxicated persons assisted,	34	27	14
Lost children restored,	1,535	1,656	1,559
Insane persons taken in charge,	395	347	411
Missing persons reported,	342	319	316
Missing persons found,	125	123	108
Persons rescued from drowning,	43	31	62
Sick and injured persons assisted,	3,951	4,052	4,070
Stray teams put up,	213	302	204
Street obstructions removed,	59,918	91,158	58,286
Water running to waste reported,	244	290	268
Witnesses detained,	109	131	101

Illegal Gaming.

Last year there were 26 raids made on policy shops; this year, 8. Last year there were 126 raids on other places where gambling was suspected of being carried on: this year, 134. Last year there were 573 persons arrested, and property to the amount of \$1,323.13 seized; this year there were 624 persons arrested, and property to the value of \$2,071.90 seized.

LOST, ABANDONED AND STOLEN PROPERTY.

On the 1st of December, 1903, there were 317 articles of lost, abandoned or stolen property in the custody of the property clerk and 146 more were received during the year. One hundred and sixty articles were sold, for which \$86.63 was received and paid over to the city collector, and 17 delivered to owners, finders or administrators.

COMMENDATIONS.

During the year 16 members of the department were commended by the Board in General Orders, 31 were complimented by letter, and 33 were commended by public officers, societies or citizens, as follows:—

Meritorious action in rescuing persons from burning buildings,	8
Meritorious service in taking children out of danger to a place of safety,	1
Prompt action in saving a man from being burned to death,	1
Vigilance and prompt action in discovering and giving alarm of fire,	2
Prompt action in preventing fire,	1
Tact and prompt action in arresting a man for giving a false alarm of fire,	1
Courage and prompt action in stopping runaway horses,	21
Courage in arresting housebreakers,	2
Vigilance in discovering and arresting store-breakers,	3
Diligence in pursuing and arresting a gang of thieves,	1
Diligence in apprehending and securing the conviction of robbers,	1
Courage and meritorious service in tracking and attacking armed robbers,	2
Tact and prompt action in arresting thieves,	6
Courage and good judgment in arresting two highway-men,	1
Diligence in arresting persons for assault and robbery,	5
Prompt action in arresting a person for indecent assault,	2

Diligence and courage in pursuing and arresting a man for felonious assault,	1
Prompt action in arresting a murderer,	3
Assisting in the arrest of a man who had committed an assault with a dangerous weapon,	1
Prompt action in rescuing a boy from being killed by an electric car,	1
Courage and prompt action in rescuing persons from drowning,	3
Courage in arresting a dangerous, armed insane person,	2
Tact and prompt action in arresting counterfeiters and seizing a large amount of counterfeit money,	5
Diligence in the general performance of duty,	5
Kind and considerate action toward strangers,	1
Total,	<hr/> 80

SPECIAL EVENTS.

The following is a list of special events transpiring during the year, and shows the number of police officers detailed for duty at each event:—

	MEX.
1962.	
Dec. 9, Fire, 197 Portland Street,	80
Dec. 29, Fire in Federal Court,	57
1963.	
Jan. 6, Police ball,	80
March 17, Evacuation Day and parade of the Ancient Order of Hibernians,	723
April 15, Parade of "Minute Men of 61,"	80
May 27, Parade of school regiment,	456
June 6, Parade of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company,	275
June 17, Anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill,	489
June 17, Dedication of the Warren statue,	146
June 23, Harvard-Yale base-ball game,	50
June 25, School festival, Mechanics Building,	50
July 5, Fire on Mystic Wharf, Charlestown,	75
July 6, Return of First Corps of Cadets,	74
July 30, Fire in grain elevator, Chandler Street,	70
Aug. 15, Naval parade,	760
Aug. 16, Grand Army parade,	1,012
Aug. 18, Electrical parade, Grand Army of the Republic,	158
Aug. 25, Parade of Grenadier Band of London, Eng.,	60
Sept. 1, Electrical display on Elevated Railway tracks,	145
Sept. 1, Fire, 17 to 23 Water Street, Charlestown,	56
Sept. 5, Labor Day parade,	864
Oct. 5, Episcopal convention at Trinity Church,	83
Oct. 7, Reception to the Archbishop of Canterbury in Faneuil Hall,	50
Oct. 8, Parade of St. Patrick Temperance Society,	145
Oct. 8, Boston-New York base-ball game,	74

1904.		MEN.
Oct. 9,	Episcopal convention services at Trinity Church,	83
Oct. 12,	Italian parade,	64
Oct. 15,	Automobile parade,	479
Oct. 29,	Harvard-Pennsylvania foot-ball game,	59
Nov. 2,	Parade of Harvard-Technology Republican clubs,	476
Nov. 5,	Harvard-Dartmouth foot-ball game,	56
Nov. 8,	Election returns, bulletin boards,	308
Nov. 12,	Reception to Governor-elect Wm. L. Douglas in Faneuil Hall,	191
Nov. 12,	Fire, Hoosac Tunnel docks,	50
Nov. 19,	Newspaper Row, foot-ball returns,	83
Nov. 19,	Special detail at Division 4, foot-ball night,	174

REGISTRATION DETAIL.

		MEN.			MEN.
May 2,		798	May 6,		203
May 3,		748	May 7,		144
May 4,		712	May 9,		164
May 5,		610			

RELATING TO THE LISTING OF PERSONS TWENTY YEARS OF AGE OR OVER, RESIDENTS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

On page 69 will be found the table of residents as they were listed by the police during the first seven week days in May, 1904, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 279 of the Acts of 1903, and amendments thereto. It will be noted that there were 1,280 residents placed on the supplementary lists of residents in 1904, to be compared with 3,360 residents who were supplementarily listed in 1903, and 4,096 residents who were supplementarily listed in 1902, when the listing of the residents was done by the assessors of the city. Fifty-five applications were refused after examination: 14 cases were prosecuted; 8 persons were convicted under the provisions of chapter 279, which provides a punishment for persons making false applications. The following sentences were imposed: 1 to six months imprisonment; 5 to three months; 1 to one month; 1 defendant was placed on probation. (See Tables XXI., XXIII.)

It will never be possible to make, in the first week of May, a complete list of residents. Many residents, such as sailors, soldiers, commercial and other travellers, will always be away from Boston at that time, and few take the pre-

caution to leave their names with persons who may inform the police in May of their residences. The alteration in the law which gave the police department more time, that is until September 10, to examine into the truth or falsity of the application to be placed on the supplementary lists, was of service. The Board made careful examination into the facts of all applications; in many cases, owing, among other things, to the absence of witnesses, applications were rejected at the time of application which later were found to be correct and granted when the truth was found. Some such applications made during the summer (September 1 is the last day upon which applications may be made), which were rejected after the first examination, were found, after September 10, to have been correct. The Board of Police regretted their inability to place such applicants on the lists of residents after the 10th of September. We suggest that the law be so amended as to enable the Board of Police to list residents who have made application before September 2, up to and including October 1.

The printed lists of residents have been used to good advantage by the route officers in familiarizing themselves with the names and homes of the persons who live on their routes.

Next May the Board of Police thinks it will be possible for the officers to make a more thorough investigation of the lodging-houses, both large and small, throughout the city, and to question, personally, each lodger therein on the subject of his residence.

The greatest difficulty found by the police in making the lists was in obtaining from informants, particularly those of foreign birth, the correct names and all the names of lodgers in lodging-houses, residents in hotels and in houses in general where several men lived. The Board of Police, therefore, printed and distributed with good effect, before May 1, notices in the Yiddish, Polish and Italian languages, as well as in the English language, notifying the inmates of houses, suites and tenements of the law and asking them to write on the notices the number of the male residents living therein.

During the first week of May, 1904, the police ex-

perienced some difficulty in obtaining, from the persons in charge of some of the hotels and large lodging-houses, the names and occupations of the residents living in such hotels and lodging-houses. It was found difficult to prosecute for refusing or neglecting to give full and true information, because the only provision of law, section 13 of chapter 279 of the Acts of 1903, reads as follows:—

SECTION 13. Whoever in Boston, being an inmate of a building and a male resident twenty years of age or upwards, refuses or neglects to give his true name, when asked by a member of the board of police or a police officer acting under this act, or whoever, being an owner or occupant of a building, refuses or neglects to give the full and true information within his knowledge relating to all persons residing in such building, when asked by a member of the board of police or a police officer acting under this act, shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than three months.

This provides that only owners or occupants of the building may be punished for so refusing to give information. The Board of Police, therefore, suggests an amendment to section 13 on the subject, as follows: chapter 279 of the Acts of 1903 is hereby amended by striking out section 13 and inserting in place thereof the following:—

SECTION 13. Whoever in Boston, being an inmate of a building and a male resident twenty years of age or upwards, refuses or neglects to give his true name, when asked by a member of the board of police or a police officer acting under this act, or whoever, being an owner or occupant of a building or a clerk, superintendent, manager or other person having in charge the affairs of a hotel or lodging house, refuses or neglects to give the full and true information within his knowledge relating to all persons residing in such building, when asked by a member of the board of police or a police officer acting under this act, shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than three months.

