

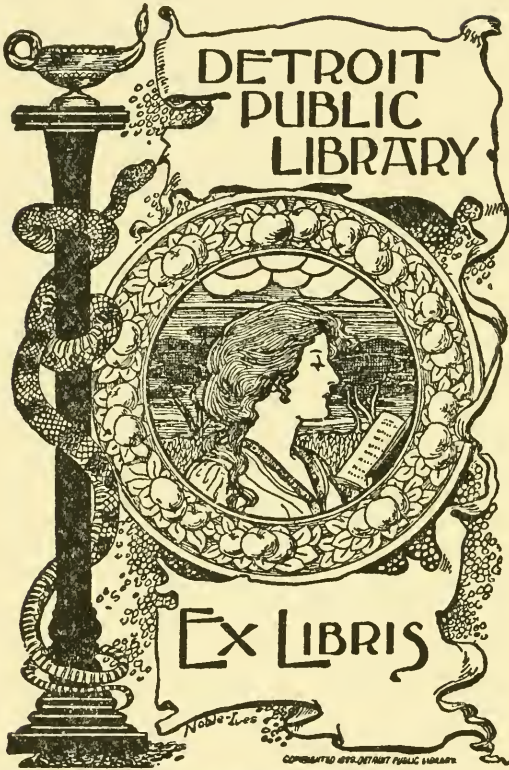
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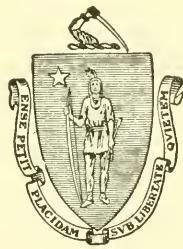
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## REPORT.

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE POLICE COMMISSIONER, 154 BERKELEY STREET  
BOSTON, December 1, 1929.

To His Excellency FRANK G. ALLEN, *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 November 30, 1929.

### TRAFFIC.

On February 7, 1927, the Director of the Street Traffic Survey under the auspices of the Albert Russell Erskine Bureau of Harvard University, after careful investigation with competent assistants and with a full measure of police coöperation submitted a comprehensive report to the Mayor of Boston relative to traffic conditions in this city. The Board of Street Commissioners, the municipal body at that time authorized to make rules and regulations affecting the vehicular and pedestrian traffic of this city, adopted the recommendations of the survey.

Among the recommendations adopted was the boulevard stop system, a traffic aid previously recommended by me in my annual report to the Governor and later to the Board of Street Commissioners. Special markers for the same were approved by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the system put into effect with favorable results on Commonwealth and Blue Hill Avenues.

The Boston Traffic Commission was created by legislative act on April 26, 1929, which became effective May 26, 1929. The personnel of the commission consists of a Commissioner appointed by the Mayor, and as associate commissioners:

the Police Commissioner, Commissioner of Public Works, Park Commissioner and the Chairman of the Board of Street Commissioners. The body now has control of vehicular traffic with power to erect and maintain traffic signs, markers and traffic control devices, and also authority to adopt, amend and repeal all existing rules pertaining to the control of vehicular traffic. The Commission has reconsidered, revised and adopted the former rules and regulations to render traffic more fluid and to prepare for traffic emergencies. An appropriation of \$125,000 was made by the City Council of Boston, the plans were completed and the work has been started on the synchronization of traffic lights on Washington Street from Broadway to Haymarket Square, on Cambridge Street from Temple Street to Scollay Square, on Tremont Street from Scollay Square to Broadway, and on Boylston Street from Washington Street to Arlington Street. Appropriations of (1) \$125,000 have been granted for the installation of this system of traffic lights on Massachusetts Avenue between Tremont Street and the Harvard Bridge, (2) \$125,000 for traffic lights on Commonwealth Avenue between Arlington Street and Governor Square, and (3) \$100,000 for the installation of automatic traffic lights in the suburban districts at dangerous intersections. The installation of this system of traffic lights on Shawmut Avenue between Roxbury Street and Broadway, and on Centre Street, West Roxbury, has been urged by the Police Commissioner for some time. Automatic traffic signals will not eliminate the necessity of man power at congested traffic intersections where pedestrian traffic must be controlled and protected and police aid rendered in case of accidents.

Jurisdiction over hackney carriages (taxicabs) remains with the Police Commissioner who has coöperated with the Traffic Commission as to the allocation of hackney carriage stands so that as far as possible, there may be conformity with the rules governing traffic.

Control of hackney carriages carries a twofold duty; first: the necessity to see that the public are properly served with taxicab service in all sections of the city, and second: that traffic is not impeded or congested because of unnecessary taxicab traffic in the congested parts of the city. On November 30, 1922, there were 1,401 licensed hackney carriages

and 1,673 operators. On November 30, 1929, there were 2,930 licensed hackney carriages and 4,893 operators.

Legislation to make all hackney carriage stands public, to be used by all hackney carriage drivers, was defeated, but a commission was appointed to investigate the question of taxicab service and regulation in the city of Boston. Several hearings were held where all the parties concerned were given a right to express their views. The reports of this Commission will be forwarded to the incoming legislature. Careful study of the situation in cities where all hackney stands are public proved that the public stands benefit only the few who have obtained them by means similar to sequestration and are of no financial benefit to the majority of taxicab operators. Continuous cruising of operators in search of a vacant and profitable stand would cause traffic congestion and render more difficult traffic control by the police.

#### LIQUOR LAW ENFORCEMENT.

The liquor situation in Boston compares favorably with other cities in this country.

Constant effort was made by the department during the past year to suppress illegal liquor traffic. 4,727 buildings were searched upon warrants, 3,947 persons arrested for the violation of the state prohibitory laws and 33,911 persons arrested for drunkenness.

Enforcement of the liquor law, however, is becoming more difficult because the illegal sale of liquor is now being effected more secretly, and because of the almost insurmountable difficulty encountered by police officers in obtaining evidence of liquor violations in barricaded and fortified places. Police officers of this Department are forbidden to drink intoxicating liquor to obtain evidence of liquor violations. The increased activity of the police has forced proprietors of liquor nuisances to remove their establishments from the street to barricaded second and third floors of buildings. This ruse gives them more time to destroy liquor evidence in case of sudden raids by the police. Time is of the essence to operators of liquor nuisances. Liquor poured into containers filled with chemicals, cannot be used as evidence in prosecutions for violation of the liquor laws.

It is indeed unfortunate that the police are seldom able to apprehend proprietors of liquor nuisances because they are rarely seen upon the premises and are invariably absent when their unfortunate agents are trapped.

The question of the repeal of the so-called "Baby Volstead Act" will come before the legislature this year. This Act was passed in 1923 to further strengthen the existing state liquor law, and made transportation and manufacture of intoxicating liquor without a permit a criminal offence. Repeal of this law would seriously cripple the work of this department.

The police alone cannot stop violations of the prohibitory laws. When the police have detected and apprehended violators of the liquor laws and have presented evidence to the court, they have fulfilled their part of the liquor enforcement problem. Whether habitual offenders convicted of violations of the liquor laws continue in their practices is a problem for the courts to solve. Fines inflicted as punishment for liquor violations can be charged to overhead expense. Imprisonment or fear of imprisonment awes liquor violators, but liquor violators have little respect for law and less for enforcement officers when they know that upon conviction, only fines undoubtedly will be imposed. The police alone cannot close liquor nuisances, suspected houses of ill fame or any other place suspected of carrying on illegal business. When such evidence as the police may have regarding such illegal business is presented to the court their power ends.

During the past year 3,947 liquor cases, exclusive of drunkenness, were obtained by this department. 293 persons were sentenced to jail and of this number 239 sentences were suspended. 1,465 persons were fined and 132 of these fines were suspended. 579 persons received fines and imprisonment, and of these, 483 imprisonments and 3 fines were suspended. A total of 150 persons were imprisoned for violation of the state prohibitory laws during the past year, 955 persons were found not guilty, and the balance of the cases disposed of other than by fine or imprisonment. 162 of these cases are now pending. The police cannot be expected to suppress liquor violations unless persistent offenders against the prohibitory laws, when convicted, are sent to jail.

Although illegal transportation of liquor is now a criminal

offence, many motor vehicles seized for illegal transportation of liquor, the operators of which were convicted, have been returned, by order of the court, to the owners because the operator was not convicted of keeping and exposing liquor for sale in the vehicle used for illegal transportation of liquor.

No motor vehicle can be forfeited as an implement of sale unless the operator is not only convicted of transporting liquor illegally but also convicted of keeping and exposing liquor illegally for sale in the vehicle.

Before conviction can be obtained for illegal keeping and exposing liquor for sale in a motor vehicle specific evidence is required that the vehicle is being used as an implement of sale or that the car was specially built or remodelled for the purpose of transporting liquor illegally or that the owner or operator of the seized motor vehicle was a well known liquor violator. Since December 1, 1928, 60 cars were seized for illegal transportation of liquor. 47 of these operators were found guilty of illegal transportation, 13 cars were confiscated, and orders for return of 40 cars to the owners or persons entitled to possession, were made. 7 cars are now in the possession of the Property Clerk of this department awaiting disposition of the cases upon which the seizures were made.

Equity proceedings were taken against several places where liquor nuisances existed and injunctions or "padlocks" were obtained. Many cases are now being prepared and will be prosecuted during the coming year.

Some property owners have realized the seriousness of leasing real estate to liquor violators and notice has been received many times when padlock proceedings were threatened that the liquor law violators have been or would be ejected. When forced to vacate a location because of police activities, violators of the liquor law, however, cannot be prevented from establishing headquarters at places where liquor convictions have not been obtained. The actual working of the padlock law has been clearly demonstrated that the fear of injunction creates a salutary effect upon that type of property owner who is desirous only of obtaining revenue from his property without regard to the character of his tenants.



## TELETYPE.

Prevention of crime and apprehension of criminals is distinctly a police problem. Human agency requires conjunction with mechanical aids to successfully combat crime. Police officers from the time of appointment are instructed carefully in the methods employed by the criminal. Crime is progressive in its technique, and new methods and means used in the commission of crime are ascertained and explained.

New mechanical devices to expedite or increase business are accepted and installed by progressive mercantile organizations, and refusal to adopt and install such innovations means commercial annihilation. Following this business principle a progressive police department must adopt mechanical devices useful and necessary either in preventing or detecting crime or in capturing the criminal.

In several previous reports the teletype system of transmitting information relative to crime has been referred to. In the twenty-one station houses in this department the instantaneous reception upon machines of messages relayed from Headquarters has been of immense value. Arlington, Brookline, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Somerville, Quincy, Malden, Melrose and Medford, and the Metropolitan District Commission already have recognized the value of this method of disseminating important information relative to crime, and are now connected by teletype with Police Headquarters at Boston.

Teletype transmission of news is comparatively instantaneous, correct and unfailing, not exposed to the hazards of atmospheric conditions as is the use of the radio, or subject to errors or incorrect reception of relayed news as is possible where the telephone is used.

## PLANT AND PERSONNEL.

Considerable work has been done during the past year both on the exterior and interior of police buildings carrying out plans to make station houses and police quarters comfortable and sanitary for police officers stationed therein. Necessary repairs, additions and remodelling have been done upon the station houses of Divisions 3, 5, 10, 11, 15 and 16. At my request an examination of all police buildings and boats

was made by the American LaFrance & Foamite Company, and their recommendations relative to the placing of oil extinguishers, alcohol extinguishers and the ordinary fire extinguishers were carried out. Every cell, door and lock in station houses and lock-ups has been carefully examined, repaired and renewed where found necessary.

The rolling stock of the department consisting of seventy-nine automobiles and seventy-four motorcycles (including twenty-four of the latter purchased during this year) were inspected and repaired. Three new motor patrol wagons specially designed for accident cases and equipped like the other patrol wagons of the department with first aid kits and gas masks were put into commission. The summer uniform of the entire force was remodelled, and the collar, to insure comfort, changed from the military to the roll type.

A perpetual stock inventory and cost record was instituted in the office of the Property Clerk to record the requirements, distribution and cost of stock used by the department.

The City Council passed an order for a \$200,000 loan which was later approved by the Mayor on April 30, 1929, for a police boat to replace the steamer *Guardian* which has been in police service continuously since 1896. The present unfit condition of the hull and boilers of the *Guardian* with the expense of repairing and remodelling the craft demonstrated clearly that a new boat should be built. The special harbor service of this boat necessitated it should be of wooden construction and steam propelled, and to insure prompt service a radio must be installed. Plans and specifications have been already drawn and proposals for construction will soon be asked for by advertising.

In addition to the patrol boat already in use a gasoline propelled boat is needed for the purpose of having continuous service during seven months of the year to protect the increasing number of valuable yachts and motor boats moored or stored in the harbor proper and surrounding waters and over which this department has jurisdiction. The proximity of many bathing beaches to these boat yards, yacht clubs and maritime associations demands constant police patrol.

An increase of one hundred and fifty men to take care of the growing needs of the department and to render proper police service to the congested and outlying districts was



requested of the Mayor. Authorization to add one hundred and twenty-five men to the force was granted and these additional men are at present in service. On account of the growing needs of traffic, additional police officers are quickly absorbed.

On May 31, 1929, through joint action of the Mayor and Police Commissioner, the salaries of deputy superintendents of this department were raised from \$4,000 to \$4,500 per annum; the chief inspector from \$3,800 to \$4,300; captains from \$3,500 to \$4,000; lieutenants and lieutenant-inspectors from \$2,600 to \$2,700; and sergeants and detective-sergeants from \$2,400 to \$2,500.

New station houses are needed on Divisions 3, 4, 5, and 17, and garages for police vehicles needed at Stations 12 and 14.

Nineteen men will be added early in January, 1930, to the Special Service Unit now operating in motor vehicles from Headquarters. This will create two shifts of police officers operating in this unit and will insure continuous patrol of the city from 6.00 P.M. to 8.00 A.M. The present unit operating from 11.00 P.M. to 8.00 A.M. has already demonstrated its great value in preventing crime, apprehending thieves, discovering fires, and in the general protection of the lives and property of the citizens of this city.

