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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

## REPORT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE POLICE COMMISSIONER, 29 PEMBERTON SQUARE,  
BOSTON, Dec. 1, 1921.

To His Excellency CHANNING H. COX, *Governor*.

YOUR EXCELLENCY:—As Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, I have the honor to present, in compliance with the provisions of chapter 291 of the Acts of the year 1906, a report of the police department for the year ending Nov. 30, 1921.

I beg to call to Your Excellency's attention that, in the report of the Police Commissioner for the year ending Nov. 30, 1920, was contained the following:—

Section 8 of chapter 291 of the Acts of 1906 provides in part as follows: "The city of Boston shall provide all such accommodations for the police of said city as said police commissioner may require." In April, 1919, I submitted to the mayor of Boston an exhaustive report on the Boston station houses, pointing out the deficiencies and the lack of necessary accommodations for the police force. I then and since have respectfully advised and recommended to the authorities of the city of Boston that they take appropriate action to make adequate provisions. Although my recommendations and requirements were not only reasonable but imperatively necessary, no one of them has been in any way adopted or met. The police department of the city of Boston to-day needs new station houses, and substantial additions and changes in others.

One of the most urgent needs of the Department in the matter of station houses, a need that is as yet not met, is a building to house Division 2 and the traffic division, with offices for the property clerk. Although I repeatedly made

known my requirements, I was unable to make any progress at City Hall, and was obliged to proceed before the Supreme Judicial Court in *mandamus*. The full bench of the Supreme Judicial Court handed down its decision on Sept. 16, 1921, with a writ of *mandamus* issued against the mayor and the members of the city council. Since that time I am advised that the city council has voted to purchase an adequate site on which to erect a building that will meet the requirements of the Police Commissioner.

There has been no progress in the matter of the other new station houses asked for in 1919, and little progress in the matter of the additions and changes needed in those that will still serve, except in the matter of Division 8. Division 8 is known as the harbor police, and the recommendation to his honor the mayor in 1919 stated that the present station might be abandoned and a smaller one erected on the water front. It was not an immediate necessity, nor was it urged as such. As a matter of fact, advice has been received that plans have been accepted and that work has been commenced, or shortly will be commenced, on a single building to accommodate the harbor divisions of both the police and fire departments. The Police Department, of course, is glad to get a new station house for Division 8, but that was not one of the immediate and necessary improvements that were urged in my report to the mayor in 1919. There has been no attempt by the city council as a whole to meet my requirements or conform in letter or spirit to the act creating the single-headed Police Commissioner.

#### THE POLICE FORCE.

The police force as it exists to-day may fairly be said to be on an organized basis. Notwithstanding the fact that we hear and read of corruption, dishonesty and inefficiency in other large police forces, especially having to do with the illegal sale of liquor, the record of the present Boston police force, both as to integrity and ability stands out. The young men as a whole have rapidly grasped the principles of police business, and have exhibited a stability of character remarkable when their years are considered.

During the past year, by agreement with his honor the mayor, the police department was authorized to appoint eight policewomen. Six only were appointed, as this was the number satisfactory to him that the Commissioner was able to obtain from the list submitted by the Department of Civil Service and Registration. Another examination will be held in February by that Department, and from the list then established the Commissioner hopes to obtain two additional policewomen who he feels will fulfil the requirements that a policewoman should have. The six who have served in the Department during the past year are reported by their superior officers to have shown good capacity and have performed excellent work considering their experience.

At the present time the patrolmen in the police department number 1,672, including the women, and there are ten vacancies. As Your Excellency is aware, by the terms of the act creating the Police Commissioner, the number of patrolmen may not be increased, except by concurrent action of the mayor and the Police Commissioner, nor may the pay of the police be raised or lowered except by such concurrent action. The increase during the past year in the number of patrolmen authorized by the mayor was 40. And in this connection, I call Your Excellency's attention to the fact that the great single item of expense in the police department is the pay of the police, and that is fixed, as I have said, by the concurrent action of the mayor and the Police Commissioner. The present incumbent of the mayor's office, His Honor Mayor Peters, has been very liberal in the matter of the pay and increase in number of the force. I appreciate that any mayor of the city of Boston has many departments under his control, for which he is responsible, all looking to him for increased appropriations, but I cannot ignore the fact that the police department is in urgent need of at least 100 more patrolmen, a large proportion of whom is needed for traffic duties.

This matter of traffic, almost entirely motor-vehicle traffic, has become a serious problem, both in the way of handling it and of the increased expenditure it has brought upon the city. I am advised that Boston, having almost no State

highways, gets no benefit from the automobile fees that are paid, and I feel impelled to state to Your Excellency that much of the past increase in expenditure of the police force, and much of the increase that is to come, arises from motor vehicle traffic, much of which comes from outside of Boston and a great deal of which merely passes through the city, having no connection with its business life.

#### THE LIQUOR SITUATION.

The liquor situation in Boston to-day, as regards the work of the police in relation thereto, is substantially different from what it was prior to the passage of the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act. There is not on our statute books to-day an act the same in all respects as the Volstead Act, and for that reason the handling of the liquor situation is and must be unsatisfactory. It is a fact that the amendment to the Constitution is now in existence, but there is no adequate enforcement act upon our statute books in this State, with the result that the State officers of the law come in for a great deal of well-meant but unjust criticism.

Last year the licensing board for the city of Boston petitioned the Legislature for an act that would of itself have been of great help. The licensing board asked that all soft-drink places, so called, be licensed and regulated. As a matter of fact, the licensing board knew, as this department certainly does, that many places, some of them formerly bar-rooms and others fitted up as bars, were ostensibly selling soft drinks, but in reality selling intoxicating liquor. The public could not understand why a barroom that could be strictly regulated when it was licensed to sell liquor, could not be regulated at all when it had no license of any description. And that is just the point — it requires no license; and even a conviction for the sale of liquor on the premises has but the effect of a fine with the business still going on. If these so-called soft-drink places were obliged to have a license, and the licensing board given the power to impose reasonable regulations and to take away the licenses for violations thereof, we would not have places, even under the shadow of our police stations, with barriers built in the

windows so that the business carried on inside might not be observed. Should the Legislature pass an enforcement act, it is to be hoped it will substantially conform to the terms of the national act, so that we may all be working with equal authority.

In this connection, however, I call to Your Excellency's attention that for the year ending Nov. 30, 1921, this department made 2,015 prosecutions in the State court and 184 in the United States Court, making 2,199 all told, for violation of the liquor law. I do not, of course, refer to the arrests for drunkenness.

#### THE PROBLEM OF THE GANGSTER AND OTHERS OF LIKE CHARACTER.

Section 53 of chapter 272 of the General Laws includes as rogues and vagabonds "all other idle and disorderly persons, including therein those persons who neglect all lawful business and habitually misspend their time by frequenting houses of ill fame, gaming houses and tippling shops." That is the same provision contained in chapter 743 of the Acts of the year 1914.

The central municipal court construes the words "by frequenting houses of ill fame, gaming houses and tippling shops" as words of limitation and not words of illustration. Other courts do not take this view, and it has been contended that the view of the central municipal court is wrong, and that it should change its ruling rather than that the Legislature should change the law. The fact remains, however, that the central municipal court has jurisdiction over all central down-town Boston, and until the court changes its ruling, or the Legislature clarifies the law, the pool rooms, near-beer places, all-night restaurants, and other such places will continue to be the undisturbed gathering places of the criminal and criminally inclined. In 1920 I asked the Legislature to clarify its language and remove all misapprehension by striking out those words on which the misapprehension arose. The petition, though late in the session, was admitted, its necessity being apparent to the committee on rules of both branches.

The reason why the petition came in late in 1920 was this. It is perfectly apparent from the reading of the statute that, assuming the ruling of the municipal court to be correct, it is not enough to show that the particular defendant frequented places that were merely suspected of being houses of ill fame or gaming houses or tippling shops. It is necessary to show that the places frequented were actually such; and in the contemplation of the law no such places as tippling shops existed after the prohibition amendment came into effect. There are not, and were not at that time, recognized houses of ill fame or gaming houses, and after the passage of the Eighteenth Amendment, tippling shops as such, ceased to exist in the contemplation of the law. Boston having been a license city, however, the class of criminal and near criminal that the police desired to reach and should reach usually frequented places where liquor was sold by license, and it was commonly easily proved that the particular defendant did so frequent a tippling shop. Really the Commissioner in his petition to the Legislature in 1920 asked for no more power than the police enjoyed prior to the incoming of prohibition, but singularly enough the coming into effect of the prohibition amendment, together with the requirements of the municipal court in the matter of proof in the case of these idle and disorderly persons, severely hampered the police administration. The petition passed the Senate with little opposition, came into the House and suddenly was defeated. I must advise Your Excellency that so long as the central municipal court construes the words in that statute as it does, this police department is gravely hindered in the proper handling of the criminal and near-criminal population, which at present may gather in certain places, plotting its crimes without restraint. When the time arrives that the ruling is changed by the court, or the language clarified by the Legislature, this city will be unpopular for those gentry who desire to make it their headquarters.

A similar situation arises in the matter of gaming. The police department arrests and brings into the courts certain persons and charges them with "keeping a place, to wit: — in a certain portion of a certain street with books and appa-

ratus for the purpose of registering bets on horse races." There is a conflict of decision among the judges, some of them holding that the street is not a place within the meaning of the statute, which means that this betting may go on, and it is going on without let or hindrance. This is another case in which any ambiguity in the matter of the statute should be cleared up.

A few days ago a Boston daily paper, referring to a New York case, said: —

"The case has interest here, because ever since the Boston police strike there has been a persistent effort to discredit the present police force. Whenever occurs an instance of individual inefficiency or unworthiness on the part of a Boston police officer, an effort is made to bring condemnation on the police force and on the Police Commissioner."

". . . It supports the new police force, and it will continue to do so, because that force has earned support."

". . . Instances of police inefficiency or unworthiness will always be properly condemned. The public will not tolerate mischievous efforts to twist such instances into a destructive application."

". . . Any undesirable members of Boston's police force will be weeded out, as they show their bad quality. Meantime, we are building up here the best police force in the country. . . ."

The Police Commissioner could not express the situation better than the editorial writer has done. It is a fact that there is a constant propaganda going on against the present police force. Assaults on police officers that were brought into court during the year ending Nov. 30, 1921, numbered one hundred and sixty-two. In one unfortunate instance a police officer was shot and killed, leaving a wife and a large family. It is said that the man who killed him is demented, and it may be so; but he had plenty of encouragement, both printed and spoken, to move his crazed mind to do the thing which he did. Application after application has been made for warrants against police officers, striving to fasten upon men who have merely done their duty criminal records and criminal punishment. Of those who are directly guilty of this malicious propaganda, I shall say nothing, but to those who give support and encouragement to it in any shape or

form I say that they should take thought to themselves, and ask how they can expect the protection that they do expect if honest, courageous and worthy police officers are thus persecuted in the performance of their duty.

It is often found necessary to retain competent counsel for the prosecution of criminal cases in the lower courts, and sometimes to be represented by counsel in the higher courts; also to provide counsel especially to defend police officers unjustly accused.

It is quite possible that the present amount allowed by statute may be exhausted before the completion of the fiscal year, and it is my opinion that a Police Commissioner should be allowed to expend for counsel fees such sums as in his judgment are necessary, subject, however, to the approval of the Governor and Council. I do not mean that he should be obliged to go to the Governor and Council on each expenditure, but that he should not be hampered in the public performance of his duty by being confined to a specific statutory sum which cannot be increased, no matter what the exigency. He may at the present time incur other expenses for the police department which the city of Boston must pay on his requisition without approval of anybody. It would seem, therefore, reasonable that he should be allowed a sufficient sum for legal assistance with the approval of the Governor and Council, as before stated.

#### DANCING IN HOTELS.

Under section 181 of chapter 140 of the General Laws, a license is required for public dances given in halls, and the licensing authority has the right to impose, and does impose, reasonable terms and conditions in such license.

By the wording of the statute, a license is required only for such public dances "to which admission is obtained upon payment of money or upon the delivery of any valuable thing, or in which, after free admission, amusement is furnished upon a deposit in a coin controlled apparatus."

It has been held by the courts that the dancing in the dining rooms of hotels and cafés does not come under section 181 above quoted, and that therefore it may exist without



such license as is required for all other kinds of public dances, and consequently without regulation by the licensing authority. While it is true that the person who dances in a hotel or café does not purchase a ticket at the door as for dancing in halls, yet he purchases the right to dance when he pays for his entertainment at the hotel or café. There is no difference in principle between the dances conducted at a hotel or café and those in a public hall, and no more reason for requiring license and regulation for dances in public halls than there is for dances in hotels or cafés in connection with their business. From the reports that come to me as Police Commissioner, it appears that dances in hotels and cafés need quite as much regulating as those held in public halls. The fact that as a general rule it requires a much larger outlay of money to indulge in dancing in hotels and cafés than in the public dance halls, to which people come for amusement whose means are limited, is no reason for discriminating against the latter or for assuming that they need licensing and regulating more than the hotel and café dancers. As a matter of fact, they do not.

In order that this discrimination may be removed and that all classes of public dancing be licensed and properly regulated, as one class is now, I am appending to this report a draft of a proposed bill amending section 181 of chapter 140 of the General Laws in such manner as to make it clear that the section covers all public dancing, whether the dance is given by itself or as incidental to some other business.

Very respectfully,

E. U. CURTIS,  
*Police Commissioner for the City of Boston.*

## BILL SUBMITTED.

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### AN ACT RELATIVE TO PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS, ETC.

SECTION 1. Section one hundred and eighty-one of chapter one hundred and forty of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the semicolon after the word "apparatus", in the ninth line of said section, and inserting in place thereof a comma, and after said comma the words: — or which are conducted in connection with or on the same premises with any hotel, restaurant, café or other business, — so that the same may read as follows: — *Section 181.* The mayor or selectmen may, except as provided in section one hundred and five of chapter one hundred and forty-nine, grant, upon such terms and conditions as they deem reasonable, a license for theatrical exhibitions, public shows, public amusements and exhibitions of every description, to be held upon week days only, to which admission is obtained upon payment of money or upon the delivery of any valuable thing, or by a ticket or voucher obtained for money or any valuable thing, or in which, after free admission, amusement is furnished upon a deposit of money in a coin controlled apparatus, or which are conducted in connection with or on the same premises with any hotel, restaurant, café or other business; and the mayor or selectmen may revoke or suspend such license at their pleasure, but they shall not grant a license for any such theatrical exhibitions, public shows or public amusements or exhibitions of any description whatever to be held upon Sunday, except as provided in chapter one hundred and thirty-six.

## THE DEPARTMENT.

The police department is at present constituted as follows:—

Police Commissioner.	Secretary.	2
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### *The Police Force.*

Superintendent . . . . .	1	Lieutenants . . . . .	41	
Deputy superintendent . . . . .	1	Sergeants . . . . .	135	
Chief inspector . . . . .	1	Patrolmen . . . . .	1,672	
Captains . . . . .	28			
Inspectors . . . . .	26	Total . . . . .	1,906	
Inspector of carriages (lieutenant) . . . . .	1			

### *Signal Service.*

Director . . . . .	1	Linemen . . . . .	5	
Foreman . . . . .	1	Driver . . . . .	1	
Signalmen . . . . .	6			
Mechanics . . . . .	3	Total . . . . .	17	

### *Employees of the Department.*

Clerks . . . . .	20	Van drivers . . . . .	2	
Stenographers . . . . .	7	Foreman of stable . . . . .	1	
Matrons of house of detention . . . . .	5	Hostlers . . . . .	11	
Matrons of station houses . . . . .	6	Assistant steward of city prison . . . . .	1	
Engineers on police steamers . . . . .	3	Janitors . . . . .	27	
Firemen on police steamers . . . . .	1	Janitresses . . . . .	17	
Auto repair shop foreman . . . . .	1	Telephone operators . . . . .	3	
Auto repair shop mechanics . . . . .	2			
Assistant property clerk . . . . .	1	Total . . . . .	108	

### *Recapitulation.*

Police Commissioner and secretary . . . . .	2
Police force . . . . .	1,906
Signal service . . . . .	17
Employees . . . . .	108
Grand total . . . . .	2,033

## DISTRIBUTION AND CHANGES.

The distribution of the police force is shown by Table I. During the year 8 patrolmen were reinstated; 198 patrolmen were appointed; 28 patrolmen were discharged; 90 patrolmen resigned; 1 deputy superintendent, 1 captain, 2 sergeants and 16 patrolmen were retired on pension; 1 inspector and 5 patrolmen died; 1 inspector and 1 patrolman were transferred to State departments. (See Tables II, III, IV, 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 causes of the injuries: —

HOW INJURED.	Number of Men injured.	Number of Duties lost.
In arresting prisoners . . . . .	116	293
In pursuing criminals . . . . .	22	99
By stopping runaways . . . . .	6	58
By cars and other vehicles . . . . .	46	161
Various other causes . . . . .	96	333
Totals . . . . .	286	944

## WORK OF THE DEPARTMENT.

*Arrests.*

The total number of persons arrested counting each arrest as that of a separate person, was 72,161 as against 58,817 the preceding year, being an increase of 13,344. The percentage of decrease and increase was as follows: —

	Per Cent.
Offences against the person . . . . .	Increase, 23.50
Offences against property committed with violence .	Increase, 11.85
Offences against property committed without violence	Increase, 19.39
Malicious offences against property . . . . .	Increase, 42.57
Forgery and offences against the currency . . . .	Increase, 10.58
Offences against the license laws . . . . .	Increase, 147.24
Offences against chastity, morality, etc. . . . .	Increase, 28.65
Offences not included in the foregoing . . . . .	Increase, 19.62

There were 9,656 persons arrested on warrants and 47,044 without warrants; 15,461 persons were summoned by the court; 67,024 persons were held for trial; 5,137 were released from custody. The number of males arrested was 67,141; of females, 5,020; of foreigners, 26,297, or approximately 36.44 per cent; of minors, 8,724. Of the total number arrested, 19,752, or 27.37 per cent, were nonresidents. (See Tables X, XI.)

The average amount of fines imposed by the courts for the five years from 1917 to 1921, inclusive, was \$137,448.96; in 1921 it was \$193,901.80, or \$56,452.84 more than the average.

The average number of days' attendance at court was 36,715; in 1921 it was 38,476, or 1,761 more than the average. The average amount of witness fees earned was \$10,429.16; in 1921 it was \$11,428.07, or \$998.91 more than the average. (See Table XIII.)

#### *Drunkenness.*

In the arrests for drunkenness the average per day was \$4. There were 9,187 more persons arrested than in 1920, an increase of 42.14 per cent; 38.89 per cent of the arrested persons were nonresidents, and 28.39 per cent were of foreign birth. (See Table XI.)

#### *Bureau of Criminal Investigation.*

The "identification room" now contains 61,710 photographs, 53,774 of which are photographs with Bertillon measurements, a system used by the department for the past twenty-two years. In accordance with the Revised Laws, chapter 225, sections 18 and 21, we are allowed photographs with Bertillon measurements taken of convicts, in the State

Prison and reformatory, a number of which have already been added to our Bertillon cabinets. This, together with the adoption of the system by the 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 584 criminals have been added to the records in this Bureau, which now contains a total of 42,842. The number of cases reported at this office which have been investigated during the year is 30,123. There are 35,699 cases reported on the assignment books kept for this purpose, and reports made on these cases are filed away for future reference. The system of indexing adopted by this Bureau for the use of the department now contains a list of records, histories, photographs, dates of arrest, etc., of about 185,000 persons. There are also "histories and press clippings," now numbering 8,402, made by this Bureau, in envelope form for police reference.

The finger-print system of identification which was adopted in June, 1906, has progressed in a satisfactory manner, and with it the identification of criminals is facilitated. It has become very useful in tracing criminals and furnishing corroborating evidence in many instances.

The statistics of the work of this branch of the service are included in the statement 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 . . . . .	1,649
Fugitives from justice from other States, arrested and delivered to officers from those States . . . . .	46
Number of cases investigated . . . . .	30,123
Number of extra duties performed . . . . .	2,199
Number of cases of homicide and supposed homicide investigated and evidence prepared for trial in court . . . . .	160
Number of cases of abortion and supposed abortion investigated and evidence prepared for court . . . . .	5
Number of days spent in court by officers . . . . .	4,319
Number of years' imprisonment imposed by court, 135 years, 5 months.	
Amount of stolen property recovered . . . . .	\$792,218.60
Number of photographs added to "identification room" . . . . .	1,766

The nativity of the prisoners was as follows:—

United States . . . . .	45,864	West Indies . . . . .	106
British Provinces . . . . .	3,065	Turkey . . . . .	165
Ireland . . . . .	7,343	South America . . . . .	44
England . . . . .	645	Switzerland . . . . .	10
France . . . . .	119	Belgium . . . . .	21
Germany . . . . .	336	Armenia . . . . .	144
Italy . . . . .	4,438	Africa . . . . .	9
Russia . . . . .	5,725	Hungary . . . . .	33
China . . . . .	294	Asia . . . . .	33
Greece . . . . .	692	Arabia . . . . .	7
Sweden . . . . .	576	Mexico . . . . .	10
Scotland . . . . .	364	Japan . . . . .	11
Spain . . . . .	82	Syria . . . . .	142
Norway . . . . .	149	Roumania . . . . .	14
Poland . . . . .	776	Lithuania . . . . .	44
Australia . . . . .	21	Abyssinia . . . . .	3
Austria . . . . .	202	Cuba . . . . .	4
Portugal . . . . .	319	Guatemala . . . . .	1
Finland . . . . .	205	Serbia . . . . .	3
Denmark . . . . .	71	Albania . . . . .	7
Holland . . . . .	27		
Wales . . . . .	12	Total . . . . .	72,161
East Indies . . . . .	25		

The number of arrests for the year was 72,161, being an increase of 13,344 over last year, and 7,394 less than the average for the past five years. There were 30,987 persons arrested for drunkenness, being 9,187 more than last year, and 23,613 less than the average for the past five years. Of the arrests for drunkenness this year there was an increase of 43.24 per cent in males, and an increase of 25.07 per cent in females from last year. (See Tables XI, XIII.)

Of the total number of arrests for the year (72,161), 962 were for violations of city ordinances; that is to say, 1 arrest in 75 was for such offence, or 1.33 per cent.

Sixty-one and twenty-two one-hundredths per cent of the persons taken into custody were between the ages of twenty and forty. (See Table XII.)

The number of persons punished by fines was 16,703, and the fines amounted to \$193,901.80. (See Table XIII.)

Fifty persons were committed to the State Prison, 1,901

to the House of Correction, 41 to the Women's Prison, 117 to the Reformatory Prison and 841 to other institutions. The total years of imprisonment were 1 life, 94 indefinite, 1,739 years, 10 months; the total number of days' attendance at court by officers was 38,476; and the witness fees earned by them amounted to \$11,428.07.

The value of property taken from prisoners and lodgers was \$387,433.54.

Nineteen witnesses were detained at station houses; 137 were accommodated with lodgings, an increase of 90 from last year. There was a decrease of 1.17 per cent from last year in the number of insane persons taken in charge, an increase of about 22.9 per cent in the number of sick and injured persons assisted, and an increase of about .92 per cent in the number of lost children cared for.

The average amount of property stolen in the city for the five years from 1917 to 1921, inclusive, was \$1,142,009.88; in 1921 it was \$1,830,357.87, or \$688,347.99 more than the average. The amount of property stolen in and out of the city which was recovered by the Boston police was \$1,627,331.08, as against \$1,402,880.92 last year, or \$224,450.16 more.

#### OFFICER DETAILED TO ASSIST MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

The officer detailed to assist the medical examiners reports having investigated 699 cases of death from the following causes:—

Abortion . . . . .	2	Motor cycle . . . . .	1
Alcoholism . . . . .	13	Natural causes . . . . .	240
Asphyxiation . . . . .	6	Poison . . . . .	44
Automobiles . . . . .	5	Railroad (steam) . . . . .	23
Burns . . . . .	29	Stillborn . . . . .	4
Drowning . . . . .	30	Suffocation . . . . .	5
Electricity . . . . .	3	Suicides . . . . .	72
Elevators . . . . .	12	Teams . . . . .	4
Exposure . . . . .	1	Homicides . . . . .	138
Falling objects . . . . .	8		
Falls . . . . .	56	Total . . . . .	699
Machinery . . . . .	3		

On 244 of the above cases inquests were held.



Of the total number the following homicide cases were prosecuted in the courts: —

Automobiles . . . . .	83	Railway (street) . . . . .	20
Collapse of building . . . . .	1	Shooting, accidental . . . . .	3
Drowning, accidental . . . . .	1	Shot, resisting arrest . . . . .	1
Elevators . . . . .	1	Suicides . . . . .	1
Manslaughter . . . . .	14	Teams . . . . .	1
Murder . . . . .	11		
Natural causes . . . . .	1	Total . . . . .	138

#### LOST, ABANDONED AND STOLEN PROPERTY.

On Dec. 1, 1920, there were 1,775 articles of lost, stolen or abandoned property in the custody of the property clerk; 1,459 were received during the year; 777 pieces were sold at public auction and the proceeds, \$1,209.95, were turned over to the chief clerk; 2 packages containing \$5.03, received from the sale of perishable property, were turned over to the chief clerk; 132 packages containing \$592.55 were turned over to the chief clerk; 109 packages were destroyed as worthless or sold as junk and the proceeds, \$52.88, were turned over to the chief clerk; and 126 packages were delivered to owners, finders or administrators, leaving 2,088 on hand.