The following alteration in the law is respectfully recommended:—

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE LISTING AND REGISTRATION OF VOTERS
IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section five of chapter two hundred and forty-five of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and four is hereby amended by striking out section five and inserting in place thereof the following:— *Section 5.* If a male person, twenty years of age or upwards, resident in Boston on the first day of May, was not listed by the board of police, he shall, in order to establish his right to be listed, appear before a member of the board of police, the superintendent, a deputy superintendent or an inspector of police, who are hereby authorized to administer oaths for this purpose, and present under oath a statement in writing that he was on said day a resident of said city, giving his name, age, occupation and residence on the first day of May in the current year, and his residence on the first day of May in the preceding year.

A male person, twenty years of age or upwards, who becomes a resident of said city after the first day of May, and desires to be listed, shall appear before a member of the board of police, the superintendent, a deputy superintendent or an inspector of police, who are hereby authorized to administer oaths for this purpose, and present under oath a statement in writing that he became a resident of said city at least six months immediately preceding the election at which he claims the right to vote, giving his name, age, occupation and residence on the above date, and his residence on the first day of May in the preceding year.

If the board of police, after investigation, is satisfied that such statements are true, it shall give such applicant a certificate that he was a resident of said city on said first day of May, or a certificate that he became a resident at least six months immediately preceding such election, as the case may be, which certificate shall state his name, age, occupation and residence on the first day of May in the current year or on the above date, as the case may be, and his residence on the first day of May in the preceding year; but no such application shall be received later than the first day of September, and no such person shall be listed or be given such certificate later than the first day of October.

In every place where oaths are administered, as required by this act, the board of police shall post in a conspicuous place a copy of section three hundred and eighty-nine of chapter eleven of the Revised Laws, as amended by this act, printed on white paper with black ink, in type not less than one-quarter of an inch wide.

REGISTRATION EXPENSES.

The expenses of registering the lists of residents, not including the services rendered by the members of the police force, were as follows:—

Printing,	\$18,428 42
Clerical service,	8,075 40
Cards,	982 27
Interpreters,	1,017 87
Stationery,	827 30
Advertising,	528 70
Incidentals,	194 46
Total,	\$30,054 42

LEGAL SERVICE.

Mr. E. B. Adams has served as counsel to the Board of Police during the current year.

SPECIAL POLICE.

Special police officers are appointed to serve without pay from the city, on the written application of any officer or board in charge of a department of the city of Boston, or on the application of any responsible corporation or person: such corporation or person to be liable for the official misconduct of the person appointed.

During the year ending November 30, last, there were 297 special police officers, appointed as follows:—

For city departments,	96
For state departments,	5
For railroad corporations,	77
For other corporations or associations,	45
For theatres and other places of amusements,	38
For private institutions,	28
For churches,	8
Total,	297

INSPECTOR OF CLAIMS AND MEDICAL EXAMINERS' ASSISTANT.

The work of the officers detailed to assist the committee on claims and law department in investigating claims against the city, and to aid the medical examiners of the county of Suffolk, was as follows:—

Deaths by Accident, Suicide, etc.

Deaths: males, 491; females, 113; total, 604

Claims.

Number of cases investigated, 611
 Number of witnesses interviewed, 3,760
 Number of days in court, 133
 Number of days in attendance on committees, 46
 Number of notices served, 44
 Number of claims settled for contractors, 33

Damage done by Dogs.

Number of cases, 17
 Number of hens killed, 122
 Number of chickens killed, 159
 Number of ducks killed, 4

Causes of Death.

Accident, 187	Overdose of poison, 1
Murder, 14	Suffocation, 3
Homicide, 16	Asphyxiation, 13
Drowning, 55	Burns, 21
Alcoholism, 6	Accidental shooting, 1
Suicide, 69	Accidental poisoning, 1
Stillborn, 18	Natural causes, 185
Exposure, 6	
Abortion, 5	Total, 604
Infanticide, 3	

Number of inquests attended, 110

Railroad accident, 72	Abortion, 1
Trolley car, 18	Homicide, 1
Murder, 1	Alcoholism, 2
Drowning, 1	Elevator, 1
Fall, 5	Caving in of tunnel, 1
Team, 2	Natural causes, 2
Automobile, 1	
Accidental death, 1	Total, 110
Asphyxiation, 1	

POLICE SIGNAL SERVICE.

In compliance with chapter 249 of the Acts of 1898 and chapter 454 of the Acts of 1894, 43,555 feet of underground cable has been laid on divisions 9, 10, 13 and 16.

A new caravan has been purchased for use in the underground work; a bench lathe has been installed in the repair shop, and a new and improved signal desk has replaced the old one at Station 11.

There are in use in the signal service 28 horses, 18 patrol wagons and 12 pungs.

During the year the wagons made 34,205 runs, covering an aggregate distance of 28,393 miles. There were 34,829 prisoners conveyed to the station houses; 1,191 runs were made to take injured and insane persons to station houses, the hospitals or their homes; and 591 runs were made to take lost children to station houses. There were 610 runs to fires and 86 runs for liquor seizures. During the year there were 451 signal boxes in use, arranged on 60 circuits; 969,607 telephone messages and 3,168,194 "on-duty" calls were sent over the lines.

VEHICLE SERVICE.

Work of the Automobiles.

The following shows the work of the automobiles for the season ending November 30 last:—

Automobile No. 4711 was purchased of the Stanley Motor Carriage Company May 25, 1904, and cost \$756. It was put in service on the 29th of May, and on the 30th of November last had been run 186 days, covering a distance of 9,504 miles on the park roads.

Automobile No. 2388, purchased in July, 1903, which ran 7,037 $\frac{1}{8}$ miles during the last summer season, commenced its tour of duty April 2, 1904, and on November 30 had been run 243 days, covering a distance of 13,608 miles on the streets on the Back Bay. The officer in charge made 56 arrests, all for going at a greater rate of speed than 8 miles an hour.

During the 243 days above stated no houses were broken into on the routes covered by the automobiles. The officers in charge reported larcenies on the district patrolled by the automobiles to the amount of \$767.16.

Cost of running the Automobiles.

Pay of officers,	\$1,410 18
Pay of chauffeur,	625 94
Repairs,	316 31
Tires,	377 00
Gasolene,	308 46
Oil,	20 10
Total,	<u>\$3,057 99</u>

Ambulance.

The department is now equipped with ten ambulances, located in the following police divisions: 1, 4, 6, 7, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15 and 16.

During the year the ambulances responded to calls to convey sick or injured persons to the following places:—

City Hospital (Relief Station),	866
City Hospital,	601
Massachusetts General Hospital,	178
Emergency Hospital,	7
Carney Hospital,	18
Children's Hospital,	4
Lying-in Hospital,	4
Faulkner Hospital,	18
New England Hospital,	1
Roger's Private Hospital,	1
Frost Hospital,	1
Chardon Street Home,	3
City Prison,	2
Home,	82
From fires,	9
Morgue,	18
Charles Street jail,	4
Police station houses,	20
South Terminal Station,	2
Deer Island boat,	2
Calls where services were not required,	83
Total,	<u>4,921</u>

Public Carriages.

During the year there were 1,591 carriage licenses granted, being a decrease of 159 as compared with last year; 4 motor carriages were licensed, being the same number licensed last year.

There were 85 articles of various kinds left in carriages during the year which were deposited with the inspector, among them being 11 hand-bags, 26 umbrellas, a watch, 2 empty pocket-books and several articles of clothing; 34 of these were restored to the owners and the balance placed in the keeping of the lost property division.

The following is a detailed statement concerning licenses for public carriages and for the drivers of hacks and cabs:—

Number of carriages licensed,	1,591
Number of licenses transferred,	19
Number of licenses cancelled or revoked,	27
Number of carriages inspected,	1,587
Number of carriages rejected,	73
Number of carriages reinspected and passed,	41
Applications for drivers' licenses reported on,	1,371
Number of complaints against drivers investigated,	36
Number of warrants obtained,	4
Number of days spent in court,	5
Articles left in carriages, reported by citizens,	40
Articles found in carriage, reported by drivers,	88
Drivers' applications for licenses rejected,	23

List of Vehicles used by the Department.

DIVISION.	Patrol Wagons.	Other Wagons.	Automobiles.	Trucks.	Vans.	Ambulances.	Ruggies.	Sigsigs.	Totals.
Division 1,	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	3
Division 2,	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 3,	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Division 4,	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Division 5,	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Division 6,	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	3
Division 7,	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	3
Division 8,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Division 9,	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Division 10,	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	3
Division 11,	1	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	5
Division 12,	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 13,	1	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	5
Division 14,	1	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	5
Division 15,	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	3
Division 16,	1	-	2	-	-	-	1	1	5
Joy Street stable,	3	4	-	1	4	1	4	4	21
Totals,	18	4	2	12	4	10	9	7	66

Horses.

