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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON.

FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1914 TO

NOVEMBER 30th, 1915.

LOUIS M. LANG, CHIEF OF POLICE.

The City of Seattle  
Washington

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

WHEN ANSWERING  
KINDLY REFER TO  
INITIALS L.M.I.

January 1st, 1916.

Hon. H. C. Gill, Mayor,  
City of Seattle.

Dear Sir:-

I herewith present to you my report for the fiscal year 1915, together with such information and statistics as are required by the City Charter; recommendations and suggestions I deem consistent and necessary for the efficiency of the Department of Police. I have eliminated from it everything possible, except the facts, figures and terse recommendations in which you may be interested, and it has been my desire to have it presented in such form that you may readily refer to any portion of the statistical data which you may have occasion to examine.

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I would respectfully recommend that the Department be increased by one hundred and fifty (150) additional men, for duty in the suburbs, traffic crossings and docks.

Our fast growing harbor requires the service of a large and fast Patrol boat with a continuous twenty-four hour service. At present the service is sixteen hours. As soon as the Lake Washington Canal is opened the present Patrol boat should be transferred to service on Lakes Washington and Union. The City of Seattle has large property holdings on the waterfront, and the numerous privately owned docks and water-front establishments are entitled to better police protection. I, therefore, recommend that a Precinct be established and be consolidated with the Port Warden's Office, to be known as the "Harbor Patrol".

Precinct #1 should be divided into two precincts, with a station-house erected on property owned by the City at Fourth Avenue and Bell St. This will relieve the heavy work now done at this precinct and will give more room, the present quarters being over-crowded.

At the present time no facilities are provided for drying the clothing of men coming off duty in inclement weather; there is also no room provided for men on reserve duty. In addition to this a gallery for revolver practice should be equipped; also a gymnasium and school room. The Department is very much in need of these facilities, and they should be provided for when the changes are made in the City Hall.

During the year a school for Police Officers was established in charge of Sergeant Clarence G. Carr. A number of text books bearing on Police work were purchased and placed in use. This school met with instant success and was largely attended by the older members of the Department, many of whom purchased the text books outright. The men appointed during the year are now far enough advanced to receive the lecture courses, which will be given this winter by eminent Lawyers, on City Ordinances, State Laws, Criminal Law and Misdemeanors; by Engineers on Traffic and Street Railways; and the Medical Profession will lecture on "First Aid". These lectures will be given at stated days so all may attend when off duty. A marked improvement has been made in the presentation of evidence in the Police Court, all due to the Police School of the past year.

Numerous changes were made in the Traffic Squad, the result being shown by the many commendations received in this office.

The establishment of Precincts in charge of superior officers, and holding them responsible for condition of affairs and their men in the several precincts, has materially increased the efficiency of the Department. In fact, there is a very noticeable change in the attitude of the public toward this Department; a better feeling is now existing and I sincerely hope will continue.

In December 1914, two Auto Patrols were placed in commission from 8:00 P.M. until 4:00 A.M. daily, in the Hill Districts. From the beginning they have proven their worth; numerous depredations were prevented and many evil doers apprehended. A Sergeant and driver in plain clothes maned these Auto Patrols, and they average fifty-five (55) miles per tour of duty. Officers on post were more alert as it was not known when this Auto would come into their post. They also made emergency calls in their district, on calls from Patrol boxes, thus relieving the Motorcycle Squad to some extent. I intend to increase this Patrol by one additional machine this year.

At the present time we have four types of Automobiles and two of Motorcycles, necessitating the carrying of repair parts for obsolete machines. This equipment should all be disposed of and one type of motor-vehicle purchased. This will facilitate repairs, carrying one make of parts, and avoid long time lay-up of machines.

During the year we have made for the Health Dept. 261 trips, a total of 1042 miles; for the City Council 26 trips, a total of 976 miles; for the Law Dept. 2 trips, a total of 156 miles; for the Board of Public Works 2 trips, a total of 174 miles; and the patrol wagon service carried a total of 367 prisoners to hospitals and homes. Some arrangement should be made whereby the several departments of the City using automobiles of this Department should pay for the use of machines, in order to reduce the expense of maintenance. At the present time we are practically doing all hospital work, except the emergency calls for an ambulance which are served by a contractor. I think it is but just and fair that this Department should receive some compensation for this work of other departments.

Special attention is called to the Statement concerning the City Stockade. It will not be long before this institution will have to be moved from its present site by reason of the land all being cleared. Prior to my incumbency very little, if any, farm truck was raised, the men being out on Park Board work continually. This year, however, very near all the vegetables for our use were raised, and twenty-seven tons of potatoes stored for the winter, a considerable quantity of vegetables also being stored. The stock was materially increased, and the pork traded for beef in December. A good start has been made along these lines for the coming year, but unless a new site is found for this institution at once all that has been gained during the past year will be lost.

I also desire to call your attention to the fact that the Park Board pays the salary of four regular guards of ninety-five dollars, (\$95.00), each, per month. This is the only contribution that we receive from the Park Board for the maintenance of this institution. All other items are charged to the Department of Police. Even the tools and appliances necessary for the clearing of land are purchased from Police funds. As the work of the inmates of this institution is for the benefit of the Park Department, it seems to me but just that the entire charge for their care should be from Park Department funds only, and not from the budget of the Department of Police.

At the present time the Park Department has its own Special Police Officers. In many instances this causes confusion and unjust claims being placed against officers of this Department. I, therefore, respectfully recommend that these officers be placed under the jurisdiction of this Department.