#### SPECIAL EVENTS.

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

	Men.
<b>1920.</b>	
Dec. 3, Visit of General Nivelles . . . . .	34
Dec. 4, Braves Field, Boston College-Holy Cross football game . . . . .	37
Dec. 12, Mechanics' Building, benefit for Children's Hospital . . . . .	12
Dec. 14, City election . . . . .	663
Dec. 16, Symphony Hall, citizens' mass meeting . . . . .	8
Dec. 18, Colonial Theatre, children's party . . . . .	9
Dec. 19, Reception to Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney . . . . .	195
Dec. 20, North Station, departure of Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney . . . . .	94
Dec. 24, On extra street duty, Christmas Eve . . . . .	103
Dec. 30, Yankee Division ball at East Armory . . . . .	5
<b>1921.</b>	
Jan. 6, Boston Common, Governor's inaugural . . . . .	30
Jan. 9, Boston Common, meeting, Friends of Irish Freedom . . . . .	16
Jan. 13, Symphony Hall, Hoover dinner . . . . .	14

1921.	Men.
Jan. 20, Mechanics Building, police ball . . . . .	139
Feb. 2, Mechanics Building, Elks' carnival . . . . .	21
Feb. 7, Mechanics Building, firemen's ball . . . . .	34
Feb. 13, Mechanics Building, convention of Irish societies . . . . .	26
Mar. 7, Symphony and Convention halls, Loyal Coalition meet- ings . . . . .	51
Mar. 14, Funeral of Patrolman Patrick D. McGullion . . . . .	23
Mar. 17, South Boston, Evacuation Day parade . . . . .	216
Mar. 27, Reception and parade in honor of Lord Mayor of Cork, Ireland . . . . .	337
Apr. 9, Cathedral boys' road race . . . . .	32
Apr. 10, Boston Common, meeting of Workmen's Defence Con- ference . . . . .	66
May 1, Held in reserve for May day . . . . .	1,800
May 2, Held in reserve for May day . . . . .	1,800
May 2, Braves' Field, boxing exhibition . . . . .	45
May 5, East Boston, fire in Hobbs' box factory . . . . .	56
May 15, Franklin Field, bicycle meet . . . . .	48
May 17, Reception to Prof. Albert Einstein . . . . .	43
May 22, Navy Yard, memorial service . . . . .	69
May 29, Fenway Park, memorial service . . . . .	28
May 30, Workhorse parade . . . . .	41
June 4, Dorchester Day celebration . . . . .	62
June 6, Parade of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company . . . . .	174
June 10, Parade of Boston school cadets . . . . .	366
June 10, Commonwealth Pier, to prevent immigrants from land- ing . . . . .	132
June 11, Deer Island, to control immigrants . . . . .	54
June 14, Boston Common, English High School centenary cele- bration . . . . .	24
June 15, Stadium, English High School centenary celebration . . . . .	55
June 16, Parade of English High School graduates . . . . .	345
June 16, Charlestown, "night before" Bunker Hill Day . . . . .	153
June 17, Charlestown, Bunker Hill Day celebration . . . . .	412
June 18, Parade of Massachusetts Marine Corps Association . . . . .	371
June 18, Stadium, Massachusetts Marine Corps Athletic Meet . . . . .	39
July 2, Newspaper bulletin boards, Dempsey-Carpentier fight . . . . .	68
July 4, Yankee Division parade . . . . .	464
July 4, East Boston, block party . . . . .	45
July 4, Boston Common, 4th of July celebration . . . . .	92
July 4, Braves' Field, boxing exhibition . . . . .	41
July 12, Parade and reception to Secretary Hoover . . . . .	72
July 13, West Newton Street, block party . . . . .	22
July 14, Parade and meeting, protesting ice-cream prices . . . . .	65
July 19, East Boston, block party . . . . .	21
July 20, East Boston, block party . . . . .	21

	Men.
1921.	
July 20, Columbus Park, American Legion carnival . . . . .	11
July 21, Church service, Independent Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World . . . . .	46
July 22, East Boston, fireworks . . . . .	39
July 22, Mission Hill, picture show and open-air concert . . . . .	11
July 23, Parade of Independent Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World . . . . .	420
July 23, Douglas Square, block party . . . . .	21
July 25, Field's Corner, block party . . . . .	20
July 30, Field's Corner, block party . . . . .	22
Sept. 5, Labor Day parade . . . . .	668
Sept. 10, Visit of Douglas Fairbanks and Mary Pickford Fair- banks . . . . .	46
Sept. 17, Funeral of Gen. Lawrence J. Logan . . . . .	87
Sept. 19, East Boston, fireworks and concert . . . . .	29
Sept. 23, Boston Common, review of First Corps Cadets . . . . .	22
Sept. 23, Jamaica Plain, block party . . . . .	20
Sept. 29, Congress Street, fire drill exhibition . . . . .	26
Sept. 29, Bristol Street, fire drill exhibition . . . . .	29
Oct. 5-13, Bulletin boards, World's Series baseball . . . . .	504
Oct. 12, Funeral of Michael J. Perkins . . . . .	39
Oct. 12, Parade and review of Boston police . . . . .	1,912
Oct. 12, Mission Church jubilee . . . . .	153
Oct. 18, South Station, return of Boston College football team . . . . .	27
Oct. 18, Louis Pasteur Avenue, exercises of Base Hospital No. 5 . . . . .	11
Oct. 29, Stadium, Harvard-Centre football game . . . . .	79
Oct. 30, Tremont Temple, MacSwiney memorial meeting . . . . .	24
Nov. 9, Symphony Hall, political rally . . . . .	19
Nov. 12, Stadium, Harvard-Brown football game . . . . .	107
Nov. 14, Parade and reception to Marshal Foch . . . . .	1,563
Nov. 19, Stadium, Harvard-Yale football game . . . . .	109
Nov. 19, Streets leading to stadium, on traffic duty . . . . .	111
Nov. 19, Bulletin boards, football returns . . . . .	40
Nov. 19, Vicinity of hotels in evening . . . . .	64
Nov. 19, Braves' Field, Boston College-Georgetown football game . . . . .	27
Nov. 20, Parade and meeting at Arena, Recognition of Irish Republic . . . . .	99

#### MISSING PERSONS.

The following table shows the number of persons lost or run away during the year: —

Total number reported . . . . .	643
Total number found . . . . .	576
Total number still missing . . . . .	67

*Age and Sex of Such Persons.*

	MISSING.		FOUND.		STILL MISSING.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Under 15 years . . . .	164	26	163	23	1	3
Over 15 years, under 21 years.	128	122	117	105	11	17
Over 21 years . . . .	141	62	119	49	22	13
Totals . . . .	433	210	399	177	34	33

## MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

	1918-19.	1919-20.	1920-21.
Abandoned children cared for . . . .	14	21	10
Accidents reported . . . . .	4,009	4,090	5,589
Auctioneers investigated . . . . .	-	-	5
Buildings found open and made secure . .	3,459	4,950	6,033
Cases investigated . . . . .	29,482	54,363	61,145
Dangerous buildings reported . . . . .	16	30	12
Dangerous chimneys reported . . . . .	26	13	10
Dead bodies cared for . . . . .	303	242	203
Dead bodies recovered . . . . .	28	23	28
Defective bulkheads reported . . . . .	11	-	-
Defective cesspools reported . . . . .	90	111	89
Defective drains and vaults reported . .	28	7	1
Defective fire alarms and clocks reported	1	7	3
Defective gas pipes reported . . . . .	47	34	20

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS — *Concluded.*

	1918-19.	1919-20.	1920-21.
Defective hydrants reported . . . . .	88	115	78
Defective lamps reported . . . . .	29,148	26,906	14,067
Defective sewers reported . . . . .	75	41	62
Defective streets and sidewalks reported	8,545	7,714	8,279
Defective wires reported . . . . .	1	—	—
Defective trees reported . . . . .	1	2	—
Defective water pipes reported . . . . .	119	144	67
Disturbances suppressed . . . . .	565	318	627
Extra duties performed . . . . .	42,057	34,986	41,215
Fire alarms given . . . . .	2,676	1,723	2,155
Fires extinguished . . . . .	974	1,033	1,218
Insane persons taken in charge . . . . .	414	425	420
Intoxicated persons assisted . . . . .	12	25	28
Junk dealers investigated . . . . .	1	—	—
Lost children restored . . . . .	1,859	1,949	1,967
Pawnbrokers investigated . . . . .	4	—	3
Persons rescued from drowning . . . . .	12	12	6
Second-hand automobile dealers investi- gated.	—	—	3
Second-hand dealers investigated . . . . .	4	—	2
Sick and injured persons assisted . . . . .	5,195	5,017	6,159
Stray teams reported and put up . . . . .	82	110	103
Street obstructions removed . . . . .	1,185	1,460	1,547
Water running to waste reported . . . . .	485	626	467
Witnesses detained . . . . .	35	26	19

## INSPECTOR OF CLAIMS.

The officer detailed to assist the committee on claims and law department in investigating claims against the city for alleged damage of various kinds reports that he investigated 1,446 cases, five of which were on account of damage done by dogs.

*Other Services performed.*

Number of cases investigated . . . . .	1,446
Number of witnesses examined . . . . .	9,010
Number of notices served . . . . .	4,774
Number of permissions granted . . . . .	6,332
Number of days in court . . . . .	48
Number of cases settled on recommendation from this office . . . . .	80
Collected for damage to the city's property and paid bills amounting to . . . . .	\$1,222.67

## HOUSE OF DETENTION.

The house of detention for women is located in the court house, Somerset Street. All the women arrested in the city proper are taken to the house of detention in vans provided for the purpose. They are then held in charge of the matron until the next session of the court before which they are to appear. If sentenced to imprisonment they are returned to the house of detention, and from there conveyed to the jail or institution to which they have been sentenced.

During the year 2,806 women were committed for the following:—

Drunkenness . . . . .	1,330
Larceny . . . . .	325
Nightwalking . . . . .	69
Fornication . . . . .	167
Idle and disorderly . . . . .	58
Assault and battery . . . . .	27
Adultery . . . . .	34
Violation of liquor law . . . . .	16
Keeping house of ill-fame . . . . .	4
County jail . . . . .	284
Municipal court . . . . .	132
Various other offences . . . . .	360
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>2,806</b>

## POLICE SIGNAL SERVICE.

*Signal Boxes.*

The total number of boxes in use is 506. Of these, 334 are connected with the underground system, and 170 with the overhead.

*Miscellaneous Work.*

During the year the employees of this service responded to 1,665 trouble calls; inspected 506 signal boxes, 18 signal desks and 955 batteries; repaired 81 box movements, 19 registers, 27 polar box bells, 15 locks, 22 time stamps, 2 stable motors, 10 vibrator bells, 1 relay, besides repairing all bell and electric light work at headquarters and the various stations. There have been made 14 plungers, 20 complete box fittings, 20 line blocks, and a large amount of small work done that cannot be classified.

The following boxes have been installed underground: 1 at Station 10, 3 at Station 14, and 2 at Station 17. Compliance with the prescribed districts is very much delayed on account of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company being unable to lay ducts. Large tap bells for alarm calls have been installed in several of the stations to replace mechanical gongs which required winding and caused other trouble. A Ford car was supplied the signal service and has been in operation since June. It has increased the efficiency of the service to a great extent, as it enables trouble calls to be remedied much quicker, especially at night.

There are in use in the signal service 2 horses, 2 patrol wagons and 1 pung.

During the year the wagons made 40,144 runs, covering an aggregate distance of 58,941 miles. There were 33,687 prisoners conveyed to the station houses, 4,285 runs were made to take injured or insane persons to station houses, hospitals or their homes; and 681 runs were made to take lost children to station houses. There were 1,143 runs to fires and 388 runs for liquor seizures. During the year there were 506 signal boxes in use arranged on 72 battery circuits and 70 telephone circuits; 627,767 telephone messages and 3,998,551 "on duty" calls were sent over the lines.

The following list comprises the property in the signal service at the present time:—

18 signal desks.	49,017 feet of duct.
72 circuits.	63 manholes.
506 street signal boxes.	1 White truck.
14 stable call boards.	1 line wagon.
81 test boxes.	1 express wagon.
955 cells of battery.	1 mugwump wagon.
609,969 feet underground cable.	1 traverse pung.
212,150 feet overhead cable.	1 Ford touring car.

#### HARBOR SERVICE.

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

Value of property recovered, consisting of boats, rigging, float-stages, etc. . . . .	\$16,358
Vessels from foreign ports boarded . . . . .	681
Vessels ordered from the channel . . . . .	457
Vessels removed from the channel by police steamers . . . . .	14
Assistance rendered vessels . . . . .	107
Assistance rendered wharfingers . . . . .	1
Permits granted to discharge cargoes from vessels at anchor . . . . .	14
Obstructions removed from channel . . . . .	27
Alarms of fire on the water front attended . . . . .	19
Boats challenged . . . . .	702
Sick and injured persons assisted . . . . .	4
Dead bodies recovered . . . . .	19
Dead bodies cared for . . . . .	2
Persons rescued from drowning . . . . .	1
Vessels assigned to anchorage . . . . .	575
Cases investigated . . . . .	1,046

The number of vessels that arrived in this port during the year was 7,436, 6,347 being from domestic ports, 408 from the British provinces, and 681 from foreign ports. Of the latter, 675 were steamers, 5 schooners and 1 motor vessel.

A patrol service was maintained in Dorchester Bay from June 1 to October 14. The launches "Argus" and "Alert" cruised nightly, alternately from Castle Island to Neponset bridge. Five arrests were made for breaking and entering motor boats; 3 arrests for larceny; 201 cases investigated; 227 boats challenged; \$2,000 worth of property recovered



and assistance rendered to 14 boats in distress by reason of disabled engines, stress of weather, etc., towing them with the persons on board to a place of safety.

#### HORSES.

On the 30th of November, 1920, there were 39 horses in the service. During the year 4 were purchased, 5 humanely killed, 4 transferred to the public works department, 2 transferred to the State Department of Health, and 1 was exchanged in trade. At the present time there are 35 in the service, as shown by Table IX.

#### VEHICLE SERVICE.

##### *Automobiles.*

There are 47 automobiles in the service at the present time: ten at headquarters; one at the house of detention, used as a woman's van and kept at Division 4; six in the city proper and attached to Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5; four in the South Boston district, attached to Divisions 6 and 12; two in the East Boston district, attached to Division 7; four in the Roxbury district, attached to Divisions 9 and 10; two in the Dorchester district, attached to Division 11; two in the Jamaica Plain district, attached to Division 13; two in the Brighton district, attached to Division 14; one in the Charlestown district, attached to Division 15; two in the Back Bay and Fenway, attached to Division 16; two in the West Roxbury district, attached to Division 17; two in the Hyde Park district, attached to Division 18; two in the Mattapan district, attached to Division 19; one assigned for use of the traffic division, and four unassigned. (See page 31.)

##### *Cost of Running Automobiles.*

Repairs . . . . .	\$14,070	89
Tires . . . . .	5,782	50
Gasoline . . . . .	9,461	81
Oil . . . . .	1,700	86
Rent of garages . . . . .	1,478	25
License fees . . . . .	218	00
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Total . . . . .	\$32,712	31

*Ambulances.*

The Department is equipped with combination automobiles (patrol and ambulance) located in Divisions 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19; also an ambulance located in Division 1.

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

City Hospital . . . . .	2,565
City Hospital (Relief Station, Haymarket Square) . . . . .	976
City Hospital (Relief Station, East Boston district) . . . . .	346
Calls where services were not required . . . . .	126
Boston State Hospital . . . . .	112
Home . . . . .	77
Massachusetts General Hospital . . . . .	63
St. Elizabeth's Hospital . . . . .	50
Morgue . . . . .	36
Carney Hospital . . . . .	23
Police station houses . . . . .	23
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital . . . . .	10
Forest Hills Hospital . . . . .	6
Public Health, United States Service Hospital . . . . .	4
Lying-in hospital . . . . .	2
Beth Israel Hospital . . . . .	1
Brookline Hospital . . . . .	1
Des Brisay Hospital . . . . .	1
Faulkner Hospital . . . . .	1
Salvation Army Hospital . . . . .	1
St. Margaret's Hospital . . . . .	1
St. Mary's Infant Asylum . . . . .	1
Total . . . . .	4,426

*List of Vehicles used by the Department.*

Divisions.	Companion Auto and Ambulances.	Patrol Wagons.	Other Wagons.	Automobiles.	Trucks.	Vans.	Ambulances.	Buggies.	Sleighs.	Motor Vans.	Motor Cycles.	Motor Cycle Side- cars.	Totals.
Headquarters . . .	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	10
Division 1 . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Division 2 . . .	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 3 . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 4 . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Division 5 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Division 6 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Division 7 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Division 9 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	4
Division 10 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Division 11 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	4
Division 12 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	6
Division 13 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	1	8
Division 14 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	9
Division 15 . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 16 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	4	14
Division 17 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	5
Division 18 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	5
Division 19 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	7
Traffic division . . .	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3
Joy Street stable . . .	-	2	3	-	1	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	12
Unassigned . . .	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Totals . . .	21	2	3	24	1	1	4	2	1	2	33	12	106

## PUBLIC CARRIAGES.

During the year there were 1,465 carriage licenses granted, being an increase of 50 as compared with last year; 1,133 motor carriages were licensed, being an increase of 41 compared with last year.

There have been 155 horse-drawn carriages licensed during the year.

There were 86 articles, consisting of umbrellas, coats, handbags, etc., left in carriages during the year, which were turned over to the inspector; 24 of these were restored to the owners, and the balance placed in the custody of the lost property bureau.

The following statement gives details concerning public hackney carriages, as well as licenses to drive the same:—

Number of applications for carriage licenses received . . . . .	1,475
Number of carriages licensed . . . . .	1,465
Number of licenses transferred . . . . .	95
Number of licenses canceled or revoked . . . . .	25
Number of carriages inspected . . . . .	1,465
Applications for drivers' licenses reported upon . . . . .	1,673
Number of complaints against drivers investigated . . . . .	84
Number of warrants obtained . . . . .	11
Number of days spent in court . . . . .	22
Articles left in carriages reported by citizens . . . . .	34
Articles left in carriages reported by drivers . . . . .	86
Drivers' applications for licenses rejected . . . . .	17

Since July 1, 1914, the Police Commissioner has assigned to persons or corporations licensed to set up and use hackney carriages places designated as special stands for such licensed carriages, and there have been issued in the year ending Nov. 30, 1921, 522 such special stands.

Of these special stands there have been 10 canceled and 13 transferred.

*Sight-seeing Automobiles.*

During the year ending Nov. 30, 1921, there have been issued licenses for 29 sight-seeing automobiles and 22 special stands for them. There have been 52 chauffeurs' licenses granted.

## WAGON LICENSES.

Licenses are granted to persons or corporations to set up and use trucks, wagons or other vehicles to convey merchandise from place to place within the city for hire.

During the year 5,119 applications for such licenses were received; 5,115 of these were granted and 4 rejected.

Of these licenses, 61 were subsequently canceled for non-payment of license fee, 5 for other causes and 15 transferred to new locations. (See Tables XIV, XVI.)

## LISTING WORK IN BOSTON, ETC.

YEAR.	May Canvass.	YEAR.	May Canvass.
1903 . . . . .	181,045	1912 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	214,178
1904 . . . . .	193,195	1913 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	215,388
1905 . . . . .	194,547	1914 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	219,364
1906 . . . . .	195,446	1915 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	220,883
1907 . . . . .	195,900	1916 . . . . .	- <sup>2</sup>
1908 . . . . .	201,255	1917 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	221,207
1909 . . . . .	201,391	1918 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	224,012
1910 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	203,603	1919 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	227,466
1911 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	206,825	1920 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	235,248

<sup>1</sup> Changed to April 1.

<sup>2</sup> Listing done by assessors.

The following shows the total number of persons listed in April of the present year: —

Male . . . . .	235,758
Female . . . . .	245,025
Total . . . . .	480,783

*Listing Expenses.*

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

Printing . . . . .	\$48,687 70
Clerical service . . . . .	28,136 00
Stationery . . . . .	2,383 09
Interpreters . . . . .	350 63
Teaming . . . . .	10 00
Total . . . . .	\$79,567 42

*Number of Policemen employed in Listing.*

April 1 . . . . .	1,273
April 2 . . . . .	1,201
April 4 . . . . .	1,024
April 5 . . . . .	717
April 6 . . . . .	315
April 7 . . . . .	34

## POLICE WORK ON JURY LISTS.

The police department, under the provisions of chapter 34S, Acts of 1907, assisted the Election Commissioners in ascertaining the qualifications of persons proposed for jury service. The police findings in 1921 may be summarized as follows: —

	1921.
Dead, or could not be found in Boston . . . . .	1,768
Physically incapacitated . . . . .	233
Convicted of crime . . . . .	151
Unfit for various reasons . . . . .	587
Apparently fit . . . . .	10,312
	13,051

## SPECIAL POLICE.

Special police officers are appointed to serve without pay from the city, on a 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 a corporation or person to be liable for the official misconduct of the person appointed.

During the year ending Nov. 30, 1921, there were 1,614 special police officers appointed; 6 applications for appointment were refused for cause and 2 revoked.

Appointments were made on applications received, as follows:—

From United States government . . . . .	63
From State departments . . . . .	18
From city departments . . . . .	391
From county of Suffolk . . . . .	16
From railroad corporations . . . . .	173
From other corporations or associations . . . . .	700
From theatres and other places of amusement . . . . .	222
From private institutions . . . . .	21
From churches . . . . .	10
Total . . . . .	1,614

## RAILROAD POLICE.

There were 94 persons appointed railroad policemen during the year, — 44 of whom were employees of the Boston & Maine Railroad and 50 of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

## MISCELLANEOUS LICENSES.

The total number of applications for miscellaneous licenses received was 23,594, of these, 23,186 were granted, of which 130 were canceled for nonpayment, leaving 23,056. During the year 155 licenses were transferred, 703 canceled, 22 revoked and 408 applications were rejected. The officers investigated 280 complaints arising under these licenses. The fees collected and paid into the city treasury amounted to \$62,208.75. (See Table XIV.)

## MUSICIANS' LICENSES.

*Itinerant.*

During the year there were 100 applications for itinerant musicians' licenses received, 98 of which were granted. Seven licenses were subsequently canceled on account of nonpayment of the license fee.

All the instruments in use by itinerant musicians are inspected before the license is granted, and it is arranged by a qualified musician, not a member of the department, that such instruments shall be inspected in April and September of each year.

During the year 55 instruments were inspected, with the following results:—

KIND OF INSTRUMENT.	Number inspected.	Number passed.	Number rejected.
Street pianos . . . . .	31	27	4
Hand organs . . . . .	8	5	3
Violins . . . . .	2	2	—
Harps . . . . .	1	1	—
Flutes . . . . .	1	1	—
Accordions . . . . .	3	3	—
Guitars . . . . .	2	2	—
Banjos . . . . .	1	1	—
Mandolins . . . . .	1	1	—
Bagpipes . . . . .	5	5	—
Totals . . . . .	55	48	7



*Collective.*

Collective musicians' licenses are granted to bands of persons over sixteen years of age to play on musical instruments in company with designated processions at stated times and places.

The following shows the number of applications made for these licenses during the last five years, and the action taken thereon: —

YEAR.	Applications.	Granted.	Rejected.
1917 . . . . .	265	265	—
1918 . . . . .	225	224	1
1919 . . . . .	224	220	4
1920 . . . . .	308	308	—
1921 . . . . .	294	292	2

## CARRYING DANGEROUS WEAPONS.

The following return shows the number of applications made to the Police Commissioner for licenses to carry loaded pistols or revolvers in this Commonwealth during the past five years, the number of such applications granted, the number refused and the number revoked: —

YEAR.	Applications.	Granted.	Rejected.	Revoked.
1917 . . . . .	2,719	2,583	136	—
1918 . . . . .	2,463	2,374	89	3
1919 . . . . .	5,006	4,539	467	4
1920 . . . . .	2,793	2,481 <sup>1</sup>	312	4
1921 . . . . .	3,190	2,843	347	4

<sup>1</sup> Fee of \$2 established, effective May 1, 1920 (2,420 licenses issued at \$2).

## PUBLIC LODGING HOUSES.

The following shows the number of public lodging houses licensed by the Police Commissioner under chapter 242 of the Acts of 1904 during the year, the location of each house and the number of lodgers accommodated:—

LOCATION.	Number lodged.	LOCATION.	Number lodged.
19 Causeway Street . . .	5,066	120 Elliot Street . . .	25,725
161 Commercial Street . . .	13,251	1031 Washington Street . . .	36,147
194 Commercial Street . . .	36,372	1202 Washington Street . . .	31,776
231 Commercial Street . . .	18,541	Total . . . . .	206,193
17 Davis Street . . . . .	39,312		

## PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On Dec. 1, 1920, there were 243 pensioners on the roll. During the year 9 died, viz., 2 deputy superintendents, 1 lieutenant, 4 patrolmen, 1 lineman and 1 painter; and 27 were added, viz., 1 deputy superintendent, 1 captain, 2 sergeants, 16 patrolmen, 1 chief matron, 1 assistant chief matron, 1 signal man, 2 linemen and the widows of Patrolmen Bray and Cuneo, leaving 261 on the roll at date, 229 men and 32 women.