On the 1st of December, 1903, there were 91 horses in the service. During the year 2 were sold, 14 were purchased, 10 shot on account of being disabled and 1 died. At the present time there are 92 in service, as shown by Table IX.

PUBLIC PARKS.

To police the parks during the past year it took a permanent force of 36 men, consisting of 1 lieutenant, 2 sergeants, 31 patrolmen, 2 reserve men, 10 men mounted on bicycles and 6 on horses. To aid this force, details were made on Sundays, holidays and special occasions, aggregating 710 men, and consisting of 1 captain, 2 lieutenants, 35 sergeants, 642 patrolmen and 30 reserve men.

The arrests in the parks amounted to 318, — 293 being men and 25 women.

The following are the offences for which arrests were made: —

OFFENCES.	Males.	Females.	Totals.
Driving heavy teams in parkways,	5	-	5
Running a motor vehicle faster than 8 miles an hour,	93	-	93
Trespassing on cultivated ground,	4	-	4
Allowing cows to run at large,	2	-	2
Playing base-ball,	2	-	2
Indecent exposure,	3	-	3
Disorderly conduct,	25	-	25
Drunkenness,	143	24	172
Larceny,	4	-	4
Profanity,	3	-	3
Gaming on the Lord's Day,	3	-	3
Adultery,	1	1	2
Totals,	293	25	318

HARBOR SERVICE.

The special duties performed by the officers of Division 8, comprising the harbor and the islands therein, were as follows: —

Value of property recovered, consisting of boats, rigging, float-stages, etc.,	\$56,069 75
Number of vessels from foreign ports boarded,	729
Number of vessels ordered from the channel to proper anchorage,	2,087
Number of vessels removed from channel by police steamers,	99
Number of cases of assistance rendered,	114
Number of cases of assistance rendered to wharfingers,	10
Number of permits granted vessels, in the stream, to discharge cargoes,	37
Number of obstructions removed from the channel,	30
Number of alarms of fire on the water front attended,	138
Number of fires on the water front extinguished without alarm,	3
Number of boats challenged,	1,967
Sick and injured persons assisted,	53
Cases investigated,	541
Dead bodies recovered,	25
Dead bodies cared for,	6
Rescued from drowning,	11
Number of vessels ordered to rig in jibboom,	1
Number of vessels ordered to put up anchor lights,	45
Number of vessels assigned to anchorages,	611
Steamers escorted, outgoing and incoming,	254

The total number of vessels that arrived in this port during the year is 10,061. Of this number, 8,560 came from domestic ports, 775 from ports in the British Provinces and 729 from foreign ports. Of the latter, 665 were steamers, 10 ships, 30 barks, 1 brig and 23 schooners.

LICENSES FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR.

The law licensing the sale of intoxicating liquor in this city provides that not more than one place shall be licensed for each 500 of the population, as ascertained by the last national or State census, nor shall the number of places in any event exceed 1,000.

Number of places licensed during the year,	980
Number of licenses granted and not paid for,	3
Number of licenses surrendered for cancellation,	50
Number of new licenses granted in their places,	50

The following is a classified list of the licenses in force Nov. 30, 1904:—

First innholder,	68
First victualler,	699
Second victualler,	11
Fourth distiller,	2
Fourth wholesale dealer "B,"	101
Fourth grocer,	72
Fourth wholesale druggist,	6
Fifth brewer,	21
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Total,	980

During the year there were issued 236 druggist licenses, 14 club licenses and 22 special licenses to sell pure alcohol. Of these, 3 druggist licenses were forfeited and 3 were cancelled.

Number of complaints for violation of conditions of licenses made to Board of Police,	8
Number of hearings given,	6
Number of licenses forfeited,	4
Number of complaints for violation of conditions of licenses made in court,	1
Arrests for selling without a license,	185
Seizures made,	333
Amount of liquors seized (gallons),	1,650
Number of applications received,	1,439
Number of applications for licenses rejected,	73
Number of applications for licenses on file,	41

The following shows the nature of the complaints upon which licenses were forfeited by the Board of Police from Dec. 1, 1903, to Nov. 30, 1904:—

Selling intoxicating liquor in violation of license,	3
Selling intoxicating liquor to an intoxicated person,	1

PURE ALCOHOL.

Section 18 of chapter 100 of the Revised Laws provides for licenses of the seventh class to be issued to dealers in paints or chemicals to sell alcohol for mechanical, manufacturing or chemical purposes only. Twenty-two applications were received for licenses of this class, and the applicants being engaged in business, as required by law, all the applications were granted.

PERMITS TO DELIVER LIQUOR.

Holders of fourth and fifth class licenses are required to obtain permits for such of their employees as are engaged in delivering intoxicating liquor from teams. These permits have to be shown to police officers, on demand, and are revoked in case the holder is found delivering liquor illegally, or under suspicious circumstances. During the past year 251 applications for these permits were received, 231 were granted, 17 rejected and 101 permits were cancelled or revoked.

LIQUOR STORED IN WAREHOUSES.

During the current year, the Board of Police found that a number of the wholesale liquor dealers had large stocks of liquors stored in both public and private warehouses and other buildings not covered by any licenses.

It is undoubtedly true that the dealers who owned these liquors believed that they were acting perfectly within the statute and that they were not required to keep such liquors upon licensed premises under these circumstances.

The matter was brought to the attention of the Board by a complaint that liquors were being delivered directly to the purchaser from one of these storehouses; this was such a violation of the statute as required immediate action by the Board of Police.

The statute prescribes (Revised Laws, chapter 100, section 1) that "no person shall sell or expose or keep for sale spirituous or intoxicating liquor except as authorized in this chapter." After careful consideration, the Board of Police was of the opinion that such liquors were "kept for sale" within the meaning of the statute when they were ready to be sold and were merely waiting for a customer to purchase, even though the liquors were to be transferred from the storehouse to licensed premises before the sales were to be made and before the goods sold were separated from bulk.

A conference was called between the Board of Police and those dealers who were pursuing this practice, and the Board decided that, under these circumstances, liquors

which were kept for sale as aforesaid could not be lawfully stored except upon premises covered by a license. The dealers were so instructed and required to remove such liquors to properly licensed premises.

All of the dealers consider that this state of the law works a hardship upon those who desire to store liquors upon premises not covered by a license where no sales are intended to be made in the storehouse, and we respectfully present this for such consideration as the Legislature may deem proper.

MISCELLANEOUS LICENSES.

The total number of licenses issued of all kinds, except for the sale of intoxicating liquor, was 25,743; transferred, 111; cancelled and revoked, 3,012. The officers investigated 312 complaints arising under these licenses, and 7 hearings were given by the Board on these complaints. The fees collected and paid into the city treasury amounted to \$50,977.20. (See Table XV.)

SMALL LOANS.

Twenty-nine applications were received for licenses to make small loans, secured by mortgage, pledge of household furniture or other personal property exempt from attachment, or by assignment of wages for personal service, for less than \$200 and at a rate of interest greater than 12 per cent., 24 of which were granted, 1 rejected and 4 pending.

ITINERANT MUSICIANS.

During the year 205 applications were received for itinerant musician licenses; of these 195 were granted and 10 rejected. Of the licenses granted, 6 were revoked for cause and 16 cancelled, leaving 173 in force.

The officer detailed for this special service reports that during the year he examined 212 instruments, as follows: —

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INSTRUMENTS.	Inspected.	Passed.	Condemned.
Street organs,	112	100	12
Hand organs,	36	26	10
Violins,	25	16	9
Harps,	16	12	4
Flutes,	6	6	-
Accordeons,	5	4	1
Guitars,	5	3	2
Bagpipes,	2	2	-
Banjos,	5	4	1
Totals,	212	173	39

PUBLIC LODGING-HOUSES.

Every building in the city of Boston, not licensed as an inn, in which ten or more persons are lodged for twenty-five cents or less each per night, is a public lodging-house, under chapter 242 of the Acts of 1904; and the Board of Police is authorized to grant licenses to such lodging-houses after the inspector of buildings has certified that the building is provided with proper exits and appliances for giving alarm to the inmates in case of fire, and the Board of Health has certified that the sanitary condition is satisfactory. Under this law 21 applications for licenses were received, 18 were granted, 2 rejected, 1 withdrawn.