The City of Seattle and King County are now running separate institutions as to Jails and Stockades. These institutions should be consolidated and placed in charge of one Superintendent. A prison farm should be established, suitable buildings erected thereon, one unit for men and one for women with all the necessary facilities to properly house the inmates. By doing so a material reduction in the maintenance cost will appear also in the pay rolls. A farm of suitable size should be acquired so that the inmates may be in the open air and have an opportunity to recuperate. The City has numerous and widely scattered pieces of land which might be disposed of, and join with the County in establishing one large plant where all could be housed and properly looked after.

There is a movement on foot for the consolidation of the City and County Jails. I understand that there is considerable opposition from the Sheriff's office along this line, and that the intent is to install a County Jail in the present City building. This, I think, will be unwise at the present time. I would suggest that the necessary action be taken and a bill introduced in the next legislature, consolidating the City and County Jails, the City Jail to continue as it is at present and also the County Jail to remain where it is until this legislation is enacted, and then the necessary changes made in the

present City Jail for the housing of all short time prisoners therein. I would consider it a useless expense to install a County Jail in the present City Hall.

In investigating many Juvenile cases officers are oftentimes led into embarrassing situations when young girls have to be questioned. It is a rule of the Department that such young girls are questioned only by Police Women. Mothers of wayward girls, and other women, can report and discuss matters of an immoral nature with women officers with but little embarrassment. Many more such cases are reported to this Department than formerly, because such persons do not hesitate to make a report, knowing they will talk to Police Women.

The minor girls referred to this Division, for protection and assistance during the past year, number 596. Of these, 113 were formally referred to the Juvenile Court, either as dependent or delinquent cases; and 63 informal cases were referred for advice or aid to the Court.

The number of men prosecuted for crimes against minor girls, is 19. Of this number 17 were convicted. The number of women prosecuted for similar offenses, was three, all of whom were convicted. Three cases were referred to the Federal officers.

The number of adult women protected and advised in different way, by this Division, is 250. Of this number 44 were delinquent cases and referred to Court; for 12 entrance was obtained to the protective homes of the City; for 11 marriages were arranged; 8 were sent to the County or City Hospitals; 16 were referred to the Sanity Commission and committed to State Hospitals; and 35 were directly aided in the securing of employment.

The number of humane cases investigated and assisted by our women officers, is 353. These were largely family cases. In our effort to aid, valuable co-operation has been secured from the Free Employment Bureau, our Charity Commissioner, Charity Organizations, Catholic Betterment League; Hebrew Charity Organization, and the City Department of Health & Sanitation, of which the Child's Welfare Division has rendered valuable assistance in the care of children.

Considerable clothing has been donated by various societies to this Division, and has been distributed throughout the year to the families which we have handled. Through our recommendations to the Times and Post-Intelligencer, and to Fraternal Organizations, seventy-five families were provided with Thanksgiving and Christmas supplies and clothing.

Too much emphasis cannot be placed upon the value of the work done by our women officers at the docks and stations, as Traveller's Aids. More than twelve thousand boats and trains were met, the women and girls aided and instructed by them as to safe places for the night, or assisted from one station or dock to another, thus decreasing the dangers to the inexperienced traveller. Quite frequently the girl or woman is a foreigner, who, without this friendly interference and aid, would often be delayed in reaching her destination.

That our women prisoners are handled by a Woman Bailiff in Police Court cannot be too highly appreciated. The number of women handled by her during this year, was 1418. The discouraging phase, however, of this part of the work is that the City possesses no place for the reformation of these women when sentenced, except the City Jail where the space is entirely inadequate, with no possibility of the segregation which many of the cases sadly need, and no opportunity for sustained employment which is often the factor most needed in their recovery to mental and physical balance.

The Police Band has perfected itself to a considerable degree of efficiency. During the summer it appeared in numerous concerts in our public Parks, and also at Mirlands, which was greatly appreciated. Its trip to the Panama-Pacific-International Exposition at San Francisco, California, on its own time and expense, playing at Hospitals and Hotels, added to the delight of many visitors at the Exposition. Financially, it is on a sound basis, and the members are proud of their organization. As an amateur organization I do not believe it has an equal on the Coast.

It is very gratifying to report that there will be no deficiency in our budget for 1915. Only one small item of \$350.00 additional was incurred this year; \$100.00 for the purpose of the Liberty Bell Celebration, and \$250.00 for the purpose of purchasing rope required during the Shrine Convention week, this rope now being on hand. No other additional expense has been incurred, although we have had a near car strike riot and a strike of longshoremen on the water-front. No additional patrolmen were necessary, and all the work was handled by the present force. It certainly reflects great credit upon the men of this Department for the efficient manner in which they handled the vast crowds of people during this year's conventions; and also considerable credit is due for the vigilance displayed in preventing any large "trick" being pulled off.

I heartily concur with the within report for the Police Signal System, submitted by Howard Joblyn, City Electrician.

Respectfully submitted,

*Louis M. Laug*  
Chief of Police.

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FROM, DECEMBER 1ST, 1914 - - - TO NOVEMBER 30th, 1915

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STATEMENT "A"

TABULATED RECORD OF ARRESTS AND DISPOSITIONS THEREOF  
 FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1914 TO NOVEMBER 30th, 1915

	RELEASED.	SUSPENDED.	COMMITTED.	FINED.	PENDING.	TOTAL.
Assault, 1st degree	3	-	2	1	-	6
" " 2nd "	9	-	9	9	7	34
" " 3rd "	17	2	7	20	5	51
Arson,	2	-	4	1	-	7
Adultery,	2	-	3	1	-	6
Abandoning family,	3	3	3	1	5	15
Abduction,	1	-	-	-	1	2
Accepting earnings of a prostitute.	1	-	-	-	1	2
Abortion	1	-	1	-	-	2
Begging	52	58	597	1	-	708
Blackmail	-	-	-	-	1	1
Burglary, 1st degree	3	-	3	-	-	6
" " 2nd "	32	3	63	-	6	104
Bribery	1	-	-	2	-	3
Being abroad at night	19	61	49	3	-	132
Concealed weapons,	20	5	77	23	1	126
Cruelty to animals	-	-	-	3	-	3
Conducting opium joint	-	-	-	1	-	1
Contempt of Court	-	-	2	1	-	4

STATEMENT "A" CONTINUED.