The payments on account of pensions during the past year amounted to \$194,380.51, and it is estimated that \$202,007.41 will be required for pensions in 1922. This does not include pensions for 2 captains, 1 inspector, 1 sergeant and 8 patrolmen, all of whom are sixty-five 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 thirtieth day of November last amounted to \$207,550. There are 62 beneficiaries at the present time, and there has been paid to them the sum of \$6,741.32 during the past year.

The invested fund of the Police Relief Association on the thirtieth day of November was \$268,476.83.

## FINANCIAL.

The total expenditures for police purposes during the past year, including the pensions, house of detention, station house matrons and listing persons twenty years of age or more, but exclusive of the maintenance of the police signal service, were \$3,867,870.37. (See Table XVII.)

The total revenue paid into the city treasury from fees from licenses over which the police have supervision, for the sale of unclaimed and condemned property, uniform cloth, etc., was \$68,502.02. (See Table XIV.)

The cost of maintaining the police signal service during the year was \$82,503.56. (See Table XVIII.)

## STATISTICAL TABLES.

TABLE I.

*Distribution of Police Force, Signal Service and Employees, Nov. 30, 1921.*

RANK OR POSITION.	DIVISIONS.																				Totals.									
	Headquarters.																													
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20										
Police Commissioner . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	1
Secretary . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	1
Superintendent . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	1
Deputy superintendent . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	1
Chief Inspector . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	1
Captains . . .	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	28
Inspectors . . .	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	20
Lieutenants . . .	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	42
Sergeants . . .	26	0	0	0	7	8	5	0	0	5	5	5	0	5	5	8	5	4	5	4	Traffic Police.	4	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	135
Patrolmen . . .	44	90	101	80	90	82	75	78	29	106	90	95	72	70	77	78	97	70	19	90	Traffic Police.	150	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	1,072
Assistant property clerk . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	1
Clerks . . .	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	20
Stenographers . . .	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	1	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	7
Engineers . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Traffic Police.	3	House of De- tection.	1	Signal Service.	1	Property Clerk.	1	Totals.	3



TABLE II.

*List of Police Officers in Active Service who died during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*

RANK.	NAME.	DIVISION.	DATE OF DEATH.	CAUSE OF DEATH.
Patrolman	Ward M. Bray	17	Apr. 14, 1921	Accident.
Patrolman	Robert H. Connor	9	Oct. 21, 1921	Heart disease.
Patrolman	Andrew H. Cuneo	1	Aug. 13, 1921	Bullet wounds.
Patrolman	Patrick F. Gilchrist	15	Aug. 26, 1921	Drowning.
Patrolman	Patrick W. McGullion	15	Mar. 12, 1921	Sleeping sickness.
Inspector	Walker A. Smith	Headquarters	July 11, 1921	Heart disease.

TABLE III.

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

NAME.	Cause of Retirement.	Age at Time of Retirement (Years).	Years of Service.
Thomas Connor . . . .	Age . . . . .	64	38
George H. Dickinson . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	53	21
Robert Ferris . . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	52	21
Albert F. Gould . . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	59	34
Ida E. Hall <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	72	18
Charles K. Hilton . . . . .	Age . . . . .	60	34
Lawrence T. Kane . . . . .	Age . . . . .	66	37
Otis F. Kimball . . . . .	Age . . . . .	65	42
Jeremiah Mackey <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	Age . . . . .	62	25
Michael J. Murphy <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	Age . . . . .	70	26
Andrew H. McCarthy . . . . .	Age . . . . .	64	38
Herbert I. Nickerson . . . . .	Age . . . . .	61	33
Arthur J. Putnam . . . . .	Age . . . . .	60	27
Stephen J. Rafferty . . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	56	27
John J. Reilly . . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	61	36
Fred W. Seavey . . . . .	Age . . . . .	61	38
Edward W. Sprague . . . . .	Age . . . . .	60	33
William J. Shea . . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	57	26
James P. Sullivan . . . . .	Age . . . . .	63	35
Walter R. Sweet <sup>3</sup> . . . . .	Age . . . . .	69	32
John P. Walsh . . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	52	23
Amelia B. White <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	Age . . . . .	76	25
Edward J. White . . . . .	Age . . . . .	60	33
John A. Wragg . . . . .	Age . . . . .	62	29
Thomas York . . . . .	Incapacitated . . . . .	55	21

<sup>1</sup> Assistant chief matron.

<sup>2</sup> Linemen, police signal service.

<sup>3</sup> Signaller, police signal service.

<sup>4</sup> Chief matron.

TABLE IV.

*List of Officers who were promoted above the Rank of Patrolman during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*

DATE.	Name and Rank.
June 3, 1921	Capt. Thomas C. Evans to the rank of deputy superintendent.
Mar. 4, 1921	Lieut. Perley C. Kneeland to the rank of captain.
Apr. 12, 1921	Lieut. James McDevitt to the rank of captain.
Apr. 12, 1921	Sergt. John M. Anderson to the rank of lieutenant.
Jan. 14, 1921	Sergt. James Laffey to the rank of lieutenant.
Apr. 12, 1921	Patrolman Harry R. Butler to the rank of sergeant.
Apr. 12, 1921	Patrolman Gardner M. Davis to the rank of sergeant.
Feb. 11, 1921	Patrolman Thomas H. Flaherty to the rank of sergeant.
Dec. 31, 1920	Patrolman James J. Gillen to the rank of sergeant.
Dec. 31, 1920	Patrolman William Macbeth to the rank of sergeant.
Mar. 9, 1921	Patrolman Hugh F. Marston to the rank of sergeant.
Oct. 7, 1921	Patrolman Peter J. Norton to the rank of sergeant.
Aug. 26, 1921	Patrolman William C. M. Tilton to the rank of sergeant.
Oct. 7, 1921	Patrolman James H. Waldron to the rank of sergeant.
May 6, 1921	Patrolman William D. Walsh to the rank of sergeant.



TABLE V.

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

DATE APPOINTED.	Superintendent.	Deputy Superintendent.	Chief Inspector.	Captains.	Inspectors.	Lieutenants.	Sergeants.	Patrolmen.	Totals.
1869	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
1875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1878	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1879	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1880	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
1881	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	3
1882	-	-	-	2	-	3	-	2	7
1883	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
1884	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
1885	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	6	9
1886	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	5	8
1887	-	-	-	-	3	2	1	10	16
1888	1	-	-	1	1	6	3	18	30
1889	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	10	13
1890	-	-	-	1	2	2	5	3	13
1891	-	-	1	2	-	1	2	8	14
1892	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	9	15
1893	-	-	-	4	4	6	12	26	52
1894	-	-	-	2	-	1	6	7	16
1895	-	-	-	5	3	6	22	47	83
1896	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	8	13
1897	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	3	7
1898	-	-	-	-	-	2	6	14	22
1900	-	-	-	2	2	3	15	27	49
1901	-	-	-	-	1	1	11	8	21
1902	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
1903	-	-	-	1	-	2	9	22	34
1904	-	-	-	-	2	-	6	15	23
1905	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	4	10
1906	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	7
1907	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	15	22
1908	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	18	23
1909	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8
1910	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	4	7
1911	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5
1912	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	12	15
1913	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1914	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1915	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1916	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
1917	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
1919	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	865	865
1920	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	280	280
1921	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	187	187
Totals	1	1	1	28	26	42	135	1,672	1,906

TABLE VI.  
Officers discharged and resigned during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.

RANK.	NAME.	Discharged.	Resigned.	Length of Service.
Patrolman	William A. Abercrombie . . . . .	—	Jan. 30, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John J. Axtman . . . . .	—	Mar. 23, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Ozias H. Beaugregard . . . . .	—	Sept. 26, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Henry A. Benjamin . . . . .	—	Mar. 12, 1921	8 months.
Patrolman	David F. Berricault . . . . .	—	Feb. 5, 1921	4 months.
Patrolman	Frank P. Bradley . . . . .	—	May 4, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	William A. Brown . . . . .	—	Jan. 2, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Pearly R. Bryant . . . . .	—	Apr. 13, 1921	1 month.
Patrolman	Richard F. Buckley . . . . .	—	June 10, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	David M. Canada . . . . .	Aug. 9, 1921	—	3 months.
Patrolman	John J. Carter . . . . .	Feb. 15, 1921	—	15½ years.
Patrolman	Frank Cheever . . . . .	—	Dec. 8, 1920	6 months.
Patrolman	James J. Coleman . . . . .	—	Dec. 16, 1920	1½ years.
Patrolman	Arthur B. Connor . . . . .	—	Mar. 11, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Harry Cooper . . . . .	—	Nov. 15, 1921	2½ years.
Patrolman	William F. Cullhane . . . . .	—	Mar. 12, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Augustine C. Curran . . . . .	Sept. 26, 1921	—	2 years.
Patrolman	Percy R. Demeritt . . . . .	—	May 6, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Lawrence J. DeMontagne . . . . .	—	Apr. 20, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Owen Dever . . . . .	—	Dec. 23, 1920	1½ years.
Patrolman	George H. Dismore . . . . .	—	Jan. 1, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Richard P. Doherty . . . . .	—	July 18, 1921	1½ years.

Patrolman	Stephen Douglass	.	.	.	.	.	Apr. 13, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Thomas J. Doyle	.	.	.	.	.	Apr. 4, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John A. Fitzgerald	.	.	.	.	.	Mar. 15, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John J. Flaherty	.	.	.	.	.	July 16, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Roger Flaherty	.	.	.	.	.	Sept. 18, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John E. Fogarty	.	.	.	.	.	July 21, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Edmund A. Galtant	.	.	.	.	.	Aug. 30, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Wilfred J. Gaudreau	.	.	.	.	.	Feb. 4, 1921	3 months.
Patrolman	William J. Gibbs	.	.	.	.	.	Apr. 9, 1921	5 months.
Patrolman	Edward J. Gleunon	.	.	.	.	.	Apr. 25, 1921	1 month.
Patrolman	Frederick V. Gould	.	.	.	.	.	Dec. 6, 1920	1½ years.
Patrolman	George H. Gould	.	.	.	.	.	Jan. 28, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Joseph A. Hagen	.	.	.	.	.	Dec. 17, 1920	1½ years.
Patrolman	John A. Hagan	.	.	.	.	.	Mar. 22, 1921	7 months.
Patrolman	Laurence P. Hallahan	.	.	.	.	.	May 3, 1921	2 months.
Patrolman	William O. Hanson	.	.	.	.	Apr. 4, 1921	1 year.	
Patrolman	Edwin C. Hurvey	.	.	.	.	.	June 18, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Deane N. Harding	.	.	.	.	.	Sept. 17, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Henry B. Haynes	.	.	.	.	.	May 11, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Bartholomew Heunelly	.	.	.	.	.	—	2 months.
Patrolman	Thomas L. Hogan	.	.	.	.	Apr. 29, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Charles F. Hood	.	.	.	.	Mar. 14, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Ralph W. Hyatt	.	.	.	.	Mar. 14, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Edward V. Jensen	.	.	.	.	Oct. 18, 1921	—	2 years.
Patrolman	William R. Joseph	.	.	.	.	—	May 7, 1921	7 months.
Patrolman	Thomas F. Keaveny	.	.	.	.	—	Mar. 29, 1921	14 days.
Patrolman	Daniel G. Kendrick	.	.	.	.	Mar. 14, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman		.	.	.	.	—	Jan. 2, 1921	1½ years.

TABLE VI — Continued.

RANK.	NAME.	Discharged.	Reassigned.	Length of Service.
Patrolman	Richard H. Kithuff . . . . .	Sept. 27, 1921	—	10 months.
Patrolman	David A. Kurriss . . . . .	—	Aug. 19, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Charles W. Lakin . . . . .	—	Jan. 1, 1921	3 months.
Patrolman	Arthur Lee . . . . .	Apr. 18, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Lonor Lewis . . . . .	Dec. 15, 1920	—	11 months.
Patrolman	William G. Lucas . . . . .	—	Dec. 11, 1920	4 months.
Patrolman	Daniel J. Mahoney . . . . .	—	Dec. 3, 1920	3 months.
Patrolman	Armand L. Maruget . . . . .	Apr. 1, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Louis A. Maurer . . . . .	Jan. 31, 1921	—	8 months.
Patrolman	Ernest L. Mignault . . . . .	Aug. 9, 1921	—	5 months.
Patrolman	Theodore F. Miller . . . . .	—	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	John J. Morrissey . . . . .	—	July 5, 1921	11 months.
Patrolman	Thomas J. Mulvey . . . . .	—	July 2, 1921	18½ years.
Patrolman	James J. Murphy . . . . .	—	July 11, 1921	4 months.
Patrolman	Richard A. Murphy . . . . .	—	Jan. 24, 1921	10 months.
Patrolman	Michael H. McCormack . . . . .	—	Apr. 8, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John J. McGovern . . . . .	—	July 15, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John A. McGrath . . . . .	Apr. 1, 1921	May 11, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John H. McGrath, Jr. . . . .	—	May 24, 1921	2 months.
Patrolman	John J. McManaman . . . . .	Mar. 14, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Thomas F. McManaman . . . . .	June 14, 1921	—	18½ years.
Patrolman	James C. McNally . . . . .	—	Jan. 22, 1921	17½ years.

Patrolman	John J. Neilson				Apr. 21, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Edward J. Nesky				Sept. 5, 1921	8 months.
Patrolman	Charles Nichols				Apr. 9, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Francis E. O'Brien				Aug. 11, 1921	1 day.
Patrolman	John J. O'Brien		Apr. 15, 1921			1½ years.
Patrolman	George E. O'Bryan				Feb. 21, 1921	5 months.
Patrolman	Daniel J. O'Connor				Sept. 7, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Edward V. O'Hearn		Feb. 19, 1921			1½ years.
Patrolman	Thomas F. Owens				July 8, 1921	10 months.
Patrolman	Edward H. Puckard				Jan. 6, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Phillip A. Parenteau				May 25, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	William Parks				Apr. 16, 1921	7 months.
Patrolman	William E. Payne				Feb. 21, 1921	4 months.
Patrolman	John O. Person				May 11, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Howard J. Pitts				Feb. 2, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	George A. Pond, Jr.				Oct. 29, 1921	6 months.
Patrolman	Joseph Priestly				June 15, 1921	1 month.
Patrolman	Jeremiah Quinn		Dec. 13, 1920			1½ years.
Patrolman	Albert C. H. Reed				Jan. 2, 1921	9 months.
Patrolman	Joseph F. Reed				Jan. 27, 1921	7 months.
Patrolman	John Reese, Jr.				Dec. 28, 1920	1½ years.
Patrolman	Herbert F. Rourke				Jan. 2, 1921	7 months.
Patrolman	George V. Rull				Jan. 26, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	George F. Ryan				Apr. 29, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Micrael L. Ryan				Dec. 1, 1920	1½ years.
Patrolman	Stephen M. Ryan		Sept. 15, 1921			1½ years.
Patrolman	George T. Savage		June 16, 1921			1½ years.
Patrolman	James Scabill				Mar. 13, 1921	1½ years.

TABLE VI — Continued.

RANK.	NAME.	Discharged.	Resigned.	Length of Service.
Patrolman	Francis X. Scaulon . . . . .	—	Dec. 8, 1920	1 year.
Patrolman	Harvey A. Shipp . . . . .	—	Dec. 28, 1920	1½ years.
Patrolman	Frank A. Silva, Jr. . . . .	—	Dec. 20, 1920	1 year.
Patrolman	Manuel Silva . . . . .	—	Jan. 27, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Edward Skane . . . . .	Jan. 18, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	James H. Slavin . . . . .	—	Jan. 3, 1921	2 months.
Patrolman	Maynard L. Soudley . . . . .	—	Feb. 4, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	James Smith . . . . .	—	May 18, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John Smith . . . . .	—	May 24, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Gordon N. Snyder . . . . .	—	May 7, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Bernard Steinhauser . . . . .	—	July 8, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John B. Stewart . . . . .	—	Apr. 11, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	John A. Sullivan . . . . .	June 8, 1921	—	11 years.
Patrolman	John F. Tallent . . . . .	—	Apr. 12, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	Harry A. Waldron . . . . .	July 25, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Patrick Ward . . . . .	Sept. 15, 1921	—	10 months.
Patrolman	Samuel Weiner . . . . .	—	Apr. 28, 1921	1½ years.
Patrolman	William A. Wells . . . . .	Mar. 14, 1921	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Frank N. Zuck . . . . .	—	Apr. 15, 1921	7 months.

\* Reinstated.

TABLE VI — *Concluded.*  
*Officers transferred to State Departments.*

RANK.	NAME.	Date transferred.	Length of Service.
Patrolman <sup>1</sup>	Joseph L. Ferrarri	Mar. 4, 1921	11 $\frac{1}{2}$ years.
Inspector <sup>2</sup>	Silas F. Waite	Nov. 18, 1921	26 years.

<sup>1</sup> Transferred to Department of Public Safety, Division of State Police.

<sup>2</sup> Transferred to Department of Public Utilities.

TABLE VII.  
*Number of Days' Absence from Duty by Reason of Sickness during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*

December, 1920	619	July, 1921	541
January, 1921	680	August, 1921	475
February, 1921	678	September, 1921	444
March, 1921	654	October, 1921	507
April, 1921	601	November, 1921	580
May, 1921	570		
June, 1921	431	Totals	6,795

Average number of men on the force . . . . . 1,882  
 Average number of men sick daily . . . . . 19, or 1 per cent.



TABLE VIII.  
*Complaints against Officers during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*

No.	RANK.	NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Disposition of Case.
6	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty and untruthfulness . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
5	Patrolman . . .	Intoxication . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Intoxication and neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
8	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and untruthfulness . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
5	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Inefficiency and untruthfulness . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Alleged assault . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Sergeant . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; reduced to rank of patrolman.
1	Sergeant . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; reduced to rank of patrolman.

TABLE VIII — *Continued.*

No.	RANK.	NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Disposition of Case.
1	Sergeant . . .	Disrespect to a superior officer and neglect of duty	Guilty; reduced to rank of patrolman.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
5	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and untruthfulness	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
3	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Use of unnecessary force in arrest . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 170 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 150 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of orders . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 150 hours' punishment duty.
3	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 150 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 150 hours' punishment duty.

1	Patrolman	.	Absence without leave	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 140 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	.	Neglect of duty	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 112 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	.	Conduct unbecoming an officer	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 112 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	.	Neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer.	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 105 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	.	Conduct unbecoming an officer	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 105 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	.	Assigning pay	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 105 hours' punishment duty.
6	Patrolman	.	Neglect of duty	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 100 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	.	Conduct unbecoming an officer	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 100 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	.	Conduct unbecoming an officer	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 70 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	.	Conduct unbecoming an officer	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 56 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	.	Neglect of duty	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 50 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	.	Conduct unbecoming an officer	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 50 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	.	Neglect of duty	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 40 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	.	Conduct unbecoming an officer	.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 42 hours' punishment duty.

TABLE VIII — *Concluded.*

No.	RANK.	NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Disposition of Case.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 40 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 35 hours' punishment duty.
3	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Reprimanded in General Orders.
1	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Reprimanded in General Orders.
10	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
5	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and incapacity . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and failure to properly patrol route.	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and leaving the city without permission.	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and failure to pay a just debt.	Resigned while charges were pending.
25	Patrolman . . .	Intoxication . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.

1	Patrolman	Neglect of duty and untruthfulness	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman	Breaking and entering and larceny	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman	Absence without leave	Resigned while charges were pending.
6	Patrolman	Neglect of duty	Complaint dismissed.
14	Patrolman	Conduct unbecoming an officer	Complaint dismissed.
1	Patrolman	Intoxication	Complaint dismissed.
1	Patrolman	Abuse of prisoner	Complaint dismissed.
3	Patrolman	Neglect of duty	Complaint placed on file.
8	Patrolman	Conduct unbecoming an officer	Complaint placed on file.
1	Patrolman	Intoxication	Complaint placed on file.
3	Patrolman	Absence without leave	Complaint placed on file.

TABLE IX.

*Number and Distribution of Horses used in the Department.*

DIVISIONS.	Wagon.	Van.	Patrol.	Riding.	Ambulance.	Driving.	Totals.
Division 1 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Division 16 . . . . .	-	-	-	24	-	-	24
Signal service repair department, 40 Joy Street.	1	-	1	8	-	-	10
Totals . . . . .	1	-	1	32	1	-	35

TABLE X.

*Number of Arrests by Police Divisions during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*

DIVISIONS.	Males.	Females.	Totals.
Headquarters . . . . .	1,299	348	1,647
Division 1 . . . . .	5,358	251	5,609
Division 2 . . . . .	2,969	472	3,441
Division 3 . . . . .	7,175	735	7,910
Division 4 . . . . .	4,211	216	4,427
Division 5 . . . . .	7,013	1,017	8,030
Division 6 . . . . .	3,606	143	3,749
Division 7 . . . . .	3,762	168	3,840
Division 8 . . . . .	36	—	36
Division 9 . . . . .	5,017	323	5,340
Division 10 . . . . .	5,351	419	5,770
Division 11 . . . . .	2,449	48	2,497
Division 12 . . . . .	1,760	69	1,829
Division 13 . . . . .	1,419	38	1,457
Division 14 . . . . .	1,872	81	1,953
Division 15 . . . . .	4,052	172	4,224
Division 16 . . . . .	3,845	337	4,182
Division 17 . . . . .	1,667	14	1,681
Division 18 . . . . .	510	20	530
Division 19 . . . . .	1,614	60	1,674
Traffic squad . . . . .	2,246	89	2,335
Totals . . . . .	67,141	5,020	72,161

TABLE XI.  
*Arrests and Offences for Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*  
 No. 1. OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Affray, engaging in . . . . .	24	10	34	7	26	1	11	3	7	34	-
Assault, or attempt to . . . . .	68	5	73	35	32	6	41	9	4	73	-
Assault and battery . . . . .	1,071	257	1,328	865	535	528	961	190	159	1,928	-
Assault, indecent . . . . .	50	-	50	25	18	7	22	11	2	50	-
Assault on police . . . . .	151	0	152	109	52	1	49	24	24	152	-
Assault and battery on police . . . . .	4	2	6	4	2	-	2	2	1	6	-
Blackmailing . . . . .	4	-	4	4	-	-	2	1	1	4	-
Child, abandoning . . . . .	-	0	0	0	-	-	1	1	-	0	-
Child, female, abuse of . . . . .	12	1	13	8	4	1	12	2	2	13	-
Child, refusing to support . . . . .	41	1	42	39	-	3	18	12	5	42	-
Children, inborn, neglecting . . . . .	14	0	14	17	-	6	3	4	11	24	-
Discrimination on account of color . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Family, abandoning or neglecting . . . . .	107	2	109	102	-	7	35	20	3	109	-



Family, refusing to support (non-support)	611	4	618	554	4	10	229	106	10	618
Intimidation and threatening language, using	102	12	114	96	4	14	57	14	9	114
Kidnapping	2	2	4	4	-	-	3	1	-	4
Label	4	-	4	1	-	-	3	2	-	4
Manslaughter	71	1	72	18	32	2	23	10	5	72
Mischief	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Murder, conspiracy to	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Murder	28	2	30	18	12	-	20	11	-	30
Murder, accessory before fact	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Murder, assault with intent to	76	7	83	30	41	3	63	11	3	83
Parent law, violation of	39	14	53	9	-	44	5	15	-	53
Perjury	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Rape	41	-	41	32	9	-	16	-	3	41
Rape, assault to	10	-	10	6	4	-	2	-	1	10
Rape, accessory before fact	2	-	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	2
Rob, assault to	44	1	45	21	20	1	9	7	4	45
Robbery, or attempt to	202	3	205	140	64	2	50	28	41	205
Sodomy and other unnatural practices	5	-	5	5	-	-	-	1	-	5
Totals	3,421	350	3,771	2,141	912	718	1,650	493	298	3,771

TABLE XI—Continued.

No. 2. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY COMMITTED WITH VIOLENCE.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Breaking and entering dwelling at night	111	1	115	69	46	-	24	19	49	115	-
Breaking and entering dwelling at night, attempts.	10	-	10	6	4	-	4	2	3	10	-
Breaking and entering dwelling by day	131	5	136	76	57	3	35	23	41	136	-
Breaking and entering dwelling by day, attempts.	10	-	10	7	1	2	5	1	2	10	-
Breaking and entering building	300	1	301	151	141	3	51	41	130	301	-
Breaking and entering building, at- tempts.	36	-	36	20	14	2	7	1	17	36	-
Breaking and entering vessels	7	-	7	-	7	-	-	-	-	7	-
Breaking and entering railroad car	14	-	14	10	3	1	-	7	14	11	-
Breaking and entering railroad car, at- tempts.	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-
Gas meter, maliciously breaking	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Totals	625	7	632	315	276	11	129	97	258	632	-

No. 3. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY COMMITTED WITHOUT VIOLENCE.