The following shows the locations of the licensed lodging-houses, and the number of persons lodged in each during the year:—

LOCATION.	Number lodged.
42 Eastern Avenue,	284
164 Commercial Street,	19,256
242-246 Commercial Street,	25,246
234 Commercial Street,	14,815
238 Commercial Street,	14,709
187 Hanover Street,	43,880
19 Causeway Street,	13,122
37 Green Street,	33,708
886 Washington Street,	115,863
120 Eliot Street,	42,672
39 Edinborough Street,	12,327

LOCATION.	Number lodged.
17 Davis Street,	37,041
1025 Washington Street,	31,137
1051 Washington Street,	8,078
1053 Washington Street,	17,922
1066 Washington Street,	17,437
1093 Washington Street,	14,816
Total,	464,313

PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

Dec. 1, 1903, there were 184 pensioners on the roll. During the year 12 died, viz.: 2 captains, 1 inspector, 1 lieutenant and 8 patrolmen; and 31 were added, viz.: 1 captain, 4 inspectors, 1 lieutenant, 23 patrolmen and the widows of patrolmen Allen and Sturdivant; leaving 203 on the roll at date, including the widows of 9 and the orphans of 1 policeman, who died from injuries received in the service.

The payments on account of pensions during the past year amounted to \$123,468.42, and it is estimated that \$128,652.50 will be required for pensions in 1905. This does not include pensions for 1 captain, 2 sergeants, 1 assistant keeper and 7 patrolmen, all of whom are sixty-five years or over, and are entitled to be pensioned on account of age and term of service.

The invested fund of the police charitable fund on the 30th of November last amounted to \$207,550. There are 66 beneficiaries at the present time, and there has been paid to them the sum of \$8,350 during the past year.

The invested fund of the Police Relief Association on the 30th of November was \$74,126.91.

FINANCIAL.

A requisition was made on the city council for the sum of \$1,978,810.48 to meet the running expenses of the department, including the pensioned police officers, house of detention, station house matrons, liquor license expenses and police signal system for the financial year.

The total expenditures for police purposes during the past year, including the pensions, house of detention, station house matrons, liquor license expenses and listing persons twenty years of age or more, but exclusive of the maintenance of the police signal system, were \$1,842,163.40.

The total revenue paid into the city treasury from fees for licenses over which the police have supervision was \$1,488,506.79, of which \$1,438,132.16 was received for liquor licenses. (See Table XVII.)

The cost of maintaining the police signal system during the year was \$60,749.79. (See Table XVIII.)

CONCLUSION.

The Board of Police call attention to the increase in arrests for various offences; they attribute such increase to additional vigilance on the part of the patrolmen, and commend the work performed by the officers during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. H. EMMONS,

C. P. CURTIS, JR.,

H. F. ADAMS,

Board of Police.

TABLE II.
*Names of Officers who were promoted during the Year ending Nov.
 30, 1904.*

DATE.	Name and Rank.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Lieutenant Philip McBryan, to the rank of captain.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Ainsley C. Armstrong, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Herbert E. Chapman, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Edward T. Conway, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Michael H. Cronin, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Gustaf Gustafson, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Daniel W. Hart, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman George W. Patterson, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Henry M. Pierce, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman William J. Rooney, to the rank of inspector.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Sergeant James F. Driscoll, to the rank of lieutenant.
July 15, 1904,	Sergeant Albert F. Lovell, to the rank of lieutenant.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Michael J. Goff, to the rank of sergeant.
Jan. 1, 1904,	Patrolman Ernest A. Webster, to the rank of sergeant.

TABLE III.
Names of Police Officers in Active Service who died during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

Rank.	Name.	Division.	Date of death.	Cause of death.
Patrolman,	Edgar L. Bridges,	2	July 15, 1904,	Cancer.
Patrolman,	John F. Kenny,	10	June 6, 1904,	Heart disease.
Patrolman,	William P. Kirby,	12	Sept. 27, 1904,	Bright's disease.
Patrolman,	Laurence M. Masury,	16	Oct. 17, 1904,	Heart failure.
Patrolman,	John McGarr,	10	March 7, 1901,	Unknown.
Patrolman,	Edward L. Morrissey,	5	July 21, 1904,	Suicide.
Patrolman,	John Quinn,	2	May 19, 1904,	Cancer.
Patrolman,	James F. Shea,	6	Oct. 14, 1904,	Heart disease.
Patrolman,*	Alfred M. Sturdivant,	7	Sept. 4, 1904,	Shot by insane woman.
Sergeant,	George W. Thayer,	15	Dec. 13, 1903,	Atrophy.

* Patrolman Alfred M. Sturdivant, of Division 7, was fatally shot by an insane woman whom he was called to arrest at 121 Fiske Street, East Boston, on the 4th of September last and died one hour later. He was an excellent officer and by his death the department lost one of its very best men.

TABLE IV.

List of Officers retired during the Year, giving Age at the Time of Retirement and the Number of Years' Service of Each.

NAME.	Cause of Retirement.
Aubens, Frank S.,	Sixty-five years of age, twenty-eight years' consecutive service.
Bogan, Joseph D.,	Veteran, twenty-eight years' consecutive service.
Burk, John F. M.,	Veteran, twenty-nine years' consecutive service.
Burrill, Christopher J.,	Incapacitated.
Chase, Andrew J.,	Sixty-seven years of age, forty-four years' consecutive service.
Cleary, Cornelius T.,	Incapacitated.
Cotton, William M.,	Sixty-four years of age, thirty years' consecutive service.
Doble, Francis M.,	Sixty-five years of age, nine years' consecutive service.
Driscoll, James,	Incapacitated.
Fallon, Thomas J.,	Incapacitated.
Field, John M.,	Veteran, twenty-two years' consecutive service.
Foster, Ira C.,	Sixty years of age, thirty years' consecutive service.
Galvin, James,	Sixty-six years of age, twenty-nine years' consecutive service.
Glidden, Charles,	Sixty years of age, thirty years' consecutive service.
Griffin, Michael,	Sixty-five years of age, thirty-one years' consecutive service.
Hebard, Charles W.,	Veteran, sixty years of age.
Hogan, James P.,	Veteran, twenty-nine years' consecutive service.
Hunt, Benjamin H.,	Sixty-two years of age, twenty-eight years' consecutive service.
Johnson, Michael,	Sixty-five years of age, thirty-two years' consecutive service.
Kendall, Herbert W.,	Incapacitated.
Lane, George W.,	Incapacitated.
Leggett, William T.,	Sixty-four years of age, thirty-four years' consecutive service.
McHenry, Joseph,	Incapacitated.
Ness, John E.,	Sixty-five years of age, nine years' consecutive service.
Preble, Henry C.,	Veteran, sixty-two years of age.
Powderly, Patrick,	Veteran, sixty years of age.
Sanders, John H.,	Incapacitated.
Walker, William C.,	Incapacitated.
Wilder, Harrison,	Sixty years of age, thirty-one years' consecutive service.

TABLE V.

Number of Men of Each Rank in Active Service at the End of the Present Year who were appointed on the Force in the Year stated.

DATE APPOINTED.	Superintendent.	Deputy Superintendents.	Chief Inspector.	Captains.	Inspectors.	Lieutenants.	Assistant Keeper.	Sergeants.	Patrolmen.	Reserve Men.	Totals.
1867,	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
1868,	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2
1869,	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
1870,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	6
1871,	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
1872,	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	2	-	6
1873,	-	1	-	5	1	1	-	1	6	-	15
1874,	-	1	-	3	1	1	-	1	6	-	13
1875,	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	15	-	18
1876,	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
1877,	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	1	4	-	9
1878,	-	-	-	4	1	5	-	2	18	-	30
1879,	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	4	10	-	18
1880,	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	14	-	15
1881,	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	3	30	-	39
1882,	-	-	-	2	2	6	-	4	16	-	30
1883,	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	3	13	-	20
1884,	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	20	-	23
1885,	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	16	-	20
1886,	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3	9	-	15
1887,	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	16	-	19
1888,	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3	36	-	42
1889,	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	28	-	33
1890,	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	5	26	-	33
1891,	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	3	22	-	27
1892,	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	19	-	21
1893,	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	80	-	86
1894,	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	49	-	52
1895,	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	6	158	-	167
1896,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	-	42
1897,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	23
1898,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	-	36
1900,	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	114	-	115
1901,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67	-	67
1902,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	13
1903,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83	15	98
1904,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	85	91
Totals,	1	2	1	21	26	37	1	58	1,004	100	1,251

TABLE VI.
Officers discharged and resigned during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

Rank.	NAME.	Discharged.	Resigned.	Length of Service.
Patrolman,	Lewis E. Angell,	-	Feb. 8, 1904,	15 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	George A. Armstrong,	-	Dec. 5, 1903,	10 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	Charles H. Bertsch,	May 10, 1904,	-	7 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	William J. Burke,	Oct. 13, 1904,	-	3 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	Adin B. Cook,	Oct. -	Jan. 1, 1904,	3 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	John M. Conway,	Oct. -	-	9 years.
Reserve,	John Cullen,	Jan. -	Oct. 28, 1904,	4 ¹ / ₂ year.
Patrolman,	Harrison M. Cummings,	Jan. -	-	6 ¹ / ₂ years.
Reserve,	Gregory Currie,	Jan. -	July 12, 1904,	1 day.
Patrolman,	John Dowling,	Oct. -	-	3 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	William S. Drake,	-	Aug. 25, 1904,	13 ⁵ / ₆ years.
Patrolman,	John P. Farrell,	-	Jan. 2, 1904,	2 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	John J. Fitzgerald,	Dec. 9, 1903,	-	6 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	Glenville S. Forbes,	-	March 5, 1904,	10 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	Joel Foss,	-	Nov. 15, 1904,	4 ³ / ₄ years.
Reserve,	Frank E. Gilman,	-	July 12, 1904,	1 day.
Patrolman,	John R. Ghalloy,	-	March 25, 1904,	14 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	Albert H. Hopkins,	Dec. 2, 1903,	-	3 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	George E. Kelley,	March 16, 1904,	-	11 years.
Patrolman,	John J. Lane,	July 1, 1904,	-	12 ⁵ / ₆ years.
Patrolman,	Edward F. Lewey,	-	Dec. 21, 1903,	10 ¹ / ₂ years.
Patrolman,	John M. F. Little,	Dec. 2, 1903,	-	5 ¹ / ₂ years.