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 . . . . .	44
Deputy superintendents . . . . .	2		Sergeants . . . . .	184
Chief inspector . . . . .	1		Patrolmen . . . . .	2,148
Captains . . . . .	29			
Inspectors . . . . .	25		Total . . . . .	2,434

### *Signal Service.*

Director . . . . .	1		Linemen . . . . .	7
Signalmen . . . . .	6		Chauffeur . . . . .	1
Mechanics . . . . .	3			
			Total . . . . .	18

### *Employees of the Department.*

Property clerk . . . . .	1		Matrons (house of detention)	5
Clerks . . . . .	29		Matrons (station houses)	5
Stenographers . . . . .	11		Mechanic . . . . .	1
Chauffeurs . . . . .	3		Repairmen . . . . .	2
Cleaners . . . . .	17		Steamfitter . . . . .	1
Elevator operators . . . . .	5		Superintendent of building . . . . .	1
Engineers on police steamers	3		Superintendent, repair shop . . . . .	1
Firemen, marine . . . . .	8		Tailor . . . . .	1
Firemen, stationary . . . . .	6		Telephone operators . . . . .	3
Hostlers . . . . .	11			
Janitors . . . . .	36		Total . . . . .	151
Laborer and Helper . . . . .	1			

### *Recapitulation.*

Police Commissioner and Secretary . . . . .				2
Police force . . . . .				2,434
Signal service . . . . .				18
Employees . . . . .				151
Grand total . . . . .				2,605

## DISTRIBUTION AND CHANGES.

The distribution of the police force is shown by Table I. During the year 221 patrolmen were appointed (one restored to duty from pension); 19 patrolmen were discharged; 30 patrolmen resigned (thirteen while charges were pending); 24 patrolmen were promoted; 1 captain, 4 lieutenants, 2 inspectors, 4 sergeants and 11 patrolmen were retired on pensions; 1 captain, 6 sergeants and 13 patrolmen died. (See Tables III, IV, V.)

## POLICE OFFICERS INJURED WHILE ON DUTY.

The following statement shows the number of police officers attached to the various divisions and units who were injured while on duty during the past year, the number of duties lost by them and the number of duties lost by police officers during the past year who were injured previous to December 1, 1928.

HOW INJURED.	Number of Men Injured in Year Ending Nov. 30, 1929.	Number of Duties Lost by Such Men.	Number of Duties Lost this Year by Men on Account of Injuries Received Previous to Dec. 1, 1928.
In arresting prisoners .	83	216	32
In pursuing criminals .	14	92	21
By cars and other vehicles	117	1,275	527
By stopping runaways .	2	7	-
Various other causes .	112	853	203
Totals . . . . .	328	2,443	783

## WORK OF THE DEPARTMENT.

*Arrests.*

The total number of arrests, counting each arrest as that of a separate person, was 91,948 as against 95,807 the preceding year, being a decrease of 3,859. The percentage of decrease and increase was as follows:—

	Per Cent.
Offences against the person . . . . .	Decrease 4.71
Offences against property committed with violence . . . . .	Decrease 6.19
Offences against property committed without violence . . . . .	Decrease 8.92
Malicious offences against property . . . . .	Increase 5.41
Forgery and offences against the currency . . . . .	Increase 28.33
Offences against the license laws . . . . .	Decrease 10.34

There were 15,184 persons arrested on warrants and 46,504 without warrants; 30,260 persons were summoned by the courts; 69,410 persons were prosecuted; 21,526 were released by probation officers or discharged at station houses and 1,012 were delivered to outside authorities. There were 776 extra prosecutions, making a total of 70,186 cases prosecuted. The number of males arrested was 86,182; of females 5,766; of foreigners, 24,294, or approximately 26.42 per cent; of minors 9,080. Of the total number arrested 27,706, or 30.13 per cent, were non-residents. (See Tables X, XI.)

The average amount of fines imposed by the courts for the five years from 1925 to 1929, inclusive, was \$438,513.55; in 1929 it was \$471,194; or \$32,680.45 more than the average.

The average number of days' attendance at court was 56,055; in 1929 it was 56,032, or 23 less than the average.

The average amount of witness fees earned was \$14,807.84; in 1929 it was \$13,377.01 or \$1,430.83 less than the average. (See Table XIII.)

#### DRUNKENNESS.

In the arrests for drunkenness the average per day was 92. There were 5,137 less persons arrested than in 1928, a decrease of 13.15 per cent; 25.74 per cent of the arrested persons were non-residents and 35.46 per cent of foreign birth. (See Table XI.)

The number of arrests for the year was 91,948, being a decrease of 3,859 over last year, and 3,138 more than the average for the past five years. There were 33,911 persons arrested for drunkenness, being 5,137 less than last year, and 4,929 less than the average for the past five years. Of the arrests for drunkenness this year, there was a decrease of 13.22 per cent in males and a decrease of 11.45 per cent in females from last year. (See Tables XI, XIII.)

Of the total number of arrests for the year, 91,948, 676

were for violation of city ordinances; that is to say that one arrest in 136 was for such offence, or .73 per cent.

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

*Nativity of Persons Arrested*

United States . . . . .	67,654	Denmark . . . . .	54
Ireland . . . . .	6,876	Turkey . . . . .	50
British Provinces . . . . .	4,021	South America . . . . .	37
Italy . . . . .	3,762	Australia . . . . .	30
Russia . . . . .	3,399	Holland . . . . .	25
Poland . . . . .	1,021	Belgium . . . . .	16
Sweden . . . . .	729	Albania . . . . .	15
China . . . . .	552	Switzerland . . . . .	14
England . . . . .	534	Mexico . . . . .	13
Scotland . . . . .	415	Iceland . . . . .	9
Greece . . . . .	412	Africa . . . . .	8
Lithuania . . . . .	392	East Indies . . . . .	8
Portugal . . . . .	377	Hungary . . . . .	8
Norway . . . . .	314	Japan . . . . .	7
Germany . . . . .	233	Roumania . . . . .	6
Finland . . . . .	200	Wales . . . . .	5
Syria . . . . .	170	Cuba . . . . .	4
Armenia . . . . .	134	Asia . . . . .	3
Austria . . . . .	130	Arabia . . . . .	1
Spain . . . . .	113	Egypt . . . . .	1
France . . . . .	98		
West Indies . . . . .	98	Total . . . . .	91,948

The number of persons punished by fines was 33,822 and the fines amounted to \$471,194. (See Table XIII.)

Fifty-three persons were committed to the State Prison, 2,818 to the House of Correction, 31 to the Women's Prison, 151 to the Reformatory Prison, and 2,161 to other institutions.

The total years of imprisonment were 1 life, 2,381 years, 9 months, 22 days (315 sentences indefinite); the total number of days' attendance at court by officers was 56,032, and the witness fees earned by them amounted to \$13,377.01.

The value of the property taken from prisoners and lodgers was \$237,681.18.

Eleven witnesses were detained at station houses, 141 were accommodated with lodgings, a decrease of 51 from last year. There was a decrease of 8.19 per cent in the number of sick and injured persons assisted, and an increase of about 10.48 per cent in the number of lost children cared for.

The average amount of property stolen in and out of the city for the five years from 1925 to 1929 inclusive, was \$1,743,171.90, in 1929 it was \$1,607,046.62, or \$136,125.28 less than the average. The amount of property stolen in and out of the city, which was recovered by the Boston Police, was \$3,580,849.30, as against \$2,881,110.36 last year, or \$699,738.94 more. (See Table XIII.)

#### BUREAU OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION.

The "identification room" now contains 71,684 photographs, 57,119 of which are photographs with Bertillon measurements, a system used by the Department since November 30, 1898. In accordance with the Revised Laws, chapter 225, section 18, and with the General Laws, chapter 127, sections 27 to 29, both inclusive, we are allowed photographs with Bertillon measurements taken of the convicts in the State Prison and Reformatory, a number of which have 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 1,140 criminals have been added to the records of this Bureau, which now contains a total of 50,599. The number of cases reported at this office which have been investigated during the year is 31,453. There are 48,754 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 arrests, etc., of about 248,090 persons. There are also "histories and press clippings" now numbering 10,603 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 . . . . .	1,290
Fugitives from justice from other States, arrested and delivered to officers from those States . . . . .	60
Number of cases investigated . . . . .	31,453
Number of extra duties performed . . . . .	2,017
Number of cases of homicide and supposed homicide investigated and evidence prepared for trial in court . . . . .	204
Number of cases of abortion and supposed abortion investigated and evidence prepared for court . . . . .	11
Number of days spent in court by police officers . . . . .	2,678
Number of years of imprisonment imposed by court, 177 years, 11 months	
Amount of stolen property recovered . . . . .	\$488,865.79
Number of photographs added to identification room . . . . .	1,704

#### OFFICER DETAILED TO ASSIST MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

The officer detailed to assist the medical examiners reports having investigated 822 cases of death from the following causes:—

Abortion . . . . .	2	Falls . . . . .	73
Accidental cut . . . . .	1	Falling objects . . . . .	5
Accidental poison . . . . .	1	Machinery . . . . .	4
Aeroplane . . . . .	5	Natural causes . . . . .	353
Alcoholism . . . . .	15	Poison . . . . .	32
Asphyxiation . . . . .	3	Railroad (steam) . . . . .	12
Automobiles		Stillborns . . . . .	4
(No prosecution) . . . . .	6	Stone thrown . . . . .	1
Bicycle . . . . .	1	Suffocation . . . . .	3
Burns . . . . .	28	Suicides . . . . .	66
Coasting . . . . .	1	Team . . . . .	1
Drowning . . . . .	35	Homicides . . . . .	152
Electricity . . . . .	6		
Elevators . . . . .	11	Total . . . . .	822
Exposure . . . . .	1		

On 245 of the above cases inquests were held.

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

Accidental poison . . . . .	2	Railroad (steam) . . . . .	1
Automobiles . . . . .	112	Railway (street) . . . . .	12
Bicycle . . . . .	1	Teams . . . . .	1
Manslaughter . . . . .	10		
Murder . . . . .	13	Total . . . . .	152



## LOST, ABANDONED AND STOLEN PROPERTY.

On December 1, 1928, there were 2,850 articles of lost, stolen or abandoned property in the custody of the Property Clerk, and during the year 1,102 were received. 841 articles were sold at public auction and the proceeds \$1,479.75 were turned over to the Chief Clerk.

Four articles were sold as perishable and 771 worthless articles were destroyed or sold as junk and the entire proceeds, \$441.01, turned over to the Chief Clerk. 135 articles were returned to owners, finders or administrators, leaving 2,201 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:—

1928.	Men.
Dec. 1, Fenway Park, Boston College-Holy Cross football game	100
Dec. 24, Boston Common, Christmas Eve celebration . . . . .	14
Dec. 24, Cathedral of the Holy Cross, midnight Mass . . . . .	8
Dec. 24, West End, traffic duty on Christmas Eve . . . . .	42
Dec. 26, Funeral of Lieutenant Francis J. Mulligan, retired . . . . .	33
1929.	
Jan. 8, Mechanics Building, Police Ball . . . . .	272
Jan. 22, Funeral of Patrolman John J. Cavanaugh . . . . .	45
Feb. 11, Funeral of Sergeant Alfred H. Daniels . . . . .	24
Feb. 12, Mechanics Building, Firemen's Ball . . . . .	39
Feb. 14, Washington and Summer Streets, manhole explosion . . . . .	109
Feb. 27, Bulletin Boards, Sharkey-Stribling fight . . . . .	40
Mar. 5, Funeral of Patrolman Thomas E. Smith . . . . .	24
Mar. 17, South Boston, Evacuation Day parade . . . . .	328
Mar. 26, Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Foch Memorial service . . . . .	87
Apr. 19, Commonwealth Pier, departure of Cardinal O'Connell party . . . . .	65
Apr. 19, Marathon race . . . . .	570
Apr. 19, Patriots' Day parade . . . . .	106
Apr. 25, Funeral of Patrolman Frederick I. Morrill . . . . .	24
May 20, Funeral of Captain Matthew J. Dailey . . . . .	62
May 20, Funeral of Patrolman Pierce L. Finn . . . . .	45
May 26, Fenway Park, Memorial Sunday service . . . . .	48
May 27, Funeral of Sergeant John J. Montague . . . . .	24
May 30, At city cemeteries . . . . .	28
May 30, Traffic duty, vicinity of cemeteries . . . . .	89
May 30, St. Joseph's Cemetery, memorial service of Boston Police Posts, American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars . . . . .	78

1929.		Men.
June 7,	Parade of Boston School Cadets . . . . .	358
June 15,	Sullivan Square playground . . . . .	21
June 16,	Eve of Bunker Hill Day in Charlestown . . . . .	135
June 16,	Eve of Bunker Hill Day, Roxbury Crossing district . . . . .	25
June 17,	Bunker Hill Day, Charlestown, parades and fireworks . . . . .	378
July 3,	Columbus Park, bonfire . . . . .	32
July 3,	Boston Common, rehearsal of July 4th pageant . . . . .	61
July 4,	Columbus Park, bonfire . . . . .	22
July 4,	Charlesbank, athletic contests . . . . .	55
July 4,	Boston Common, pageant and fireworks . . . . .	185
July 10,	South Station, departure of Marchioness Townsend for England . . . . .	21
July 15,	Deer Island fire . . . . .	82
Aug. 20,	Braves Field, boxing bouts . . . . .	84
Aug. 25,	Boston Common, attempted meeting Sacco-Vanzetti sympathizers . . . . .	95
Sept. 25,	Funeral of Patrolman Edward J. Lothrop . . . . .	37
Oct. 5,	Raymond's store . . . . .	60
Oct. 5,	Stadium, Harvard-Bates football game . . . . .	89
Oct. 8,	Bulletin boards, world's series baseball . . . . .	74
Oct. 9,	Bulletin boards, world's series baseball . . . . .	74
Oct. 11,	Bulletin boards, world's series baseball . . . . .	74
Oct. 12,	Bulletin boards, world's series baseball . . . . .	74
Oct. 12,	Braves Field, football game . . . . .	14
Oct. 12,	Harvard-New Hampshire football game . . . . .	85
Oct. 12,	Annual Dress Parade and Review of the Boston Police Regiment, composed of superior officers, officers of rank and patrolmen. The regiment was divided into three battalions of eight companies each, in command of a major, so designated. To each battalion was as- signed a military band. The regiment included a sergeant and eighteen men mounted on department horses, a colonel commanding, with his adjutant and staff officers from the respective police divisions and units in military company formation, shotgun com- panies, patrolmen with Thompson sub-machine guns and a motorcycle unit. The regiment was reviewed at City Hall by the Hon. Timothy F. Donovan, Acting Mayor; at the State House by His Excellency Governor Frank G. Allen, and on the Parade Grounds of the Common by His Excel- lency the Governor and the Police Commissioner, Hon. Herbert A. Wilson . . . . .	1,537
Oct. 14,	Pulaski Day parade . . . . .	228
Oct. 14,	Bulletin boards, world's series baseball . . . . .	74
Oct. 15,	Funeral of Lieutenant Patrick J. Williams, retired . . . . .	32
Oct. 19,	Parade and review of West Point cadets . . . . .	335
Oct. 19,	Stadium, Harvard-West Point football game . . . . .	109
Oct. 26,	Stadium, Harvard-Dartmouth football game . . . . .	106