Advertising law, violation of . . . . .	1								1				1
Animals, vehicles and boats, using without consent of owner.	65					20			2	4			65
Arson, conspiring to commit . . . . .	2				2								2
Buildings, defacing, etc. . . . .	1				1					1			1
Burglar's tools, having in possession . . . . .	25				23	2				6			25
Conspiring to defraud . . . . .	78	5			78	5				31			83
Credit, fraudulently obtaining extension of.	1				1								1
Innholders, boarding-house keepers, etc., defrauding.	13	8			20	1				2			21
Lamps, extinguishing, breaking, etc. . . . .	4							4					4
Larceny . . . . .	2,361	629			1,413	1,413			131	958		888	2,990
Larceny from person . . . . .	123	32			48	101			3	55		29	155
Larceny from person, attempt to commit.	61	2			24	41			1	26		8	66
Larceny, attempt to commit . . . . .	52	4			23	31			2	13		17	56
Larceny in a building or vessel . . . . .	6				4	2				2		1	6
Larceny from an express . . . . .	16				5	11				4		4	16
Larceny in a building, attempt to commit . . . . .	4								4				4
Larceny from United States mails . . . . .	1					1							1

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Leased property, concealing, convey- ing, selling, etc.	55	6	61	50	-	2	28	15	2	61	-
Mortgaged property, concealing, convey- ing, selling, etc.	16	4	20	18	-	2	6	4	-	20	-
Property of corporation, fraudulently disposing of.	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Rob, conspiring to . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	2	-
Shares of stock, fraudulently depriving persons of.	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Soliciting person to commit larceny .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Signature, obtaining by fraud . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Stolen goods, buying, receiving, etc. .	185	23	208	152	47	9	121	35	11	208	-
Trespass . . . . .	367	3	370	22	291	54	127	135	100	370	-
Totals . . . . .	3,410	716	4,162	1,972	1,973	217	1,381	1,206	732	4,162	-

No. 4. MALICIOUS OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.

Arson and other burnings . . . . .	13	—	13	5	2	6	2	1	7	13
Malicious mischief . . . . .	91	10	101	68	16	17	36	21	13	101
Malicious injury to property . . . . .	3	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	3
Willful damage and trespass . . . . .	21	3	27	11	3	13	6	1	12	27
Totals . . . . .	131	13	144	87	21	36	44	23	32	144

No. 5. FORGERY AND OFFENCES AGAINST THE CURRENCY.

Counterfeiting . . . . .	3	—	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	3
Counterfeit money, passing, etc. . . . .	2	—	2	1	1	—	2	1	—	2
Forgery and uttering . . . . .	77	11	88	72	14	2	15	31	13	88
Worthless check, passing . . . . .	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Totals . . . . .	83	11	94	76	16	2	17	35	13	94

TABLE XI—Continued.

NO. 6. OFFENCES AGAINST THE LICENSE LAWS.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- mated by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- recipients.	Minnn.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Auctioneer law, violation of . . . . .	11	-	11	11	-	-	7	3	-	11	-
Building law, violation of . . . . .	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Carriage regulations, violation of . . . . .	8	-	8	2	-	6	2	-	-	8	-
Cigarette law, violation of . . . . .	1	1	2	-	-	2	1	1	-	2	-
Common victualler and landlord, assum- ing to be, . . . . .	12	-	12	4	-	8	8	1	-	12	-
Common victualler's license, violation of . . . . .	4	-	4	-	-	4	4	-	-	4	-
Dog law, violation of . . . . .	14	11	25	2	-	23	0	1	1	25	-
Insurance law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Junk, dealing in unlawfully . . . . .	2	-	2	-	-	2	-	1	-	2	-
Liquor law, violation of . . . . .	1,779	236	2,015	1,082	787	146	1,557	154	33	2,015	-
Lodging house law, violation of . . . . .	29	42	71	41	10	20	20	2	4	71	-
Merchandise, sale and storage of, in public place, . . . . .	647	13	660	58	152	450	588	15	47	660	-
Milk bottle law, violation of . . . . .	13	4	17	1	-	16	14	2	-	17	-
Milk law, violation of . . . . .	28	-	28	-	-	28	8	-	-	28	-

Minor, permitting to peddle	5	—	5	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pawnbroker, assuming to be	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peddling without license	148	3	151	3	86	62	105	18	26	—	—	—	—	—
Physician, practicing unlawfully	3	—	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poolroom license, violation of	2	—	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pool and billiard room, unlawfully admitting minor to.	16	—	16	1	—	15	10	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Public amusement, unlawfully maintaining.	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Revolver, carrying without license	17	—	17	5	10	2	6	1	6	—	—	—	—	—
Second-hand articles, dealing in unlawfully.	3	—	3	2	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	2,745	311	3,056	1,217	4,051	788	2,351	200	117	3,050	—	—	—	—

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

Abortion or attempt	3	3	6	3	2	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Abortion, accessory to	2	—	2	2	—	—	2	—	1	2	—	—	—	—
Abduction	17	1	18	17	1	—	6	7	2	18	—	—	—	—
Adultery	92	73	165	30	135	—	41	30	6	165	—	—	—	—
Animals, cruelty to	32	—	32	3	11	18	19	4	10	32	—	—	—	—
Hastardy	79	—	79	76	2	1	18	18	11	79	—	—	—	—

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Burglary . . . . .	2	1	3	3	—	—	—	2	—	3	—
Female, annoying or accosting with of- fensive language.	72	—	72	20	48	4	37	10	4	72	—
Female, enticing . . . . .	2	—	2	2	—	—	1	1	—	2	—
Fornication . . . . .	386	402	788	30	753	5	210	181	51	788	—
Illegitimate child law, violation of . . . . .	58	1	59	55	2	2	14	5	11	59	—
Ill fame, keeping house of . . . . .	17	19	36	22	13	1	21	—	—	36	—
Incest . . . . .	5	—	5	4	1	—	8	—	—	5	—
Indecent exposure of person . . . . .	70	1	71	9	60	2	21	12	6	71	—
Instruments to prevent conception, selling.	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Lewd and lascivious cohabitation . . . . .	137	135	272	87	181	1	81	19	17	272	—
Male, annoying or accosting with of- fensive language.	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
Nightwalking . . . . .	—	103	103	1	102	—	32	12	5	103	—
Obscene books and prints . . . . .	11	1	12	8	4	—	9	1	2	12	—
Open and gross lewdness . . . . .	50	30	80	15	51	14	21	13	2	80	—





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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minor.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Automobile law, violation of . . . . .	9,361	47	9,408	662	607	8,139	2,211	4,513	995	9,408	-
Automobile, failing to report sale of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-
Bail bond . . . . .	3	1	4	3	-	1	1	-	-	4	-
Begging . . . . .	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	2	-
Beds, registering . . . . .	19	-	19	1	18	-	2	5	-	19	-
Bicycle law, violation of . . . . .	3	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	3	3	-
Bonfires, making . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
Bribery . . . . .	40	2	42	9	10	2	16	2	-	21	-
Bribery, attempted . . . . .	3	-	3	1	1	1	3	2	-	3	-
Bribe, accepting or soliciting . . . . .	3	-	3	-	3	-	3	-	-	3	-
Bucketshop, keeping . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Building law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
Business, soliciting in public place . . . . .	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Business, doing under assumed name . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	-

Cub fares, evading . . . . .	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	
Capias . . . . .	49	2	—	13	25	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	51	—	—	—	
Car fare, evading . . . . .	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Common railer and brewer . . . . .	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Cigarette, giving to prisoner . . . . .	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Children, delinquent . . . . .	2,201	103	2,304	200	1,078	1,080	188	215	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301	2,301
Children, neglected . . . . .	31	40	71	08	—	3	5	—	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71	71
Children, wayward . . . . .	3	4	7	1	6	—	—	3	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
City ordinance, violation of . . . . .	946	16	962	69	635	258	309	70	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317	317
Cocaine law, violation of . . . . .	4	—	4	4	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	
Common nuisance, keeping, etc. . . . .	90	18	108	91	8	9	76	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	108	—	—	—	
Common brewers . . . . .	—	7	7	1	1	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	
Concealed weapons, carrying . . . . .	267	3	270	106	161	—	157	57	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35
Contempt of court . . . . .	12	4	16	15	—	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Default warrant . . . . .	630	95	725	723	1	1	235	175	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67
Deserters . . . . .	79	—	79	1	78	—	5	34	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
Disorderly . . . . .	505	103	608	2	606	—	176	180	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210
Disturbing the peace . . . . .	57	31	88	38	26	24	24	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88	—	—	—	—
Drunkard, common . . . . .	5	2	7	7	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Mimor.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Drunkenness . . . . .	29,320	1,661	30,987	33	30,953	1	12,653	8,880	546	30,987	—
Eavesdropping . . . . .	2	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	—
Entertainment at inn, fraudulently ob- taining.	1	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
Entertainment, conducting without li- cense on Lord's Day.	3	—	3	3	—	—	3	2	—	3	—
Entertainment at inn, unlawful . . . . .	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—
Explosives, having in possession . . . . .	2	—	2	2	—	—	1	2	—	2	—
Expectoration law, violation of . . . . .	91	—	91	4	38	49	34	17	18	91	—
Extortion . . . . .	1	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
Federal officer, interfering with . . . . .	3	—	3	—	3	—	2	1	—	3	—
Fire alarm, giving false, or tampering with.	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Fire Commissioner's rules, violation of . . . . .	3	—	3	1	—	2	1	1	—	3	—
Fire prevention rules, violation of . . . . .	6	—	6	1	—	5	1	2	3	6	—
Fire Marshal's order, disobeying . . . . .	2	—	2	—	—	2	2	1	—	2	—
Fire, setting without permit . . . . .	1	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	—

Flag law, violation of . . . . .	4	1	5	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	35	10	5
Fugitive from justice . . . . .	64	7	71	52	19	—	18	—	—	—	35	10	71
Funeral procession, disturbing . . . . .	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	2
Gaming and being present at . . . . .	576	1	577	83	490	4	217	—	—	—	85	86	577
Gaming house, keeping . . . . .	33	—	33	23	9	1	20	—	—	—	4	—	33
Gaming implements, being present where found.	882	3	885	140	55	690	634	—	—	—	128	24	885
Gaming on Lord's Day and being present at.	1,531	29	1,562	34	498	1,030	920	—	—	—	148	173	1,562
Gas meter law, violation of . . . . .	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Gas meter, injury to . . . . .	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Glass, maliciously breaking . . . . .	12	2	14	8	1	5	7	—	—	—	—	3	14
Glass, throwing in street . . . . .	7	—	7	5	2	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	7
Gun, selling to minor . . . . .	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Health law, violation of . . . . .	30	1	31	3	4	24	20	—	—	—	1	3	31
Heat, failing to furnish . . . . .	1	—	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Hypnotic drug law, violation of . . . . .	210	50	260	69	191	—	60	—	—	—	27	9	260
Idle and disorderly persons . . . . .	89	118	207	111	95	1	31	—	—	—	34	51	207
Inebriety . . . . .	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Justice, obstructing . . . . .	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Labor law, violation of . . . . .	10	—	10	0	—	10	12	—	—	—	4	—	10

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Legal business, soliciting . . . . .	1	1	2	2	—	—	1	2	—	2	—
Lotteries and prize enterprises . . . . .	74	1	75	27	45	3	41	12	0	75	—
Metropolitan park rules, violation of . . . . .	4	—	4	1	—	3	—	—	2	4	—
Minors taking part in public exhibitions . . . . .	2	—	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	—
Morphine law, violation of . . . . .	49	0	55	20	35	—	26	19	1	55	—
Motor boat law, violation of . . . . .	2	—	2	—	1	1	1	1	—	2	—
Noisy and disorderly house, keeping . . . . .	8	0	17	17	—	—	0	—	—	17	—
Officer, assuming to be . . . . .	7	—	7	3	4	—	2	1	1	7	—
Officer, refusing to assist . . . . .	0	—	0	0	—	—	2	—	1	0	—
Officer, obstructing . . . . .	4	1	5	1	3	1	4	—	—	5	—
Opium law, violation of . . . . .	39	2	41	1	40	—	31	5	2	41	—
Pardon, violation of conditions . . . . .	0	—	0	0	—	—	1	—	1	0	—
Parole, violation of conditions . . . . .	38	5	43	21	22	—	7	6	25	42	1
Perjury and subornation of . . . . .	13	—	13	13	—	—	4	5	1	13	—



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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum-moned by the Court.	Foreign-ers.	Non-residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis-charged.
	Males.	Females.									
School law, violation of . . . . .	0	-	0	2	-	7	-	-	1	0	-
Signal box, tampering with . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Shotgun law, violation of . . . . .	3	-	3	1	1	1	2	1	-	3	-
Soliciting person to commit crime . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Stragglers . . . . .	28	-	28	-	28	-	4	23	10	-	28
Sunday law, violation of . . . . .	160	12	172	10	4	158	145	13	10	172	-
Stubborn children . . . . .	52	58	110	83	2	25	18	7	110	110	-
Suspicious persons . . . . .	3,853	71	3,926	-	3,926	-	1,054	1,079	1,000	1	3,925
Street car, disorderly conduct in . . . . .	45	-	45	-	-	45	14	10	4	45	-
Street traffic regulations, violation of . . . . .	1,095	35	1,730	35	28	1,667	412	795	69	1,730	-
Street, occupying portion of unlawfully . . . . .	2	-	2	-	-	2	2	1	-	2	-
Street railway, obstructing . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	1	1	-
Street railway transfer law, violation of . . . . .	18	3	21	-	-	21	11	1	-	21	-
Tenement house act, violation of . . . . .	2	4	6	-	-	6	6	-	-	6	-



Threats, making . . . . .	10	-	10	7	-	3	10	-	-	10	-	10	-
Tobacco law, violation of . . . . .	23	1	24	1	-	23	17	3	3	17	3	24	-
Tomb, wantonly disturbing contents of .	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
True-name law, violation of . . . . .	54	18	72	31	37	1	22	22	7	72	7	72	-
United States army or navy uniform, wearing unlawfully.	3	-	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-
United States Prohibition Act, violation of.	183	1	184	21	163	-	168	55	5	181	5	181	-
United States Narcotic Drug Act, viola- tion of.	9	-	9	-	9	-	6	-	-	9	-	9	-
Vagrants, tramps, etc. . . . .	262	3	265	61	203	1	78	183	32	265	32	265	-
Vagabond . . . . .	31	-	31	13	18	-	14	7	1	31	1	31	-
Vehicle light law, violation of . . . . .	19	-	19	1	1	17	10	3	3	19	3	19	-
Vinegar law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Wage law, violation of . . . . .	5	-	5	3	-	2	3	-	-	5	-	5	-
Weights and measures, using false .	7	-	7	3	-	4	2	1	2	7	1	7	-
Weight, giving false . . . . .	2	-	2	-	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	2	-
Weights and measures, unsealed, pos- session of.	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
Wife, desertion of . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
Winning more than \$5 at card game .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
Witness . . . . .	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
Totals . . . . .	55,603	2,818	58,421	3,378	41,401	13,639	20,158	17,365	7,144	53,284	7,144	53,284	5,137

TABLE XI — *Concluded.*  
RECAPITULATION.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Total.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum-moned by the Court.	Foreign-ers.	Non-residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis-charged.
	Males.	Females.									
No. 1, Offences against the person . . . . .	3,421	350	3,771	2,141	912	718	1,650	403	208	3,771	-
No. 2, Offences against property com-mitted with violence.	625	7	632	345	276	11	120	97	258	632	-
No. 3, Offences against property com-mitted without violence.	3,446	716	4,162	1,972	1,973	217	1,381	1,290	732	4,162	-
No. 4, Malicious offences against prop-erty.	131	13	144	87	21	36	44	23	32	144	-
No. 5, Forgery and offences against the currency.	83	11	94	76	16	2	17	35	13	94	-
No. 6, Offences against the license laws . . . . .	2,745	311	3,056	1,217	1,051	788	2,351	200	117	3,056	-
No. 7, Offences against elasticity, etc. . . . .	1,087	704	1,881	440	1,301	50	504	333	130	1,881	-
No. 8, Offences not included in the fore-going.	55,003	2,818	58,421	3,378	41,401	13,030	20,158	17,305	7,144	53,284	5,137
Totals . . . . .	67,141	5,020	72,161	9,656	47,043	15,401	26,297	19,752	8,724	67,024	5,137

TABLE XII.

*Age and Sex of Persons arrested.*

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

OFFENCE.	UNDER 10		10 AND UNDER 15		15 AND UNDER 20		20 AND UNDER 25		25 AND UNDER 30		30 AND UNDER 35		35 AND UNDER 40		40 AND UNDER 45		45 AND UNDER 50		50 AND UNDER 55		55 AND UNDER 60		OVER 60	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
No. 1 . . . . .	3	3	2	213	14	644	67	711	68	608	64	435	57	309	33	212	18	141	17	72	4	71	3	
No. 2 . . . . .	-	-	9	178	3	197	1	117	-	60	1	32	2	14	-	10	-	6	-	1	-	1	-	
No. 3 . . . . .	1	-	13	517	82	852	165	997	131	483	110	357	70	228	65	126	41	93	25	44	11	43	7	
No. 4 . . . . .	-	-	6	22	-	25	2	30	2	15	-	12	3	4	-	6	1	7	4	4	1	-	-	
No. 5 . . . . .	-	-	-	9	1	29	4	21	4	8	-	7	-	2	-	2	1	1	-	3	1	1	-	
No. 6 . . . . .	-	-	1	90	4	234	15	400	34	431	51	437	69	386	50	350	41	201	28	104	12	112	16	
No. 7 . . . . .	-	-	-	45	44	231	218	240	213	170	122	143	110	103	55	55	19	40	7	27	3	18	3	
No. 8 . . . . .	172	22	1,491	4,175	277	8,011	412	9,523	380	7,886	330	7,405	437	5,307	308	4,801	251	3,142	187	1,739	83	1,371	48	
Totals . . . . .	170	25	1,522	5,258	425	10,823	884	11,738	832	9,649	678	8,828	748	6,353	611	6,552	372	3,631	208	1,994	115	1,017	77	

TABLE XIII.  
Comparative Statement of Police Criminal Work 1917 to 1921, inclusive.

Years.	Estimated Population.	Number of Persons Arrested.	Percentage of Arrests.	Amount of Property stolen in the City.	Amount of Property recovered stolen in and about the City.	Amount of Fines imposed by Court.	Years of Imprisonment imposed by Court.	Number of Days Attendance at Court.	Amount of Witness Fees earned.
1917	802,853	108,556	13.52	\$388,329 16	\$462,240 98	\$124,252 50	3,449 1/2	45,800	\$13,346 64
1918	815,320	90,293	11.07	445,867 51	578,890 63	106,998 00	2,615 1/2	40,124	11,260 15
1919	826,938	67,947	8.21	1,415,485 79	1,238,206 26	107,325 00	2,214 1/2	30,274	8,493 35
1920	838,205	58,818	7.01	1,630,009 09	1,402,880 92	154,767 50	1,459 1/2	28,903	7,617 63
1921	848,164	72,161	8.50	1,830,357 87	1,624,331 08	193,901 80	1,739 1/2	38,476	11,428 07
Averages	826,296	79,555	9.66	\$1,142,009 88	\$1,061,909 97	\$137,448 96	2,295 1/2	36,715	\$10,429 16

TABLE XIV.

Showing the Number of Licenses of all Kinds issued by the Police Commissioner and the Amount of Money received from all Sources and paid to the City Collector during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.

CLASS OF LICENSE.	Applica- tions received.	Licenses issued.	Rejected.	Trans- ferred.	Can- celled.	Revo- ked.	Com- plaints investi- gated.	Amount.
Auctioneer <sup>1</sup>	189	181	5	1	-	-	21	\$614 69
Chauffeur	52	52	-	-	-	-	16	52 00
Driver, hackney carriage	8,904	8,904	-	-	-	-	45	23,795 00
Hackney carriage	1,650	1,673	17	-	-	5	401	1,673 00
Hand cart	1,476	1,465	8	95	21	4	26	1,465 00
Junk collector	96	90	7	-	-	-	3	90 00
Junkshop keeper <sup>2</sup>	501	460	7	-	28	1	11	932 00
Musician, collective	127	125	1	3	7	-	1	3,200 00
Musician, itinerant	294	291	2	1	7	-	5	145 50
Pawnbroker <sup>3</sup>	199	91	2	-	7	-	3	435 00
Public lodging house <sup>4</sup>	78	76	2	5	4	-	15	3,775 00
Revolver <sup>5</sup>	3,160	2,824	317	-	22	-	17	4,810 00
Second-hand articles	403	474	10	32	10	5	13	4,760 00
Sight-seeing automobiles	29	29	-	-	-	-	-	505 00
Street railway conductors, motormen and starters	1,020	1,020	-	-	520	-	5	957 53
Used car	219	215	3	4	8	-	6	10,750 00
Wagon	5,119	5,031	4	15	68	-	9	5,031 00
Budgets for itinerant musicians	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68 35
Budgets for junk collectors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	484 00
Copies of licenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31 50
Received from New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, commission on automatic pay station	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28 85
Rent of 38 Joy Street	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	129 00
Sale of condemned property of the police department	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	717 01
Sale of lost, abandoned and stolen property	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,800 41
Sale of old listing cards and police lists	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10 01
Sale of pawnbrokers and second-hand articles report blanks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,114 00
Uniform, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	804 87
Money received on account of miscellaneous items	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,051 34
Totals	23,591	23,056	408	155	703	22	280	\$68,502 02

<sup>1</sup> Two, no fees.      <sup>2</sup> Two at \$50.      <sup>3</sup> One at \$25.      <sup>4</sup> No fee.      <sup>5</sup> Four hundred and one, no fees.

TABLE XV.

*Number of Dog Licenses issued during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*

DIVISIONS.	Males.	Females.	Spayed.	Breeders.	Totals.
1 . . . . .	49	14	-	1	64
2 . . . . .	2	3	-	-	5
3 . . . . .	155	76	14	2	247
4 . . . . .	71	32	3	1	107
5 . . . . .	333	156	23	1	513
6 . . . . .	147	52	4	-	203
7 . . . . .	455	94	11	1	561
9 . . . . .	523	153	40	3	719
10 . . . . .	428	129	26	-	583
11 . . . . .	922	223	94	4	1,243
12 . . . . .	378	98	14	-	490
13 . . . . .	401	108	43	1	553
14 . . . . .	468	148	64	2	682
15 . . . . .	319	147	13	-	479
16 . . . . .	435	133	52	-	620
17 . . . . .	672	145	92	-	909
18 . . . . .	308	73	20	-	401
19 . . . . .	400	89	36	-	525
Totals . . . . .	6,466	1,873	549	16	8,904

TABLE XVI.

*Total Number of Wagon Licenses issued in the City by Police Divisions.*

Division 1 . . . . .	919	Division 12 . . . . .	82
Division 2 . . . . .	1,543	Division 13 . . . . .	79
Division 3 . . . . .	176	Division 14 . . . . .	64
Division 4 . . . . .	453	Division 15 . . . . .	219
Division 5 . . . . .	348	Division 16 . . . . .	132
Division 6 . . . . .	359	Division 17 . . . . .	72
Division 7 . . . . .	136	Division 18 . . . . .	71
Division 9 . . . . .	236	Division 19 . . . . .	16
Division 10 . . . . .	139		
Division 11 . . . . .	71	Total . . . . .	5,115

TABLE XVII.

*Financial Statement for the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*

EXPENDITURES.	
Pay of police and employes . . . . .	\$3,228,033 15
Pensions . . . . .	194,380 51
Fuel and light . . . . .	54,573 92
Water and ice . . . . .	1,021 36
Furniture and bedding . . . . .	7,641 76
Printing and stationery . . . . .	29,208 04
Care and cleaning station houses and city prison . . . . .	13,902 14
Repairs to station houses and city prison . . . . .	31,869 90
Repairs and supplies for police steamers . . . . .	25,699 74
Rent and care of telephones and lines . . . . .	8,476 14
Purchase of horses and vehicles . . . . .	13,093 65
Care and keeping of horses, harnesses and vehicles . . . . .	9,284 23
Care and repair of automobiles . . . . .	29,766 95
Transportation of prisoners, sick and insane persons . . . . .	408 10
Feeding prisoners . . . . .	2,821 36
Medical attendance on prisoners . . . . .	5,355 10
Transportation . . . . .	3,012 87
Pursuit of criminals . . . . .	7,780 80
Cloth for uniforms and uniform caps . . . . .	69,215 67
Badges, buttons, clubs, belts, insignia, etc. . . . .	12,602 13
Traveling expenses and food for police . . . . .	1,093 97
Rent of buildings . . . . .	15,156 00
Legal services and architect's plans . . . . .	8,746 44
Music for police parade . . . . .	310 00
Total . . . . .	\$3,773,454 13
Expenses of listing . . . . .	79,567 42
Expenses of house of detention and station house matrons . . . . .	14,848 82
Expenses of signal service (see Table XVIII) . . . . .	82,503 56
Total . . . . .	\$3,950,373 93
RECEIPTS.	
For all licenses issued by the Police Commissioner . . . . .	\$38,413 75
For sale of unclaimed and condemned property, itin- erant musicians' badges, junk collectors' badges, carriage maps, etc. . . . .	4,437 06
For dog licenses (credited to school department) . . . . .	23,795 00
Total . . . . .	\$66,645 81
For uniform cloth, etc. . . . .	804 87
Money received on account of miscellaneous items . . . . .	1,051 34
Total . . . . .	\$68,502 02

TABLE XVIII.

*Payments on Account of the Signal Service during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1921.*

Labor . . . . .	\$30,572 36
Hay, grain, shoeing, etc. . . . .	4,351 81
Rent and care of buildings . . . . .	5,465 14
Repairs to buildings . . . . .	426 73
Purchase of horses, harnesses and vehicles . . . . .	7,079 32
Repairing wagons, harnesses, etc. . . . .	17,637 93
Fuel, light and water . . . . .	1,514 26
Miscellaneous, car fares, etc. . . . .	713 43
Signaling apparatus, repairs and supplies therefor . . . . .	9,719 63
Underground wires . . . . .	5,022 25
Printing, stationery, etc. . . . .	70
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$82,503 56</b>









TABLE XX.