TABLE VII.

Number of Days' Absence from Duty by Reason of Sickness during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

	Reserve	Regular.	Reserve.	Regular.
December, 1903,	5	706	72	439
January, 1904,	30	1,118	27	353
February, 1904,	21	1,232	33	530
March, 1904,	69	1,116	40	281
April, 1904,	56	970	36	646
May, 1904,	49	658	473	8,512
June, 1904,	35	483		
			Totals,	
			July, 1904,	
			August, 1904,	
			September, 1904,	
			October, 1904,	
			November, 1904,	
			Totals,	

Number of men on the force, average, reserve, 89; regular, 1,148.

Average number sick daily, including reserve men, 25, or 2.02 per cent.

TABLE VIII.
Complaints against Officers during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

No.	Rank.	NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Disposition of Case.
1	Inspector,	Conduct unbecoming an officer and insubordination,	Reprimanded in general orders.
2	Sergeant,	Alleged assault,	Complaint dismissed.
1	Patrolman,	Absence without leave,	Dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman,	Assault,	Dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman,	Conduct unbecoming an officer,	Dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman,	Conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect to pull boxes,	Dismissed from police force.
3	Patrolman,	Conduct unbecoming an officer and leaving route without permission,	Dismissed from police force.
4	Patrolman,	Intoxication,	Dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect to pull boxes,	Dismissed from police force.
2	Patrolman,	Neglect to pull boxes and absence without leave,	Dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman,	Conduct unbecoming an officer,	Resigned from police force while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman,	Conduct unbecoming an officer and absence without leave,	Resigned from police force while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman,	Immoral conduct,	Resigned from police force while charges were pending.
2	Patrolman,	Intoxication,	Resigned from police force while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman,	Intoxication and neglect of duty,	Resigned from police force while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman,	Leaving route without permission,	Resigned from police force while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect to pull boxes,	Resigned from police force while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman,	Conduct unbecoming an officer,	Resigned from police force while charges were pending.
2	Patrolman,	Leaving route without permission,	Reprimanded in general orders.

TABLE VIII. — Concluded.
Complaints against Officers during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

No.	Rank.	NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Disposition of Case.
5	Patrolman,	Neglect of duty,	Reprimanded in general orders.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect to pull boxes,	Reprimanded in general orders.
2	Patrolman,	Assault and abusive language,	Complaint placed on file.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer,	Complaint placed on file.
1	Patrolman,	Disobedience of orders,	Forfeiture of thirty days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Absence without leave,	Forfeiture of twenty days' pay.
2	Patrolman,	Leaving route without permission,	Forfeiture of twenty days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect of duty,	Forfeiture of twenty days' pay.
3	Patrolman,	Absence without leave,	Forfeiture of ten days' pay.
5	Patrolman,	Conduct unbecoming an officer,	Forfeiture of ten days' pay.
4	Patrolman,	Leaving route without permission,	Forfeiture of ten days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect of duty,	Forfeiture of ten days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Absence without leave,	Forfeiture of ten days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Assault,	Forfeiture of five days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Leaving route without permission,	Forfeiture of five days' pay.
4	Patrolman,	Neglect of duty,	Forfeiture of five days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect to pull boxes,	Forfeiture of five days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Not properly patrolling route,	Forfeiture of five days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect to pull boxes,	Forfeiture of five days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Leaving route without permission,	Forfeiture of three days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect of duty,	Forfeiture of two days' pay.
4	Patrolman,	Neglect to pull boxes,	Forfeiture of two days' pay.
1	Patrolman,	Alleged abusive language,	Complaint dismissed.

14	Patrolman,	Alleged assault,		Complaint dismissed.
3	Patrolman,	Alleged unlawful arrest,		Complaint dismissed.
1	Patrolman,	Alleged untruthfulness,		Complaint dismissed.
6	Patrolman,	Conduct unbecoming an officer,		Complaint dismissed.
1	Patrolman,	Leaving route without permission,		Complaint dismissed.
8	Patrolman,	Neglect of duty,		Complaint dismissed.
1	Patrolman,	Neglect to pull boxes,		Complaint dismissed.
1	Patrolman,	Alleged assault,		Complaint withdrawn.
1	Reserve officer,	Leaving route without permission,		Dismissed from police force.
1	Reserve officer,	Leaving route without permission,		Reprimanded in general orders.
1	Reserve officer,	Not properly patrolling route,		Reprimanded in general orders.
1	Reserve officer,	Leaving route without permission,		Forfeiture of five days' pay.
1	Reserve officer,	Conduct unbecoming an officer,		Complaint dismissed.
4	Reserve officer,	Neglect of duty,		Complaint dismissed.
1	Reserve officer,	Alleged assault,		Complaint withdrawn.

TABLE IX.

Number and Distribution of Horses used in the Department.

Divisions.	Van.	Patrol.	Riding.	Ambu- lance.	Driving	Totals.
Headquarters,	-	-	-	-	3	3
Division 1,	-	2	-	1	-	3
Division 2,	-	1	-	-	-	1
Division 3,	-	2	-	-	-	2
Division 4,	-	2	-	1	-	3
Division 5,	-	3	-	-	-	3
Division 6,	-	1	-	1	-	2
Division 7,	-	2	-	1	-	3
Division 9,	-	2	-	-	-	2
Division 10,	-	2	-	1	-	3
Division 11,	-	2	11	-	1	14
Division 13,	-	2	7	-	2	11
Division 14,	-	1	6	1	1	9
Division 15,	-	2	-	-	-	2
Division 16,	-	2	15	-	-	17
Signal service, repair depart- ment, 40 Joy Street.	-	2	-	-	6	8
House of detention,	2	-	-	-	-	2
Prison van,	4	-	-	-	-	4
Totals,	6	23	39	6	13	92

TABLE X.

*Number of Arrests by Police Divisions during the Year ending
Nov. 30, 1904.*

DIVISIONS.	Males.	Females.	Totals.
Headquarters,	1,224	145	1,369
Division 1,	8,531	679	9,210
Division 2,	2,894	99	2,993
Division 3,	5,318	1,235	6,553
Division 4,	6,394	998	7,392
Division 5,	4,398	822	5,220
Division 6,	2,376	248	2,624
Division 7,	1,893	190	2,083
Division 8,	75	2	77
Division 9,	1,924	214	2,168
Division 10,	2,380	296	2,676
Division 11,	1,248	88	1,336
Division 12,	683	78	761
Division 13,	849	50	899
Division 14,	582	22	604
Division 15,	3,102	309	3,411
Division 16,	817	72	889
Totals,	44,688	5,577	50,265

TABLE XI.
Arrests for Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.
 No. 1. OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Summoned by the Court.	Foreigners.	Non-residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Discharged.
	M.	F.									
Affray, engaging in,	14	-	14	-	14	-	11	5	1	14	-
Assault,	19	-	19	9	8	2	14	2	4	19	-
Assault and battery,	2,188	928	2,416	1,041	955	420	1,284	925	452	2,412	4
Assault, indecent,	14	-	14	7	7	-	8	1	1	14	-
Assault on police,	42	-	42	25	17	-	12	8	19	42	-
Blackmailing,	5	-	5	5	-	-	2	-	-	5	-
Child, abandonment of,	-	5	5	5	-	-	4	3	-	5	-
Child, refusing to support,	16	-	16	13	-	3	9	-	-	16	-
Intimidation and threatening language, using,	60	6	66	60	1	5	46	11	4	66	-
Kidnapping,	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-

Manslaughter,	8	-	8	4	4	-	3	3	1	7	1
Mayhem,	2	-	2	1	1	-	2	2	-	2	-
Mayhem, assault with intent to maim,	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-
Murder,	17	1	18	4	4	-	6	8	1	18	-
Murder, assault with intent to,	36	1	37	13	24	-	28	5	2	37	-
Prize-fighting,	8	-	8	-	8	-	1	5	-	8	-
Rape,	28	1	29	12	17	-	17	2	9	29	-
Rape, assault to,	6	-	6	2	4	-	2	1	1	6	-
Robbery,	126	5	131	56	71	4	48	29	28	131	-
Rob, assault to,	13	-	13	7	6	-	4	1	4	13	-
Sodomy and other unnatural practices,	3	-	3	2	1	-	1	1	1	3	-
Totals,	2,606	248	2,854	1,208	1,162	431	1,464	408	522	2,849	6

TABLE XI. — *Continued.*
 No. 2. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY, COMMITTED WITH VIOLENCE.