1929.	Men.
Nov. 2, Stadium, Harvard-Florida football game . . . . .	84
Nov. 2, Symphony Hall, political rally . . . . .	27
Nov. 3, Boston Garden, political rally . . . . .	31
Nov. 5, City election, at polling places, etc. . . . .	1,017
Nov. 5, Bulletin boards, election returns . . . . .	82
Nov. 8, Boston Common, Red Cross demonstration . . . . .	135
Nov. 9, Stadium, Harvard-Dartmouth football game (freshmen teams) . . . . .	72
Nov. 11, Armistice Day parade and service, Boston Common . . . . .	336
Nov. 16, Stadium, Harvard-Holy Cross football game . . . . .	123
Nov. 23, Stadium and streets in vicinity, Harvard-Yale football game . . . . .	130
Nov. 23, Bulletin boards, football returns . . . . .	94
Nov. 30, Fenway Park, Boston College-Holy Cross football game . . . . .	104

#### MISSING PERSONS.

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

Total number reported . . . . .	920
Total number found . . . . .	843
Total number still missing . . . . .	77

#### *Age and Sex of Such Persons.*

	MISSING.		FOUND.		STILL MISSING.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Under 15 years	222	53	218	52	4	1
Over 15 years, under 21 years	203	167	188	145	15	22
Over 21 years	172	103	145	95	27	8
Totals	597	323	551	292	46	31

#### USED CAR DEALERS' LICENSES FOR THE SALE OF SECOND-HAND MOTOR VEHICLES.

Licenses have been granted since 1919 to individuals, firms and corporations to act as Used Car Dealers of the First, Second and Third Classes.

During the year 290 applications for such licenses were received, 275 of which were granted (3 "without fee") and 15 were rejected.

Of the licenses granted 19 were voluntarily surrendered for cancelation and 18 transferred to new locations.

Two applications for transfer to new locations were rejected and five licenses suspended indefinitely. (See Table XIV.)

*Record of all Automobiles Reported Stolen in Boston for the Year ending November 30, 1929.*

MONTH.	Stolen.	Recovered. during Month.	Recovered Later.	Not Recovered.
<b>1928.</b>				
December . . . .	421	388	21	12
<b>1929.</b>				
Jan. . . . .	317	302	12	3
February . . . .	270	255	13	2
March . . . . .	406	392	13	1
April . . . . .	351	337	10	4
May . . . . .	342	323	11	8
June . . . . .	316	301	10	5
July . . . . .	265	244	10	11
August . . . . .	332	308	13	11
September . . . .	315	288	11	16
October . . . . .	417	390	9	18
November . . . . .	360	337	—	23
Totals . . . . .	4,112	3,865	133	114

*Record of Purchases and Sales of Used Cars Reported to this Department for the Year ending November 30, 1929.*

MONTH.	Bought by Dealers.	Sold by Dealers.	Sold by Individuals.
<b>1928.</b>			
December . . . . .	2,487	1,790	783
<b>1929.</b>			
January . . . . .	2,859	2,096	847
February . . . . .	2,676	2,211	617
March . . . . .	3,563	2,903	877
April . . . . .	4,140	3,932	1,257
May . . . . .	4,501	4,836	1,294
June . . . . .	4,916	4,730	1,116
July . . . . .	4,653	4,297	1,146
August . . . . .	4,197	4,070	994
September . . . . .	3,480	3,499	753
October . . . . .	3,619	2,988	972
November . . . . .	2,542	1,705	759
Totals . . . . .	43,633	39,057	11,415

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.
Abandoned children cared for . . . . .	6	8	4
Accidents reported . . . . .	6,711	8,973	9,793
Buildings found open and made secure . . . . .	3,460	3,388	3,205
Cases investigated . . . . .	76,261	78,577	75,345
Dangerous buildings reported . . . . .	51	15	15
Dangerous chimneys reported . . . . .	16	22	8
Dead bodies recovered . . . . .	49	198	55
Defective cesspools reported . . . . .	17	38	40
Defective drains and vaults reported . . . . .	4	1	3
Defective fire alarms and clocks reported . . . . .	7	8	13

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS—*Concluded.*

	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.
Defective gas pipes reported . . . . .	15	13	5
Defective hydrants reported . . . . .	79	70	52
Defective lamps reported . . . . .	6,306	5,737	5,889
Defective sewers reported . . . . .	59	116	65
Defective sidewalks and streets reported . . . . .	9,032	9,439	8,931
Defective water pipes reported . . . . .	43	42	81
Disturbances suppressed . . . . .	437	693	949
Extra duties performed . . . . .	42,189	49,256	46,072
Fire alarms given . . . . .	3,335	3,631	4,437
Fires extinguished . . . . .	1,364	1,283	1,171
Insane persons taken in charge . . . . .	352	355	355
Intoxicated persons assisted . . . . .	29	18	31
Lost children restored . . . . .	1,520	1,316	1,454
Persons rescued from drowning . . . . .	19	17	28
Sick and injured persons assisted . . . . .	6,446	7,130	6,546
Stray teams reported and put up . . . . .	105	28	28
Street obstructions removed . . . . .	3,432	2,054	1,917
Water running to waste reported . . . . .	484	467	424
Witnesses detained . . . . .	23	20	11

## 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 3,037 cases, 3 of which were on account of damage done by dogs.

*Other Services Performed.*

Number of cases investigated . . . . .	3,037
Number of witnesses examined . . . . .	14,860
Number of notices served . . . . .	11,863
Number of permissions granted (to speak to police officers regarding accidents and to examine police records) . . . . .	12,491
Number of days in court . . . . .	180
Number of cases settled on recommendation from this office . . . . .	91
Collected for damage to the city's property and bills paid to repair same . . . . .	\$2,294.35

## 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 and in the Charlestown, South Boston and Roxbury Crossing districts are taken to the house of detention in a van 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 2,210 were committed for the following:—

Drunkenness . . . . .	1,104
Larceny . . . . .	311
Night walking . . . . .	37
Fornication . . . . .	118
Idle and disorderly . . . . .	129
Assault and battery . . . . .	14
Adultery . . . . .	56
Violation of liquor law . . . . .	39
Keeping house of ill fame . . . . .	21
Various other causes . . . . .	381
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Total . . . . .	2,210

*Recommitments.*

From Municipal court . . . . .	134
From County jail . . . . .	424
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Grand total . . . . .	2,768

## POLICE SIGNAL SERVICE.

*Signal Boxes.*

The total number of boxes in use is 536. Of these 362 are connected with the underground system and 174 with the overhead.



*Miscellaneous Work.*

During the year the employees of this service responded to 1,901 trouble calls; inspected 536 signal boxes, 18 signal desks and 1,083 batteries; repaired 217 box movements, 91 registers, 103 polar box bells, 86 locks, 88 time stamps, 33 vibrator bells, beside repairing all bell and electric light work at the various stations. There have been made 110 plungers, 55 complete box fittings, 100 line blocks, 100 automatic hooks and a large amount of small work done which cannot be classified.

The maintenance of the spot lights and traffic towers has been taken over by the new traffic commission.

In the prescribed underground district five boxes were installed and connected with the underground system, one on Division 10, three on Division 12 and on one Division 14.

A new signal box was installed on Division 7, to connect with the overhead system. A new signal desk was purchased for Division 1, and is being fitted up.

A new White truck was purchased to replace one that had been in service eight years; a new Ford coupe purchased to replace an old Ford truck for inspection work, and a new Ford sedan purchased in replacement for inspection work.

There are in use in the signal service: 1 White truck, 1 Ford sedan, 1 Ford coupe and 1 Ford truck.

Ten improved box movements were purchased and are now in service, also two signal desk inking registers were purchased.

During the year the automobile patrol wagons made 51,624 runs covering an aggregate distance of 110,809 miles. There were 32,507 prisoners conveyed to the station houses, 3,309 runs were made to take injured or insane persons to station houses, hospitals or their homes and 391 runs were made to take lost children to station houses. There were 3,389 runs to fires and 646 runs for liquor seizures. During the year there were 536 signal boxes in use arranged on 72 battery circuits and 72 telephone circuits; 652,925 telephone messages and 4,287,680 "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	218,340 feet overhead cable
72 circuits	23,294 feet of duct
536 street signal boxes	67 manholes
14 stable call boards	1 White truck
75 test boxes	1 Ford truck
1,103 cells of battery	1 Ford sedan
669,758 feet underground cable	1 Ford coupe

### 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. . . . .	\$55,605 00
Number of vessels boarded from foreign ports . . . . .	731
Number of vessels ordered from channel to the proper anchorage . . . . .	243
Number of cases in which assistance was rendered to wharfinger . . . . .	3
Permits granted vessels to discharge cargo in stream . . . . .	20
Alarms of fire attended on the water front . . . . .	24
Fires extinguished without alarm . . . . .	1
Boats challenged . . . . .	16
Sick and injured persons assisted . . . . .	1
Cases investigated . . . . .	263
Dead bodies recovered . . . . .	23
Rescued from drowning . . . . .	5
Vessels ordered to rig in jib-boom . . . . .	1
Assistance rendered . . . . .	55
Obstructions removed from channel . . . . .	50
Vessels assigned to anchorage . . . . .	1,571
Fuel oil permits granted to transport and deliver fuel oil in harbor . . . . .	134
Dead bodies cared for . . . . .	3
Grappling . . . . . (hours)	107

The number of vessels that arrived in this port was 9,134, 7,476 of which were from domestic ports, 556 from the British Provinces in Canada, and 1,658 from foreign ports. Of the latter 1,102 were steamers, 32 were motor vessels and 1 schooner.

A patrol service was maintained in Dorchester Bay from June 17 to October 15, 1929. The launch *E. U. Curtis* cruises nightly from Castle Island to Neponset Bridge. Twenty-eight cases were investigated, five boats were challenged, three obstructions were removed from the

channel, two boats ordered to their proper anchorage, one dead body cared for, assistance rendered to four boats in distress by reason of disabled engines, stress of weather, etc., and towing them with the persons aboard to a place of safety.

#### HORSES.

On the 30th of November, 1928, there were 24 horses in the service. During the year five were delivered to the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals on account of age; one sold to the Boston Park Department and two were purchased.

At the present time there are 20 in the service, all of which are saddle horses, attached to Division 16.

#### VEHICLE SERVICE.

##### *Automobiles.*

There are 78 automobiles in the service at the present time; 26 attached to headquarters; one at the house of detention, used as a woman's van and kept at Division 4; 11 in the city proper and attached to Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5; 5 in the South Boston district, attached to Divisions 6 and 12; 3 in the East Boston district, attached to Division 7; 5 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; 3 in the Charlestown district, attached to Division 15; 5 in the Back Bay and the 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; 2 assigned for use of the traffic divisions, and 5 unassigned. (See page 30.)

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

Care and repairs . . . . .	\$22,433 62
Tires . . . . .	4,637 10
Gasoline . . . . .	18,363 98
Oil . . . . .	3,407 35
Storage . . . . .	5,516 48
License fees . . . . .	336 00
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Total . . . . .	\$54,694 53

## COMBINATION AMBULANCES.

The Department is equipped with an ambulance at Division 1 and combination automobiles (patrol and ambulance) in Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, and there are 4 unassigned.

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

City Hospital . . . . .	2,193
City Hospital (Relief Station, Haymarket Square) . . . . .	876
City Hospital (Relief Station, East Boston district) . . . . .	154
Calls where services were not required . . . . .	116
Massachusetts General Hospital . . . . .	60
Morgue . . . . .	59
Psychopathic Hospital . . . . .	54
St. Elizabeth's Hospital . . . . .	47
Home . . . . .	46
Carney Hospital . . . . .	39
Forest Hills Hospital . . . . .	26
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital . . . . .	17
Police station houses . . . . .	16
Boston State Hospital . . . . .	5
New England Hospital . . . . .	4
Faulkner Hospital . . . . .	3
Harley Hospital * . . . . .	3
Beth Israel Hospital . . . . .	2
Chardon Street Home . . . . .	2
Milton Hospital . . . . .	2
Bay State Hospital . . . . .	1
Chelsea Naval Hospital . . . . .	1
Commonwealth Hospital . . . . .	1
Emerson Hospital . . . . .	1
Fenway Hospital . . . . .	1
Homeopathic Hospital . . . . .	1
Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary . . . . .	1
Newton Hospital . . . . .	1
Strong Hospital . . . . .	1
Total . . . . .	3,733

*List of Vehicles Used by the Department.*

DIVISIONS.	Auto Ambulances.	Combination Auto Ambulances.	Automobiles.	Motor Vans	Motorcycles.	Motorcycle Sidecars.	Totals.
Headquarters . . . . .	-	-	25	1	-	-	26
Division 1 . . . . .	1	1	1	-	1	1	5
Division 2 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
Division 3 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
Division 4 . . . . .	-	1	-	1	-	-	2
Division 5 . . . . .	-	1	2	-	1	-	4
Division 6 . . . . .	-	1	2	-	2	2	7
Division 7 . . . . .	-	1	2	-	4	4	11
Division 9 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	3	-	5
Division 10 . . . . .	-	1	2	-	2	1	6
Division 11 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	4	2	8
Division 12 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	3	2	7
Division 13 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	8	3	13
Division 14 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	9	4	15
Division 15 . . . . .	-	1	2	-	5	3	11
Division 16 . . . . .	-	1	4	-	9	3	17
Division 17 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	8	2	12
Division 18 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	3	1	6
Division 19 . . . . .	-	1	1	-	6	2	10
Division 20 . . . . .	-	-	1	-	2	2	5
Division 21 . . . . .	-	-	1	-	2	2	5
Unassigned . . . . .	-	4	-	1	2	2	9
Totals . . . . .	4	22	52	3	74	36	188

## PUBLIC CARRIAGES.

During the year there were 2,930 carriage licenses granted, being an increase of 255 as compared with last year; 2,926 motor carriages were licensed, being an increase of 258 compared with last year.