Showing the Number of Male and Female Persons Twenty Years of Age or More, who were Residents of the City of Boston on the First Day of April, listed by the Listing Board in the Several Wards and Precincts of said City during the First Twenty Week Days in April, 1921.

Ward.	Precinct 1.	Precinct 2.	Precinct 3.	Precinct 4.	Precinct 5.	Precinct 6.	Precinct 7.	Precinct 8.	Precinct 9.	Precinct 10.	Precinct 11.	Precinct 12.	Precinct 13.	Totals.
Ward 1	1,270	1,676	1,443	1,957	1,518	1,872	2,054	1,806	2,105	-	-	-	-	15,090
Ward 2	1,761	2,369	1,839	2,904	2,198	3,898	2,258	2,052	-	-	-	-	-	19,579
Ward 3	1,731	1,492	1,619	1,605	1,577	1,316	1,463	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,830
Ward 4	1,554	1,419	1,451	1,301	1,303	1,232	1,313	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,573
Ward 5	8,074	6,079	5,998	4,012	3,010	2,345	4,730	-	-	-	-	-	-	35,750
Ward 6	2,985	3,469	2,575	3,308	2,806	2,201	2,431	3,028	2,869	-	-	-	-	24,889
Ward 7	1,011	3,726	2,948	3,368	2,244	2,826	1,939	1,548	2,276	2,168	2,322	1,748	2,037	31,001
Ward 8	2,382	2,827	2,914	2,639	1,569	3,369	3,088	1,517	2,279	1,919	1,790	2,488	1,958	29,790
Ward 9	1,017	1,091	1,948	2,039	1,903	1,907	1,774	1,803	1,442	1,633	-	-	-	16,427
Ward 10	1,080	1,877	1,700	1,444	1,646	1,307	1,635	1,342	1,330	1,450	-	-	-	16,056
Ward 11	1,876	1,783	1,610	1,302	1,610	1,514	1,677	1,400	1,399	1,736	-	-	-	15,967
Ward 12	3,065	2,809	1,690	1,263	1,311	1,471	1,520	1,793	1,250	1,450	-	-	-	17,684
Ward 13	2,003	2,227	1,920	1,101	2,029	1,536	1,104	1,069	1,408	1,401	1,509	-	-	18,305
Ward 14	1,801	1,729	1,403	1,235	1,219	1,019	1,403	1,820	1,107	1,402	-	-	-	17,109
Ward 15	1,626	1,381	1,657	1,410	1,659	1,900	1,909	1,581	1,515	1,191	-	-	-	16,930
Ward 16	1,506	1,750	1,571	1,883	1,038	1,844	1,809	1,550	1,384	2,106	-	-	-	19,137
Ward 17	1,850	1,618	2,096	1,740	1,292	1,146	1,226	1,295	1,350	1,168	-	-	-	17,611
Ward 18	1,801	2,650	2,096	1,553	1,333	1,351	1,021	1,527	1,134	1,328	1,021	1,311	-	17,407
Ward 19	1,485	1,022	1,750	1,470	1,900	1,619	1,180	1,095	1,321	1,208	1,177	1,165	-	17,447
Ward 20	1,824	1,512	1,280	1,492	1,385	1,591	1,369	1,260	1,287	1,383	1,371	1,384	-	17,086
Ward 21	1,011	2,297	1,780	1,809	1,352	1,376	1,189	1,839	1,806	1,417	1,129	1,129	1,188	19,733
Ward 22	1,273	1,541	1,621	1,644	1,821	1,197	1,401	1,617	1,396	1,417	1,296	1,072	-	17,266
Ward 23	1,318	1,288	1,291	1,188	1,521	1,531	1,320	1,290	1,138	1,198	1,073	1,472	1,035	16,579
Ward 24	1,489	1,593	1,512	1,307	1,320	1,279	1,565	878	1,478	1,283	1,233	-	-	14,379
Ward 25	1,422	1,485	1,582	1,802	1,200	1,451	1,898	1,450	1,361	1,303	1,174	-	-	17,585
Ward 26	1,512	1,312	1,389	1,807	1,224	1,073	992	1,229	1,170	1,303	1,174	-	-	11,748
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	480,781

NOTE. — There were 4,374 applications for supplementary listing investigated and returns made to the election commissioners during the year.

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## In Memoriam.

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Hon. Edwin Upton Curtis, Police Commissioner for the city of Boston, died at his home, 131 Bay State Road, at 2.30 P.M., March 28, 1922, of valvular heart trouble.

Mr. Curtis was born in Roxbury, Mass., March 26, 1861. Receiving his early education in the Roxbury grammar and Latin schools and also in a private school at Farmington, Me., he entered Bowdoin College in the fall of 1878, graduating in the class of 1882 with the degree of A.B. In 1885 he received the degree of A.M., and in 1914 the degree of LL.D. from the same college. From 1897 to 1912 he served as overseer of the college, and as trustee of the college from 1912 until his death.

Mr. Curtis was admitted to the Suffolk Bar in 1885, and formed a law partnership with William Gardner Reed under the firm name of Reed & Curtis.

He early took an interest in politics and became Secretary of the Republican City Committee in 1888. In 1889 he became city clerk of Boston, and held that position two years, after which he resumed the profession of law and built up a large practice. In 1894 he received the Republican nomination for mayor and was elected by a plurality of more than 2,500.

In 1896 he became a member of the Metropolitan Park Commission and served in that office until Oct. 1, 1897, when he resigned to become the Republican candidate for mayor. He was reappointed a member of the Metropolitan Park Commission on May 26, 1898, and served in that office continuously under successive reappointments until his appointment as Police Commissioner. In 1906 he was appointed Assistant United States Treasurer in Boston, and held that office until 1909, when he became collector of the Port of Boston, which position he occupied for four years. He was elected and served as a delegate to the Constitutional Convention of 1918 and 1919.

On the death of Police Commissioner Stephen O'Meara, Mr. Curtis was appointed to that office by Governor McCall, and on Dec. 30, 1918, took the oath of office.



# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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## REPORT.

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE POLICE COMMISSIONER, 29 PEMBERTON SQUARE,  
BOSTON, Dec. 1, 1922.

To His Excellency CHANNING H. COX, *Governor*.

YOUR EXCELLENCY:—As Police Commissioner for the city of Boston I have the honor to present, in compliance with the provisions of chapter 291 of the Acts of the year 1906, a report of the Police Department for the year ending Nov. 30, 1922.

On March 28, 1922, the Police Department suffered a great loss in the sudden and unexpected death of the Hon. Edwin U. Curtis, Police Commissioner for the city of Boston. Despite great opposition and while not in the best of health, he pursued a course which he believed to be for the best interests of Boston, and produced a young, active and vigorous Police Department, the equal of any police force in any municipality in the United States. Untiring work in the building up of a practically new police force for the city of Boston gradually undermined his health, and after many years of valuable service to his city, State and country he was suddenly stricken when about to reap the reward of his labor.

On April 3, 1922, I assumed control of a Police Department which had then been raised to a high degree of efficiency through unsparring and unselfish sacrifice on the part of Mr. Curtis.

## RELATIVE TO THE LIQUOR PROBLEM.

The enforcement of the prohibition amendment to-day is of as great and vital importance as it was when the prohibition amendment went into effect three years ago. The action of the electorate of Massachusetts in the State election on November 7 in rejecting chapter 427 of the Acts of 1922, which was an act to carry into effect, so far as the Commonwealth of Massachusetts was concerned, the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, has a tendency to impede and hamper the effective enforcement by the Police Department of this prohibition amendment.

Under General Laws, chapter 138, section 75, a police officer may arrest without warrant "any person whom he finds in the act of illegally . . . transporting . . . intoxicating liquor." There is, however, no statute now defining the offense of illegally transporting intoxicating liquor, the existing provisions of law having been omitted when chapter 138 was enacted. If, therefore, those provisions as to transportation, as found in Revised Laws, chapter 100, and subsequent acts in addition and amendment thereto, are put back upon the statute books, with such changes as are necessary in view of the present situation, it will enable the police substantially to curtail the activities of the so-called "bootlegger."

To-day in Boston we find ourselves in an unfortunate situation, with numerous appeals from the district courts of convictions of violations of the liquor laws increasing the size of the docket of the Criminal Superior Court for Suffolk County, and the district attorney for that county practically forced to dispose of these cases by fines, although many of them are appeals from prison sentences of the lower court. Experience shows that trial by jury of these liquor appeal cases is not successful. Jail sentences are very rarely given in the State court for violations of the liquor law.

For the year ending Nov. 30, 1922, this Department made 359 prosecutions in the State court and 17 in the United States court for violations of the various drug laws, and for the same period, not including arrests for drunken-



ness, 3,371 prosecutions in the State court and 93 in the United States court, a total of 3,464 cases for violations of the liquor law, as compared to a total of 2,199 cases prosecuted for violations of the liquor law for the year ending Nov. 30, 1921.

RELATIVE TO THE CARRYING OF GUNS, PISTOLS AND CONCEALED WEAPONS.

In the matter of granting permits for the carrying of firearms, the law which our Legislature passed last year in order to safeguard the citizens of this Commonwealth from irresponsible persons carrying guns and pistols is being circumvented and evaded, and unless immediate steps are taken to have Congress pass a uniform act restricting and limiting the sale and advertisement for sale of revolvers and weapons of self-defense, small headway in the matter of preventing vicious and irresponsible persons from obtaining deadly weapons will have been effected, inasmuch as mail order houses with places of business outside of this Commonwealth are offering for sale firearms absolutely without restriction.

Under the present system in this State of granting permits to carry firearms, an unnaturalized person can obtain a permit to carry a pistol or revolver. In my opinion no such permit should ever be given to an unnaturalized person, although it must be granted that many of our unnaturalized residents are of a fine type. In addition, I am of the opinion that under no circumstances should a permit ever be granted to a minor, or to any person who has been convicted of a felony, or as a user or purveyor of drugs. Under the present law it is a criminal offence to sell a firearm to a minor under fifteen years of age. This law should be changed so that it is a criminal offence to sell, offer to sell, or furnish firearms to a minor.

I believe that a statute should be passed by the next Legislature punishing a person who commits or attempts to commit a crime, while armed with a firearm and with no permit to carry the same, with imprisonment for not less than two and one-half years nor more than five years in the State Prison in addition to the sentence given for the

punishment of the crime for which he was arrested; and also that there should be a statute passed that if any person while armed with a pistol or revolver with no permit to carry the same either commits or attempts to commit a felony, the fact that he had no permit to carry the revolver or firearm should be considered as *prima facie* evidence of his intention to commit the felony for which he was apprehended.

In my opinion to check the lawlessness, viciousness and crime which are sweeping the country, strenuous effort should be made to make it impossible for a person of vicious or irresponsible temperament to obtain a firearm, and in addition it should be made so serious a crime to carry a firearm without a permit that there will be considerable hesitancy on the part of any individual to carry a firearm unlawfully.

In relation to the law of carrying concealed weapons, this law should be changed so as to prevent any person from carrying a pistol or revolver concealed in any vehicle without a permit for such firearm, and a more severe punishment should be given for a violation of the same.

#### TRAFFIC.

The problem of the orderly regulation of automobile traffic in the city of Boston presents a most serious question. When the yearly increase in the number of automobiles, both for pleasure and business purposes, is compared with the permanency of the width of the streets of Boston, the irrefutable conclusion is that there is an imperative need of an increase in the number of policemen for traffic duty, and the creation of suitable sites for parking purposes. Once the parking problem in Boston is solved, congestion of traffic will be eliminated.

Regulation of pedestrian traffic is as important a problem and requires as much intensive study as the matter of guiding and directing vehicular traffic.

During my incumbency in office I have been the recipient of numerous demands from merchants, school authorities and other sources for traffic officers at various crossings in

order to safeguard pedestrians using the same. I regret that I have been unable to comply with these requests in many instances. I have had several conferences with His Honor Mayor Curley relative to an increase of patrolmen in this Department to the number of at least one hundred, and he agrees with me that the situation as regards traffic conditions alone warrants such an increase, and that the only reason why he cannot grant my request at once is because of the financial condition of the city. At one of these conferences it was suggested that if the cities of the Commonwealth could, by an act of the Legislature, secure part of the moneys now collected from registration fees or from a tax on gasoline, if such a tax is imposed, a part of such funds thus collected could be applied to the cities and towns of the Commonwealth to care for traffic conditions. In the event of such legislation being passed, the mayor has signified his willingness to concur with me in my recommendation. I am of the opinion that this request has great merit and that dangerous crossing points should be covered by traffic officers. They are crossed and recrossed daily by school children, and this Department should have a sufficient number of men to properly safeguard them. This is a service which is of such vital importance that the citizens of Boston can rightfully demand that it be granted to them.

The creation of a Traffic Court to relieve the congestion in the criminal session of the Municipal Court for the city of Boston, caused by the ever-increasing number of automobile cases, I believe to be advisable. Such a court in my opinion could effectively and speedily dispose of cases of this nature at a weekly session, and accordingly would be of great benefit to the Police Department, inasmuch as it would eliminate the present necessity of requiring many police officers being absent from their posts several days each week.

#### RELATIVE TO HOUSING ACCOMMODATIONS.

Since I have assumed office I have made a personal inspection of every police station and house of detention in Boston under my control. As a result of this investigation I have caused repairs to be made in many of the buildings,

including interior and exterior painting, installation of shower baths, thus eliminating old-fashioned bath tubs, replacing old and worn-out heating plants, and, in general, have done much work making for better sanitary conditions. I have also taken up this matter with the mayor, and he has agreed to allow me \$500,000 next year outside of my regular appropriation to continue this much needed line of improvement in the conditions of police buildings.

The elimination of cells in the basement of station houses is a matter which I also have taken up with the municipal authorities, and part of the above-mentioned appropriation will be used for this purpose.

The new police station for Division 8, Harbor Police, situated on Commercial Street, is nearly completed and will probably be ready for occupancy in the early spring, thus providing more roomy and sanitary quarters for that Division.

In the matter of the new police building to be constructed on the land purchased on Sears Street, new bids have been received on the same, and I have every reason to expect that with the co-operation of the mayor and city council that this new building will soon be under construction. This building when completed will house Division 2 and the Traffic Division, with offices for the Property Clerk.

In addition, the mayor has signified to me his desire to have taken by right of eminent domain the building now occupied by the Police Commissioner and the Superintendent of Police in Pemberton Square, and erecting in place thereof a modern office building to provide suitable accommodations for these departments which at present are congested and crowded in old-fashioned and ill-adapted buildings.

Very respectfully,

HERBERT A. WILSON,

*Police Commissioner for the City of Boston.*

## THE DEPARTMENT.

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The police department is at present constituted as follows:—

Police Commissioner.	Secretary.	2
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### *The Police Force.*

Superintendent . . . . . 1	Lieutenants . . . . . 41
Deputy superintendents . . . . . 3	Sergeants . . . . . 135
Chief inspector . . . . . 1	Patrolmen . . . . . 1,658
Captains . . . . . 26	Total . . . . . 1,901
Inspectors . . . . . 35	
Inspector of carriages (lieutenant) . . . . . 1	

### *Signal Service.*

Director . . . . . 1	Lineman . . . . . 5
Foreman . . . . . 1	Driver . . . . . 1
Signalmen . . . . . 6	Total . . . . . 17
Mechanics . . . . . 3	

### *Employees of the Department.*

Clerks . . . . . 22	Van drivers . . . . . 2
Stenographers . . . . . 7	Foreman of stable . . . . . 1
Matrons of house of detention . . . . . 5	Hostlers . . . . . 12
Matrons of station houses . . . . . 6	Assistant steward of city prison . . . . . 1
Engineers on police steamers . . . . . 3	Janitors . . . . . 28
Auto repair shop foreman . . . . . 1	Janitresses . . . . . 17
Auto repair shop mechanics . . . . . 2	Telephone operators . . . . . 3
Chauffeur . . . . . 1	Total . . . . . 112
Assistant property clerk . . . . . 1	

### *Recapitulation.*

Police Commissioner and secretary . . . . .	2
Police force . . . . .	1,901
Signal service . . . . .	17
Employees . . . . .	112
	Grand total . . . . . 2,032

## DISTRIBUTION AND CHANGES.

The distribution of the police force is shown by Table I. During the year 106 patrolmen were appointed; 1 sergeant and 28 patrolmen were discharged; 1 sergeant and 49 patrolmen resigned; 2 lieutenants, 3 sergeants and 13 patrolmen were retired on pension; 1 captain, 1 inspector, 1 lieutenant, 2 sergeants and 9 patrolmen died. (See Tables II, III, IV, 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 causes of the injuries:—

HOW INJURED.	Number of Men injured.	Number of Duties lost.
In arresting prisoners . . . . .	94	500
In pursuing criminals . . . . .	24	188
By stopping runaways . . . . .	2	—
By cars and other vehicles . . . . .	63	310
Various other causes . . . . .	102	205
Totals . . . . .	285	1,203

## WORK OF THE DEPARTMENT.

*Arrests.*

The total number of persons arrested, counting each arrest as that of a separate person, was 77,653 as against 72,161 the preceding year, being an increase of 5,497. The percentage of decrease and increase was as follows:—

	Per Cent.
Offences against the person . . . . .	Decrease, 2.36
Offences against property committed with violence . . . . .	Decrease, 21.67
Offences against property committed without violence . . . . .	Decrease, 15.13

	Per Cent.
Malicious offences against property . . . . .	Decrease, 11.11
Forgery and offences against the currency . . . . .	Decrease, 6.38
Offences against the license law . . . . .	Increase, 52.51
Offences against chastity, morality, etc. . . . .	Decrease, 10.63
Offences not included in the foregoing . . . . .	Increase, 8.49

There were 10,786 persons arrested on warrants and 49,372 without warrants; 17,495 persons were summoned by the court; 73,838 persons were held for trial; 3,815 were released from custody. The number of males arrested was 72,572; of females, 5,081; of foreigners, 29,078, or approximately 37.44 per cent; of minors, 7,391. Of the total number arrested, 20,504, or 26.40 per cent, were nonresidents. (See Tables X, XI.)

The average amount of fines imposed by the courts for the five years from 1918 to 1922, inclusive, was \$159,841.56; in 1922 it was \$236,215.50, or \$76,373.94 more than the average.

The average number of days' attendance at court was 36,051; in 1922 it was 42,481, or 6,430 more than the average. The average amount of witness fees earned was \$10,529.70; in 1922 it was \$13,839.32, or \$3,311.62 more than the average. (See Table XIII.)

#### *Drunkenness.*

In the arrests for drunkenness the average per day was 103. There were 6,656 more persons arrested than in 1921, an increase of 21.48 per cent; 25.12 per cent of the arrested persons were nonresidents, and 39.50 per cent were of foreign birth. (See Table XI.)

#### *Bureau of Criminal Investigation.*

The "identification room" now contains 62,960 photographs, 54,342 of which are photographs with Bertillon measurements, a system used by the Department for the past twenty-three years. In accordance with the Revised Laws, chapter 225, sections 18 and 21, we are allowed photographs with Bertillon measurements taken of convicts in the State Prison and reformatory, a number of which have already been added to our Bertillon cabinets. This, to-

gether with the adoption of the system by the 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 615 criminals have been added to the records in this Bureau, which now contains a total of 43,457. The number of cases reported at this office which have been investigated during the year is 26,927. There are 37,032 cases reported on the assignment books kept for this purpose, and reports made on these cases are filed away for future reference. The system of indexing adopted by this Bureau for the use of the Department now contains a list of records, histories, photographs, dates of arrest, etc., of about 190,000 persons. There are also "histories and press clippings", now numbering 8,555, made by this Bureau, in envelope form, for police reference.

The finger-print system of identification which was adopted in June, 1906, has progressed in a satisfactory manner, and with it the identification of criminals is facilitated. It has become very useful in tracing criminals and furnishing corroborating evidence in many instances.

The statistics of the work of this branch of the service are included in the statement 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 . . . . .	2,675
Fugitives from justice from other States, arrested and delivered to officers from those States . . . . .	51
Number of cases investigated . . . . .	26,927
Number of extra duties performed . . . . .	2,025
Number of cases of homicide and supposed homicide investigated and evidence prepared for trial in court . . . . .	178
Number of cases of abortion and supposed abortion investigated and evidence prepared for court . . . . .	7
Number of days spent in court by officers . . . . .	3,740
Number of years' imprisonment imposed by court, 167 years, 11 months.	
Amount of stolen property recovered . . . . .	\$667,027.46
Number of photographs added to identification room . . . . .	1,250



## The nativity of the prisoners was as follows:—

United States . . . . .	48,575	West Indies . . . . .	119
British Provinces . . . . .	3,532	Turkey . . . . .	171
Ireland . . . . .	9,202	South America . . . . .	43
England . . . . .	688	Switzerland . . . . .	21
France . . . . .	108	Belgium . . . . .	37
Germany . . . . .	294	Armenia . . . . .	67
Italy . . . . .	4,247	Africa . . . . .	6
Russia . . . . .	5,771	Hungary . . . . .	20
China . . . . .	215	Asia . . . . .	19
Greece . . . . .	796	Arabia . . . . .	7
Sweden . . . . .	759	Mexico . . . . .	3
Scotland . . . . .	399	Japan . . . . .	9
Spain . . . . .	89	Syria . . . . .	134
Norway . . . . .	260	Roumania . . . . .	15
Poland . . . . .	979	Lithuania . . . . .	235
Australia . . . . .	37	Persia . . . . .	1
Austria . . . . .	212	Cuba . . . . .	2
Portugal . . . . .	292	India . . . . .	1
Finland . . . . .	147	Egypt . . . . .	2
Denmark . . . . .	70	Albania . . . . .	8
Holland . . . . .	32		
Wales . . . . .	11	Total . . . . .	77,653
East Indies . . . . .	18		

The number of arrests for the year was 77,653, being an increase of 5,492 over last year, and 1,901 less than the average for the past five years. There were 37,643 persons arrested for drunkenness, being 6,656 more than last year, and 5,690 less than the average for the past five years. Of the arrests for drunkenness this year there was an increase of 22.05 per cent in males, and an increase of 11.31 per cent in females from last year. (See Tables XI, XIII.)

Of the total number of arrests for the year (77,653), 695 were for violation of city ordinances; that is to say, 1 arrest in 111 was for such offence, or .89 per cent.

Sixty and nineteen one-hundredths per cent of the persons taken into custody were between the ages of twenty and forty. (See Table XII.)

The number of persons punished by fines was 18,673, and the fines amounted to \$236,215.50. (See Table XIII.)

Fifty-four persons were committed to the State Prison, 1,918 to the House of Correction, 24 to the Women's Prison, 30 to the Reformatory Prison and 995 to other institutions. The total years of imprisonment were 3 life, 206 indefinite, 1,568 years, 5 months; the total number of days' attendance at court by officers was 42,481; and the witness fees earned by them amounted to \$13,839.32.

The value of property taken from prisoners and lodgers was \$421,650.49.

Twenty-four witnesses were detained at station houses; 175 were accommodated with lodgings, an increase of 38 from last year. There was an increase of 3.33 per cent in the number of sick and injured persons assisted, and a decrease of about 6.50 per cent in the number of lost children cared for.

The average amount of property stolen in the city for the five years from 1918 to 1922, inclusive, was \$1,419,756.06; in 1922 it was \$1,777,060.08, or \$357,304.02 more than the average. The amount of property stolen in and out of the city which was recovered by the Boston police was \$1,616,-\$19.99, as against \$1,627,331.08 last year, or \$10,511.09 less.

#### OFFICER DETAILED TO ASSIST MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

The officer detailed to assist the medical examiners reports having investigated 853 cases of death from the following causes:—

Abortion . . . . .	4	Natural causes . . . . .	289
Alcoholism . . . . .	21	Poison . . . . .	73
Asphyxiation . . . . .	4	Railroad (steam) . . . . .	19
Automobiles . . . . .	3	Railway (street) . . . . .	1
Burns . . . . .	33	Shooting, accidental . . . . .	3
Drowning . . . . .	36	Stillborn . . . . .	10
Electricity . . . . .	2	Suffocation . . . . .	6
Elevators . . . . .	13	Suicides . . . . .	77
Explosion . . . . .	4	Teams . . . . .	4
Exposure . . . . .	5	Homicides . . . . .	164
Falling objects . . . . .	14		
Falls . . . . .	65	Total . . . . .	853
Machinery . . . . .	3		

On 280 of the above cases inquests were held.

Of the total number the following homicide cases were prosecuted in the courts: —

Automobiles . . . . .	104	Shooting, accidental . . . . .	2
Boxing match . . . . .	1	Steam roller . . . . .	1
Falls . . . . .	1	Suicide . . . . .	3
Manslaughter . . . . .	14	Teams . . . . .	4
Murder . . . . .	18		
Railroad (steam) . . . . .	1	<b>Total</b> . . . . .	<b>164</b>
Railway (street) . . . . .	15		

#### LOST, ABANDONED AND STOLEN PROPERTY.

On Dec. 1, 1921, there were 2,088 articles of lost, stolen or abandoned property in the custody of the property clerk; 1,366 were received during the year; 822 pieces were sold at public auction and the proceeds, \$1,108.48, were turned over to the chief clerk; 212 packages containing \$920.48 were turned over to the chief clerk; 225 packages were destroyed as worthless or sold as junk and the proceeds, \$351.77, turned over to the chief clerk; and 126 packages were delivered to owners, finders or administrators, leaving 2,069 on hand.