NATURE OF OFFENCE	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Summoned by the Court.	Foreigners.	Non-residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Discharged.
	M.	F.									
Breaking and entering dwelling at night,	54	2	56	25	31	-	15	15	15	56	-
Breaking and entering dwelling at night, attempted,	2	-	2	1	1	-	2	1	-	2	-
Breaking and entering dwelling by day,	97	4	101	33	56	12	17	23	50	101	-
Breaking and entering dwelling by day, attempted,	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	1	2	2	-
Breaking and entering a building,	487	1	488	128	222	138	77	67	347	488	-
Breaking and entering a building, attempted,	19	1	20	9	9	2	4	-	14	20	-
Breaking and entering vessels,	11	-	11	-	2	9	-	1	10	11	-
Breaking and entering railroad car,	20	-	20	5	5	10	9	4	13	20	-
Breaking and entering railroad car, attempted,	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-
Totals,	693	8	701	201	328	172	124	112	452	701	-

No. 3. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY, COMMITTED WITHOUT VIOLENCE

Animals, vehicles and boats, using without consent of owner.	42	1	13	11	22	10	0	5	10	43	-
Buildings, defacing, etc.	7	2	9	1	-	8	-	-	8	9	-
Burglar's tools, having in possession.	2	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	2	-
Innholders, boarding-house keepers, lodge-keeping-house keepers, defrauding.	5	1	6	5	1	-	1	2	1	6	-
Larceny.	2,090	317	2,407	914	1,453	310	775	625	806	2,101	3
Larceny, felonious.	8	2	10	6	4	-	5	-	1	10	-
Larceny from person.	177	42	219	57	162	-	69	63	45	219	-
Larceny from person, attempt to commit.	32	-	32	4	28	-	8	12	7	32	-
Larceny from realty.	7	-	7	1	1	5	-	1	6	7	-
Larceny, attempt to commit.	11	1	15	5	9	1	2	4	2	15	-
Larceny in a building or vessel.	41	-	41	21	16	4	12	11	13	41	-
Larceny from an express.	28	-	28	2	26	-	3	7	4	28	-
Lamps, extinguishing, breaking, etc.	2	1	3	2	-	1	-	-	2	3	-
Leased property, concealing, conveying, selling, etc.	30	5	35	31	-	1	13	11	2	35	-

TABLE XI. — *Continued.*
 No. 3. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY, COMMITTED WITHOUT VIOLENCE — *Concluded.*

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Summoned by the Court.	Foreigners.	Non-residents.	Mhurs.	Held for Trial.	Discharged.
	M.	F.									
Mortgaged property, concealing, conveying, selling, etc.	3	1	4	4	-	-	2	1	-	4	-
Stolen goods, buying, receiving, etc.	31	8	39	22	12	5	16	5	12	39	-
Trespass,	193	3	196	52	65	79	33	28	145	196	-
Totals,	2,712	381	3,093	1,173	1,499	421	947	777	1,070	3,093	3

No. 4. MALICIOUS OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.

Arson and other burnings,	25	-	25	11	4	10	3	2	22	25	-
Malicious mischief,	209	11	220	95	25	100	48	12	140	220	-
Willful damage and trespass,	13	2	15	9	4	2	6	2	6	15	-
Totals,	247	13	260	115	33	112	57	16	168	260	-

No. 5. FORGERY AND OFFENCES AGAINST THE CURRENCY.

Counterfeiting labels,	4	-	4	4	-	-	2	1	-	4
Counterfeit money, passing, etc.,	9	-	9	-	9	-	3	2	5	9
Forgery and uttering,	47	1	48	28	20	-	10	24	9	48
Total,	60	1	61	39	29	-	16	27	11	61

No. 6. OFFENCES AGAINST THE LICENSE LAWS.

Carriage regulations, violation of,	7	-	7	-	-	7	3	-	-	7
Dog law, violation of,	21	5	26	5	-	21	12	-	-	26
Insurance law, violation of,	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	2
Intelligence office, keeping, without a license,	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Junk, buying, selling or collecting, without being licensed,	9	-	9	1	3	5	7	-	-	8
Liquor law, violation of,	140	93	233	108	117	8	167	8	7	233
Lying-in-hospital, maintaining, without a license,	-	2	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	2
Minor, permitting, to peddle,	2	-	2	1	-	1	2	-	-	2

TABLE XI. — *Continued.*
 No. 6. OFFENCES AGAINST THE LICENSE LAWS — *Concluded.*

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Summoned by the Court.	Foreigners.	Non-residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Discharged.
	M.	F.									
Pawbroker's shop, keeping, without a license.	4	-	4	1	2	1	3	-	1	1	-
Peddling without a license,	17	1	18	2	11	2	13	1	1	18	-
Physician practising without being registered.	2	1	3	3	-	-	2	-	-	3	-
Pool and billiard room, keeping,	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Pool and billiard room, permitting minors therein unlawfully.	2	-	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Public amusement, maintaining, without a license.	5	-	5	5	-	-	4	-	3	5	-
Second-hand articles, dealing in, without a license.	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Small loans, unlawfully making,	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Totals,	215	103	318	137	136	45	220	11	12	317	1

No. 7. OFFENCES AGAINST CHASTITY, MORALITY, ETC.

Abortion,	6	2	7	1	4	-	3	-	-	-	7	-
Abortion, accessory to,	3	1	4	1	3	-	2	-	-	-	4	-
Adultery,	37	23	60	21	39	-	22	8	4	4	60	-
Animals, cruelty to,	41	1	42	30	5	7	21	15	-	-	42	-
Bestiality,	76	-	76	76	-	-	33	9	9	9	76	-
Bigamy,	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
Drug, administering, for immoral purpose,	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Fornication,	121	132	253	14	239	-	117	67	13	13	253	-
Funeral parade, disturbance of,	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-
Incest,	3	-	3	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	3	-
Indecent exposure of the person,	30	-	30	2	28	-	14	8	2	2	30	-
Ill-fame, keeping house of,	20	46	66	63	3	-	25	-	-	-	66	-
Low and lascivious cohabitation,	25	26	51	36	15	-	26	6	4	4	51	-
Low and lascivious speech and behavior,	2	-	2	1	1	-	-	1	1	1	2	-

TABLE XI. — *Continued.*
 No. 7. OFFENCES AGAINST CHASTITY, MORALITY, ETC. — *Concluded.*

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Summoned by the Court.	Foreigners.	Non-residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Discharged.
	M.	F.									
Night-walking,	-	236	236	2	234	-	69	39	26	236	-
Obscene books and prints,	19	-	19	15	4	-	12	7	1	19	-
Open and gross lewdness,	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Polygamy,	5	4	9	9	-	-	5	-	-	9	-
Prostitution, enticing to,	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Public conveyance, disturbance in,	2	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	2	-
Public library, creating a disturbance in,	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-
Schools, disturbing,	3	-	3	1	-	2	2	-	3	3	-
Seduction,	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Unnatural and lascivious acts,	5	-	5	-	5	-	4	1	2	5	-
Totals,	408	472	875	281	584	10	362	164	66	875	-

No. 8. OFFENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING.