	RELEASED.	SUSPENDED.	COMMITTED.	FINED.	PENDING.	TOTAL
Contributing to delinquency of minor.	1	2	-	1	-	4
Counterfeiting	1	-	5	-	1	7
General knowledge of female child.	4	-	2	-	-	6
Conspiracy	1	-	-	-	-	1
Discharging firearms in limits.	4	2	1	8	-	15
Distributing bills on St.2	-	1	-	1	-	4
Defrauding innkeeper	1	-	-	1	-	2
Disorderly person	663	639	1157	162	-	2621
Disorderly conduct	476	368	632	243	-	1719
Drunk	59	46	99	34	-	238
Drunk and disorderly	104	158	395	166	-	823
Disorderly house	13	4	4	14	2	37
Expectorating in Public Place	-	-	-	2	-	2
Extortion	1	-	1	-	2	4
Exhibiting indecent pictures	1	-	1	2	-	4
Fishing without a Lic.	-	-	-	1	-	1
Failure to Support Family -	6	1	16	1	2	26
Fighting	78	83	119	106	-	386

STATEMENT "A" CONTINUED.

	RELEASED.	SUSPENDED.	COMMITTED.	FINED.	PENDING.	TOTAL.
Forgery, 1st degree	8	2	24	1	7	42
Fraudulent Advertising	2	-	-	1	-	3
Fraudulent destruction of insured property.	1	-	-	1	-	2
Gambling	159	91	119	269	2	640
Having morphine in possession.	-	-	4	-	-	4
Having worthless currency in possession.	-	-	1	-	-	1
Having Yen-Shee in possession.	-	-	1	-	-	1
Indecent conduct	6	3	7	3	1	20
Impersonating officer	2	1	4	-	-	7
Insane	61	-	168	-	10	239
Indecent assault	3	-	3	1	1	8
Indecent exposure	1	3	9	4	-	17
Interfering with officer	7	6	4	3	-	20
Injury to property	10	2	3	-	-	15
Jail breaker	-	-	1	-	-	1
Kidnaping	1	-	-	-	-	1
Larceny, grand	49	6	63	-	19	137
" petit	36	9	68	58	4	175
Larceny by bailee	-	-	-	-	1	1

STATEMENT "A" CONTINUED.

	RELEASED.	SUSPENDED.	COMMITTED.	FINED.	PENDING.	TOTAL.
Lewdness	2	-	-	1	-	3
Loitering around saloons	18	54	89	1	-	162
Loitering around pool-rooms	-	5	-	-	-	5
Maintaining gambling house	2	-	-	17	1	20
Malicious Destruction of property	1	-	-	4	1	6
Murder, 1st degree.	1	1	5	-	2	9
" 2nd degree.	1	-	-	-	-	1
Manlaughter	7	-	2	-	-	9
Obtaining money under false pretenses.	-	-	-	1	-	1
On warrant	45	11	12	41	3	112
Obstructing street	1	-	-	4	1	6
Prostitution	40	23	59	55	11	188
Passing worthless currency-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Peddling in limits	1	-	3	5	-	9
Peddling no license	16	15	23	28	-	82
Printing obscene literature.	-	-	-	1	-	1
Permitting vicious dog to run at large.	-	2	-	1	-	3
Peace bond	-	-	-	1	-	1

STATEMENT "A" CONTINUED.

	RELEASED.	SUSPENDED.	COMMITTED.	FINED.	PENDING.	TOTAL.
Practicing medicine without a license.	-	-	-	2	-	2
Robbery	19	1	23	-	3	46
Rape and attempt	-	-	1	-	-	1
Receiving stolen goods.	-	-	2	-	-	2
Reckless driving	49	8	5	41	2	105
Surrendered by bondsmen	-	-	3	-	-	3
Smoking opium	3	3	8	5	1	20
Serve sentence	-	-	17	3	-	20
Selling liquor no license	5	1	31	34	8	89
Selling liquor to minor	1	-	1	1	1	4
Selling cigarettes to minor	1	-	-	1	-	2
Selling cigarette papers to minor.	1	-	-	-	-	1
Selling opium	-	-	-	-	1	1
Sodomy	-	-	1	-	-	1
Smuggling	2	-	-	-	3	5
Sleeping in box car	-	19	44	-	-	63
Selling cocaine no prescription	1	-	3	2	-	6
Seduction	1	-	-	-	-	1
Street car speeding	9	-	-	-	-	9

STATEMENT "A" CONTINUED.

	RELEASED.	SUSPENDED.	COMMITTED.	FINED.	PENDING.	TOTAL.
Threat to Kill	6	-	1	-	1	8
Trespass	3	-	3	7	-	13
Using profane language	4	-	-	2	-	6
Unlawful assemblage	-	-	21	-	-	21
Vagrancy	23	5	35	7	-	70
Vio. Auctioneers Ord.	1	-	-	-	-	1
" Passage Ord.	-	-	3	-	-	3
" Billposting Ord.	7	-	-	2	-	9
" Building Ord.	5	3	-	5	-	13
" Depot Ord.	5	3	-	16	-	24
" Engineers Ord.	5	3	1	11	-	20
" Employment Ord.	4	-	-	3	-	7
" Garbage Ord.	-	-	-	2	-	2
" Hack Ord.	1	1	1	5	3	11
" Hotel Ord.	2	2	-	4	-	8
" Health Ord.	56	17	41	115	1	230
" Junk Ord.	4	-	-	-	-	4
" Milk Ord.	-	-	-	4	-	4
" 1 o'clock closing Ord.	-	-	-	4	1	5
" Park Ord.	2	5	-	29	-	36

STATEMENT "A" CONTINUED.