#### SPECIAL EVENTS.

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

1921.	Men.
Dec. 6, Boston Opera House, reception to the Rev. Michael O'Flanagan . . . . .	18
Dec. 7, Boston Opera House, reception to Mrs. McCudden, Gold-Star Mother . . . . .	15
Dec. 8, Symphony Hall, political rally . . . . .	22
Dec. 8, Reception and parade in honor of General Diaz . . . . .	1,206
Dec. 25, Holy Cross Cathedral "Midnight Mass" . . . . .	22
1922.	
Jan. 1, Municipal Building, South Boston, reception to Mayor Curley . . . . .	10
Jan. 11, Mechanics Building, police ball . . . . .	184
Feb. 4, Funeral Patrolman Daniel J. McShane . . . . .	62
Feb. 6, Mechanics Building, inauguration of Mayor Curley . . . . .	80
Feb. 15, Mechanics Building, firemen's ball . . . . .	40

1922.	Mea.
Feb. 22, East Armory, track meet of American Legion . . . . .	16
Mar. 13, Reception to moving-picture stars . . . . .	221
Mar. 13, Opening of State Theatre . . . . .	48
Mar. 14, State Theatre . . . . .	18
Mar. 14, Orpheum Theatre, visit of moving-picture stars . . . . .	32
Mar. 15, South station, departure of moving-picture stars . . . . .	25
Mar. 17, Evacuation Day parade . . . . .	307
Mar. 19, Boston Opera House, Irish patriotic meeting . . . . .	18
Mar. 31, Funeral of Police Commissioner Edwin U. Curtis . . . . .	203
Apr. 2, Faneuil Hall, reception to representatives of Irish Free State . . . . .	31
Apr. 2, Funeral of Capt. Joseph McConnell, 101st Infantry . . . . .	25
Apr. 19, Marathon race . . . . .	437
Apr. 30, Franklin Field, bicycle meet . . . . .	46
May 7, Dedication Samuel Finkle Square, West End . . . . .	18
May 21, Navy Yard, memorial service . . . . .	46
May 22, Boston Common, mass meeting for 5-cent fares . . . . .	21
May 28, Fenway Park, memorial service . . . . .	64
May 28, Fenway Park, Irish patriotic meeting . . . . .	32
May 30, Work horse parade . . . . .	44
June 5, Franklin Field, band concert and fireworks . . . . .	40
June 5, Parade, Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company . . . . .	182
June 9, Parade of Boston school cadets . . . . .	352
June 16, "Night before Bunker Hill Day" in Charlestown . . . . .	155
June 17, Bunker Hill Day parade and celebration . . . . .	416
June 24, Franklin Park, exhibition of hippopotamus . . . . .	238
June 26, Cottage Street playground, East Boston, fireworks and band concert . . . . .	32
July 1, Boston Common, children's pageant . . . . .	44
July 4, Boston Common, Independence Day celebration . . . . .	150
July 4, East Boston Independence Day celebration . . . . .	134
July 8, Boston Common, pageants afternoon and evening . . . . .	130
July 22, Boston Common, review of First Corps Cadets . . . . .	67
Aug. 22, Franklin Field, athletic meet . . . . .	110
Aug. 27, Franklin Field, athletic meet . . . . .	103
Sept. 1, Faneuil Hall, political meeting . . . . .	26
Sept. 3, Franklin Field, athletic meet . . . . .	30
Sept. 4, Labor Day parade . . . . .	632
Sept. 6, Boston Common, anniversary battle of the Marne . . . . .	38
Sept. 12, State primary . . . . .	854
Oct. 4-8, Bulletin boards, world's series baseball . . . . .	318
Oct. 12, Parade and review of Boston police . . . . .	1,916
Oct. 12, Columbus Day parade . . . . .	162
Oct. 14, Stadium, Harvard v. Bowdoin football game . . . . .	52
Oct. 21, Stadium, Harvard v. Centre football game . . . . .	62

1922.	Men.
Oct. 28, Stadium, Harvard v. Dartmouth football game . . .	97
Oct. 28, Braves' Field, Boston College v. Lafayette football game . . .	27
Nov. 4, Stadium, Harvard v. Florida football game . . .	66
Nov. 4, Braves' Field, Boston College v. Villanova football game . . .	23
Nov. 7, State election . . . . .	854
Nov. 9, Parade, Boston fire department and visitors . . . . .	515
Nov. 11, Boston Common, Red Cross demonstration . . . . .	38
Nov. 11, Stadium, Harvard v. Princeton football game . . . . .	106
Nov. 11, Braves' Field, Boston College v. Baylor football game . . . . .	18
Nov. 12, Dedication of Hyde Square . . . . .	26
Nov. 18, Stadium, Harvard v. Brown football game . . . . .	76
Nov. 23, Reception and parade in honor of M. Clemenceau . . . . .	476
Nov. 24, Tremont Temple, address by M. Clemenceau . . . . .	53
Nov. 25, Bulletin boards, football returns . . . . .	54
Nov. 25, Fenway Park, Dartmouth v. Brown football game . . . . .	41
Nov. 26, Faneuil Hall, Irish patriotic meeting . . . . .	12

MISSING PERSONS.

The following table shows the number of persons lost or run away during the year: —

Total number reported . . . . .	683
Total number found . . . . .	586
Total number still missing . . . . .	97

*Age and Sex of Such Persons.*

	MISSING.		FOUND.		STILL MISSING.	
	Males.	Fe- males.	Males.	Fe- males.	Males.	Fe- males.
Under 15 years . . . . .	180	21	174	20	6	1
Over 15 years, under 21 years. . . . .	131	120	101	103	30	17
Over 21 years . . . . .	171	60	136	52	35	8
Totals . . . . .	482	201	411	175	71	26

## MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

	1919-20.	1920-21.	1921-22.
Abandoned children cared for . . . .	21	10	11
Accidents reported . . . . .	4,090	5,589	6,196
Auctioneers investigated . . . . .	-	5	-
Buildings found open and made secure . .	4,950	6,033	5,139
Cases investigated . . . . .	54,363	61,145	59,528
Dangerous buildings reported . . . . .	30	12	15
Dangerous chimneys reported . . . . .	13	10	10
Dead bodies cared for . . . . .	242	203	324
Dead bodies recovered . . . . .	23	28	26
Defective cesspools reported . . . . .	111	89	89
Defective drains and vaults reported . .	7	1	9
Defective fire alarms and clocks reported	7	3	15
Defective gas pipes reported . . . . .	34	20	32
Defective hydrants reported . . . . .	115	78	90
Defective lamps reported . . . . .	26,906	14,067	15,870
Defective sewers reported . . . . .	41	62	112
Defective streets and sidewalks reported .	7,714	8,279	8,975
Defective bridges reported . . . . .	-	-	6
Defective wires reported . . . . .	1	-	11
Defective fences reported . . . . .	-	-	1
Defective trees reported . . . . .	2	-	14
Defective water gate reported . . . . .	-	-	1
Defective water pipes reported . . . . .	144	67	114
Defective street signs reported . . . . .	-	-	23
Disturbances suppressed . . . . .	318	627	676

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS — *Concluded.*

	1919-20.	1920-21.	1921-22.
Extra duties performed . . . . .	34,986	41,215	43,412
Fire alarms given . . . . .	1,723	2,155	2,509
Fires extinguished . . . . .	1,033	1,218	1,404
Insane persons taken in charge . . . . .	425	420	434
Intoxicated persons assisted . . . . .	25	28	19
Lost children restored . . . . .	1,949	1,967	1,839
Pawnbrokers investigated . . . . .	—	3	—
Persons rescued from drowning . . . . .	12	6	19
Second-hand automobile dealers investigated.	—	3	—
Second-hand dealers investigated . . . . .	—	2	—
Sick and injured persons assisted . . . . .	5,017	6,159	7,946
Stray teams reported and put up . . . . .	110	103	2,087
Street obstructions removed . . . . .	1,460	1,547	2,217
Water running to waste reported . . . . .	626	467	566
Witnesses detained . . . . .	26	19	24

## INSPECTOR OF CLAIMS.

The officer detailed to assist the committee on claims and law department in investigating claims against the city for alleged damage of various kinds reports that he investigated 1,725 cases, one of which was on account of damage done by a dog.

*Other Services Performed.*

Number of cases investigated . . . . .	1,725
Number of witnesses examined . . . . .	12,040
Number of notices served . . . . .	6,647
Number of permissions granted . . . . .	8,170
Number of days in court . . . . .	66
Number of cases settled on recommendation from this office . . . . .	80
Collected for damage to the city's property and paid bills amounting to . . . . .	\$1,308.22

## HOUSE OF DETENTION.

The house of detention for women is located in the court house, Somerset Street. All the women arrested in the city proper are taken to the house of detention in vans provided for the purpose. They are then held in charge of the matron until the next session of the court before which they are to appear. If sentenced to imprisonment, they are returned to the house of detention, and from there conveyed to the jail or institution to which they have been sentenced.

During the year 2,875 women were committed for the following:—

Drunkenness . . . . .	1,389
Larceny . . . . .	358
Nightwalking . . . . .	64
Fornication . . . . .	124
Idle and disorderly . . . . .	42
Assault and battery . . . . .	18
Adultery . . . . .	33
Violation of liquor law . . . . .	37
Keeping house of ill-fame . . . . .	7
Witness . . . . .	1
County jail . . . . .	274
Municipal court . . . . .	160
Various other causes . . . . .	368
Total . . . . .	<u>2,875</u>

## POLICE SIGNAL SERVICE.

*Signal Boxes.*

The total number of boxes in use is 507. Of these, 335 are connected with the underground system and 172 with the overhead.

*Miscellaneous Work.*

During the year the employees of this service responded to 1,701 trouble calls; inspected 507 signal boxes, 18 signal desks and 955 batteries; repaired 103 box movements, 22 registers, 40 polar box bells, 18 locks, 16 time stamps, 2 stable motors, 3 vibrator bells, 4 relay, 2 pole changers, beside repairing all bell and electric light work at head-



quarters and the various stations. There have been made 19 plungers, 17 complete box fittings, 7 line blocks, 19 automatic hooks, and a large amount of small work done that cannot be classified.

A box has been installed underground at Station 16. Compliance with the prescribed districts is very much delayed on account of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company being unable to lay ducts. Work at Station 12, the installation of boxes 3, 4, 42 underground, and the laying of about 4,000 feet of cable has been delayed since the 1920 prescribed district.

There are in use in the signal service 1 horse, 1 White truck and 1 Ford touring car.

During the year the wagons made 46,888 runs, covering an aggregate distance of 71,289 miles. There were 37,064 prisoners conveyed to the station houses, 5,051 runs were made to take injured or insane persons to station houses, hospitals or their homes; and 503 runs were made to take lost children to station houses. There were 1,864 runs to fires and 600 runs for liquor seizures. During the year there were 507 signal boxes in use arranged on 72 battery circuits and 70 telephone circuits; 604,431 telephone messages and 3,994,097 "on duty" calls were sent over the lines.

The following list comprises the property in the signal service at the present time: —

18 signal desks.	20,210 feet of duct.
72 circuits.	65 manholes.
507 street signal boxes.	1 White truck.
14 stable call boards.	1 line wagon.
81 test boxes.	1 express wagon.
955 cells of battery.	1 mugwump wagon.
611,469 feet underground cable.	1 traverse pung.
213,290 feet overhead cable.	1 Ford touring car.

## HARBOR SERVICE.

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

Value of property recovered, consisting of boats, rigging, float stages, etc. . . . .	\$22,416.46
Vessels from foreign ports boarded . . . . .	1,040
Vessels ordered from the channel . . . . .	640
Vessels removed from the channel by police steamers . . . . .	21
Assistance rendered vessels . . . . .	89
Assistance rendered wharfingers . . . . .	1
Permits granted to discharge cargoes from vessels at anchor . . . . .	9
Obstructions removed from channel . . . . .	57
Alarms of fire on the water front attended . . . . .	22
Boats challenged . . . . .	291
Sick and injured persons assisted . . . . .	3
Dead bodies recovered . . . . .	22
Dead bodies cared for . . . . .	3
Persons rescued from drowning . . . . .	6
Vessels assigned to anchorage . . . . .	724
Cases investigated . . . . .	634
Permits issued to transport and deliver fuel oil in harbor . . . . .	223

The number of vessels that arrived in this port during the year was 7,882, 6,324 being from domestic ports, 518 from the British provinces, and 1,040 from foreign ports. Of the latter, 1,024 were steamers, 4 schooners and 12 motor vessels.

A patrol service was maintained in Dorchester Bay from June 1 to October 31. The launch "E. U. Curtis" cruised nightly from Castle Island to Neponset bridge. Twenty-seven cases were investigated; 119 boats challenged; \$403 worth of property recovered; 1 vessel ordered to display anchor lights; 1 vessel ordered from the channel to proper anchorage; 2 obstructions removed from channel and assistance rendered to 12 boats in distress by reason of disabled engines, stress of weather, etc., towing them with the persons on board to a place of safety. Only one case of larceny from vessels in Dorchester Bay was reported during the season.

## HORSES.

On the 30th of November, 1921, there were 35 horses in the service. During the year 3 were transferred to the State Department of Health, 3 were purchased, 2 sold in trade and 1 humanely killed. At the present time there are 32 in the service, as shown by Table IX.

## VEHICLE SERVICE.

*Automobiles.*

There are 50 automobiles in the service at the present time: 12 at headquarters; 1 at the house of detention, used as a woman's van and kept at Division 4; 6 in the city proper and attached to Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5; 4 in the South Boston district, attached to Divisions 6 and 12; 2 in the East Boston district, attached to Division 7; 4 in the Roxbury district, attached to Divisions 9 and 10; 2 in the Dorchester district, attached to Division 11; 2 in the Jamaica Plain district, attached to Division 13; 2 in the Brighton district, attached to Division 14; 1 in the Charlestown district, attached to Division 15; 2 in the Back Bay and Fenway, attached to Division 16; 2 in the West Roxbury district, attached to Division 17; 2 in the Hyde Park district, attached to Division 18; 2 in the Mattapan district, attached to Division 19; 1 assigned for use of the traffic division and 5 unassigned. (See page 29.)

*Cost of Running Automobiles.*

Repairs . . . . .	\$21,055 12
Tires . . . . .	6,032 02
Gasoline . . . . .	10,472 54
Oil . . . . .	1,617 12
Storage . . . . .	2,595 90
License fees . . . . .	228 00
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>\$42,000 70</b>

*Ambulances.*

The Department is equipped with combination automobiles (patrol and ambulance) located in Divisions 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19.

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

City Hospital . . . . .	3,043
City Hospital (Relief Station, Haymarket Square) . . . . .	1,075
City Hospital (Relief Station, East Boston District) . . . . .	280
Calls where services were not required . . . . .	155
Boston State Hospital . . . . .	95
Home . . . . .	75
Massachusetts General Hospital . . . . .	72
St. Elizabeth's Hospital . . . . .	49
Morgue . . . . .	32
Carney Hospital . . . . .	23
Police station houses . . . . .	10
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital . . . . .	6
Public Health, United States Service Hospital . . . . .	5
Forest Hills Hospital . . . . .	4
Cambridge Hospital . . . . .	2
Children's Hospital . . . . .	2
Boston Consumptives Hospital . . . . .	1
Evangeline Booth Hospital . . . . .	1
Faulkner Hospital . . . . .	1
Homeopathic Hospital . . . . .	1
Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary . . . . .	1
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>4,933</b>

*List of Vehicles used by the Department.*

DIVISIONS.	Combination Auto and Ambulance.	Patrol Wagons.	Other Wagons.	Automobiles.	Fungs.	Vans.	Ambulances.	Buggies.	Sleighs.	Motor Vans.	Motor Cycles.	Motor Cycle Side-cars.	Totals.
Headquarters . . .	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	12
Division 1 . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 2 . . .	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 3 . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 4 . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Division 5 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
Division 6 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Division 7 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Division 9 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	4
Division 10 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Division 11 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
Division 12 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	6
Division 13 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	4	1	-	8
Division 14 ½ . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	9
Division 15 . . .	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Division 16 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	4	14
Division 17 ½ . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	5
Division 18 ½ . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	5
Division 19 . . .	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	7
Traffic division . . .	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3
Joy Street stable . . .	-	1	3	-	1	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	11
Unassigned . . .	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
<b>Totals . . .</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>107</b>

## PUBLIC CARRIAGES.

During the year there were 1,401 carriage licenses granted, being a decrease of 64 as compared with last year; 1,151 motor carriages were licensed, being an increase of 18 compared with last year.

There have been 119 horse-drawn carriages licensed during the year.

There were 102 articles, consisting of umbrellas, coats, handbags, etc., left in carriages during the year, which were turned over to the inspector; 29 of these were restored to the owners, and the balance placed in the custody of the lost property bureau.

The following statement gives details concerning public hackney carriages, as well as licenses to drive the same: —

Number of applications for carriage licenses received . . . . .	1,403
Number of carriages licensed . . . . .	1,401
Number of licenses transferred . . . . .	76
Number of licenses canceled or revoked . . . . .	19
Number of carriages inspected . . . . .	1,403
Applications for drivers' licenses reported upon . . . . .	1,714
Number of complaints against drivers investigated . . . . .	94
Number of warrants obtained . . . . .	20
Number of days spent in court . . . . .	76
Articles left in carriages reported by citizens . . . . .	39
Articles left in carriages reported by drivers . . . . .	102
Drivers' applications for licenses rejected . . . . .	19

Since July 1, 1914, the Police Commissioner has assigned to persons or corporations licensed to set up and use hackney carriages places designated as special stands for such licensed carriages, and there have been issued in the year ending Nov. 30, 1922, 547 such special stands.

Of these special stands, there have been 23 canceled and 15 transferred.

*Sight-seeing Automobiles.*

During the year ending Nov. 30, 1922, there have been issued licenses for 30 sight-seeing automobiles and 23 special stands for them. There have been 46 chauffeurs' licenses granted.

## WAGON LICENSES.

Licenses are granted to persons or corporations to set up and use trucks, wagons or other vehicles to convey merchandise from place to place within the city for hire.

During the year 4,552 applications for such licenses were received; 4,549 of these were granted and 3 rejected.

Of these licenses, 74 were subsequently canceled for non-payment of license fee, 10 for other causes and 31 transferred to new location. (See Tables, XIV, XVI.)

## LISTING WORK IN BOSTON, ETC.

YEAR.	May Canvass.	YEAR.	May Canvass.
1903 . . . . .	181,045	1913 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	215,388
1904 . . . . .	193,195	1914 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	219,364
1905 . . . . .	194,547	1915 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	220,883
1906 . . . . .	195,446	1916 . . . . .	— <sup>2</sup>
1907 . . . . .	195,900	1917 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	221,207
1908 . . . . .	201,255	1918 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	224,012
1909 . . . . .	201,391	1919 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	227,466
1910 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	203,603	1920 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	235,248
1911 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	206,825	1921 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	480,783
1912 <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	214,178		

<sup>1</sup> Changed to April 1.

<sup>2</sup> Listing done by assessors.

The following shows the total number of persons listed in April of the present year: —

Male . . . . .	235,613
Female . . . . .	244,493
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>480,106</b>

*Listing Expenses.*

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

Printing . . . . .	\$40,868 60
Clerical service . . . . .	23,904 00
Stationery . . . . .	226 34
Interpreters . . . . .	163 50
Total . . . . .	\$65,162 44

*Number of Policemen employed in Listing.*

April 1 . . . . .	1,235
April 3 . . . . .	1,157
April 4 . . . . .	1,021
April 5 . . . . .	761
April 6 . . . . .	376
April 7 . . . . .	30
April 8 . . . . .	9

## POLICE WORK ON JURY LISTS.

The police department, under the provisions of chapter 348, Acts of 1907, assisted the Election Commissioners in ascertaining the qualifications of persons proposed for jury service. The police findings in 1922 may be summarized as follows:—

	1922.
Dead, or could not be found in Boston . . . . .	1,464
Physically incapable . . . . .	337
Convicted of crime . . . . .	160
Unfit for various reasons . . . . .	432
Apparently fit . . . . .	10,075
Total . . . . .	12,468



## SPECIAL POLICE.

Special police officers are appointed to serve without pay from the city, on a 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 Nov. 30, 1922, there were 1,534 special police officers appointed; 7 applications for appointment were refused for cause and 1 revoked.

Appointments were made on applications received as follows:—

From United States government . . . . .	39
From State departments . . . . .	5
From city departments . . . . .	383
From county of Suffolk . . . . .	15
From railroad corporations . . . . .	152
From other corporations or associations . . . . .	721
From theatres and other places of amusement . . . . .	188
From private institutions . . . . .	24
From churches . . . . .	7
Total . . . . .	1,534

## RAILROAD POLICE.

There were 273 persons appointed railroad policemen during the year, 245 of whom were employees of the Boston & Maine Railroad, 21 of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and 7 of the Boston Terminal Company.

## MISCELLANEOUS LICENSES.

The total number of applications for miscellaneous licenses received was 22,202. Of these, 21,943 were granted, of which 120 were canceled for nonpayment, leaving 21,823. During the year 177 licenses were transferred, 484 canceled, 27 revoked and 259 applications were rejected. The officers investigated 344 complaints arising under these licenses. The fees collected and paid into the city treasury amounted to \$57,964. (See Table XIV.)

## MUSICIANS' LICENSES.

*Itinerant.*

During the year there were 67 applications for itinerant musicians' licenses received, all of which were granted. Seven licenses were subsequently canceled on account of nonpayment of license fee.

All the instruments in use by itinerant musicians are inspected before the license is granted, and it is arranged by a qualified musician, not a member of the Department, that such instruments shall be inspected in April and September of each year.

During the year 107 instruments were inspected, with the following results:—

KIND OF INSTRUMENT.	Number inspected.	Number passed.	Number rejected.
Street pianos . . . . .	55	48	7
Hand organs . . . . .	18	14	4
Violins . . . . .	4	4	—
Harps . . . . .	3	3	—
Banjoes . . . . .	4	4	—
Flageolets . . . . .	3	3	—
Accordions . . . . .	8	8	—
Bagpipes . . . . .	3	3	—
Guitars . . . . .	3	3	—
Mandolins . . . . .	2	2	—
Drums . . . . .	1	1	—
Singers . . . . .	2	2	—
Cornets . . . . .	1	1	—
Totals . . . . .	107	96	11

*Collective.*

Collective musicians' licenses are granted to bands of persons over sixteen years of age to play on musical instruments in company with designated processions at stated times and places.

The following shows the number of applications made for these licenses during the last five years, and the action taken thereon:—

YEAR.	Applications.	Granted.	Rejected.
1918 . . . . .	225	224	1
1919 . . . . .	224	220	4
1920 . . . . .	308	308	—
1921 . . . . .	294	292	2
1922 . . . . .	309	308	1

## CARRYING DANGEROUS WEAPONS.

The following return shows the number of applications made to the Police Commissioner for licenses to carry loaded pistols or revolvers in this Commonwealth during the past five years, the number of such applications granted, the number refused and the number revoked:—

YEAR.	Applications.	Granted.	Rejected.	Revoked.
1918 . . . . .	2,463	2,374	89	3
1919 . . . . .	5,006	4,539	467	4
1920 . . . . .	2,793	2,481 <sup>1</sup>	312	4
1921 . . . . .	3,190	2,843	347	4
1922 . . . . .	3,100	2,916	184	8

<sup>1</sup> Fee of \$2 established, effective May 1, 1920 (2,280 licenses issued at \$2).

## PUBLIC LODGING HOUSES.

The following shows the number of public lodging houses licensed by the Police Commissioner under chapter 242 of the Acts of 1904 during the year, the location of each house and the number of lodgers accommodated: —

LOCATION.	Number lodged.	LOCATION.	Number lodged.
19 Causeway Street . . . .	3,986	1051 Washington Street . . . .	43,815
164 Commercial Street . . . .	9,495	1202 Washington Street . . . .	5,325
191 Commercial Street . . . .	33,724	1025 Washington Street . . . .	32,196
234 Commercial Street . . . .	16,156	Total . . . . .	170,151
17 Davis Street . . . . .	25,484		

## PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On Dec. 1, 1921, there were 261 pensioners on the roll. During the year 22 died, viz., 2 captains, 2 inspectors, 2 lieutenants, 2 sergeants, 11 patrolmen, 1 fireman, 1 chief matron and 1 clerk; and 19 were added, viz., 2 lieutenants, 3 sergeants, 13 patrolmen and 1 fireman, leaving 258 on the roll at date, — 228 men and 30 women.

The payments on account of pensions during the past year amounted to \$200,956.88, and it is estimated that \$207,571 will be required for pensions in 1923. This does not include pensions for 1 deputy superintendent, 2 captains, 1 inspector, 1 sergeant and 11 patrolmen, all of whom are sixty-five years old or more, and entitled to be pensioned on account of age and term of service.

The invested fund of the police charitable fund on the thirtieth day of November last amounted to \$207,550. There are 60 beneficiaries at the present time, and there has been paid to them the sum of \$6,794.66 during the past year.

The fund of the Police Relief Association on the thirtieth day of November was \$293,805.23.

## FINANCIAL.

The total expenditures for police purposes during the past year, including the pensions, house of detention and listing persons twenty years of age or more, but exclusive of the maintenance of the police signal service, were \$4,026,306.07. (See Table XVII.)