Adulterating food, drugs, butter, etc.,	47	5	52	3	-	49	25	7	-	52	-
Automobile law, violation of,	86	-	86	9	6	71	11	60	7	86	-
Bail bond, arrest under,	5	-	5	5	-	-	1	-	2	5	-
Board of aldermen, regulations, violation of,	23	-	23	3	12	8	16	-	8	23	-
Bonfires, making,	27	-	27	5	14	8	3	1	26	27	-
Bread law, violation of,	8	2	10	4	-	6	3	2	-	10	-
Building laws, violation of,	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Capias,	23	6	29	28	1	-	16	6	2	29	-
City ordinance, violation of,	1,208	8	1,216	173	557	180	667	80	589	1,216	-
Conduct, disorderly,	11	1	12	-	12	-	9	2	3	1	11
Contempt of court,	12	-	12	10	2	-	5	3	2	12	-
Common nuisance, keeping, etc.,	7	2	9	9	-	-	8	1	-	9	-
Common brawlers,	-	9	9	4	-	5	7	-	-	9	-
Common drunkards,	8	6	14	14	-	-	8	1	-	14	-

TABLE XI. — Continued.
 NO. 8. OFFENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING — Continued.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Summoned by the Court.	Foreigners.	Non-residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Discharged.
	M.	F.									
Concealed weapons, carrying,	6	-	6	6	-	-	4	1	-	6	-
Deserters,	77	-	77	1	76	-	18	43	29	-	77
Default warrant,	114	38	152	148	1	3	63	26	33	142	-
Dipsomania,	3	1	4	4	-	-	1	-	-	4	-
Disturbing the peace,	102	43	145	56	28	66	61	16	50	145	-
Drunkenness,	29,898	3,623	33,511	37	33,469	5	16,509	14,533	658	33,510	1
Election law, violation of,	23	-	23	16	5	2	7	7	1	23	-
False label, using,	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
False measures, using,	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
Family, refusing to support,	213	-	213	193	-	20	102	14	2	213	-
Fire-arms, tampering with,	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-
Fireworks, discharging unlawfully,	4	-	4	-	3	1	1	-	2	4	-

Fines, giving false alarm,	5	-	5	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	5	-
Fish and game laws, violation of,	2	-	2	-	-	2	-	2	-	2	2	-
Fugitive from justice,	28	2	30	19	-	11	-	15	21	6	30	-
Gaming, and being present at,	89	-	89	39	5	45	-	59	12	15	89	-
Gaming house, keeping,	9	-	9	9	-	-	-	5	-	1	9	-
Gaming implements, being present where found,	512	0	512	205	-	253	-	302	93	20	512	-
Gaming on the Lord's day, and being present at,	811	1	815	75	21	746	-	515	97	225	815	-
Gaming on a railroad cut,	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	-
Health law, violation of,	43	0	49	0	31	40	-	42	2	10	49	-
Idle and disorderly persons,	266	119	385	88	-	297	-	85	69	129	212	173
Inebriety,	8	-	8	6	-	2	-	1	-	-	7	1
Issuing obligations to be redeemed in numerical order,	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Jewelry, peddling,	5	-	5	-	-	5	-	1	3	-	5	-
Labor laws, violation of,	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	2	1	-	2	-
Lotteries and prize enterprises,	42	1	43	14	-	29	-	22	3	4	43	-

TABLE XI. — *Continued.*
 No. 8. OFFENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING — *Continued.*

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Summoned by the Court.	Foreigners.	Non-residents.	Althors.	Held for Trial.	Discharged.
	M.	F.									
Milk law, violation of,	10	2	12	-	-	12	4	2	-	12	-
Neglected children,	121	117	238	220	-	18	2	-	237	238	-
Noisy and disorderly house, keeping,	11	12	23	19	-	4	9	-	-	23	-
Officer, assuming to be,	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Officer, refusing to assist,	2	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	2	-
Optum resort, keeping or visiting,	4	3	7	6	1	-	-	-	1	7	-
Pardon conditions, violation of,	9	6	15	6	9	-	6	4	4	14	1
Parole, violation of conditions,	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Perjury, and subornation of,	32	1	33	31	2	-	15	15	4	33	-
Plumbing law, violation of,	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Police rules, violation of,	9	-	9	1	3	5	4	-	-	9	-

Postal law, violation of,	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Prisoner, escaped,	16	-	15	1	14	-	-	2	2	9	11	4	-
Prisoner, rescue of, and attempt to rescue,	8	1	9	5	4	-	-	4	2	3	9	-	-
Probation, violation of conditions,	5	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	4	5	-	-
Public meetings, disturbing,	12	-	12	-	8	-	4	2	1	7	12	-	-
Public park regulations, violation of,	113	-	113	15	20	78	17	51	23	113	-	-	-
Profane and obscene language, using,	113	15	128	41	73	11	59	13	35	128	-	-	-
Railroad law, violation of,	189	5	194	61	91	39	49	81	96	194	-	-	-
Registered milk jars, unlawful use of,	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Runaways,	125	53	178	1	177	-	15	88	178	11	167	-	-
Refusing to pay carfare, etc.,	15	1	16	7	3	6	4	6	-	-	16	-	-
School committee rules, violation of,	63	1	61	2	-	62	27	1	61	61	61	-	-
Shipping law, violation of,	5	-	5	1	4	-	5	3	-	-	5	-	-
Sparring exhibition, engaging in and promoting,	5	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-
State fire marshal's rules, violation of,	3	-	3	-	2	1	2	-	-	-	3	-	-

TABLE XI. — *Concluded.*
 No. 8. OFFENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING — *Concluded.*

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total	On Warrants	Without Warrants	Summoned by the Court.	Foreigners.	Non-requests	Missions.	Held for Trial.	Discharged
	M.	F.									
Sunday law, violation of,	184	19	203	42	20	111	161	10	32	203	-
Stubborn children,	117	60	177	146	11	20	42	11	172	168	9
Suspicious persons,	2,328	138	2,466	-	2,466	-	820	781	830	-	2,466
Tobacco, selling, to minor,	6	3	9	2	-	7	8	-	-	9	-
Trauney,	35	-	35	28	7	-	5	4	29	35	-
United States flag, desecration of,	2	1	3	3	-	-	2	1	-	3	-
Vagrants, tramps, etc.,	400	31	431	100	330	1	151	320	72	431	-
Vagabond,	17	-	17	10	7	-	3	10	3	17	-
Totals,	37,752	4,348	42,100	2,650	38,871	1,179	20,072	16,515	3,643	39,189	2,911

RECAPITULATION.

No. 1. Offences against the person,	2,606	218	2,854	1,268	1,152	431	1,451	408	522	2,819	5
No. 2. Offences against property, committed with violence,	693	8	701	201	328	172	121	112	452	701	-
No. 3. Offences against property, committed without violence,	2,712	381	3,496	1,173	1,499	424	917	777	1,070	3,093	3
No. 4. Molestation offences against property,	247	13	260	115	33	112	57	16	168	260	-
No. 5. Forgery and offences against the currency,	60	1	61	32	29	-	15	27	14	61	-
No. 6. Offences against the license laws,	215	103	318	137	136	45	220	11	12	317	1
No. 7. Offences against elasticity, etc.,	403	472	875	281	584	10	362	161	66	875	-
No. 8. Offences not included in the foregoing,	37,752	4,318	42,100	2,050	38,871	1,179	20,072	16,515	3,643	39,189	2,911
Totals,	44,688	6,677	50,265	5,257	42,632	2,376	23,251	18,030	5,917	47,315	2,920

TABLE XII.
Comparative Statement of Offences for which Arrests were made in 1903 and 1904.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Year to Nov. 30, 1903.	Year to Nov. 30, 1904.	Increase.	Decrease.
Offences against the person,	2,688	2,854	166	-
Offences against property, committed with violence,	743	701	-	42
Offences against property, committed without violence,	3,236	3,096	-	140
Malicious offences against property,	310	260	-	50
Forgery and offences against the currency,	54	61	7	-
Offences against the license law,	370	318	-	52
Offences against chastity, morality, etc.,	697	875	178	-
Offences not included in the foregoing,	34,985	42,100	7,165	-
Totals,	43,033	50,265	7,516	284

TABLE XIII.
Comparative Statement of Police Criminal Work, 1900 to 1904, inclusive.

Years.	Estimated Popu- lation.	Number of Persons arrested.	Percentage of Ar- rests.	Amount of Property reported stolen in the City.	Amount of Property recovered, stolen in and out of the City.	Amount of Fines imposed by Court.	Years of Imprison- ment imposed by Court.	Number of Days Attendance at Court.	Amount of Witness Fees earned.
1900,	560,000	33,655	6.01	\$111,030 95	\$138,678 60	\$98,588 67	3,279 ¹ / ₂	29,631	\$8,710 30
1901,	560,000	34,500	6.00	119,091 03	204,718 46	87,898 18	2,860 ¹ / ₂	30,861	7,849 51
1902,	584,000	34,732	5.94	93,509 69	299,609 86	92,458 75	2,411 ¹ / ₂	30,283	8,308 22
1903,	596,000	43,033	7.22	156,421 38	356,742 92	93,172 97	2,918	34,805	9,057 00
1904,	608,000	50,265	8.26	124,792 00	346,834 79	111,383 41	3,177 ¹ / ₂	38,963	10,435 61
Averages,	581,600	39,237	6.69	\$120,969 01	\$269,316 93	\$96,700 40	2,929	32,909	\$8,872 13

TABLE XIV.
Age and Sex of Persons arrested.

[NOTE.—"M," male, includes boys, "F," female, includes girls.]