	RELEASED.	SUSPENDED.	COMPLETED.	FINED.	PENDING..	TOTAL.
Vio. Postal Law	-	-	-	1	-	1
" Pawnbrokers Ord.	1	2	-	2	-	5
" Poolroom Ord.	3	-	-	-	-	3
" Sunday closing law	1	4	4	11	-	20
" Traffic laws and Ordinances	254	167	16	1103	3	1543
" Auto speeding	92	95	62	376	-	625
" Driving motorvehicle while intoxicated	7	2	2	6	-	17
" Failing to report accident	1	-	-	-	-	1
" Motorcycle speeding	4	2	3	16	-	25
" Operating vehicle no license	7	2	-	13	-	22
" Taking auto without owners permission	4	-	-	-	-	4
" Weights and measures Ord.	6	5	-	25	-	36
White Slavery	-	-	4	-	-	4

MISCELLANEOUS ARRESTS.

Accident	80
Delinquent	464
Deserter	13
Fugitive	129

STATEMENT "A"

DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND LABOR

TO GOVERNMENT

Number given lodging during the year

Occupation	Number given lodging during the year
Accountant	31
Artist	5
Archivist	1
Author	36
Attorney	22
Bookbinder	1
Butcher	4
Carpenter	61
Chemist	9
Baseball Player	1
Clockmaker	61
Cook	31
Electrician	51
Engraver	27
Bookkeeper	57
Farmer	2
Belong	36
Bookkeeper	22
Butcher	4
Business Man	71
Child Worker	9
Cook	31
Electrician	1
Carpenter	21

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Category	Number
Injured	570
Lost	135
Investigation	481
Sick	286
Safe Keeping	339
Suicide and attempt	44
Witnesses	667
Sober drunk	3680
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>19127</b>

STATEMENT "A" CONTINUED.

TOTAL.

## STATEMENT "B".

OCCUPATIONS OF PERSONS ARRESTED FROM DECEMBER 1ST, 1914  
TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1915.

Agent	91	Clerk	453
Artist	9	Cook	365
Architect	6	Contractor	91
Actor	38	Chauffeur	1299
Actress	12	Cigar Maker	1
Auctioneer	1	Dishwasher	40
Barber	99	Domestic	370
Baker	69	Dentist	9
Bartender	96	Druggist	27
Baseball Player	4	Draughtsman	8
Blacksmith	63	Deputy Sheriff	1
Broker	31	Doctor	64
Boilermaker	51	Engineer	179
Brickmason	27	Electrician	112
Bookkeeper	57	Expressman	39
Boxmaker	2	Engraver	7
Bellboy	30	Editor	3
Bootblack	22	Farmer	124
Butcher	90	Fireman	200
Business Man	3	Fisherman	136
Candy Maker	8	Fortune Teller	11
Caulker	2	Gardener	31
Clamdigger	4	Glazier	1
Carpenter	244	Harness Maker	6

## STATEMENT "B"

STATEMENT "B".  
(Continued)

Hostler	6	Millhand	24
Housewife	450	Musician	38
Hatter	5	Mail Carrier	1
Hotel Runner	11	Mechanic	141
Interpreter	1	Newsboy	92
Insurance Man	15	None	927
Janitor	31	Nurse	22
Junk Dealer	22	Newspaper Man	24
Jeweler	23	Oiler	2
Jockey	3	Operator	27
Laborer	7462	Porter	94
Longshoreman	278	Peddler	128
Lawyer	31	Painter	201
Logger	255	Plasterer	35
Lather	5	Pressman	2
Laundress	10	Preacher	2
Laundryman	42	Pugilist	3
Landlord	84	Photographer	16
Landlady	45	Printer	47
Masseuse	29	Prostitute	5
Messenger	88	Plumber	64
Merchant	332	Poolroom Operator	11
Machinist	192	Restaurant Man	40
Manufacturer	20	Real Estate Man	64
Miner	233	Railroad Man	102
Moulder	86	Steamboat Man	81
Miller	7	Steamfitter	16

STATEMENT "B"

STATEMENT "B"  
(Continued)

Stenographer	11	Streetcar Man	32
Sailor	430	Salesman	252
Soldier	77	Seamstress	41
Shingleweaver	73	Superintendent	92
Schoolboy	261	Surveyor	4
Schoolgirl	78	Second Hand Dealer	2
Stonemason	6	Teamster	431
Schoolteacher	12	Tailor	129
Shoemaker	33	Tinsmith	17
Shipwright	12	Tel. Operator	23
Solicitor	66	Tallyman	1
Steward	1	Undertaker	4
Saloonman	38	Waiter	265
Singer	3	Waitress	99
Showman	4	Watchman	15
Stagehand	1	Weaver	2
		Wireless Operator	1
		<b>Total,</b>	<b>19127</b>
			900
		Swiss	47
		Syrian	15
		Turk	47
		United States	11684
		Wales	20
		<b>Total,</b>	<b>19127</b>

## STATEMENT "C".

NATIVITIES OF PERSONS ARRESTED FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1914  
TO NOVEMBER 30th, 1915.