The total revenue paid into the city treasury from fees from licenses over which the police have supervision, for the sale of unclaimed and condemned property, uniform cloth, etc., was \$63,426.15. (See Table XIV.)

The cost of maintaining the police signal service during the year was \$43,438.29. (See Table XVIII.)

STATISTICAL TABLES.  
TABLE I.  
Distribution of Police Force, Signal Service and Employees, Nov. 50, 1922.

RANK OR POSITION.	DIVISIONS.																				Total.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20			
Police Commissioner . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Property Clerk	1	-
Secretary . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	House of De-	1	-
Superintendent . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Signal Service	1	-
Deputy superintendents . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1	-
Chief Inspector 1 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1	-
Captains . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	-
Inspectors . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1	-
Lieutenants . . . . .	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1		1	-
Sergeants . . . . .	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	6	6	6	6	7	6	7	5	6	6	6	1		1	-
Patrolmen . . . . .	88	101	90	90	83	75	76	30	100	96	93	71	70	76	97	69	19	57	148	4		1,658	-
Assistant property clerk . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1	-
Clerks . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1	-
Stenographers . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		1	-
																						1	7
																							23



TABLE II.  
*List of Police Officers in Active Service who died during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.*

Rank.	NAME.	Division.	Date of Death.	Cause of Death.
Sergeant	Oscar W. Burgess . . . . .	4	Nov. 10, 1922	Diabetes.
Patrolman	Michael H. Byrne . . . . .	1	Feb. 27, 1922	Bright's disease.
Patrolman	Michael J. Connors . . . . .	14	Dec. 8, 1921	Heart disease.
Patrolman	Gershon S. Files . . . . .	City Prison	Jan. 15, 1922	Ulcers of stomach.
Patrolman	Charles W. Gardner . . . . .	11	Apr. 14, 1922	Heart disease.
Patrolman	Albert H. Giles . . . . .	15	June 16, 1922	Fractured skull.
Captain .	Patriek F. King . . . . .	Headquarters	Nov. 3, 1922	Cancer.
Inspector	Francis J. McCauley . . . . .	Headquarters	June 19, 1922	Heart disease.
Sergeant	Terrance McNeil . . . . .	16	Dec. 10, 1921	Heart failure.
Patrolman	Daniel J. McShane . . . . .	4	Jan. 31, 1922	Bullet wounds.
Lieutenant	John W. Riordan . . . . .	13	May 23, 1922	Pneumonia.
Patrolman	Dennis J. Sullivan . . . . .	1	Nov. 19, 1922	Kidney trouble.
Patrolman	George H. Tuckey . . . . .	18	July 18, 1922	Anamia.
Patrolman	Bertraud F. Webb . . . . .	15	Nov. 17, 1922	Bladder trouble.



TABLE III.

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

NAME.	Cause of Retirement.	Age at Time of Retirement (Years).	Years of Service.
Herman B. Bodenschatz . . . .	Age . . . .	64	41
Michael J. Brennick . . . .	Age . . . .	69	41
Patrick Byrne . . . .	Incapacitated . . . .	59	33
Daniel P. Cameron . . . .	Incapacitated . . . .	52	22
Edward A. Dever . . . .	Age . . . .	67	42
Charles M. Eaton . . . .	Incapacitated . . . .	52	20
Dennis J. Egan <sup>1</sup> . . . .	Incapacitated and veteran.	55	10
Irving Elder . . . .	Incapacitated . . . .	55	25
John H. Ferguson . . . .	Incapacitated . . . .	56	26
Thomas S. Graham . . . .	Incapacitated . . . .	59	28
James W. Kelley . . . .	Age . . . .	65	38
Abraham L. Killam . . . .	Age . . . .	62	32
John T. Leary . . . .	Incapacitated . . . .	58	34
John H. Lial . . . .	Age . . . .	61	28
Frank J. Rich . . . .	Age . . . .	62	35
Charles S. Richardson . . . .	Age . . . .	63	33
Frederick J. Smith . . . .	Age . . . .	65	40
John J. Smith . . . .	Age . . . .	60	34
Johan F. Stenberg . . . .	Incapacitated . . . .	52	20

<sup>1</sup> Fireman, police steamer.

TABLE IV.

*List of Officers who were promoted above the Rank of Patrolman during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.*

Date.	NAME AND RANK.
Aug. 5, 1922	Captain Forrest F. Hall to rank of deputy superintendent.
Aug. 5, 1922	Captain Thomas F. Goode to rank of deputy superintendent.
Aug. 5, 1922	Lieutenant Bradley C. Mason to rank of captain.
Jan. 6, 1922	Detective-Sergeant John A. Dorsey to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Jan. 6, 1922	Detective-Sergeant Stephen J. Flaherty to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Jan. 6, 1922	Detective-Sergeant Frederick M. Finn to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Jan. 6, 1922	Detective-Sergeant Thomas F. Mulrey to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Jan. 6, 1922	Detective-Sergeant William F. Crawford to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Jan. 6, 1922	Detective-Sergeant Timothy F. Donovan to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Jan. 6, 1922	Detective-Sergeant James F. Concannon to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Aug. 5, 1922	Detective-Sergeant Francis P. Haggerty to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Aug. 5, 1922	Detective-Sergeant Benjamin Alexander to rank of lieutenant inspector.
Aug. 5, 1922	Detective-Sergeant John F. McCarthy to rank of lieutenant inspector.
July 12, 1922	Sergeant John F. Lyons to rank of lieutenant.
July 12, 1922	Sergeant John McGrath to rank of lieutenant.
July 12, 1922	Sergeant Joseph McKinnon to rank of lieutenant.
July 12, 1922	Sergeant Dana W. Fisher to rank of lieutenant.
Feb. 9, 1922	Patrolman Michael J. Harnett to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Thomas S. J. Kavanagh to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Eugene G. Wallingford to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Bartholomew D. Winn to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Patrick J. McAuliffe to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman John J. Gale to rank of sergeant.

TABLE IV — *Concluded.*

Date.	NAME AND RANK.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Joseph W. F. McDonough to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Emerson P. Marsh to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Thomas F. Connolly to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Jeremiah O'Neil to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Michael R. Hurley to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Edward Q. Butters to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman John J. Freeman to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Thomas N. Trainor to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Max B. F. Thorner to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman John J. Manning to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Andrew J. Hurley to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Patrick F. Flaherty to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman George E. Keyes to rank of sergeant.
July 12, 1922	Patrolman Andrew W. Ryan to rank of sergeant.
Sept. 9, 1922	Patrolman Edward J. Kelley, Jr., to rank of sergeant.

TABLE V.

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

DATE APPOINTED.	Superintendent.	Deputy Super-Intendents.	Chief Inspector.	Captains.	Inspectors.	Lieutenants.	Sergants.	Patrolmen.	Totals.
1869 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
1875 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1880 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	2
1881 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1882 . . . . .	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	6
1883 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
1884 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1885 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	6	8
1886 . . . . .	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	5	8
1887 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	3	2	1	8	14
1888 . . . . .	1	-	-	1	1	6	3	17	29
1889 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	9	10
1890 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	2	2	4	3	12
1891 . . . . .	-	-	1	2	-	1	3	7	14
1892 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	9	14
1893 . . . . .	-	-	-	4	4	5	12	26	51
1894 . . . . .	-	-	-	2	-	1	7	4	14
1895 . . . . .	-	1	-	4	3	6	22	45	81
1896 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	8	13
1897 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	6
1898 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	2	8	12	22
1900 . . . . .	-	-	-	2	2	4	14	25	47
1901 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	2	3	8	6	19
1902 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
1903 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	-	3	9	20	33
1904 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	3	-	6	14	23
1905 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	3	10
1906 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	3	7
1907 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	8	12	21
1908 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	3	-	9	11	23
1909 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	5	8
1910 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	3	7
1911 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5
1912 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	10	13
1913 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1914 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1915 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
1916 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
1917 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
1919 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	821	821
1920 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	263	263
1921 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	174	174
1922 . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	101	101
Totals . . . . .	1	3	1	26	35	42	135	1,658	1,901

TABLE VI.  
Officers discharged and resigned during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.

Rank.	NAME.	Discharged.	Resigned.	Length of Service.
Patrolman	George H. Babb, Jr.	-	Mar. 11, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Harry Barlow	-	July 15, 1922	1½ years.
Patrolman	Frank E. Barthelmess	-	Oct. 11, 1922	3 months.
Patrolman	Michael J. Borkowsky	Aug. 4, 1922	-	2½ years.
Patrolman	Patrick Boyle	-	Jan. 31, 1922	1½ years.
Patrolman	George W. Brown	-	Nov. 22, 1922	3½ years.
Patrolman	Carlton A. Burlingame	-	Feb. 9, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Patrick J. Butler	-	June 12, 1922	5 months.
Patrolman	Ewen S. Cameron	-	Feb. 7, 1922	18½ years.
Patrolman	Joseph F. Campbell	Dec. 21, 1921	-	2½ years.
Patrolman	Malcolm G. Campbell	Mar. 3, 1922	-	2½ years.
Sergeant	Albert W. Carnes	Apr. 21, 1922	-	9½ years.
Patrolman	John G. Chambers	-	Nov. 10, 1922	1½ years.
Patrolman	Chester W. Conroy	-	Sept. 11, 1922	1½ years.
Patrolman	Frank J. Costello	-	Jan. 4, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Arthur N. Davis	-	July 17, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Angelo J. DeGregorio	-	Aug. 22, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Leo A. Delaney	-	Jan. 26, 1922	1½ years.
Patrolman	Sabina J. Delaney	-	Jan. 31, 1922	9 months.
Patrolman	David L. Dodge	Mar. 13, 1922	-	7 months.

TABLE VI — Continued.

Rank.	Name.	Discharged.	Resigned.	Length of Service.
Patrolman	William L. Donahue	Aug. 4, 1922	—	2½ years.
Patrolman	Edward Dugger	Apr. 22, 1922	—	2½ years.
Patrolman	Walter J. Edmunds	—	Jan. 16, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Willard T. Ellis	Apr. 18, 1922	—	2½ years.
Patrolman	Eugene P. Erskine	Jan. 14, 1922	—	2½ years.
Patrolman	James T. Farrell	—	Oct. 6, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Charles L. Flynn	—	Mar. 4, 1922	1 year.
Patrolman	Peter L. Flynn	July 27, 1922	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	Russell L. Frazier	—	May 9, 1922	1 year.
Patrolman	Wilfred J. Gaudreau	—	May 12, 1922	4 months.
Patrolman	Robert Gerstel	—	Mar. 1, 1922	5 months.
Patrolman	Warmoth T. Gibbs	—	Jan. 3, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Patrick Gilmartin	Oct. 20, 1922	—	7 months.
Patrolman	Stephen Gilmartin	Mar. 22, 1922	—	1 year.
Patrolman	Charles Gould	—	Feb. 21, 1922	2½ year.
Patrolman	Allen W. Gray	Aug. 9, 1922	—	2½ years.
Patrolman	Martin J. Grealy	Jan. 14, 1922	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	William J. Henderson	May 10, 1922	—	1½ years.
Patrolman	August M. Horsman	—	June 21, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Albert S. Jones	—	Apr. 3, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Leon W. Jones	—	July 18, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Walter F. Jordan	—	Sept. 8, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Patrick Kavanaugh	—	—	2½ years.
Patrolman	William P. Kelly	July 27, 1922	—	2½ years.
Patrolman	—	—	Oct. 31, 1922	2½ years.

Patrolman	Louis Kramer	-	-	Mar. 6, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Phillip F. Krohn	-	-	Mar. 17, 1922	10 months.
Patrolman	Willard J. LaBolin	Apr. 24, 1922	-	-	2½ years.
Patrolman	William J. Lamb	-	-	Dec. 23, 1921	20½ years.
Sergeant	William A. Lyons	-	-	Mar. 11, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	John Marshall	-	-	Jan. 20, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Edward A. Mayhew	-	-	Oct. 9, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Charles E. Montier	-	-	July 17, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	William C. Muller	-	-	Feb. 23, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	John J. Murphy	-	-	Feb. 14, 1922	1½ years.
Patrolman	Martin E. McCarthy	-	-	July 19, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	Joshua McClain	-	-	Jan. 6, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	John L. McCoy	-	-	Oct. 23, 1922	3 years.
Patrolman	Matthew McDonald	May 2, 1922	-	-	7½ years.
Patrolman	Thomas H. McDonald	-	-	Nov. 6, 1922	3 years.
Patrolman	Herbert P. McGettrick	Feb. 24, 1922	-	-	2½ years.
Patrolman	George H. Needham	Jun. 5, 1922	-	-	2½ years.
Patrolman	Francis L. O'Brien	-	-	Sept. 21, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	William A. Oelis	Dec. 14, 1921	-	-	1½ years.
Patrolman	John J. O'Neill	Dec. 2, 1921	-	-	2½ years.
Patrolman	Samuel Pollock	Dec. 8, 1921	-	-	1½ years.
Patrolman	James F. Quinn	-	-	Nov. 21, 1922	4 months.
Patrolman	Myrl E. Robards	-	-	Oct. 30, 1922	3 years.
Patrolman	Edward E. Seovak	-	-	Mar. 9, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	George H. Smith	-	-	Mar. 6, 1922	2½ years.
Patrolman	William Smith	Aug. 15, 1922	-	-	2½ years.
Patrolman	James P. Stuart	July 25, 1922	-	-	1½ years.

TABLE VI — Concluded.

Rank.	NAME.	Discharged.	Resigned.	Length of Service.
Patrolman	Daniel F. Sullivan	—	Sept. 6, 1922	1 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years.
Patrolman	Albert F. Swett	Aug. 9, 1922	—	2 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years.
Patrolman	Ralph B. Thayer	—	Nov. 25, 1922	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years.
Patrolman	Rudolph L. Trent	Nov. 17, 1922	—	2 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years.
Patrolman	John J. Wagner	—	Feb. 7, 1922	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years.
Patrolman	Robert C. Wardle	Nov. 1, 1922	—	3 years.
Patrolman	William J. Welch	—	Mar. 1, 1922	1 year.
Patrolman	Albert T. White	Feb. 27, 1922	—	2 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years.



TABLE VII.  
*Number of Days' Absence from Duty by Reason of Sickness during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.*

December, 1921 . . . . .	606	July, 1922 . . . . .	531
January, 1922 . . . . .	611	August, 1922 . . . . .	625
February, 1922 . . . . .	1,164	September, 1922 . . . . .	594
March, 1922 . . . . .	1,075	October, 1922 . . . . .	676
April, 1922 . . . . .	765	November, 1922 . . . . .	530
May, 1922 . . . . .	711	Total . . . . .	8,403
June, 1922 . . . . .	509		

Average number of men on the force . . . . . 1,908.  
 Average number of men sick daily . . . . . 23, or 1.2 per cent.

TABLE VIII.

*Complaints against Officers during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.*

No.	Rank.	NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Disposition of Case.
5	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave and neglect of duty . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
20 <sup>1</sup>	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
2	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty and untruthfulness . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and insubordination	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
1	Patrolman . . .	Untruthfulness . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police force.
7	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
4	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.

1	Patrolman	Conduct unbecoming an officer	Guilty; sentenced to perform 105 hours' punishment duty.
3	Patrolman	Neglect of duty	Guilty; sentenced to perform 105 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	Conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty	Guilty; sentenced to perform 105 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	Leaving route and entering a building without permission.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 105 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	Conduct unbecoming an officer	Guilty; sentenced to perform 100 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	Neglect of duty	Guilty; sentenced to perform 100 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	Neglect of duty	Guilty; sentenced to perform 72 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	Conduct unbecoming an officer	Guilty; sentenced to perform 70 hours' punishment duty.
3	Patrolman	Neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer.	Guilty; sentenced to perform 70 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	Conduct unbecoming an officer	Guilty; sentenced to perform 60 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman	Conduct unbecoming an officer	Guilty; sentenced to perform 50 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman	Absence without leave	Guilty; sentenced to perform 48 hours' punishment duty.

1 One patrolman was reinstated.

TABLE VIII — *Concluded.*

No.	Rank.	NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	Disposition of Case.
4	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 42 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 35 hours' punishment duty.
2	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 35 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 22 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 21 hours' punishment duty.
1	Sergeant . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . .	Reprimanded in General Orders.
3	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . .	Reprimanded in General Orders.
3	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
21	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
7	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Sergeant . . .	Neglect of duty and inefficiency . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.

2	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Complaint dismissed.
14	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Complaint dismissed.
3	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Complaint dismissed.
7	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Complaint placed on file.
6	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Complaint placed on file.
3	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Complaint placed on file.

Three complaints were dismissed without a hearing, as trivial or otherwise without merit.

TABLE IX.

*Number and Distribution of Horses used in the Department.*

Divisions.	Wagon.	Patrol.	Riding.	Ambulance.	Totals.
Division 1 . . . . .	-	-	-	1	1
Division 16 . . . . .	-	-	22	-	22
Stable, 40 Joy Street . . . . .	1	1	7	-	9
Totals . . . . .	1	1	29	1	32

TABLE X.

*Number of Arrests by Police Divisions during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.*

DIVISIONS.	Males.	Females.	Totals.
Headquarters . . . . .	2,243	437	2,680
Division 1 . . . . .	5,751	187	5,938
Division 2 . . . . .	2,837	336	3,173
Division 3 . . . . .	6,058	569	6,627
Division 4 . . . . .	3,722	231	3,953
Division 5 . . . . .	7,124	1,139	8,263
Division 6 . . . . .	5,264	193	5,457
Division 7 . . . . .	4,855	190	5,045
Division 8 . . . . .	41	—	41
Division 9 . . . . .	5,101	335	5,436
Division 10 . . . . .	5,674	410	6,084
Division 11 . . . . .	2,411	82	2,493
Division 12 . . . . .	2,352	94	2,446
Division 13 . . . . .	1,635	38	1,673
Division 14 . . . . .	2,311	141	2,452
Division 15 . . . . .	4,292	181	4,473
Division 16 . . . . .	3,991	329	4,320
Division 17 . . . . .	2,015	28	2,043
Division 18 . . . . .	522	31	553
Division 19 . . . . .	1,646	61	1,707
Traffic division . . . . .	2,727	69	2,796
<b>Totals . . . . .</b>	<b>72,572</b>	<b>5,081</b>	<b>77,653</b>

TABLE XI.  
*Arrests and Offences for Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.*  
 No. 1. OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Affray, engaging in . . . . .	30	2	38	0	29	-	12	4	11	38	-
Assault . . . . .	46	8	54	32	16	6	31	7	5	54	-
Assault and battery . . . . .	1,622	277	1,899	897	452	550	956	130	107	1,809	-
Assault, indecent . . . . .	51	-	51	28	22	1	25	11	2	51	-
Assault on police . . . . .	146	6	152	101	49	2	49	15	18	152	-
Blackmailing or attempt . . . . .	4	-	4	3	1	-	-	-	2	4	-
Child, abandoning . . . . .	9	0	11	10	1	-	0	3	-	11	-
Child, fondle, abuse of . . . . .	10	-	10	11	9	-	8	9	5	10	-
Child, refusing to support . . . . .	43	2	45	41	-	1	23	10	2	45	-
Child, minor, neglecting . . . . .	8	4	12	8	-	4	2	-	4	12	-
Extortion or attempt . . . . .	8	1	9	6	3	-	3	1	-	9	-
Family, abandoning or neglecting . . . . .	111	2	113	105	-	8	34	13	5	113	-
Family, refusing to support . . . . .	610	6	655	578	6	71	238	98	12	655	-
Intimidation and threatening language, using.	103	11	114	90	1	23	51	14	1	114	-



Kidnapping . . . . .	2	1	3	3	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	3
Libel . . . . .	2	1	3	2	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	3
Manslaughter . . . . .	76	3	79	22	57	-	28	23	5	-	-	79
Mayhem . . . . .	4	-	4	1	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	4
Mayhem, assault with intent to maim . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Murder . . . . .	40	4	44	24	17	3	31	0	-	-	-	44
Murder, assault with intent to . . . . .	80	5	91	57	30	4	58	0	5	-	-	91
Murder, accessory before the fact . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1
Murder, accessory after the fact . . . . .	3	-	3	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3
Parent law, violation of . . . . .	11	10	21	3	-	18	3	2	1	-	-	21
Rape . . . . .	33	-	33	22	11	-	8	4	10	-	-	33
Rape, assault to . . . . .	18	-	18	12	6	-	3	1	4	-	-	18
Riot, inciting . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Rob, assault to . . . . .	20	1	30	10	14	-	4	0	5	-	-	30
Robbery or attempt . . . . .	150	3	162	102	58	2	30	22	20	-	-	162
Robbery, accessory to . . . . .	6	-	6	0	-	-	4	5	2	-	-	6
Sodomy, attempted . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Sodomy and other unnatural practices . . . . .	7	1	8	4	3	1	4	3	-	-	-	8
<b>Totals</b> . . . . .	<b>3,327</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>3,684</b>	<b>2,208</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>1,634</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>3,684</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>3,684</b>

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum-moned by the Court.	Foreign-ers.	Non-residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis-charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Breaking and entering dwelling at night .	100	3	103	59	44	-	12	10	34	103	-
Breaking and entering dwelling at night, attempted.	19	-	19	3	16	-	-	-	0	19	-
Breaking and entering dwelling by day .	88	7	95	50	45	-	24	13	25	95	-
Breaking and entering dwelling by day, attempted.	7	1	8	4	4	-	1	1	-	8	-
Breaking and entering a building .	232	3	235	132	98	5	35	27	95	235	-
Breaking and entering a building at night, necessary before fact.	2	-	2	1	1	-	1	2	-	2	-
Breaking and entering a building, necessary after fact.	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Breaking and entering building, attempted.	24	-	24	13	11	-	4	2	8	24	-
Breaking and entering vessels .	2	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
Breaking and entering railroad car .	6	-	6	2	4	-	-	-	2	6	-
Totals . . . . .	481	14	495	205	225	5	77	55	173	495	-

No. 3. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY COMMITTED WITHOUT VIOLENCE.

Animals, vehicles and boats, using without consent of owner.	58	1	59	38	14	7	2	10	24	59
Automobile, unlawful appropriation of .	13	-	13	8	5	-	1	1	5	13
Buildings, defacing, etc.	3	-	3	1	-	2	2	-	1	3
Burglars' tools, having in possession .	38	-	38	32	0	-	10	15	0	38
Conspiring to defraud . . . . .	07	2	00	04	5	-	15	28	3	00
Credit, fraudulently obtaining extension of.	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Fraud . . . . .	3	-	3	3	-	-	1	-	-	3
Gas meter, disconnecting . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Illuminating gas, unlawful use of . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Innholders, boarding-house keepers, etc., defrauding.	11	1	12	11	1	-	1	5	-	12
Larceny . . . . .	2,050	558	2,014	1,420	1,087	107	850	819	391	2,014
Larceny from person . . . . .	91	9	100	40	00	-	45	20	13	100
Larceny from person, attempt to commit.	56	6	62	21	40	1	20	11	9	62
Larceny, attempt to commit . . . . .	45	7	52	26	26	-	12	14	10	52
Larceny in a building or vessel . . . .	5	-	5	-	5	-	1	1	3	5
Larceny from an express . . . . .	5	-	5	3	2	-	-	-	-	5

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Mtoom.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Licensed property, concealing, conveying, selling, etc.	33	9	42	30	1	2	11	5	2	42	-
Mortgaged property, concealing, conveying, selling, etc.	17	6	23	17	2	4	10	7	2	23	-
Shares of stock, fraudulently depriving owner of.	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Stolen goods, buying, receiving, etc.	123	11	134	93	29	12	63	18	14	134	-
Taxi-cab fare, evading . . . . .	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	3	-	3	-
Trespass . . . . .	290	1	291	26	226	39	104	86	71	291	-
Totals . . . . .	2,921	611	3,532	1,839	1,509	174	1,156	1,014	554	3,532	-

No. 4. MALICIOUS OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.

Arson and other burnings . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Glass, breaking . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Malevolent mischief . . . . .	103	0	102	74	10	12	28	10	18	102	-	-
Personal property, wanton destruction of . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Willful damage and trespass . . . . .	18	3	21	10	2	0	7	-	4	21	-	-
<b>Totals</b> . . . . .	<b>110</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

No. 5. FORGERY AND OFFENCES AGAINST THE CURRENCY.