There have been 4 horse-drawn carriages licensed during the year.

There were 206 articles consisting of umbrellas, coats, handbags, etc., found in carriages during the year, which were turned over to the inspector; 67 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 . . . . .	2,938
Number of carriages licensed . . . . .	2,930
Number of licenses transferred . . . . .	66
Number of licenses canceled . . . . .	696
Number of licenses revoked . . . . .	9
Number of licenses suspended . . . . .	31
Number of applications for carriage licenses rejected . . . . .	8
Number of carriages inspected . . . . .	3,756
Applications for drivers' licenses reported upon . . . . .	5,074
Number of complaints against owners and drivers investigated . . . . .	1,874
Number of days spent in court . . . . .	251
Articles left in carriages reported by citizens . . . . .	271
Articles found in carriages reported by drivers . . . . .	206
Drivers' applications for licenses rejected . . . . .	181
Drivers' applications for licenses reconsidered and granted . . . . .	28
Drivers' licenses granted . . . . .	4,893 <sup>1</sup>
Drivers' licenses revoked . . . . .	21
Drivers' licenses suspended . . . . .	217
Drivers' licenses canceled . . . . .	104

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 November 30, 1929, 1,874 such special stands, 2 of which were reconsidered and rejected.

Of these special stands there have been 234 canceled or revoked, 57 transferred and 12 suspended. There have been 328 applications for special stands rejected, 20 of which were

<sup>1</sup> 3 canceled for nonpayment.

reconsidered and granted, and 22 applications rejected for transfer of special stands, 3 of which were reconsidered and granted.

#### SIGHT-SEEING AUTOMOBILES.

During the year ending November 30, 1929, there have been issued licenses for 57 sight-seeing automobiles and 34 special stands for them. There have been rejected 2 applications for sight-seeing automobiles and 4 applications for special stands.

There have been 124 operators' licenses granted, 2 applications for operators' licenses rejected and 5 operators' licenses canceled.

#### 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 4,002 applications for such licenses were received and granted. Of these licenses 197 were subsequently canceled for non-payment of license fee and 47 transferred to new locations. (See Tables XIV, XVI.)



## LISTING WORK IN BOSTON.

YEAR.	Canvass.	YEAR.	Canvass.
1903 <sup>1</sup>	181,045	1916 <sup>3</sup>	—
1904	193,195	1917	221,207
1905	194,547	1918	224,012
1906	195,446	1919	227,466
1907	195,900	1920	235,248
1908	201,255	1921 <sup>4</sup>	480,783
1909	201,391	1922	480,106
1910 <sup>2</sup>	203,603	1923	477,547
1911	206,825	1924	485,677
1912	214,178	1925	489,478
1913	215,388	1926	493,415
1914	219,364	1927	495,767
1915	220,883	1928	491,277

<sup>1</sup> 1903 to 1909, both inclusive, listing was on May 1.

<sup>2</sup> 1910 listing changed to April 1

<sup>3</sup> 1916 listing done by Board of Assessors.

<sup>4</sup> 1921 law changed to include women in listing.

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

Male	238,982
Female	254,268
Total	493,250

*Listing Expenses.*

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

Advertising and printing	\$39,906 51
Clerical services	18,625 00
Stationery	291 55
Interpreters	252 17
Card cabinet	68 27
Telephone	10 19
Total	\$59,153 69

*Number of Policemen Employed in Listing.*

April 1 . . . . .	1,409
April 2 . . . . .	1,331
April 3 . . . . .	1,077
April 4 . . . . .	727
April 5 . . . . .	59
April 6 . . . . .	18
April 8 . . . . .	7

## 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 1929 may be summarized as follows:—

	1929.
Dead or could not be found in Boston . . . . .	1,022
Physically incapacitated . . . . .	264
Convicted of crime . . . . .	208
Unfit for various reasons . . . . .	372
Apparently fit . . . . .	5,999
Total . . . . .	7,865

## SPECIAL POLICE.

Special police 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, to be liable for the official misconduct of the person appointed.

During the year ending November 30, 1929, there were 1,518 special police officers appointed; 18 applications for appointment were refused for cause and 39 appointments canceled.

Appointments were made on applications received as follows:—

From United States Government . . . . .	33
From State departments . . . . .	3
From City departments . . . . .	342
From County of Suffolk . . . . .	1
From railroad corporations . . . . .	61
From other corporations and associations . . . . .	807

From theatres and other places of amusement . . . . .	244
From private institutions . . . . .	8
From churches . . . . .	19
Total . . . . .	1,518

#### MISCELLANEOUS LICENSES.

The total number of applications for miscellaneous licenses received was 27,818. Of these 27,492 were granted, of which 239 were canceled for non-payment, leaving 27,253. During the year 432 licenses were transferred, 1,236 canceled, 32 revoked and 326 applications were rejected. The officers investigated 2,440 complaints arising under these licenses. The fees collected and paid into the city treasury amounted to \$69,860.75. (See Tables XIV, XVII.)

#### MUSICIANS' LICENSES.

##### *Itinerant.*

During the year there were 34 applications for itinerant musicians' licenses received, two of which were disapproved and two licenses were subsequently canceled on account of nonpayment of license fee.

All of the instruments in use by itinerant musicians are inspected before the license is granted, and it is arranged with 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 57 instruments were inspected with the following result:—

KIND OF INSTRUMENT.	Number Inspected.	Number Passed.
Street pianos . . . . .	20	20
Hand organs . . . . .	13	13
Violins . . . . .	7	7
Accordions . . . . .	7	7
Banjos . . . . .	2	2
Clarinets . . . . .	2	2
Flutes . . . . .	2	2
Guitars . . . . .	2	2
Bag-pipes . . . . .	1	1
Piano . . . . .	1	1
Totals . . . . .	57	57

## 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 past five years and the action taken thereon:—

YEAR.	Applica- tions.	Granted.	Rejected.
1925 . . . . .	240	239	1
1926 . . . . .	223	222	1
1927 . . . . .	193	192	1
1928 . . . . .	223	221	2
1929 . . . . .	209	207	2

## CARRYING DANGEROUS WEAPONS.

The following return shows the number of applications made to the Police Commissioner for licenses to carry pistols or revolvers in the Commonwealth during the past five years,

the number of such applications granted, the number refused and the number revoked:—

YEAR.	Applications.	Granted.	Rejected.	Licenses Revoked.
1925 . . . . .	3,227	3,090	137	8
1926 . . . . .	3,165	3,043	122	3
1927 . . . . .	3,052	2,975	77	2
1928 . . . . .	2,954	2,904	50	1
1929 . . . . .	3,025	2,224 <sup>1</sup>	70	1

<sup>1</sup>20 canceled for nonpayment.

#### 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, as amended during the year, the location of each house and the number of lodgers accommodated:—

LOCATION.	Number Lodged.
17 Davis Street . . . . .	37,323
1051 Washington Street . . . . .	30,551
1202 Washington Street . . . . .	25,698
1025 Washington Street . . . . .	25,981
Total . . . . .	119,553

#### PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On December 1, 1928, there were 278 pensioners on the roll. During the year 14 died, viz., 1 captain, 5 lieutenants, 1 sergeant, 5 patrolmen and 2 annuitants. Eighteen were added, viz., 1 captain, 2 lieutenant inspectors, 3 lieutenants, 3 sergeants, 8 patrolmen, and the widow of Patrolman John J. Fitzgerald, who died from injuries received in the performance of duty, leaving 281 on the roll at date, 251 men and 30 women.

The payments on account of pensions during the past year amounted to \$251,149.66, and it is estimated that \$275,726

will be required for pensions in 1930. This includes partial provision for 1 captain, 2 lieutenant inspectors, 1 lieutenant, 4 sergeants, 22 patrolmen and 2 civilian employees all of whom are 65 years old or more and are entitled to be pensioned on account of age and term of service.

The invested fund of the Police Charitable Fund amounted to \$207,550. There are 55 beneficiaries at the present time and there has been paid to them the sum of \$7,465.93 during the past year.

#### FINANCIAL.

The total expenditures for police purposes during the past year, including pensions and listing persons twenty years of age or more, but exclusive of the maintenance of the police signal service were \$5,881,029.23. (See Table XVII.)

The cost of maintaining the police signal service during the year was \$61,190.72. (See Table XVIII.)

The total revenue paid into the city treasury from fees for licenses over which the police have supervision, for the sale of unclaimed and condemned property, uniform cloth, etc., was \$80,614.24. (See Table XIV.)





TABLE I. — *Concluded.*

RANK OR POSITION.	Annual Salary.	Headquarters.	Bureau Criminal Investigation (Det. Force).	Property Clerk.	Signal Service.	House of Detention.	DIVISIONS.																					Totals.
							TRAFFIC.																					
							1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
Hostlers . . . . .	\$1,600	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	12					
Janitors . . . . .	1,600	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	36				
Line-men . . . . .	2,000 to 2,300	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7				
Matrons (house of detention)	1,500 to 1,800	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5				
Matrons (station houses)	400 to 720	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5				
Mechanics . . . . .	1,900 to 2,100	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4				
Repairmen . . . . .	1,700 to 1,900	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2				
Steamfitter . . . . .	1,700	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Signalmen . . . . .	2,100	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6				
Superintendent of building .	2,900	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6				
Superintendent of repair shop	2,200	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Tailor . . . . .	2,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Telephone operators . . . . .	1,600 to 1,800	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3				
Totals . . . . .		91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	2,605				

NOTE: Uniforms, equipment and replacements of same free for the police force.

Department Rule on Allowances for Pay for Policemen While Absent from Duty by Reason of Sickness or Disability.

1. For ordinary sickness, half pay for 30 days in all in one calendar year.

2. For sickness, injury or disability incurred while in the performance of duty involving risks, exertion or exposure not ordinarily attendant upon the performance of routine duty, — full pay for such absence.

TABLE II.  
*Changes in Authorized and Actual Strength of Police Department.*

RANKS AND GRADES.	AUTHORIZED STRENGTH.		ACTUAL STRENGTH.		
	Jan. 1, 1929.	Nov. 30, 1929.	Jan. 1, 1929.	Nov. 30, 1929.	Net Gain or Loss (Plus or Minus).
Police Commissioner . . . . .	1	1	1	1	-
Secretary . . . . .	1	1	1	1	-
Superintendent . . . . .	1	1	1	1	-
Deputy superintendents . . . . .	2	2	2	2	-
Chief inspector . . . . .	1	1	1	1	-
Captains . . . . .	30	30	30	29	Minus 1
Inspectors . . . . .	27	27	27	25	Minus 2
Lieutenants . . . . .	44	44	43	44	Plus 1
Sergeants . . . . .	177	177	174	184	Plus 10
Patrolmen . . . . .	2,024	2,149	2,016	2,143	Plus 127
Patrolwomen . . . . .	8	8	5	5	-
Totals . . . . .	2,316	2,441	2,301	2,436	Plus 135

The last column (Net Gain or Loss) represents the difference between the actual strength on January 1 and on November 30.

TABLE III.

*List of Police Officers in Active Service who Died during the Year ending November 30, 1929.*

RANK.	NAME.	Division.	Date of Death.	Cause of Death.
Sergeant	Harry C. Berry	2	Feb. 3, 1929	Gallstones
Sergeant	James W. Brooks	S. O.	Jan. 23, 1929	Fractured skull
Patrolman	Edward A. Burroughs	19	Sept. 25, 1929	Rheumatism
Sergeant	Edward Q. Butters	19	Aug. 15, 1929	Fractured skull
Patrolman	John J. Cavanaugh	20	Jan. 19, 1929	Tuberculosis of larynx
Patrolman	Frank J. Christie	2	Jan. 14, 1929	Heart trouble
Sergeant	Joseph W. Comerford	16	Jan. 23, 1929	Pneumonia
Captain	Matthew J. Dailey	11	May 17, 1929	Pneumonia
Sergeant	Alfred H. Daniels	17	Feb. 8, 1929	Gallstones
Patrolman	Pierce L. Finn	1	May 16, 1929	Cancer
Patrolman	John I. Jackson	17	Sept. 4, 1929	Fractured skull
Patrolman	Ephraim M. Kennedy	1	Feb. 17, 1929	Pneumonia
Patrolman	Patrick J. Kennedy	2	Sept. 13, 1929	Heart trouble
Patrolman	Edward J. Lothrop	20	Sept. 21, 1929	Coronary thrombosis
Sergeant	John F. Montague	4	May 24, 1929	Pulmonary embolism
Patrolman	Frederick I. Morrill	8	April 22, 1929	Heart trouble.
Patrolman	William H. Morris	8	June 25, 1929	Cerebral hemorrhage
Patrolman	Michael P. Regan	6	Nov. 10, 1929	Pneumonia
Patrolman	Thomas E. Smith	Hdq.	Mar. 2, 1929	Chronic myocarditis
Patrolman	John J. Sullivan	7	Jan. 17, 1929	Acute lymphatic leuchaemia

TABLE IV.