Arab	3	Irish	709
Australian	48	Italian	368
Austrian	326	Japanese	259
Belgian	39	Jewish	109
Bohemian	22	Korean	5
Brazilian	2	Mexican	83
Bulgarian	3	Montenegrin	53
Canadian	471	Negro	540
Chilean	32	Norwegian	712
Chinese	164	Peruvian	3
Cuban	9	Polander	52
Dane	115	Portuguese	10
East Indian	1	Roumanian	15
English	349	Russian	317
Eskimo	3	Scotch	228
Filipino	41	Serbian	25
Finlander	380	Slavonian	4
French	74	Spanish	49
German	480	Swedish	900
Greek	170	Swiss	47
Hawaiian	7	Syrian	15
Hindu	11	Turk	47
Hollander	32	United States	11684
Hungarian	10	Welsh	20
Icelander	3	Total,	19127
Indian	78		

STATEMENT "D"

AGES AND NUMBER OF EACH SEX ARRESTED FROM  
DECEMBER 1ST, 1914 TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1915.

Under 21 years of age,	1729
21 to 30,	7903
31 to 40,	5004
41 to 50,	2685
51 to 60,	1220
61 and over,	586
<b>Total,</b>	<b>19127</b>
<b>Males,</b>	<b>17390</b>
<b>Females,</b>	<b>1737</b>
<b>Total,</b>	<b>19127</b>

STATEMENT "E".

SHOWING EXPENSES OF OPERATING THE POLICE DEPARTMENT FROM  
DECEMBER 1ST, 1914 TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1915.

	SALARIES. REGULAR.	SALARIES, SPECIAL SERVICE CORPS.	EXPENSES.
General,	\$ 412782.20	5460.00	
Patrol Maintenance,	12147.72		14818.20
Jails,	26821.91	3752.50	18269.94
Office,	24459.66	8075.08	5391.34
Equipment,			1634.59
Signal System,		5085.50	6407.80
Pounds,		5721.82	1092.41
Secret Service Fund,			1800.00
Band,			45.00
Totals,	\$ 476211.49	28094.90	49459.28

STATEMENT "F"  
 STATEMENT OF EXPENSES TO BE INCURRED BY THE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
 DURING THE YEAR 1916.

	GENERAL.	SALARIES.	SPECIAL SERVICE CORPS.	EXPENSES.
General Pay Roll,	\$403370.00		5625.00	-----
Equipment,	-----		-----	1000.00
Patrol Maintenance,	12180.00		-----	19455.00
Jails,	23520.00		3745.00	25200.00
Office,	24960.00		7617.50	5650.00
Signal System,	-----		5240.00	1600.00
Pounds,	-----		6480.00	1500.00
Secret Service Fund,	-----		-----	3000.00
Band,	-----		-----	500.00
	\$464030.00		28707.50	57905.00

Grand total, \$550642.50

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STATEMENT "G".  
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SHOWING NUMBER OF DOGS IMPOUNDED AND RECEIPTS  
FROM DECEMBER 1ST, 1914 TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1915.

Month	Impounded.	Redeemed.	Sold.	Amount.	Killed.
Dec. 1914.	274	10	-	-	264
Jan. 1915.	280	4	4	8.50	272
Feb. 1915.	236	10	10	30.00	216
Mar. 1915.	273	22	4	7.50	247
Apr. 1915.	439	118	8	15.00	313
May 1915.	476	57	8	12.00	411
June 1915.	458	43	9	13.50	406
July 1915.	348	19	6	9.00	323
Aug. 1915.	408	18	7	10.50	383
Sept. 1915.	408	22	5	14.00	381
Oct. 1915.	297	17	8	15.00	272
Nov. 1915.	264	16	4	7.00	244
<b>Totals,</b>	<b>4161</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>* 142.00</b>	<b>3732</b>

STATEMENT "G".

SHOWING NUMBER OF HORSES, CATTLE, ETC., IMPOUNDED AND RECEIPTS FROM DECEMBER 1ST, 1914 TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1915.

	Animals Impounded.	Receipts.
December, 1914.	13	\$ 43.00
January, 1915.	17	36.50
February, 1915.	24	58.00
March, 1915.	48	119.50
April, 1915.	34	72.00
May, 1915.	60	115.50
June, 1915.	46	107.75
July, 1915.	45	108.70
August, 1915.	61	129.50
September, 1915.	28	82.50
October, 1915.	45	76.00
November, 1915.	37	79.00
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>\$ 1027.95</b>

STATEMENT "H".

STATEMENT SHOWING AMOUNT OF PRISONERS' MONEY, BAIL AND FINES, COLLECTED AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS AND IN POLICE COURT, ALSO AMOUNT OF MONEY RECEIVED FROM THE SALE OF LIQUOR LICENSES AND DOG LICENSES, AND A TOTAL FROM DECEMBER 1ST, 1914 TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1915.

	Prisoners' Money.	Bail.	Police Court Fines.	Fines Coll. Headquarters.	Liquor Licenses.	Dog Licenses.	TOTAL.
Dec. 1914.	5420.95	11770.00	4017.00	262.00	37692.05	44.00	59206.00
Jan. 1915.	4540.13	12678.00	3114.35	212.00	17094.10	56.50	37695.08
Feb. 1915.	2370.36	6815.00	2748.95	293.00	11096.23	260.00	23583.54
Mar. 1915.	4137.16	5526.00	2615.60	187.00	13711.02	1282.50	27459.28
Apr. 1915.	8234.94	5888.00	2175.60	390.00	12388.90	1562.00	30639.44
May 1915.	4555.76	9053.00	2273.70	328.00	14783.33	420.00	31413.79
June 1915.	4111.08	11007.00	2847.35	233.00	20236.41	258.50	38693.33
July 1915.	5405.94	8742.00	2186.20	176.00	10094.47	186.50	26791.11
Aug. 1915.	5817.64	9087.50	3444.45	433.00	5083.50	152.00	24018.00
Sept. 1915.	4635.78	10754.00	2120.00	335.00	9337.99	119.00	27301.77
Oct. 1915.	3777.48	5535.00	1527.70	162.00	7043.00	110.00	18155.11
Nov. 1915.	3671.43	6282.00	1754.60	141.00	5696.06	77.50	17622.55
TOTALS,	56678.65	103137.50	30825.50	3152.00	164257.06	4528.50	362579.22

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JUN\* 1914  
MAY\* 1914  
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MAR\* 1914  
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JAN\* 1914  
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STATEMENT "I".