OFFENCE.	10		15		20		25		30		35		40		45		50		55		OVER 60.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
No. 1.	19	1	136	19	280	6	564	25	607	62	370	39	287	41	220	38	98	13	61	14	35	6	20
No. 2.	38	-	220	-	100	-	198	3	68	1	30	1	24	2	16	-	3	-	3	1	1	-	2
No. 3.	43	4	437	16	484	37	450	61	374	60	278	64	265	47	174	36	100	20	55	18	20	7	23
No. 4.	16	-	86	1	64	-	20	1	10	1	17	1	12	3	1	1	6	2	1	-	4	-	1
No. 5.	-	-	4	-	8	-	14	1	7	-	0	-	10	-	2	-	3	-	2	-	1	-	-
No. 6.	1	-	-	1	8	1	21	14	32	11	26	18	34	18	29	18	29	8	14	7	12	2	9
No. 7.	-	-	3	-	15	20	85	170	84	123	76	54	51	45	48	28	24	5	13	6	6	3	8
No. 8.	175	81	794	69	1,888	202	4,847	465	3,340	694	3,754	684	5,073	742	4,806	525	3,450	338	2,334	243	1,336	132	1,649
Totals.	289	80	1,686	97	2,919	273	5,869	749	6,624	951	6,366	831	6,356	898	5,074	649	3,722	406	2,487	289	1,433	159	1,718

TABLE XV.
Licenses of All Classes, except for the Sale of Liquors, issued, etc., during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

CLASS OF LICENSE.	Applications granted.	Places licensed.	Refused.	Transferred.	Canceled.	Rescinded.	Complaints investigated.	Complaints heard.	Amount of Fees collected.
Auctioneer,*	224	223	4	1	1	1	1	1	\$434 00
Billiard places, 77; bowling places, 48; pool places, 190; alipho places, 2,1	338	317	27	11	13	7	15	1	3,128 00
Boat.	1,602	1,204	223	60	263	9	16	1	25,027 20
Driver, hack or cab,	11,074	1,311	23	10	26	12	37	1	1,000 00
Hackney carriages,	1,311	1,311	24	10	26	1	1	1	18 00
Hotel east,	1,500	1,500	1	1	1	1	1	1	3,450 00
Hotelholder,	18	18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,370 00
Intelligence office, 28 first class; 82 second class,	10	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	980 00
Junk collector,	310	105	12	11	4	2	07	1	105 00
Junk shop, keeper,	685	100	18	8	17	1	1	1	3,050 00
Musician, itinerant,	100	175	16	8	17	3	0	0	980 00
Musician, collective,	105	173	16	8	16	0	2	2	105 00
Lawbreaker,	104	104	6	1	1	1	1	1	3,050 00
Private detective,	73	70	5	1	3	1	1	1	60 00
Public lodging-house,	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,580 00
Second-hand articles,	18	17	2	1	1	1	1	1	1,450 00
Small boats,	316	303	16	1	12	1	0	0	640 50
Street railway conductor and motorman,	20	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	6,213 00
Wagon,	2,650	2,650	5	35	2,481	1	7	7	\$50,077 20
Totals,	6,213	55,740	350	141	2,007	45	342	7	

* 7 veterans.
1 213 billiard tables; 268 bowling alleys; 1,080 pool tables; 3 alipho tables.

TABLE XVI.

Number of Dog Licenses issued during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

DIVISION	Males.	Females.	Breeders.	Spayed.	Totals
1,	96	29	2	2	129
2,	26	-	-	-	26
3,	300	94	-	9	403
4,	175	65	3	-	243
5,	431	117	3	11	562
6,	310	80	1	-	391
7,	736	152	-	7	895
9,	1,036	188	3	28	1,255
10,	796	170	-	11	977
11,	1,898	321	2	51	2,272
12,	558	114	-	8	680
13,	1,286	154	3	29	1,472
11,	535	80	2	23	640
15,	427	113	-	-	540
16,	508	67	-	14	589
Totals,	9,118	1,744	19	193	11,074

TABLE XVII.

Financial Statement for the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

EXPENDITURES.	
Pay of the officers,	\$1,458,646 13
Pensions,	123,468 42
Fuel and light,	21,838 70
Water and ice,	700 07
Furniture and bedding,	3,869 24
Printing and stationery,	13,641 18
Care and cleaning station houses and city prison,	19,263 34
Repairs and supplies to police steamers,	19,496 19
Repairs and supplies to police steamers,	8,571 02
Rent and care of telephone and telegraph wires,	8,663 28
Care and keeping horses, harnesses and vehicles,	24,387 98
Purchase of horses and vehicles,	5,364 06
Carting prisoners to and from stations and city prison,	841 65
Feeding prisoners,	2,331 71
Medical attendance,	6,972 90
Transportation,	2,990 11
Pursuit of criminals,	3,896 82
Cloth for uniform and uniforms helmets,	16,588 59
Badges, buttons, clubs, belts, insignia, etc.,	3,192 30
Travelling expenses and food for officers,	518 40
Rent of buildings,	3,010 00
Total,	\$1,748,252 09
Expenses of registration,	30,054 42
Expenses of house of detention and station house matrons,	9,249 88
Expenses of liquor license bureau,	54,607 01
Expenses of signal system (see Table XVIII.),	60,749 79
Total,	\$1,902,913 19
RECEIPTS.	
For all licenses (except for sale of liquor),*	\$24,450 00
For sale of unclaimed and condemned property, etc.,	297 43
For dog licenses (credited to school department),	25,627 20
Total,	\$50,374 63
For liquor licenses,	1,438,132 16
For uniform cloth, etc.,	16,897 81
Total,	\$1,505,404 60

* Credited to police department.

TABLE XVIII.

Payments on Account of the Signal System during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1904.

Labor,	\$21,453 23
Hay, grain, shoeing, etc.,	6,113 54
Rent of telephone instruments,	1,483 02
Rent and care of buildings,	4,969 73
Purchase of horses, harnesses and vehicles,	1,117 73
Stable supplies and furniture,	87 43
Repairs on buildings,	2,746 22
Repairing wagons, harnesses, etc.,	3,376 21
Fuel, gas and water,	1,480 30
Miscellaneous, car fares, etc.,	1,318 21
Signalling apparatus, repairs and supplies,	4,366 47
Underground,	8,719 92
Printing, stationery, etc.,	517 73
Total,	\$60,749 79

The following-named persons have been awarded a department medal, as provided by General Order No. 237, dated Nov. 12, 1894, on account of having performed some hazardous or dangerous service while in the performance of duty as police officers : —

Rank.	NAME.	Division.	Date.
Patrolman,	John D. McCarthy,	14	Nov. 12, 1894.
Patrolman,	Wesley W. Chandler,	13	Feb. 2, 1895.
Sergeant,	George A. Rohrer, Jr.,	7	Feb. 2, 1895.
Patrolman,*	William J. Murphy,	4	Feb. 2, 1895.
Superintendent,	William H. Pierce,	H. Q.	Feb. 2, 1895.
Patrolman,	John J. Smith,	16	Nov. 29, 1895.
Patrolman,	Amasa E. Augusta,	11	Jan. 1, 1898.
Patrolman,	Henry C. Berry,	15	Jan. 1, 1898.
Patrolman,	William H. Gordon,	1	Jan. 1, 1898.
Patrolman,	Peter A. Hayes,	1	Jan. 1, 1898.
Patrolman,†	George A. Armstrong,	9	March 29, 1898.
Patrolman,	Walter G. Horton,	1	March 29, 1898.
Patrolman,‡	Edward F. Lewey,	2	March 29, 1898.
Patrolman,	Edward H. Mullen,	15	March 29, 1898.
Sergeant,	William H. Allen,	4	Oct. 29, 1898.
Patrolman,	Charles B. Kelly,	3	Oct. 29, 1898.
Patrolman,	Edward R. Olds,	15	Sept. 8, 1899.
Patrolman,§	Christopher J. Burrill,	3	Aug. 31, 1901.
Patrolman,	Patrick J. Fitzgerald,	7	April 11, 1903.
Patrolman,	Thomas S. Graham,	5	April 11, 1903.
Patrolman,	Hugh A. Rourke,	7	April 11, 1903.
Patrolman,	Thomas F. Connolly,	16	Nov. 25, 1903.
Patrolman,	Michael J. Sullivan,	4	Nov. 25, 1903.
Sergeant,	William F. Aubens,	7	Dec. 22, 1903.
Patrolman,	Michael J. Hankard,	7	Dec. 22, 1903.
Patrolman,	William G. Hill,	5	May 16, 1904.
Patrolman,	Joseph M. Connor,	5	May 16, 1904.
Captain,	Thomas C. Evans,	7	Nov. 1, 1904.
Inspector,	William J. Rooney,	H. Q.	Nov. 1, 1904.

* Died Nov. 21, 1895.

† Resigned Dec. 5, 1903.

‡ Resigned Dec. 21, 1903.

§ Retired March 19, 1904.

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