*List of Officers Retired during the Year ending November 30, 1929, 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 of Service.
Balch, William . . . . .	Age	60 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years	34 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years
Breen, James M. . . . .	Incapacitated	58 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	30 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Carlson, Charles . . . . .	Age	65 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	33 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Casey, Denis J. . . . .	Age	65 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	35 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Fallon, George J. . . . .	Incapacitated	32 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	9 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Ferris, Timothy M. . . . .	Age	62 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	34 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Garrett, Oliver B. . . . .	Incapacitated	35 "	9 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Green, Thomas E. . . . .	Age	65 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	40 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Hankard, Michael J. . . . .	Age	62 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	35 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Hyland, Edward F. . . . .	Age	62 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	37 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Kilday, John W. . . . .	Age	62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	36 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Lewis, Woodbury L., Jr. . . . .	Age	67 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	38 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Mulligan, Francis J. . . . .	Age	65 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	40 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Murphy, Daniel G. . . . .	Age	65 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	37 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Riley, George . . . . .	Age	79 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	34
Williams, Patrick J. . . . .	Age	63 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	36 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Wise, Oliver J. . . . .	Age	65 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	42

*Police Officers and Employees Retired during the Year under the Boston Retirement System, which went into effect February 1, 1923.*

NAME.	Position.	Cause of Retirement.	Age at Time of Retirement.	Years of Service.
Evans, Richard H. . . . .	Sergeant	Age	70 years	41 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>12</sub> years
Lehan, John J. . . . .	Hostler	Age	70 "	10 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Lynn, William M. . . . .	Patrolman	Age	72 "	40 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Mullen, Edward H. . . . .	Lieutenant	Age	70 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	40 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Savage, John . . . . .	Patrolman	Incapacitated	35 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "
Walsh, James M. . . . .	Patrolman	Incapacitated	29 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "	5 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>12</sub> "

TABLE V.

*List of Officers who were Promoted above the Rank of Patrolman during the Year ending November 30, 1929.*

Date.	RANK AND NAME.
Jan. 18, 1929	Sergeant Max B. F. Thormer to the rank of Lieutenant.
Jan. 18, 1929	Patrolman Henry J. Bailey to the rank of Sergeant.
Jan. 18, 1929	Patrolman Edward A. Carey to the rank of Sergeant.
Jan. 18, 1929	Patrolman Michael P. Carr to the rank of Sergeant.
Jan. 18, 1929	Patrolman John J. Crossen to the rank of Sergeant.
Jan. 18, 1929	Patrolman Leo E. Hoban to the rank of Sergeant.
Jan. 18, 1929	Patrolman Hugh J. Sullivan to the rank of Sergeant.
Mar. 1, 1929	Patrolman Edward B. Cain to the rank of Sergeant.
Mar. 1, 1929	Patrolman Joseph Maraghy to the rank of Sergeant.
Mar. 1, 1929	Patrolman Daniel M. O'Connell to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Sergeant Andrew J. Hurley to the rank of Lieutenant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Sergeant Thomas F. Casey to the rank of Lieutenant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Sergeant Edward W. Fallon to the rank of Lieutenant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman William J. Cripps to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman James J. Crowley to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman Patrick J. Flannery to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman George A. Hunter to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman Mark J. Leonard to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman Cecil E. Lewis to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman Andrew Markhard to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman John H. McFarland to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman Frank V. Sullivan to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman George F. Weckbacher to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 16, 1929	Patrolman Harrington B. Wyand to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 30, 1929	Patrolman William M. Donahue to the rank of Sergeant.
Aug. 30, 1929	Patrolman Robert A. Lynch to the rank of Sergeant.
Oct. 4, 1929	Lieutenant John J. Hanrahan to the rank of Captain.
Oct. 4, 1929	Sergeant Sherman W. Augusta to the rank of Lieutenant.
Oct. 4, 1929	Patrolman William J. McCarthy to the rank of Sergeant.
Oct. 4, 1929	Patrolman William McDonnell to the rank of Sergeant.



TABLE VI.

*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 Superintendents.	Chief Inspector.	Captains.	Inspectors.	Lieutenants.	Sergeants.	Patrolmen.	Totals.
1882	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
1886	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	3
1887	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	12	3
1888	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	8
1889	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
1890	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	1	7
1891	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	2	5
1892	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	4
1893	-	-	-	5	2	2	3	8	20
1894	-	-	-	2	-	-	4	2	8
1895	-	1	-	7	1	9	9	28	55
1896	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	6	9
1897	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	6
1898	-	-	-	1	-	2	6	8	17
1900	-	-	-	6	2	5	13	12	38
1901	-	-	-	1	1	3	8	3	16
1903	-	-	-	2	1	2	11	8	24
1904	-	-	-	-	2	4	9	5	20
1905	-	-	-	-	1	1	5	2	9
1906	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	6
1907	-	-	-	-	1	4	6	6	17
1908	-	-	-	-	3	3	12	5	23
1909	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	2	6
1910	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	6
1911	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	4
1912	-	-	-	1	-	1	6	4	12
1913	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2
1914	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
1915	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
1916	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	4
1917	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	5
1919	-	-	-	-	-	1	51	572	624
19 0	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	185	194
1921	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	128	134
1922	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76	76
1923	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	112	113
1924	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	79	79
1925	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99	99
1926	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	329	329
1927	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	131	131
1928	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	95	95
1929	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	215	215
Totals	1	2	1	29	25	44	184	2,148	2,434

TABLE VII.

*Men on the Police Force on November 30, 1929, who were Born in the Year Indicated on the Table below.*

DATE OF BIRTH.	Superintendent.	Deputy Superintendents.	Chief Inspector.	Captains.	Inspectors.	Lieutenants.	Sergeants.	Patrolmen.	Totals.
1859	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
1860	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	3
1861	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	4
1862	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
1863	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6	8
1864	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	10	15
1865	-	-	-	2	2	1	5	13	23
1866	1	-	-	3	2	5	5	10	26
1867	-	-	1	6	1	4	6	9	27
1868	-	-	-	2	1	-	8	6	17
1869	-	1	-	4	-	5	5	8	23
1870	-	-	-	2	2	1	2	5	12
1871	-	-	-	-	1	3	3	8	15
1872	-	-	-	-	1	2	6	9	18
1873	-	-	-	2	-	2	16	2	22
1874	-	-	-	2	4	3	9	5	23
1875	-	-	-	2	1	2	5	-	10
1876	-	-	-	1	1	3	4	2	11
1877	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	7	14
1878	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	4	11
1879	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	6	12
1880	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	5
1881	-	-	-	-	1	1	6	2	10
1882	-	-	-	-	3	1	5	-	9
1883	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	5
1884	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	2	7
1885	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	17	19
1886	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	30	32
1887	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	46	48
1888	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	56	61
1889	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	75	80
1890	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	68
1891	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	99	101
1892	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	140	147
1893	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	154	163
1894	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	176	186
1895	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	173	184
1896	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	197	204
1897	-	-	-	-	-	1	9	189	199
1898	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	159	161
1899	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	115	115
1900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	147	147
1901	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99	99
1902	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	43
1903	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	34
1904	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	9
Totals	1	2	1	29	25	44	184	2,148	2,434

The average age of the members of the force on November 30, 1929, is 37 years.

TABLE VIII.  
*Number of Days' Absence from Duty by Reason of Sickness during the Year ending November 30, 1929.*

December, 1928 . . . . .	1,426	July, 1929 . . . . .	954
January, 1929 . . . . .	3,096	August, 1929 . . . . .	788
February, 1929 . . . . .	1,747	September, 1929 . . . . .	873
March, 1929 . . . . .	1,469	October, 1929 . . . . .	976
April, 1929 . . . . .	1,316	November, 1929 . . . . .	972
May, 1929 . . . . .	1,120		
June, 1929 . . . . .	902	Total . . . . .	15,639

Average number of men on the force . . . . . 2,318  
 Average number of men sick daily . . . . . 43, or 1.86 per cent

TABLE IX.

*Complaints against Officers during the Year ending November 30, 1929.*

NO.	RANK.	NATURE OF COMPLAINT.	DISPOSITION OF CASE.
1	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave and conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police department.
13	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police department.
3	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police department.
2	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; dismissed from police department.
1	Patrolman . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
3	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and absence without leave . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
4	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
9	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 210 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 140 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 105 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 70 hours' punishment duty.

3	Patrolman . . . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 70 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 35 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 35 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . . . .	Neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; sentenced to perform 35 hours' punishment duty.
1	Patrolman . . . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Guilty; placed on file.
1	Patrolman . . . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
8	Patrolman . . . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman . . . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer and absence without leave . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
2	Patrolman . . . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman . . . . .	Neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Resigned while charges were pending.
1	Patrolman . . . . .	Absence without leave . . . . .	Complaint dismissed.
3	Patrolman . . . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Complaint dismissed.
1	Sergeant . . . . .	Neglect of duty . . . . .	Complaint dismissed.
1	Patrolman . . . . .	Conduct unbecoming an officer . . . . .	Complaint filed without action.

TABLE X.  
*Number of Arrests by Police Divisions during the Year ending  
 November 30, 1929.*

DIVISIONS.	Males.	Females.	Totals.
Headquarters . . . . .	1,011	278	1,289
Division 1 . . . . .	6,805	112	6,917
Division 2 . . . . .	2,821	359	3,180
Division 3 . . . . .	4,718	327	5,045
Division 4 . . . . .	4,274	152	4,426
Division 5 . . . . .	8,514	995	9,509
Division 6 . . . . .	4,187	345	4,532
Division 7 . . . . .	6,812	356	7,168
Division 8 . . . . .	35	—	35
Division 9 . . . . .	7,743	410	8,153
Division 10 . . . . .	3,950	476	4,426
Division 11 . . . . .	2,640	177	2,817
Division 12 . . . . .	2,919	168	3,087
Division 13 . . . . .	2,317	108	2,425
Division 14 . . . . .	1,824	163	1,987
Division 15 . . . . .	5,442	248	5,690
Division 16 . . . . .	2,637	279	2,916
Division 17 . . . . .	1,803	87	1,890
Division 18 . . . . .	632	33	665
Division 19 . . . . .	2,078	120	2,198
Division 20 . . . . .	8,847	98	8,945
Division 21 . . . . .	2,109	215	2,324
Liquor and Narcotic unit . . . . .	1,709	243	1,952
Special Service squad . . . . .	355	17	372
Totals . . . . .	86,182	5,766	91,948



TABLE XI.

## Arrests, Offences and Final Disposition of Cases for the Year ending November 30, 1929.

## No. 1. OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases Reported.		PERSONS ARRESTED.		Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to life imprisonment.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other institutions.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.																						
Affray, engaging in . . . . .	45	2	45	43	2	—	—	5	3	11	—	—	—	5	7	15	—	—	—	1	45	—	—	17	6	4
Assault with dangerous weapon . . . . .	5	4	4	4	2	—	—	10	3	1	—	—	—	8	6	7	—	—	—	2	40	—	8	2	4	
Assault with dangerous weapon, accessory to . . . . .	49	4	48	44	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	40	—	—	2	4	
Assault with dangerous weapon, accessory to . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Assault and battery . . . . .	1,762	1,390	1,561	1,771	1,577	—	150	45	405	7	281	2	281	228	332	89	4	24	7	54	1,577	—	—	651	143	106
Assault and battery with dangerous weapon . . . . .	96	82	2	84	72	—	2	20	5	3	—	—	—	8	16	3	6	—	—	9	72	12	—	45	6	
Assault, indecent . . . . .	44	42	2	42	42	—	1	17	4	—	—	—	—	8	11	1	1	—	—	8	42	—	—	22	8	
Assault on police . . . . .	95	86	6	92	95	—	1	13	6	29	—	—	—	10	17	14	2	1	—	8	95	—	—	4	3	
Child, abandoning . . . . .	14	3	10	13	14	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	5	4	1	1	—	—	3	14	—	—	4	3	
Child, female, abuse of . . . . .	45	43	1	44	43	—	3	9	2	1	—	—	—	4	6	13	1	1	—	3	43	—	—	4	3	
Child, refusing to support . . . . .	149	138	2	140	69	—	6	2	—	—	—	—	—	8	45	5	2	—	—	3	69	—	—	1	9	
Child, minor, neglecting . . . . .	53	20	24	44	38	—	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	9	10	8	2	—	—	4	38	—	—	6	6	
Extortion . . . . .	12	11	1	9	—	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	1	2	1	1	—	—	—	9	—	—	4	4	
Family, abandoning or neglecting . . . . .	155	140	3	143	146	—	56	47	—	—	—	—	—	5	63	13	—	—	—	—	146	—	—	36	14	
Family, refusing to support . . . . .	922	803	3	803	800	—	148	4	3	1	—	—	—	81	444	54	44	4	1	20	800	—	—	252	110	
Glass, throwing, etc., in public streets . . . . .	34	31	3	31	31	—	1	—	18	2	—	—	—	4	1	3	—	—	—	3	31	—	—	8	4	
Intimidation and threatening language using . . . . .	135	84	12	96	101	—	12	8	6	—	—	—	—	8	31	30	8	2	2	—	101	—	—	40	9	
Kidnaping . . . . .	12	12	—	12	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	6	2	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	3	1	
Manslaughter . . . . .	88	79	6	85	86	—	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	46	11	9	—	—	10	86	—	—	15	18	
Mayhem . . . . .	3	3	3	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	1	8	
Murder . . . . .	13	12	1	11	11	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	2	2	1	—	3	11	—	—	8	3	
Murder, accessory to . . . . .	2	2	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	1	
Murder, assault with intent to . . . . .	33	32	1	33	31	—	3	3	1	—	—	—	—	3	1	6	—	6	—	11	31	—	—	18	7	
Parent law, violation of . . . . .	44	37	7	44	44	—	44	1	1	9	16	9	9	16	9	6	6	—	—	3	44	—	—	16	12	
Poison, administering . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Rape . . . . .	27	26	2	26	23	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	8	1	8	1	3	—	6	23	—	—	6	1	
Rape, assault to . . . . .	16	16	16	16	17	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	5	5	1	—	—	3	17	—	—	2	3	
Rob, assault to . . . . .	27	25	2	27	27	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	8	1	4	—	—	2	27	—	—	3	6	
Rob, conspiracy to . . . . .	5	5	5	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	—	—	—	—	2	5	—	—	2	3	
Robbery, armed . . . . .	61	43	43	43	44	—	9	12	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	11	1	3	—	4	44	—	—	8	7	
Robbery, unarmed . . . . .	123	99	5	104	99	—	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	32	5	26	2	—	12	99	—	—	14	19	
Robbery, accessory to . . . . .	4	4	—	4	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	2	1	
Soliciting to commit a crime . . . . .	2	2	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	
Totals . . . . .	4,077	3,363	258	3,621	3,535	1	22	506	178	482	10	6	2	457	907	665	189	76	37	12	175	3,535	—	119	1,296	445