STATEMENT SHOWING PATROL WAGON SERVICE FROM

DECEMBER 1ST, 1914 TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1915.

Prisoners Prisoners

	Calls.	Miles.	To City Jail.	To County Jail.	Fire Calls	Persons To Hospitals and Home\$
December, 1914.	1185	1372½	1674	117	3	36
January, 1915.	1073	1257	1430	84	9	51
February, 1915.	750	899¼	884	89	6	45
March, 1915.	854	1090¼	1009	96	7	37
April, 1915.	806	982½	924	68	11	21
May, 1915.	822	1137½	871	72	6	31
June, 1915.	873	1140½	1079	89	12	31
July, 1915.	893	1093¼	1065	86	18	41
August, 1915.	705	809	856	74	15	16
September, 1915.	682	811¼	849	35	9	15
October, 1915.	737	885	874	33	10	24
November, 1915.	650	808	757	44	5	19
Totals,	10030	12286	12272	887	111	367

STATEMENT "J"

STATEMENT SHOWING TRIPS AND MILEAGE MADE  
BY AUTOMOBILES,

FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1914, TO NOVEMBER 30th, 1915.

	MILES	TRIPS.
#1 - Hudson Touring Car - -	13571	2077
#2 - Hudson Touring Car - -	11740	859
#4 - Stevens Duryea Touring Car -	10848	121
#7 - Ford Roadster, (Hill Patrol, etc)-	17139	1101
#8 - Ford Roadster, (Hill Patrol, etc)-	19843	1001

In the above is included mileage and trips made for other  
city departments as follows:

Health Department, - -	1042	261
City Council, - -	976	26
Law Department, - -	156	2
Board of Public Works, -	174	2

STATEMENT "K".

SHOWING ASSIGNMENT OF MOTORCYCLES, NUMBER OF TRIPS AND MILEAGE FOR THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30th, 1915.

Machine #.	Number of Trips.	Number of Miles.
Precinct #1.	1	2909
	2	3850
	4	2364
	5	1909
	6	3496
	7	2540
	9	3082
	10	3291
	11	1686
	14	4662
	15	2763
	16	3110
	17	3342
	20	3293
Total	9068	42297
Precinct #2.	18	890
Precinct #3.	12	4380
Precinct #4.	8	2819
Precinct #5.	19	2740
Precinct #6.	3	6461
Grand Total	11205	59587

STOCKADE: ACCOUNT BY MONTH OF PRISONERS WORK ON FARM & PARK DEPT.  
 (Prisoners work valued at \$1.25 a day).  
 FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1914 - - - TO NOVEMBER 30th, 1915.

MONTH & NO. OF PRISONERS BROUGHT FROM CITY JAIL	NO. DAYS PRISONERS WORKED	NO. DAYS PRISONERS WORKED ON FARM.	AM'T AT \$1.25 PER DAY	NO. OF DAYS PRISONERS WORKED FOR PARK DEPT.	AM'T AT \$1.25 PER DAY.
1914 251	3,256	2,648	\$3,310.00	608	\$ 760.00
1915 252	4,516	1,991	2,488.75	2,525	3,156.25
1915 158	2,585	1,147	1,433.75	1,438	1,797.50
1915 162	2,467	735	918.75	1,732	2,165.00
1915 152	2,291	996	1,245.00	1,295	1,618.75
1915 141	2,155	1,141	1,426.25	627	783.75
1915 103	1,998	1,115	1,393.75	472	590.00
1915 90	1,535	1,022	1,277.50	301	376.25
1915 33	903	567	708.75	200	250.00
1915 54	995	546	682.75	304	380.00
1915 62	1,307	880	1,100.00	191	238.75
1915 94	1,394	585	731.25	580	725.00
1,552	25,402	13,373	\$16,716.25	10,293	\$12,841.25 <u>16,716.25</u>

TOTAL EARNINGS - - \$29,557.50

(The Prisoners cleared 18 acres of land and worked on Cheasty's Blvd)  
 (Also worked on Golf Links and Green House for Park Department - )

LANGHEIMER'S HOME:

Admitted Dec. 1st,  
 Nov. 30th, 1914 & No. of Days worked Am't at \$1.25 per day.

179	2,053	\$2,567.00	Total -	2,567.00
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The men from the Home cleared 5 acres of Land and worked the remainder of the time on the Golf Links

TOTAL EARNINGS FOR STOCKADE AND HOME - \$32,124.50

VEGETABLES RAISED AT STOCKADE FARM DURING 1915.

	NO. OF POUNDS TAKEN TO STOCKADE KITCHEN	NO. OF POUNDS TAKEN TO CITY JAIL.	NO. OF POUNDS TAKEN TO CITY HOSPITAL.	NO. OF POUNDS STILL IN GROUND UNUSED.
POTTS	1,267	288	--	
CAGE	2,165	433	--	2,000
TOP BEET	157	--	--	600
CORN	1,287	155	--	--
BEAN	35	--	560	--
PEAS	975	--	--	--
BRUSSELS	185	--	--	1,200
P	2,891	--	--	1,200
CH	260	--	--	--
BERRIES	231	73	--	--
H	91	12	38	--
RB	28	--	10	--
DES	52	--	--	--
CE	792	--	--	--
KRAUT	400	--	--	--
FOR TABLE	1,435	58	--	--
IN PEAS SEED	175	--	194	--
DES	57,795	--	--	--
S	199	--	--	--
PICKLES	25	--	--	--
	218	Dz. St-52 $\frac{1}{2}$	Dz. Stalks 14	Dz. Stalks 50
	alks			Dz. Stalks
BERRY PLANTS TO TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL			3,000.	