Forgery and uttering . . . . .	84	4	88	75	12	1	10	37	18	88	-	-
<b>Totals</b> . . . . .	<b>84</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

TABLE XI — Continued.  
 No. of OFFENSES AGAINST THE LICENSING LAWS.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Misons.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Auctioneer law, violation of . . . . .	0	-	0	1	-	8	3	3	-	0	-
Building law, violation of . . . . .	4	-	4	3	-	1	1	-	-	4	-
Carrriage regulations, violation of . . . . .	7	-	7	1	-	0	2	-	-	7	-
Cigarette law, violation of . . . . .	4	-	4	-	-	4	1	-	-	4	-
Common victualler and innholder, assum- ing to be.	4	-	4	2	-	2	1	-	-	4	-
Corporation law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
Dog law, violation of . . . . .	34	11	45	4	-	41	21	-	-	45	-
Firearms law, violation of . . . . .	0	-	0	3	1	2	5	2	1	0	-
Gaming, allowing on licensed premises . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Insurance law, violation of . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	2	-
Itinerant vendor law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-
Junk, dealing in unlawfully . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-

Liquor law, violation of . . . . .	2,807	504	3,371	1,070	1,259	142	2,527	223	01	3,371	-
Lodging-house law, violation of . . . . .	10	10	35	10	2	17	17	1	-	35	-
Lying-in hospital, keeping without license.	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Manicurist, doing business without license.	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Merchandise, sale and storage of, in public place.	932	2	934	34	533	367	792	24	100	934	-
Milk law, violation of . . . . .	34	2	36	5	-	31	17	0	-	36	-
Pawnbroker, assuming to be . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Peddling without a license . . . . .	70	-	70	8	30	23	-	0	11	70	-
Physician, practicing unlawfully . . . . .	8	1	9	7	-	2	-	-	-	9	-
Pool and billiard room, unlawfully admitting minor to . . . . .	8	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	-	8	-
Public amusement, unlawfully maintaining.	3	-	3	-	-	3	-	1	-	3	-
Revolver, carrying without license . . . . .	8	1	9	3	0	-	3	-	-	9	-
Second-hand articles, dealing in unlawfully.	4	-	4	1	-	3	-	-	-	4	-
Soft drink law, violation of . . . . .	4	-	4	-	-	4	4	-	-	4	-
United States prohibition act, violation of.	90	3	93	5	88	-	60	27	4	93	-
<b>Totals . . . . .</b>	<b>4,110</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>4,064</b>	<b>2,000</b>	<b>1,928</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>3,427</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>4,064</b>	<b>-</b>

TABLE XI—Continued.  
No. 7. OFFENCES AGAINST CHASTITY, MODALITY, ETC.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Forein- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Abortion instruments, having in possession.	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Abortion . . . . .	3	5	8	7	1	-	2	-	-	8	-
Abortion, accessory to . . . . .	2	1	3	3	-	-	-	1	-	3	-
Abduction . . . . .	7	1	8	6	2	-	5	2	-	8	-
Adultery . . . . .	67	53	120	21	99	-	40	14	2	120	-
Animals, cruelty to . . . . .	25	1	26	7	6	13	16	7	3	26	-
Innatardy . . . . .	100	-	100	102	2	2	32	18	10	100	-
Bigamy . . . . .	4	1	5	4	1	-	1	1	-	5	-
Female, annoying or accosting with offensive language.	66	-	66	14	46	6	32	11	7	66	-
Fornication . . . . .	321	325	646	22	622	2	158	102	49	646	-
Illegitimate child law, violation of . . . . .	50	-	50	46	-	4	10	16	10	50	-
Ill-fame, keeping house of . . . . .	8	21	29	20	8	1	10	-	-	29	-
Immoral solicitation . . . . .	-	8	8	7	1	-	4	1	-	8	-



Incest . . . . .	2	-	2	-	2	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	2	-	2
Indecent exposure of person . . . . .	70	-	70	18	58	3	34	18	4	4	70	-	4	70	-
Instruments to prevent conception, sale of or having in possession.	5	-	5	2	3	-	3	3	1	1	5	-	1	5	-
Lewd and lascivious cohabitation . . . . .	142	143	285	01	194	-	07	25	20	20	285	-	20	285	-
Nightwalking . . . . .	1	103	104	8	05	1	24	17	0	0	104	-	0	104	-
Obscene books and prints . . . . .	38	2	40	28	12	-	20	5	3	3	40	-	3	40	-
Open and gross lewdness . . . . .	18	4	22	0	10	-	2	7	4	4	22	-	4	22	-
Permitting premises to be used for immoral purposes.	8	-	8	7	-	1	0	1	-	-	8	-	-	8	-
Polygamy . . . . .	8	5	13	10	3	-	8	4	-	-	13	-	-	13	-
Prostitute, deriving support from . . . . .	0	-	0	5	1	-	3	-	1	1	0	-	1	0	-
Prostitution, enticing to . . . . .	2	3	5	3	2	-	2	1	3	3	5	-	3	5	-
Public conveyance, being disorderly in . . . . .	8	-	8	7	1	-	1	4	-	-	8	-	-	8	-
Public decency, acts against . . . . .	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
School session, disturbing . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-
Unnatural and lascivious acts . . . . .	20	5	25	8	13	4	11	0	4	4	25	-	4	25	-
White slave act, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Totals . . . . .	099	682	1,681	455	1,188	38	539	324	140	140	1,681	-	140	1,681	-

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Adulterating foods, drugs, butter, etc. . .	12	1	13	-	2	11	.7	4	-	13	-
Advertisement, false . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Air rifle, selling to minor . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
Alien law, violation of . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Alms, unlawfully soliciting . . .	1	3	4	1	1	2	1	2	2	4	-
Animals, cruelty to . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-
Automobile law, violation of . . .	10,418	48	10,466	1,032	534	8,900	2,550	5,213	1,038	10,466	-
Automobile, fraudulent conveyance of . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Bail bond . . .	13	-	13	10	3	-	4	-	3	13	-
Banking laws, violation of . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
Bankruptcy law, violation of . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Bets, registering . . .	12	-	12	5	7	-	4	3	-	12	-
Bicycle law, violation of . . .	2	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	2	-



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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Common ruder and brawler . . . . .	—	2	2	1	—	1	1	—	—	2	—
Concealed weapons, carrying . . . . .	210	8	221	90	134	—	137	67	20	221	—
Contempt of court . . . . .	10	1	11	0	2	—	3	1	3	11	—
Default warrant . . . . .	680	110	790	791	—	2	269	141	75	795	1
Deserters . . . . .	31	—	31	5	27	2	0	8	14	—	34
Disorderly . . . . .	429	70	499	—	498	1	125	157	127	10	489
Disorderly house, keeping . . . . .	—	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
Disturbing the peace . . . . .	67	30	97	20	45	20	21	18	10	97	—
Drug law, violation of (narcotic) . . . . .	89	31	120	67	53	—	34	8	4	120	—
Drunkard, common . . . . .	11	—	11	10	—	1	3	1	—	11	—
Drunkness . . . . .	35,704	1,810	37,514	81	37,550	4	14,870	9,457	738	37,043	—
Eavesdropping . . . . .	4	—	4	2	2	—	1	1	1	4	—
Election law, violation of . . . . .	7	—	7	—	4	3	4	—	1	7	—

Emergency housing law, violation of . . . . .	4	1	. 5	1	-	4	3	2	-	5
Expectoration law, violation of . . . . .	0	-	9	2	0	1	1	1	0	9
Fire alarm, giving false, or tampering with. . . . .	7	1	8	4	4	-	2	2	2	8
Fire Commissioner's rules, violation of . . . . .	0	2	11	-	-	11	7	-	-	11
Fire escape, obstructing . . . . .	2	2	4	2	-	2	4	-	-	4
Fire prevention rules, violation of . . . . .	3	1	4	-	-	4	3	-	-	4
Fireworks, discharging unlawfully . . . . .	2	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
Fireworks law, violation of . . . . .	2	-	2	-	-	2	1	-	-	2
Fish and game law, violation of . . . . .	5	-	5	5	-	-	5	1	-	5
Fugitive from justice . . . . .	01	1	02	51	11	-	18	31	3	02
Funeral procession, disturbing . . . . .	3	-	3	-	-	3	2	2	-	3
Gaming and being present at . . . . .	483	-	483	23	443	17	280	88	31	483
Gaming house, keeping . . . . .	8	-	8	0	-	2	5	4	-	8
Gaming implements, being present where found. . . . .	248	-	248	24	200	18	122	33	0	248
Gaming in public street . . . . .	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Gaming on the Lord's day and being present at. . . . .	1,107	4	1,171	47	1,120	4	048	121	124	1,171
Gas, maliciously wasting . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1

TABLE XI — Continued.  
 No. 8. OFFENSES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOURCING — Continued.

NATURE OF OFFENSE.	Sex.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Mitoors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Glass, breaking or throwing in public street.	20	-	20	14	5	1	10	3	3	20	-
Glass, maliciously breaking . . .	36	-	36	27	8	1	10	5	2	36	-
Gratuity, unlawfully soliciting . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Hackney carriage law, violation of . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Headlight law, violation of . . .	38	1	39	-	-	39	10	18	-	39	-
Health law, violation of . . .	27	1	28	0	0	10	17	5	4	28	-
Heat, falling to furnish tenant . . .	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
Hypnotic drug law, violation of . . .	100	40	200	65	141	-	84	23	0	200	-
Ice, selling without scales . . .	3	-	3	-	-	3	1	-	-	3	-
Idle and disorderly persons . . .	57	71	128	61	66	1	29	6	27	128	-
Jewelry peddling . . .	2	-	2	1	-	1	1	1	-	2	-
Labor law, violation of . . .	25	-	25	12	-	13	11	1	1	25	-
Law, practicing unlawfully . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-

Loitering in South Station . . . . .	4	-	4	-	4	-	1	3	4	-
Lost goods law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-
Lotteries and prize enterprises . . . . .	84	-	84	25	24	35	9	5	84	-
Military offence . . . . .	3	-	3	-	3	-	-	1	-	3
Morphine law, violation of . . . . .	28	4	32	11	12	0	3	-	32	-
Noisy and disorderly house, keeping . . . . .	12	16	28	22	1	5	-	-	28	-
Nuisance, committing . . . . .	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Officer, assuming to be . . . . .	4	-	4	1	2	1	1	-	4	-
Officer, obstructing . . . . .	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-
Officer, refusing to assist . . . . .	2	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	2	-
Opium law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
Pardon, violation of conditions . . . . .	4	1	5	4	1	-	1	3	5	-
Parole, violation of conditions . . . . .	26	-	26	13	13	-	3	13	26	-
Perjury and subornation of . . . . .	10	3	13	13	-	-	2	3	13	-
Police rules, violation of . . . . .	37	-	37	3	-	34	2	1	37	-
Police uniform, destroying . . . . .	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	-
Pool selling, keeping place for . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	2	-

TABLE XI — Continued.

No. 8. OFFENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING — Continued.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Sex.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- mored by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Postal law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Poultry law, violation of . . . . .	3	-	3	-	1	2	3	3	-	3	-
Prisoner, aiding to escape . . . . .	2	1	3	2	1	-	1	-	-	3	-
Prisoner, escaped . . . . .	10	1	11	4	7	-	3	2	1	10	1
Prisoner, rescue, or attempt to rescue . . . . .	80	4	90	42	46	2	23	11	10	90	-
Probation, violation of conditions . . . . .	200	35	241	217	23	1	68	31	30	241	-
Profane and obscene language, using . . . . .	213	27	240	34	158	48	75	28	41	240	-
Public conveyance, creating disturbance in. . . . .	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Public meetings, disturbing . . . . .	30	3	42	8	34	3	10	2	24	42	-
Public park regulations, violation of . . . . .	121	2	123	18	29	70	30	28	20	123	-
Pure food law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Railroad law, violation of . . . . .	140	20	160	4	95	67	62	45	21	160	-
Refusing to pay car fare, etc. . . . .	24	-	24	0	0	0	3	4	0	24	-



Registered bottle law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Registration law, violation of . . . . .	3	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Regulations of Department of Labor and Industries, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Regulations of School Committee, violation of . . . . .	5	1	6	6	1	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	6	-
Regulations relative to ways and bridges . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Revenue officer, interfering with . . . . .	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Runaways . . . . .	354	75	429	12	412	5	41	239	414	35	304	-	35	-
Safe-keeping . . . . .	8	-	8	-	8	-	1	1	5	-	8	-	-	-
Sauntering and loitering . . . . .	4	-	4	1	3	-	1	2	-	4	-	-	4	-
School law, violation of . . . . .	2	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	2	-
State fire laws, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Steel trap, using unlawfully . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Stragglers . . . . .	8	-	8	-	8	-	-	6	5	-	8	-	-	-
Street commissioners' rules, violation of . . . . .	2	-	2	-	1	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	-
Street railway transfers, misuse of . . . . .	18	-	18	4	-	14	12	2	1	18	-	-	18	-
Street traffic regulations, violation of . . . . .	2,600	10	2,610	195	9	2,406	500	1,341	95	2,610	-	-	2,610	-
Stubborn children . . . . .	46	45	91	72	3	16	11	7	88	90	1	-	90	1

TABLE XI — *Continued.*  
 No. S. OFFENSES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING — *Continued.*

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	SEX.		Totals.	On Warrants.	Without Warrants.	Sum- moned by the Court.	Foreign- ers.	Non- residents.	Minors.	Held for Trial.	Dis- charged.
	Males.	Females.									
Sunday law, violation of . . . . .	330	21	371	7	-	367	290	49	31	374	-
Suspicious persons . . . . .	2,785	92	2,877	-	477	2,400	924	721	600	1	2,870
Tenement law, violation of . . . . .	4	4	8	-	-	8	5	-	-	8	-
Threats, making . . . . .	5	1	6	5	-	1	5	1	-	6	-
Tobacco law, violation of . . . . .	19	1	20	3	-	17	16	3	2	20	-
True-name law, violation of . . . . .	50	15	65	40	25	-	15	31	8	65	-
United States drug law, violation of . . . . .	14	3	17	5	12	-	10	1	1	17	-
United States flag law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
United States immigration law, violation of . . . . .	2	-	2	1	1	-	2	-	-	2	-
United States revenue law, violation of . . . . .	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Vagabond . . . . .	30	2	32	13	19	-	0	5	1	32	-
Vagrants, tramps, etc. . . . .	144	3	147	34	113	-	48	108	22	147	-
Vehicle light law, violation of . . . . .	35	-	35	5	-	30	0	14	2	35	-



TABLE XII.  
Age and Sex of Persons arrested.

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

OFFENCE.	UNDER 10		10 AND UNDER 15		15 AND UNDER 20		20 AND UNDER 25		25 AND UNDER 30		30 AND UNDER 35		35 AND UNDER 40		40 AND UNDER 45		45 AND UNDER 50		50 AND UNDER 55		55 AND UNDER 60		OVER 60	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
No. 1 . . .	1	3	4	1	210	15	623	59	703	64	562	74	469	62	296	33	224	22	114	14	61	6	60	2
No. 2 . . .	-	-	3	-	148	3	132	7	84	1	39	-	26	2	14	1	8	-	4	-	-	-	3	-
No. 3 . . .	-	-	8	-	337	82	616	153	581	101	486	73	332	77	241	54	122	30	91	20	36	11	48	10
No. 4 . . .	-	-	1	-	19	-	33	4	17	1	14	2	11	1	10	2	3	-	6	2	2	-	-	-
No. 5 . . .	-	-	2	-	12	-	20	4	15	-	16	-	8	-	3	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	3	-
No. 6 . . .	-	-	2	-	153	4	389	33	508	47	760	126	619	123	602	92	388	60	293	27	176	10	159	21
No. 7 . . .	-	-	-	-	17	43	219	181	231	197	187	110	131	76	81	26	59	31	45	10	14	3	15	-
No. 8 . . .	175	17	1,215	73	3,520	231	8,666	397	10,192	383	8,520	350	8,214	417	6,138	330	5,605	291	3,775	196	2,366	87	2,042	76
Totals . . .	170	20	1,235	76	4,442	378	10,688	838	12,332	791	10,581	743	10,010	738	7,285	542	6,502	437	4,333	269	2,655	117	2,330	109

TABLE XIII.  
Comparative Statement of Police Criminal Work 1918 to 1922, inclusive.

YEARS.	Estimated Population.	Number of Persons arrested.	Percentage of Arrests.	Amount of Property stolen in and about the City.	Amount of Property recovered stolen in and about the City.	Amount of Fines imposed by Court.	Years of Imprisonment imposed by Court.	Number of Days Attendance at Court.	Amount of Witness Fees earned.
1918 . . . . .	815,320	90,293	11.07	\$445,867 51	\$578,890 63	\$106,998 00	2,615½	40,124	\$11,260 15
1919 . . . . .	820,938	67,047	8.21	1,415,485 79	1,238,206 26	107,325 00	2,214½	30,274	8,493 35
1920 . . . . .	838,205	58,818	7.01	1,630,000 09	1,402,880 92	154,767 50	1,450½	28,903	7,617 63
1921 . . . . .	848,104	72,161	8.50	1,830,357 87	1,624,331 08	193,901 80	1,739½	38,476	11,428 07
1922 . . . . .	857,226	77,653	9.05	1,777,060 08	1,616,819 99	236,215 50	1,568½	42,481	13,839 32
Averages . . . . .	837,170	73,374	8.76	\$1,419,756 06	\$1,292,225 77	\$159,841 56	1,919½	36,051	\$10,527 70



Received from New England Telephone and Telegraph Company (commission on automatic pay station)										42 85
Rent of 38 Joy Street										120 00
Refund, damage to police property										316 99
Refund, overpaid on pay roll										27 21
Refund, storage on abandoned automobile										00 56
Refund of abandoned property of Police Department										170 03
Refund of lost property										2,380 73
Refund of old bedding, with police file										44 32
Refund of "newspapers" and second-hand articles report blanks										000 00
Uniform cloth, etc.										708 00
	22,202	21,823	250	177	481	27	344			\$03,420 16

1 Six, no fees.

2 Two at \$25.

3 No fee.

4 Six hundred and seventy-six, no fees.

5 Two, no fees.

TABLE XV.

*Number of Dog Licenses issued during the Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.*

DIVISIONS.	Males.	Females.	Spayed.	Breeders.	Totals.
1 . . . . .	37	9	1	1	48
2 . . . . .	2	3	-	1	6
3 . . . . .	154	71	16	2	243
4 . . . . .	60	31	4	1	96
5 . . . . .	296	117	15	2	430
6 . . . . .	165	63	6	-	234
7 . . . . .	398	90	14	1	503
9 . . . . .	471	152	42	3	668
10 . . . . .	352	90	17	1	460
11 . . . . .	902	203	84	3	1,192
12 . . . . .	342	99	17	-	458
13 . . . . .	396	111	46	1	554
14 . . . . .	474	140	57	2	673
15 . . . . .	323	148	11	-	482
16 . . . . .	487	148	54	-	689
17 . . . . .	702	153	93	1	949
18 . . . . .	318	63	19	-	400
19 . . . . .	400	88	46	1	535
Totals . . . . .	6,279	1,779	542	20	8,620

TABLE XVI.

*Total Number of Wagon Licenses issued in the City by Police Divisions.*

Division 1 . . . . .	817	Division 12 . . . . .	52
Division 2 . . . . .	1,278	Division 13 . . . . .	70
Division 3 . . . . .	195	Division 14 . . . . .	87
Division 4 . . . . .	397	Division 15 . . . . .	196
Division 5 . . . . .	265	Division 16 . . . . .	78
Division 6 . . . . .	409	Division 17 . . . . .	78
Division 7 . . . . .	164	Division 18 . . . . .	65
Division 9 . . . . .	188	Division 19 . . . . .	15
Division 10 . . . . .	119		
Division 11 . . . . .	76	Total . . . . .	4,549



TABLE XVII.

*Financial Statement for the Year ending Nov. 30, 1922.*

EXPENDITURES.	
Pay of police and employees . . . . .	\$3,381,874 93
Pensions . . . . .	200,956 88
Fuel and light . . . . .	33,813 66
Water and ice . . . . .	1,257 57
Furniture and bedding . . . . .	6,218 20
Printing, stationery, telegrams, etc. . . . .	26,384 47
Care and cleaning station houses and city prison . . . . .	10,312 05
Repairs to station houses and city prison . . . . .	32,617 86
Repairs and supplies for police boats . . . . .	24,139 50
Telephone rentals and tolls . . . . .	8,993 25
Purchase of horses and vehicles . . . . .	19,091 00
Care and keeping of horses, harnesses and vehicles . . . . .	11,441 34
Care and repair of automobiles . . . . .	41,421 01
Transportation of prisoners, sick and insane persons . . . . .	479 00
Feeding prisoners . . . . .	3,302 09
Medical attendance on prisoners . . . . .	5,854 18
Transportation . . . . .	3,502 45
Pursuit of criminals . . . . .	10,522 32
Uniforms and uniform caps . . . . .	78,080 03
Badges, buttons, clubs, belts, insignia, etc. . . . .	13,818 74
Traveling expenses and food for police . . . . .	2,255 21
Rent of buildings . . . . .	29,776 92
Legal services . . . . .	2,464 85
Music for police parade . . . . .	300 75
Miscellaneous . . . . .	72 11
Total . . . . .	\$3,948,950 37
Expenses of listing . . . . .	65,162 44
Expenses of house of detention . . . . .	12,193 26
Expenses of signal service (see Table XVIII) . . . . .	43,438 29
Total . . . . .	\$4,069,744 36
RECEIPTS.	
For all licenses issued by the Police Commissioner . . . . .	\$34,927 00
For sale of unclaimed and condemned property, itinerant musicians' badges, junk collectors' badges, carriage maps, etc. . . . .	4,693 19
For dog licenses (credited to school department) . . . . .	23,037 00
Total . . . . .	\$62,657 19
For uniform cloth, etc. . . . .	768 96
Total . . . . .	\$63,426 15

## XVIII.

*Payments on Account of the Signal Service during the Year ending Nov.  
30, 1922.*

Pay rolls . . . . .	\$30,571 27
Signaling apparatus, repairs and supplies therefor . . . . .	9,729 21
Underground wires . . . . .	548 80
Rent of stable . . . . .	1,000 00
Care and repair of vehicles and shoeing horse . . . . .	600 87
Car fare . . . . .	503 60
Miscellaneous . . . . .	64 54
Total . . . . .	\$43,428 29









TABLE XX.

Showing the Number of Male and Female Persons Twenty Years of Age or More who were Residents of the City of Boston on the First Day of April, listed by the Listing Board in the Several Wards and Precincts of said City during the First Twenty Week Days in April, 1922.

Ward.	Precinct 1.	Precinct 2.	Precinct 3.	Precinct 4.	Precinct 5.	Precinct 6.	Precinct 7.	Precinct 8.	Precinct 9.	Precinct 10.	Precinct 11.	Precinct 12.	Precinct 13.	Totals.
Ward 1	1,359	1,658	1,274	1,801	1,487	1,830	2,021	1,850	2,123	2,137	2,275	1,762	1,677	15,112
Ward 2	1,777	2,362	1,858	2,894	2,493	3,847	2,158	2,084						19,433
Ward 3	1,745	1,921	1,059	1,059	1,037	1,316	1,302							11,011
Ward 4	1,589	1,463	1,480	1,240	1,327	1,286	1,262							9,786
Ward 5	1,673	6,163	5,752	4,652	2,957	2,340	4,371							34,400
Ward 6	3,191	3,664	2,461	2,300	2,814	2,170	2,171	2,093	2,847					24,503
Ward 7	1,801	3,486	2,668	3,325	2,145	2,698	1,860	1,237	2,925	2,137	2,275	1,762	1,677	26,928
Ward 8	2,446	2,617	2,819	1,528	1,560	3,093	2,798	1,845	2,394	1,636	1,788	2,316	2,021	28,579
Ward 9	1,875	1,578	2,011	2,033	1,845	1,883	1,798	1,845	1,930					16,418
Ward 10	1,686	1,864	1,704	1,428	1,647	1,631	1,648	2,188	1,939	1,610				16,000
Ward 11	1,891	1,884	1,586	1,363	1,607	1,672	1,850	2,320	1,940	1,774				17,003
Ward 12	2,955	2,423	1,640	1,841	1,419	1,467	1,472	1,848	1,399	1,585				17,448
Ward 13	2,008	2,344	1,968	1,474	2,140	1,467	1,238	1,979	1,332	1,517	1,807			16,696
Ward 14	1,561	1,707	1,475	1,478	1,278	1,031	1,484	1,575	1,598	1,407	1,356			17,067
Ward 15	1,694	1,436	1,886	1,912	1,693	1,702	1,923	1,551	1,536	2,269	1,198			19,255
Ward 16	1,818	1,733	2,076	1,497	1,986	1,865	1,821	1,521	1,394	1,762	1,072			17,208
Ward 17	1,635	1,634	1,886	1,805	1,224	1,148	1,278	1,206	1,252	1,276	1,872	1,310		19,255
Ward 18	1,849	2,633	1,537	1,466	1,362	1,344	1,640	1,428	1,138	1,201	1,145			17,632
Ward 19	1,476	1,539	1,730	1,421	1,666	1,600	1,205	1,460	1,258	1,201	1,185	1,235		17,573
Ward 20	1,801	1,531	1,290	1,498	1,375	1,567	1,397	1,216	1,368	1,244	1,382	1,243		17,236
Ward 21	1,907	2,250	1,761	2,024	1,335	1,359	1,210	1,545	1,523	1,338	1,276	1,143	1,170	17,641
Ward 22	1,317	1,584	1,841	1,792	1,808	1,197	1,308	1,800	1,432	1,430	1,161	1,066		17,292
Ward 23	1,349	1,331	1,584	1,362	1,362	1,587	1,366	1,335	1,192	1,241	1,132	1,476		17,271
Ward 24	1,544	1,655	1,557	1,276	1,318	1,261	1,366	1,478	1,161	1,138	1,272	1,476	1,184	17,510
Ward 25	1,422	1,423	1,621	1,782	1,177	1,391	1,631	1,452	1,368	1,294	1,176	1,223		17,761
Ward 26	1,518	1,423	1,398	1,603	1,168	1,110	1,125	1,261	1,191	1,294	1,176	1,223		12,057
Total														480,106

NOTE. — There were 4,743 applications for supplementary listings in 1922 investigated and return made to the election commissioners.





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