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases reported.			PERSONS ARRESTED.			Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to life imprisonment.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other institutions.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.	Total.																										
Breaking and entering dwelling at night . . . . .	193	45	1	46	47	5	6	—	5	6	—	—	—	—	—	10	6	9	2	3	—	—	6	47	—	—	—	4	8
Breaking and entering dwelling at night, attempted . . . . .	9	2	—	2	2	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	
Breaking and entering dwelling by day . . . . .	243	71	1	72	77	3	32	—	3	32	—	2	—	—	13	20	5	1	1	—	—	—	2	77	—	—	2	9	23
Breaking and entering dwelling by day, attempted . . . . .	18	4	—	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	
Breaking and entering a building . . . . .	511	244	6	250	253	5	81	—	5	81	6	—	—	—	31	46	41	13	18	7	—	2	9	253	—	—	24	36	105
Breaking and entering a building, attempted . . . . .	49	17	—	17	16	—	5	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	4	—	—	—	1	16	—	1	2	3	6
Breaking and entering a railroad car . . . . .	3	3	—	3	3	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	1
Totals . . . . .	1,026	386	8	394	400	13	126	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	55	76	61	16	26	7	—	2	18	400	—	3	32	61	145

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	PERSONS ARRESTED.		Cases reported.	Sentenced to life imprisonment.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other institutions.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not pressed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.																						
Animals, horse-drawn vehicles and boats, using without consent of owner	8		8								1	6							7					6
Automobile, unlawful appropriation of, or using without authority	260	1	261			73	26			2	23	48	34	9	3			2	48	268		12	39	143
Burglar's tools, having in possession	93		93			3				2	0	2	2	2	1	1			8	322		3	8	9
Conspiring to defraud	23		23			1						4	4		7			1	6	23		6	3	5
Constructing, repairing, or using of Electric, unlawfully diverting	2		2																1	2			2	1
Crave; removing flowers from	1		1								1	1								1				1
Crave; removing flowers from Impellers, boardinghouse keepers, etc., detrauding	2		2			1	1				1	1								3				1
Larceny from person	24	2	26			3				5	9	9	5						2	24		3	17	2
Larceny from person, attempt to commit	3,000	604	2,207	5	429	99	214	4		238	732	283	69	13	23	33	33	109	2,148		59	564	684	331
Larceny, attempt to commit	77	7	84			20	7	1		1	12	11		4				5	55			8	5	8
Larceny, attempt to commit	28	25	53			11	2	1		2	2	7	1		1	1		1	26			2	2	5
Larceny in a building or vessel	52	35	87			10	1	2		4	7	7	7		2	1	2	3	39			7	12	6
Larceny from an express	2		2																					1
Larceny of automobile	13		13			4						3	1						9				2	3
Larceny of automobile, attempt	801	290	2,286	4	80	2	8	1		21	48	47	12	30	5	1	30	286				21	82	145
Larceny of automobile, accessory to	49	40	89			12	3			4	15	5					3	39				6	7	24
Larceny of motorcycle	1		1																			1	1	1
Leased property, concealing, conveying, selling, etc.	1		1																					1
Mortgaged property, concealing, conveying, selling, etc.	58	39	111			6				6	19	12	4					1	48			20	9	1
Stolen goods, buying, receiving, etc.	14	10	24					1			2		3	3					9				3	1
Trespass	137	110	277			13	10	25	3		11	16	4	11	1			17	136			48	19	13
Trespass	124	107	211			31	30	1	7		34	4	7	4		3	1	1	115			31	33	22
Totals	4,913	2,668	658	10	697	159	308	11	2	2	360	927	473	116	69	33	42	235	3,272			740	928	723

TABLE XI. — Continued.

No. 4. MALICIOUS OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases reported.			PERSONS ARRESTED.			Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to life imprisonment.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other institutions.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.																							
Arson and other burnings . . . . .	30	4	14	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	4	1	3	1	1	1	12	1	2	9	3	1
Gas meter, unlawfully removing . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Malicious mischief . . . . .	152	8	117	118	7	7	118	7	2	34	2	34	2	34	2	27	33	10	1	1	3	3	3	118	1	19	17	19	
Show bills, etc., injuring . . . . .	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1
Willful damage and trespass . . . . .	100	77	79	76	4	4	76	4	5	18	1	18	1	18	1	16	18	14	3	3	1	1	2	76	3	3	15	11	11
Totals . . . . .	286	200	214	210	1	11	210	1	7	53	1	53	1	53	1	47	53	28	4	3	4	6	6	210	5	45	31	30	

TABLE XI. — Continued.  
 No. 5. FORGERY AND OFFENCES AGAINST THE CURRENCY.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	PERSONS ARRESTED.		Cases reported.	Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other in-situations.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Fine suspended.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.																								
Counterfeiting . . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	
Counterfeit money, passing, etc. . . . .	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	
Forgery and uttering . . . . .	85	5	60	55	3	22	14	-	-	-	-	-	4	12	3	1	3	-	-	7	55	-	5	5	25	7
Worthless check, passing . . . . .	31	15	15	15	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	1	7	
Totals . . . . .	118	72	5	77	3	32	14	-	-	-	-	-	6	14	4	1	3	-	-	7	70	-	7	6	32	7

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases Reported.		PERSONS ARRESTED.		Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other institutions.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Fine suspended.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.																						
Alcohol law, violation of . . . . .	9	1	9	9	9	5	—	3	—	1	—	—	2	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	4	—	—
Allen firearm law, violation of . . . . .	50	48	1	49	49	—	—	22	—	1	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	40	—	48	1	—	
Cigarette law, violation of . . . . .	8	8	—	8	8	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	5	—	—	
Common victualler and innholder assuming to be . . . . .	3	3	—	3	3	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	
Dog law, violation of . . . . .	153	94	34	128	132	—	—	68	—	—	—	—	46	4	6	2	—	4	1	1	132	—	—	60	1	6
Infant's boarding house, keeping unlicensed . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Insurance law, violation of . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Liquor, unlawful sale of . . . . .	543	360	97	457	462	50	43	159	4	67	53	—	28	33	84	1	—	1	8	29	462	—	—	220	23	22
Liquor, unlawful keeping and exposing for sale . . . . .	2,883	2,072	610	2,682	2,695	200	153	889	40	470	3	389	117	121	731	14	11	23	118	118	2,695	—	—	1,426	151	59
Liquor, unlawful manufacture of . . . . .	620	351	225	576	569	39	39	297	84	21	20	80	31	94	2	—	2	3	3	3	569	—	—	462	7	1
Liquor, unlawful transportation of . . . . .	234	221	7	228	221	4	4	120	4	21	21	10	3	46	4	—	1	1	12	12	221	—	—	87	61	11
Liquor, not keeping record of sales . . . . .	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Lodging house law, violation of . . . . .	55	25	20	45	45	2	2	18	—	1	1	1	5	7	11	—	—	—	—	—	45	—	—	30	1	5
Machine gun, unlawful possession of . . . . .	2	2	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	—	
Marriage ceremony, performing unlawfully . . . . .	10	10	—	10	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	10	5	—
Merchandise, sale and storage of, in public place . . . . .	414	352	2	354	377	—	—	286	—	—	—	—	79	3	4	1	1	1	1	2	377	—	—	199	17	55
Milk law, violation of . . . . .	11	11	—	11	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	
Peddling without a license . . . . .	42	41	—	41	41	—	—	22	—	—	—	—	15	—	1	3	—	—	—	1	41	—	—	17	2	9
Pharmacy law, violation of . . . . .	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Physician, practising unlawfully . . . . .	4	3	1	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	
Pistol or revolver, carrying without license . . . . .	78	74	2	76	78	1	30	12	5	—	—	—	11	11	12	1	—	2	1	4	78	—	—	16	16	16
Pool and billiard room, unlawfully admitting minor to . . . . .	3	3	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	
Public amusement, unlawfully maintaining . . . . .	7	6	1	7	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	1	—	
Pistol, selling unlawfully . . . . .	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Totals . . . . .	5,134	3,696	1,002	4,698	4,730	1	330	253	1,904	136	3	485	418	218	1,011	33	13	9	40	171	4,730	—	15	2,604	288	185



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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases reported.		Persons ARRESTED.		Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other institutions.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.																						
	Total.			Total.																						
Abduction . . . . .	6	6	6	1	6										3	2					6			1	1	
Abortion . . . . .	15	8	13	5	13						1				9	1					13			2	1	
Abortion, accessory to . . . . .	8	6	8	2	8										7	1					8			2	1	
Adultery . . . . .	272	149	253	104	250		60	34	69				14	58	25	5	1	6	12	6	250			88	54	8
Animals, cruelty to . . . . .	21	17	17	16	16										3	1					16			9	2	
Bastardy . . . . .	150	149	149	131	131		1	1					21	65	12	5	1	6	1	18	131			38	32	20
Bastard child, death of, concealing . . . . .				1	1										1	1					1			1	1	
Blasphemy . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1										1	1					2			1	1	
Conception, sale, etc., of article to prevent . . . . .	3	3	3	3	2										1	1					2			1	1	
Disorderly . . . . .	508	447	503	56	503										37	3	1				503			81	135	107
Disturbing the peace . . . . .	81	43	64	21	64				15						8	1					64			29	33	3
Drunkard, common . . . . .	5	3	5	2	5										2	1					4			2	1	
Drunkenness . . . . .	34,185	32,620	33,911	1,291	15,876		3,680	639	4,450	34			5,238	2,143	128	9	1	56	117	54	15,876			12,025	8,729	624
Eavesdropping . . . . .	8	4	4	1	4										1	1					4			1	1	
Enticing to unlawful intercourse . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1										1	1					1			1	1	
Female, annoying or accosting with offensive language . . . . .	68	50	51	1	51			9	16						7	7				1	51			12	13	10
Fornication . . . . .	600	273	580	307	580		50	20	275	2			55	66	60	8			57	9	580			123	169	60
Forced procession, disturbing . . . . .	2	2	2	2	2										2	2					2			1	2	1
Idle and disorderly persons . . . . .	373	123	334	211	333		87	22	19				23	80	75	15	2	1	15	16	333			59	44	48
Ill-tame, keeping house of . . . . .	75	15	66	51	66		16	8	11						9	25	1			3	66			24	3	
Incest . . . . .	4	3	3	1	3										1	1					3			2	1	

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases reported.		PERSONS ARRESTED		Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other in-stitutions.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	On file.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside au- thorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.															
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Total.																				Sentenced to fine and im- prisonment.	Imprisonment suspended.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside au- thorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
Indecent exposure of person	93		93	70																																		
Lewd and lascivious cohabitation	343		343	322																																		
Male, annoying and accosting	1	1	2	1																																		
Mann Act, violation of	1	1	2	1																																		
Miscarriage, attempt to procure	1	1	2	1																																		
Night-walking	91	1	92	43																																		
Noisy and disorderly house, keeping	29	8	37	15																																		
Obscene books and prints	23	2	25	19																																		
Open and gross lewdness	35	2	37	33																																		
Polygamy	12	9	21	11																																		
Premises, allowing to be used for immoral purposes	11	3	14	6																																		
Profane and obscene language, using	152	15	167	132																																		
Prostitute, deriving support from	19	5	24	17																																		
Prostitution, enticing to	8	5	13	7																																		
Public meetings, disturbing	69	55	124	56																																		
Sodomy and other unnatural practices	37	32	69	40																																		
Soliciting for a prostitute	2	1	3	1																																		
True name law, violation of	49	41	90	49																																		
Vagabond	129	127	256	130																																		
Vagrants, tramps, etc.	149	130	279	131																																		
Totals	37,641	34,747	72,388	37,067	18,498	2	4,204	808	5,046	42	5	4	5,524	2,020	524	124	15	73	210	151	18,498	18,837	44	12,793	9,477	987												

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases reported.		PERSONS ARRESTED.		Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to institutions other than State Prison.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Fine suspended.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.	Total.																							
Advertisement, fraudulent.	2	1	2																							
Automobile, failing to slow down at intersecting way.	3,854	3,699	3,759	3,647	4	4	2,477						974	21	61	45	7	51	6	1	3,647		112	717	1,526	450
Automobile, failing to slow down at approaching pedestrian.	92	88	88	94			80						9		3	1					94			21	13	2
Automobile, failing to stop within 8 ft. of street car.	87	80	82	90			62						22		2	1		2			90			16	27	8
Automobile, failing to stop after causing injury to person.	122	101	101	102	3	3	21						13	3	38	4		1			102			19	15	11
Automobile, failing to stop after causing injury to property.	206	182	188	202	4	4	68						25	4	77	15					202			31	65	19
Automobile, failing to stop on signal of police officer.	145	135	138	144	1	1	87						27	2	14	4		3	1	4	144			32	50	15
Automobile, improperly equipped.	104	83	83	179			103						55	2	8	3				8	179			14	43	4
Automobile law, miscellaneous violations of.	347	320	326	326	3	3	187						87	5	25	7		3			326			80	142	98
Automobile lights, improper.	1,460	1,251	1,276	1,381			920						417	5	15	6		15		3	1,381			260	420	128
Automobile, operating after suspension or revocation of license.	128	116	116	114	2	2	70						5	4	6					5	114			2	23	13
Automobile, operating after revocation of registration.	32	27	27	21	1	1	15						4	1							21			6	5	3
Automobile, operating negligently, endangering public safety.	1,297	1,185	1,213	1,250	13	13	588						94	30	380	35	2	5	4	72	1,250			233	372	164
Automobile, operating so as to exceed speed limits.	6,035	5,653	5,782	5,806			4,343						1,337	19	32	33		24	3	15	5,806			552	2,798	686
Automobile, operating under influence of liquor (1st offence).	669	653	659	662	73	25	359						8	17	123	11	3	1	4	54	662			121	222	37

TABLE XI. — Continued.