LIVE STOCK AT STOCKADE.

	IN STOCK	KILLED
	7	--
	2	--
PIGS LESS THAN WEEKS OLD	22	--
	32	--
	8	12, Weight, 2,215 lbs.
	105	6, Weight 62 Lbs.

STATEMENT "M"

CITY OF SEATTLE ----- DEPARTMENT OF POLICE.

DIVISION OF PROTECTION.

REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30th, 1915.

Number of complaints received-----	3261
Number of investigations-----	3921
Number of Juvenile Cases-----	2545
Number of Humane Cases-----	714
Number of Protective Cases-----	258
Number of boys referred to Juvenile Court-----	494
Number of girls referred to Juvenile Court-----	178
Number of children looked after -----	9465
Number of adults dealt with-----	14454
Number of arrests made-----	308
Number of cases settled in the field-----	1736
Number of women handled by Woman Bailiff-----	1418
Number of cases in court-----	506
Number of visits made to hotels, offices, etc. -----	805
Number of visits made to homes-----	3906
Number of visits to schools-----	208
Number of visits made to penny arcades-----	213
Number of visits made to shooting galleries-----	164
Number of visits to comfort stations-----	775
Number of visits to pool rooms-----	3627
Number of visits to coffee houses-----	324
Number of visits to skating rinks-----	247
Number of visits to noodle joints -----	794
number of visits to dance halls-----	926
Number of visits to theatres-----	859
Number of visits to cafes-----	3045
Number of trains met-----	6867
Number of boats met-----	6362
Number of people assisted-----	5380
Number of boys reported missing-----	241
Number of boys located-----	178
Number of girls reported missing-----	166
Number of girls located-----	98
Number of women reported missing-----	88
Number of women located-----	45
Number of men reported missing-----	59
Number of men located-----	14
Number of animals examined-----	1359
Number of animals destroyed-----	63
Number of stables examined-----	3.

STATEMENT "N"

INVENTORY OF CITY PROPERTY, POLICE DEPT. JAN 1st, 1916.

15	Typewriters	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$ 1125.00
13	Typewriter Stands	-	-	-	-	-	-	104.00
22	Roll top desks	-	-	-	-	-	-	770.00
10	Flat top desks	-	-	-	-	-	-	176.00
1	High Desk	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.00
25	Tables	-	-	-	-	-	-	110.00
34	Revolving chairs	-	-	-	-	-	-	170.00
37	Arm chairs	-	-	-	-	-	-	74.00
140	Douglas Chairs	-	-	-	-	-	-	196.00
30	Common chairs	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.00
3	Rocking chairs	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.00
3	Wardrobes	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.00
3	Couches	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.00
1	Chiffonier	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.00
1	Dresser	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.00
1	Sewing machine	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00
4	Scales	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.00
2	Stevens Duryea Auto's	-	-	-	-	-	-	900.00
3	Hudson	"	-	-	-	-	-	2100.00
1	Garford	"	-	-	-	-	-	150.00
3	Ford	"	-	-	-	-	-	550.00
2	Ford	"	(Pounds)	-	-	-	-	300.00
1	Kelly truck		(Stockade)	-	-	-	-	450.00
3	Lap robes	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.00
	Extra tires	-	-	-	-	-	-	252.00
8	Fire Extinguishers	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.00
7	Spotlights	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.00
	Auto Tools	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.00
1	Electric Air pump	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.00
1	Bbl. auto soap	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.00
1	Bbl. light oil	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00
1/2	Bbl. Transmission grease	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.00
30	Lbs. Cup grease	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.00
1	Ton chain blocks	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.00
800	Lbs. Discarded Tires	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.00
6	Cans Brass polish	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.50
30	Ft. Lamp cord	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.50
1	6 V. Battery	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.00
	Extra parts for Auto's	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.00
120	Gal's. Gasoline @ 11 cts.	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.20
19	Motorcycles, equipped	-	-	-	-	-	-	1887.00
	Motorcycle supplies, extra parts	-	-	-	-	-	-	115.00
	Motorcycle tools	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.00
2	Letter presses	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.00
1	City of Seattle map	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.00
2	Safes	-	-	-	-	-	-	220.00
8	Electric Fans	-	-	-	-	-	-	88.00
1	Dalton Adding machine	-	-	-	-	-	-	250.00
1	Rotary mimeograph	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.00
2	Clocks	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.00
7	Heating stoves	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.00
4	Mirrors	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.50
38	Cuspidors	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.40

Carried Forward

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## #2 Inventory - Police Dept. - Cont'd.