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases reported.		PERSONS ARRESTED.		Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to institutions other than State Prison.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Fine suspended.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.	Total.																							
Automobile, operating under influence of liquor (2nd offence)	46	—	45	44	19	1	3	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	9	1	1	—	1	9	44	—	1	6	—	—
Automobile, operating under influence of liquor (3rd offence)	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Automobile, operating under influence of liquor (4th offence)	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Automobile, operating without license on person	308	277	11	310	1	—	127	—	—	—	—	—	152	7	10	4	3	3	3	3	310	—	—	61	93	50
Automobile, operating without license so do	523	465	12	507	7	—	353	2	—	—	—	—	99	13	23	3	2	1	1	5	507	—	—	82	144	114
Automobile, operating without registration on person	299	246	4	250	460	—	259	—	—	—	—	—	175	9	5	4	5	—	—	3	460	—	—	44	90	38
Automobile plates, improper	179	165	183	—	—	—	110	—	—	—	—	—	59	3	2	8	8	—	—	1	183	—	—	33	58	22
Automobile road law, violation of	99	85	2	84	—	—	73	—	—	—	—	—	6	2	1	6	6	—	—	—	84	—	—	6	46	7
Automobile, uninsured	57	49	1	43	1	—	18	1	—	—	—	—	14	2	3	2	2	—	—	—	43	—	—	10	15	11
Automobile, unregistered	38	34	1	25	1	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	10	3	1	1	1	—	—	3	25	—	—	7	8	12
Ball bond	4	3	1	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	2	1	1
Bets, registering	30	25	—	25	25	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	25	—	—	6	5	5
Bribery	6	6	—	6	7	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	5	—	—
Bribe, accepting	1	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
Bucket shop, keeping	1	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
Building law, violation of	3	3	—	3	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	3	1	1
Business, failing to register with City Clerk	3	3	—	3	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	3	1	1
Capias	28	19	9	28	19	—	16	—	—	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	—	—	10	2	2
Children, delinquent	2,465	80	166	2,378	318	—	2	486	1,031	177	108	1	4	2	51	2,378	30	97	180	2,408	30	—	—	30	166	2,408
Children, neglected	172	86	166	112	20	—	63	4	13	4	13	1	11	112	11	112	—	—	—	11	112	—	—	—	166	172
Children, stubborn	136	67	61	128	126	—	17	81	13	13	5	—	17	81	13	5	—	—	—	2	124	—	—	14	128	136

Children, wayward	16	5	11	8	1																							9	11									
City ordinances, violation of	723	623	676	679	1	1	1	1	1	I	272	6																	352	152								
City Registrar, making false statements to	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	I	3																		20	5								
Common nuisance (liquor), maintaining	61	46	50	54	4	4	4	4	3	3	13																		5	1								
Common nuisance (other than liquor), main- taining	27	15	9	24	2	2	2	2	2	2	6																		5	1								
Common beggars	11	2	4	4	1	1	1	1	I	1	1																		1	1								
Common brewers	11	2	7	7	1	1	1	1	I	1	1																		3	1								
Concealed weapons (other than firearms), carrying	26	24	24	24	9	3	3	3	3	3	3																		10	2								
Conspiracy to obstruct justice	3	3	3	3																										3	1							
Contempt of court	33	33	33	27	2	2	2	2	2		95																		8	1								
Default warrant	811	713	799	724	30	5	100		4		100																	75	237	8	10							
Delinquent, aiding and abetting	1	1	1																											1	1							
Deserters from U. S. Army and Navy	23	22	22																										22	1	14	1						
Electricity law, violation of	4	3		3							1																			1	1							
Electrical work doing without a permit	1	1	1	1							1																				3							
Fine, nonpayment of	1	1	1	1							1																				1	1						
Fire alarm, giving false or tampering with	113	99	2	31	26	3	I	8																						29	2	9	2					
Fish and game law, violation of	13	13	13	12							11																			12	7	2	9	2				
Fugitive from justice	239	176	70	6							3																			70	14	33	7	7				
Gaming and being present at	490	478	2	480	479	2	82	302																						479	27	27	55	27				
Gaming house, keeping	22	10	1	11	11	2	1	7																						4			4	1				
Gaming implements, being present where found	220	200	19	219	218		38	166																							218	13	19	13	1			
Gaming on the Lord's day and being present at	1,002	974	28	1,002	1,004		98	892																								435	81	118	81	118		
Gas, unlawfully diverting	2	2	2	2																														2		2		
Harrison Act, violation of	3	3	3	3																																4	2	
Health law, violation of	45	40	4	44	56	1	17	25																											18	9	1	
Indictment for manslaughter, failing to answer jury, peddling	1		1	1	1	1	1	1																												1	1	
Justice, obstructing	1	1	1	1																																	1	1
Labor law, violation of	121	115	1	116	118	1	1	20																												1	1	
Lotteries and prize enterprises	382	335	28	363	331	6	31	241																												62	40	
National guard law, violation of	4	4	4				3	3																												9	158	
Narcotic drug law, violation of	384	351	35	419	412		14	302																												303	38	
Officer, assuming to be	3	3	3	3			3	3																												7	38	
Officer, obstructing	6	5	1	6	6	1	1																													1	2	
Parole, violating conditions of	7	7	7	7			I																													7	2	
Parole, violating conditions of	71	64	7	71	7	7	7	7																												64	9	
Petty and subornation of	9	6	3	9	9		2																													30	4	
Prisoner, escaped	7	7	7	4	4	3	2																													3	1	

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

NATURE OF OFFENCE	Cases reported.		PERSONS ARRESTED.		Cases prosecuted.	Sentenced to institutions other than State Prison.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Fine suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Fine suspended.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not pressed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Female.																						
Prisoner, aiding to escape . . . . .	2		2	1	1																1					
Prisoner, rescue or attempt to . . . . .	34	3	34	34	34	13	2	7					5								4		6		4	5
Probation, violation of conditions . . . . .	467	38	447	360	77	77	3	18					173	86							360		87	107	63	58
Railroad law, violation of . . . . .	91	88	2	90	1	1		48					39	2							90			24	26	30
Refusing to pay fare . . . . .	51	48	2	50	51	5	1	12	36				22	5	4	2				1	51			15	17	5
Regulations of Fire Commissioner, violation of . . . . .	35	30	3	33	31			19					10	1	1						31			17	5	
Regulations of Park Commissioner, violation of . . . . .	149	141	2	143	144			72	1				55	2	6	8					144			37	32	49
Regulations of Police Commissioner, violation of . . . . .	137	103	1	104	104	1		45					35	1	7	1	13				104			21	16	2
Regulations of Public Works Commissioner, violation of . . . . .																										
Regulations of School Committee, violation of . . . . .																										
Regulations of Street Commissioners (traffic) and Boston Traffic Commission, violation of . . . . .	12	12		12	9	1		2	2				5	1												6
Runaways . . . . .	20,186	15,352	319	15,671	15,742			12,369					2,978	46	112	148					17	15,742		1,445	8,403	573
Safe-keeping . . . . .	310	192	7	300	61	8	1						6								61	239		10	104	266
Secret indictment, U. S. Grand Jury . . . . .	1	1		1																	1			4	4	1
Securities Sales Act, violation of . . . . .	2	2		2	2																2				1	1
Signature, obtaining by fraud . . . . .	1	1		1	1																1				1	1
Slung shot, manufacturing . . . . .	1	1		1	1																1				1	1
Straggle . . . . .	1	1		1	1																1				1	1
Street railway transfers, misuse of . . . . .	46	43	3	46	46			34					12								46			16	1	3



Street car, wilfully obstructing . . . . .	1	149	41,050	48,547	41,050	1,501	42,551	39,471	788	218	25,740	137	37	3	21	8,573	1,541	1,519	527	21	300	56	374	39,471	2,989	743	6,778	10,444	6,753	
Sunday law, violation of . . . . .	127	2,817	2,681	2,817	139	2,749	142	142	1	1	80	80	1	1	1	33	5	14	1	1	142	1	1	1	142	2,749	4	445	91	11
Suspicious persons . . . . .	88	4	3	88	4	1	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
U. S. Customs laws, violation of . . . . .	6	8	6	6	8	2	8	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
U. S. Immigration law, violation of . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
U. S. National Bank funds, misappropriating . . . . .	5	5	5	5	5	1	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
U. S. Navy uniform, wearing unlawfully . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
U. S. Postal law, violation of . . . . .	95	95	92	95	95	3	95	92	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1
U. S. Prohibition Act, violation of . . . . .	4	4	2	4	4	2	4	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1
Witness, material . . . . .	6	6	6	6	6	1	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Weights and measures law, violation of . . . . .	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Totals . . . . .	48,547	41,050	41,050	48,547	41,050	1,501	42,551	39,471	788	218	25,740	137	37	3	21	8,573	1,541	1,519	527	21	300	56	374	39,471	2,989	743	6,778	10,444	6,753	

TABLE XI — Concluded.  
RECAPITULATION.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases reported.		PERSONS ARRESTED.		Cases prosecuted.		Sentenced to life imprisonment.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other institutions.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to fine and imprisonment.	Fine suspended.	Imprisonment suspended.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosed.	Defaulted.	Pending.	Totals.	Released or discharged at station.	Delivered to outside authorities.	Foreigners.	Nonresidents.	Minors.
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.																								
No. 1 Offences against the Person . . . . .	4,077	3,363	258	3,621	3,535	1	22	5067	482	178	482	10	6	—	2	457	907	665	189	76	37	12	175	3,535	—	119	1,296	445	250
No. 2 Offences against Property committed with violence . . . . .	1,026	386	8	394	400	—	13	126	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	55	76	61	16	26	7	2	18	400	—	3	32	61	145
No. 3 Offences against Property committed without violence . . . . .	4,913	2,668	658	3,326	3,272	—	10	697	159	159	308	11	2	—	2	360	927	473	116	69	33	42	235	3,272	—	76	740	928	723
No. 4 Malicious offences against Property . . . . .	286	200	14	214	210	—	1	11	7	7	53	1	—	—	—	47	53	28	4	3	4	—	6	210	—	5	45	31	30
No. 5 Forgery and offences against the Currency . . . . .	118	72	5	77	70	—	3	32	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	14	4	1	3	—	—	7	70	—	7	6	32	7
No. 6 Offences against the License Laws . . . . .	5,134	3,696	1,002	4,698	4,730	—	1	330	253	1,904	136	582	3	485	418	218	1,011	33	13	9	40	171	4,730	—	15	2,604	298	185	
No. 7 Offences against Clarity, etc.	37,641	34,747	2,320	37,067	18,498	—	2	4,204	808	5,046	42	5	—	4	5,824	2,620	524	124	15	73	210	151	18,498	18,537	44	12,763	9,477	987	
No. 8 Offences not included in the foregoing . . . . .	48,547	41,050	1,501	42,551	39,471	—	—	783	218	25,740	137	37	3	21	8,573	1,541	1,519	527	21	300	56	374	39,471	2,989	743	6,778	16,444	6,753	
Totals . . . . .	101,742	86,182	5,766	91,948	70,186	1	52	6,889	1,646	33,333	337	632	6	514	15,440	6,356	4,285	1,010	226	463	362	1,137	70,186	21,526	1,012	24,294	27,706	9,080	

TABLE XI — "A."  
 Supplementary.  
 Dispositions made during the Twelve Months ending November 30, 1929, of Certain Major Prosecutions which were Pending November 30, 1928.

NATURE OF OFFENCE.	Cases pending Nov. 30, 1928.													Totals.		
	Cases prosecuted. (Those only covered by this report.)	Sentenced to death.	Sentenced to life imprisonment.	Sentenced to the State Prison.	Sentenced to other institutions.	Sentence suspended.	Sentenced to a fine.	On file.	Probation.	Not guilty and discharged.	Case dismissed.	No bill.	Not prosced.		Defaulted.	Still pending.
<b>No. 1 Offences against the Person:</b>	37	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	5	12	2	6	—	1	—	36
Assault, aggravated	21	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	16	1	2	—	—	—	21
Manslaughter	7	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	7
Murder	8	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	8
Rape	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Robbery	26	—	—	1	7	—	—	2	1	6	2	7	—	—	—	26
<b>No. 2 Offences against Property committed with Violence</b>	61	—	—	3	17	—	—	1	17	7	5	9	1	—	—	61
Burglary—Breaking and entering	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>No. 3 Offences against Property committed without Violence:</b>	184	—	—	2	37	2	6	37	54	24	2	2	9	6	5	184
Larceny	25	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	25
Larceny of automobile	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	306	1	2	8	84	2	7	40	85	71	12	31	10	7	6	304

<sup>1</sup> One reduced to manslaughter.

Delivered to outside authorities.

TABLE XII.  
*Age and Sex of Persons Arrested.*

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

	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	2	186	13	576	35	663	36	556	40	479	51	365	30	231	27	139	15	101	3	58	4		
No. 2 . . .	-	-	124	-	114	4	73	4	27	-	20	-	9	-	7	-	3	-	2	-	6	-		
No. 3 . . .	-	1	483	85	538	111	461	116	360	97	288	91	188	60	155	44	82	21	51	18	52	14		
No. 4 . . .	-	-	24	-	51	1	47	1	31	1	22	4	11	1	5	-	4	2	2	3	3	1		
No. 5 . . .	-	-	6	-	15	2	11	2	22	1	5	-	4	-	2	-	3	-	4	-	-	-		
No. 6 . . .	-	-	157	12	492	60	536	135	520	169	574	207	486	155	393	109	244	75	121	48	169	32		
No. 7 . . .	9	2	724	128	3,443	301	4,985	360	4,996	339	5,032	319	4,399	294	4,050	231	2,854	165	2,190	88	2,026	87		
No. 8 . . .	191	56	4,206	280	7,683	212	8,151	242	7,880	228	5,038	174	2,964	101	1,752	42	1,105	33	519	9	356	14		
Totals	201	60	1,267	113	12,912	726	14,927	896	14,392	875	11,458	846	8,426	641	6,595	453	4,434	311	2,990	169	2,070	152		

TABLE XIII.  
Comparative Statement of Police Criminal Work, 1925 to 1929, inclusive.

YEAR.	Estimated Population.	Number of Persons Arrested.	Percentage of Arrests.	Amount of Property Reported Stolen in and out of the City.	Amount of Property Recovered in and out of 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.
1925 .	880,367	83,145	9.44	\$2,366,939 23	\$2,804,798 15	\$442,404 00	2,430	58,562	\$17,354 16
1926 .	886,807	84,273	9.50	1,803,519 18	2,214,100 62	391,169 50	2,282 $\frac{1}{2}$	50,674	14,593 60
1927 .	892,723	88,878	9.95	1,421,731 11	2,100,248 24	394,223 25	2,118 $\frac{1}{2}$	55,268	13,924 18
1928 .	898,146	95,807	10.66	1,516,623 37	2,881,110 36	493,577 00	2,446 $\frac{1}{2}$	59,739	14,790 26
1929 .	903,107	91,948	10.18	1,607,046 62	3,580,849 30	471,194 00	2,381 $\frac{1}{2}$	56,032	13,377 01
Averages .	892,230	88,810	9.94	\$1,743,171 90	\$2,716,221 33	\$438,513 55	2,332	56,055	\$14,807 84



Damage to police property . . . . .									1,351 32
Miscellaneous item . . . . .									42 03
Received, cash adjustment . . . . .									2 80
Received, excess telephone calls . . . . .									100 58
Received, interest on deposits . . . . .									145 27
Received, New England Telephone & Telegraph Company (commission on automatic pay station)									49 82
Refund by police officers on account of pay . . . . .									3,757 23
Refund, expense incurred by prisoners . . . . .									45 00
Refund on hospital service . . . . .									159 06
Refund on officers' bond . . . . .									10 00
Refund on storage of automobiles abandoned . . . . .									329 45
Refund on transfer of automobile registration . . . . .									4 00
Sale of condemned property . . . . .									30 35
Sale of lost, abandoned and stolen property . . . . .									352 58
Sale of auctioneers' record books . . . . .									1,920 76
Sale of old listing cards . . . . .									9 20
Sale of pawnbrokers' and second-hand articles report blanks . . . . .									1,488 00
Uniform cloth, etc. . . . .									318 69
Use of police property . . . . .									31 60
Totals . . . . .	27,818	27,253	326	1,236	32	432	2,440	80,578 24	
Credit by the City Collector for sale of pocket directories to Hospital and Traffic Departments . . . . .									36 00
Grand total . . . . .									80,614 24

<sup>1</sup> Refund of \$1 on last year's license.      <sup>2</sup> 9 "no fee."      <sup>3</sup> 1 at 25, 1 "no fee."      <sup>4</sup> 4 "no fee."      <sup>5</sup> 731 "no fee," 5 at 50c

<sup>6</sup> 3 "no fee."      <sup>7</sup> 3 "no fee," 28 at \$25.



TABLE XV.

*Number of Dog Licenses Issued during the Year ending  
November 30, 1929.*

DIVISIONS.	Males.	Females.	Spayed.	Breeders.	Total.
1 . . . . .	60	19	1	2	82
2 . . . . .	8	1	—	—	9
3 . . . . .	244	89	17	2	352
4 . . . . .	77	37	6	—	120
5 . . . . .	353	108	26	1 <sup>1</sup>	488
6 . . . . .	196	60	9	—	265
7 . . . . .	609	186	22	1	818
8 . . . . .	1	—	—	—	1
9 . . . . .	574	121	44	—	739
10 . . . . .	510	151	50	—	711
11 . . . . .	925	140	99	1	1,165
12 . . . . .	388	100	39	—	527
13 . . . . .	587	130	76	1	794
14 . . . . .	605	147	87	2	841
15 . . . . .	361	125	23	—	509
16 . . . . .	430	139	68	—	637
17 . . . . .	1,097	182	179	1	1,459
18 . . . . .	454	96	52	—	602
19 . . . . .	435	62	52	—	549
Totals . . . . .	7,914	1,893	850	11	10,668

<sup>1</sup> Breeder's license at \$50.

TABLE XVI.

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

Division 1 . . . . .	921	Division 12 . . . . .	40
Division 2 . . . . .	1,229	Division 13 . . . . .	70
Division 3 . . . . .	84	Division 14 . . . . .	61
Division 4 . . . . .	326	Division 15 . . . . .	79
Division 5 . . . . .	144	Division 16 . . . . .	106
Division 6 . . . . .	382	Division 17 . . . . .	37
Division 7 . . . . .	68	Division 18 . . . . .	44
Division 9 . . . . .	252	Division 19 . . . . .	40
Division 10 . . . . .	58		
Division 11 . . . . .	61	Total . . . . .	4,002 <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>One hundred ninety-seven canceled for nonpayment of license fee.

TABLE XVII.

*Financial Statement for the Year ending November 30, 1929.*

EXPENDITURES.	
Pay of police and employees . . . . .	\$5,066,191 12
Pensions . . . . .	251,149 66
Fuel and light . . . . .	65,470 46
Water and ice . . . . .	1,798 70
Furniture and bedding . . . . .	8,597 37
Printing and stationery . . . . .	33,146 26
Care and cleaning of station houses and city prison . . . . .	17,944 27
Repairs to station houses and city prison . . . . .	28,542 57
Repairs and supplies for police boats . . . . .	23,342 69
Telephone rentals, tolls and telegrams . . . . .	28,134 72
Purchase of horses, saddlery and motor vehicles . . . . .	47,028 42
Care and keeping of horses . . . . .	8,357 56
Care and repair of motor vehicles . . . . .	53,439 70
Feeding prisoners . . . . .	4,719 10
Medical attendance and medicine . . . . .	8,616 56
Transportation . . . . .	7,365 13
Pursuit of criminals . . . . .	12,046 38
Uniforms and uniform caps . . . . .	114,001 69
Badges, buttons, clubs, belts, insignia, etc. . . . .	11,932 59
Traveling expenses and food for police . . . . .	2,295 39
Rent of buildings . . . . .	5,080 00
Traffic signs and signals . . . . .	16,724 37
Legal and other expert services . . . . .	2,575 52
Storage on abandoned and stolen cars . . . . .	1,303 22
Shooting gallery, flag staffs, etc. . . . .	1,163 59
Music for police parade . . . . .	470 00
Membership and fees in rifle association . . . . .	216 00
Shrubbery for station house grounds . . . . .	150 50
Memorial wreaths for graves of police . . . . .	72 00
Total . . . . .	\$5,821,875 54
Expenses of listing . . . . .	59,153 69
Expenses of signal service (see Table XVIII) . . . . .	61,190 72
Total . . . . .	\$5,942,219 95
RECEIPTS.	
For all licenses issued by the Police Commissioner . . . . .	\$42,567 75
For dog licenses (credited to school department) . . . . .	27,293 00
Sale of condemned, lost, stolen and abandoned property . . . . .	2,282 54
For license badges, copies of licenses, commissions on telephone, interest on deposits, uniform cloth, use of police property, etc. . . . .	2,734 06
Refunds . . . . .	4,307 54
For damage to police property . . . . .	1,351 32
Miscellaneous item . . . . .	42 03
Sale of street pocket directories (credit by City Collector) . . . . .	36 00
Total . . . . .	\$80,614 24

## TABLE XVIII.

*Payments on Account of the Signal Service during the Year ending  
November 30, 1929.*

Pay rolls . . . . .	\$37,878 24
Signalling apparatus, repairs and supplies therefor . . .	13,287 65
Rent of part of building . . . . .	1,000 00
Care and repairs of building . . . . .	60 12
Purchase of truck, coupé and sedan . . . . .	4,601 75
Storage and repairs of motor vehicles . . . . .	1,254 83
Car fares . . . . .	629 90
Prescribed underground work . . . . .	2,478 23
Total . . . . .	\$61,190 72

TABLE XIX.  
*Reports of Accidents in the Streets, Parks and Squares for the Year ending November 30, 1929.*

CAUSE.	Division 1.		Division 2.		Division 3.		Division 4.		Division 5.		Division 6.		Division 7.		Division 9.		Division 10.		Division 11.		
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	
Heavy carts, vans, drays . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Light carts . . . . .	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Licensed carriages . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fire engines . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bicycles . . . . .	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Street cars . . . . .	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Automobiles . . . . .	3	237	—	220	—	247	—	108	—	447	—	9	—	3	—	4	—	2	—	11	—
Defects in streets . . . . .	—	12	—	12	—	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Falling objects . . . . .	—	5	—	8	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Falls, various causes . . . . .	—	24	—	14	—	61	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Excavations in streets . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Motorcycles . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Railroad trains . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Acrobacies . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coasting . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cut by glass . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bitten by dogs . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manhole explosion . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Miscellaneous . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total killed . . . . .	4	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	7	—	10	—	8	—	17	—	12	—	11	—	—
Total injured . . . . .	—	283	—	331	—	331	—	239	—	509	—	276	—	562	—	576	—	282	—	379	—



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, 1929.*

WARDS.	Precinct 1.	Precinct 2.	Precinct 3.	Precinct 4.	Precinct 5.	Precinct 6.	Precinct 7.	Precinct 8.	Precinct 9.	Precinct 10.
Ward 1	2,476	1,891	2,015	3,665	2,748	1,817	1,504	1,561	1,411	1,250
Ward 2	1,383	1,014	947	1,078	955	1,143	1,017	1,098	1,148	963
Ward 3	5,522	4,861	3,953	3,308	2,997	2,356	1,963	3,298	3,581	2,825
Ward 4	2,247	1,904	700	1,822	1,654	2,027	1,788	1,498	1,514	1,757
Ward 5	2,308	2,303	1,476	1,571	1,554	2,568	1,555	1,538	860	1,479
Ward 6	1,629	1,522	1,601	1,529	1,761	1,725	1,054	1,333	1,184	1,340
Ward 7	1,401	1,295	1,536	1,289	1,003	1,173	1,231	1,220	1,293	1,240
Ward 8	1,235	1,353	1,828	1,680	1,982	1,332	1,300	1,252	1,406	1,164
Ward 9	1,945	2,322	2,053	1,770	1,631	1,563	1,464	1,323	1,682	1,178
Ward 10	1,338	1,298	1,047	1,153	971	935	1,100	1,155	1,230	1,503
Ward 11	1,481	1,180	1,128	1,031	1,168	1,477	1,371	1,222	1,317	1,210
Ward 12	1,288	1,139	1,241	1,207	1,054	1,199	1,583	1,487	1,232	1,430
Ward 13	1,179	1,259	1,489	1,575	1,415	1,165	1,059	1,146	799	955
Ward 14	1,966	2,071	2,023	1,572	1,427	1,205	1,449	1,778	1,662	1,716
Ward 15	1,382	996	1,199	1,219	1,107	1,092	1,067	1,120	1,165	1,272
Ward 16	1,050	1,240	1,100	1,140	1,754	1,396	1,206	1,092	1,139	1,420
Ward 17	972	927	959	1,064	968	1,012	1,037	1,259	1,170	885
Ward 18	1,450	2,068	1,454	2,139	1,386	1,538	1,346	1,908	1,432	922
Ward 19	1,038	1,351	1,234	1,337	1,201	1,239	1,031	1,093	1,619	1,242
Ward 20	1,003	1,320	1,091	961	1,201	1,788	969	1,240	1,470	1,067
Ward 21	1,829	1,697	1,678	1,161	1,068	1,580	1,777	2,058	1,037	1,050
Ward 22	919	1,486	1,114	993	1,451	1,367	1,100	1,177	1,803	1,675

TABLE XX. — Concluded.

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, 1929.

WARDS.	Precinct 11.	Precinct 12.	Precinct 13.	Precinct 14.	Precinct 15.	Precinct 16.	Precinct 17.	Precinct 18.	Precinct 19.	Totals.
Ward 1	1,502	2,020	1,388	1,392	1,063	1,323	1,382	813	1,382	32,603
Ward 2	994	1,047	1,090	1,266	1,296	1,047	1,562	—	—	19,078
Ward 3	2,551	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37,125
Ward 4	1,670	1,807	1,533	1,359	2,335	—	—	—	—	25,615
Ward 5	1,069	1,624	1,076	1,608	1,803	—	—	—	—	24,392
Ward 6	1,239	994	1,180	1,035	1,139	—	—	—	—	20,205
Ward 7	1,272	983	1,008	1,168	1,051	1,225	—	—	—	19,388
Ward 8	1,355	1,519	1,372	1,397	—	—	—	—	—	20,155
Ward 9	1,056	1,002	1,149	1,066	1,235	—	—	—	—	22,439
Ward 10	916	1,271	1,215	1,016	969	1,202	—	—	—	18,319
Ward 11	1,337	1,097	874	1,797	948	—	—	—	—	18,638
Ward 12	1,279	1,886	1,489	1,578	1,636	2,204	—	—	—	22,632
Ward 13	978	895	1,144	951	1,084	1,358	—	—	—	18,451
Ward 14	1,257	2,650	2,805	2,331	3,025	2,465	—	—	—	31,102
Ward 15	1,190	1,260	1,056	1,168	1,387	—	—	—	—	17,680
Ward 16	1,728	1,545	1,280	1,564	1,493	—	—	—	—	20,126
Ward 17	1,571	1,349	1,159	1,287	2,008	1,104	1,128	—	—	19,859
Ward 18	1,657	1,554	1,070	1,379	817	1,354	—	—	—	23,514
Ward 19	1,200	1,104	1,910	901	998	—	—	—	—	18,617
Ward 20	1,340	1,195	1,292	1,156	1,455	1,666	—	—	—	20,124
Ward 21	2,314	1,694	1,839	2,019	1,400	—	—	—	—	24,201
Ward 22	1,303	1,349	1,114	1,776	—	—	—	—	—	18,627
Total	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	493,250

NOTE: — There were 6,937 applications for supplementary listings in 1929 investigated and return made to the Election Commissioners. By the provisions of chapter 410 of the Acts of 1924, effective April 1, 1925, the city was redistricted into twenty-two wards.



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