	Brought Forward	
	-	10720.10
280 Special Police badges	-	196.00
450 Regular Police Stars	-	270.00
450 Revolvers	-	4500.00
450 Pairs handcuffs	-	1800.00
450 Leather billies	-	340.00
450 Whistles	-	80.00
450 Twisters	-	180.00
450 Patrol keys	-	220.00
450 Wreaths	-	280.00
500 Belts, Batons, Cords & Tassels	-	1210.00
25 Leg irons	-	110.00
340 Dozen buttons	-	198.00
10 Garbage cans	-	15.00
Mops, brooms, etc.	-	18.00
26 Lengths	-	52.00
16 Buckets	-	14.00
Beds, bunks & cots.	-	450.00
1 Bureau	-	8.00
1 Morris chair	-	5.00
3 Rugs	-	10.00
Bedding	-	520.00
50 Gallons Kill all	-	75.00
2 Bales excelsior	-	8.00
20 Waste baskets	-	8.00
1 Copy holder	-	3.00
Coal	-	23.00
15000 Feet rope	-	525.00
Saddles	-	192.00
2 Meat blocks	-	22.00
1 Refrigerator	-	55.00
1 Gas Range	-	230.00
1 Lang Range	-	140.00
Shovels, picks, mattocks axes, peavies, rakes, cross-cut saws, hand saws, sledge, hammers, wheel barrows, crowbars, wedges, scythes, brush hooks, forks, carpenter tools, etc.	-	390.00
Kitchen utensils, etc. Jail & Stockade	-	340.00
8 Sets, harness	-	80.00
155 Pairs shoes	-	503.75
280 Jumpers & Overalls	-	112.00
6 Rattan baskets	-	18.00
72 City Directories (Polks)	-	129.60
5 City Charters '07	-	20.00
3 City Charters '08	-	20.00
2 Remington & Ballinger's Codes	-	25.00
3 Pierce's Code	-	102.00
32 Laws of Washington	-	127.00
1 Bertillon Outfit & Equipment	-	1000.00
1 Printing press	-	50.00
20 Filing cases	-	1100.00
4 Book cases	-	16.00
1 Paper cutter	-	3.00
1 Peerless Bill Detector	-	18.00
	Carried Forward	26531.45

STATEMENT "N" CONTINUED.

#3 - Inventory - Police Dept. -Cont'd.

	Brought Forward	-	\$26531.45
2 Photo plate cases	-	-	20.00
Photo Supplies	-	-	20.00
1 View camera	-	-	18.00
8 Shot guns	-	-	136.00
2 Rifles	-	-	40.00
3 Drag hooks & ropes	-	-	15.00
2 Stretchers	-	-	4.00
273 Metal lockers	-	-	2730.00
4 Picture galleries	-	-	2000.00
12 Desk lamps	-	-	24.00
1 Aristo Light	-	-	50.00
2 Property closets	-	-	6.00
239 Metal lockers for prisoners' property, grill, etc.	-	-	620.00
120 Wood lockers	-	-	240.00
32 Letter boxes	-	-	21.00
24 Police Padlocks	-	-	19.20
Pound supplies & equipment	-	-	80.00
Stationery, blank books, etc.	-	-	890.00
			<u>890.00</u>
	TOTAL	-	\$ 33464.65

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STATEMENT "O"

REPORT OF POLICE SIGNAL SYSTEM - 1915.

During the year 1915 considerable improvement has been made in the several systems for signal service in the Substation districts, all of which has not been completed for the Columbia District.

In Precinct No. 1 the following signal boxes have been installed, viz:

- No. 78 Dorffel Drive, & E. Howell, (Phone)
- " 82 Blaine St. & 15th Ave. West, (Phone)
- " 83 Eastlake Ave. & Martin St., (Phone)
- " 115 Gt. Northern Depot, (Signal & Flash)

In Precinct No. 2 the following signal boxes have been installed to give complete service of telephone, signal and flashlight signals, viz:

- No. 318 -6th Ave. N. W. & West 65th St.
- " 325 -Leary Ave. & West 45th St.

In Precinct #4, there has been added one signal box of the Gamewell type giving service of telephone, signal and flashlight at,

- No. 516 - West Waterway & Spokane Ave.

In Precinct #5 a new switchboard has been installed which was manufactured in our shop and combines the telephone, signal and flashlight systems found to operate so admirably in the Ballard and Densmore substations. The six signal boxes in this Precinct are of the old Gamewell type and are now soon to be replaced with similar boxes, being made over in our shop to supply the combined service mentioned above. It is anticipated that this combined service will materially increase the efficiency of the patrolmen working in this Precinct.

In Precinct #6 the following signal boxes to give combined telephone, telegraph and flashlight service have been installed, viz:

- No. 411 at Fremont Ave. & Blewett
- " 412 at Fremont Ave. & No. 43rd.
- " 415 at Greenwood & No. 73rd.
- " 416 at Aurora Zve. & No. 73rd.
- " 417 at Wallingford & 40th.
- " 419 at Westlake Ave. & Stone Ave.
- " 424 at Meridian Ave. & 55th St.
- " 425 At Woodlawn & 72nd.
- " 435 at Northlake Ave. & 6th N. E.
- " 441 at East 45th St. & 14th N.E.
- " 442 at East 59th & 14th N. E.
- " 451 at Greenwood Ave. & No. 85th St.

In addition thereto the following stations have been added which are provided with telephones only, viz:

- No. 418 at Woodland Park.
- " 445 In University grounds.

The new "Dean switchboard installed in this Precinct has given the best of satisfaction and new cables have been run with a capacity of 20 pairs from the Substation to 42nd and Densmore, new cable boxes being installed at each end and all arranged to prepare for a reasonable future growth, with same character of excellent equipment throughout.

STATEMENT "O" CONTINUED.

In addition to new work the former equipment has been kept in good order and specifications are now prepared for the exchange of the old switchboard in Precinct #1 for a new combined signal, flashlight and telephone exchange Board of the latest "Dean" type. This exchange will permit the addition of some one hundred and twenty complete signal and flashlight stations throughout the residence districts in this Precinct all of which will very materially increase the efficiency of the patrolmen.

I would recommend the purchase as soon as possible of at least fifty additional signal boxes of the "Dean" type for installation in the residence districts of Precinct #1; and thereafter the purchase of at least twenty-five boxes of the same type each year until these portions of the City receive the measure of protection with this line of equipment to which they are reasonably entitled.

For myself and the other employees of the Police Signal Service I wish to extend our hearty thanks to you and the Officers and employees of the Police Department for the uniform courtesy and consideration shown to us during this year.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Howard Joslyn,

City Electrician.