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Ordinance No. 14768

Providing for the establishment of a municipal lodging house and appropriating the sum of \$_____ therefor, and declaring an emergency.

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED
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Council Bill No. 14268

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE, as follows:

Section I. That there be and ~~herewith is~~ ^{hereby is} appropriated from the General Fund of the City of Seattle the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5000) for the establishment and maintenance, temporarily for such time as said appropriation shall last, of a municipal lodging house in said City of Seattle.

Sec. II. Said lodging house shall be established at such place and in such manner as the Commissioner of Health of the City of Seattle shall direct; and said Commissioner of Health is empowered to employ a superintendent at not to exceed Seventy-five Dollars (\$75.00) per month, and an assistant superintendent at not to exceed Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per month, and to make all needful rules and regulations for the efficient management of said municipal lodging house.

Sec. III. The Commissioner of Health or the superintendent in charge may require any person applying for and receiving lodging to perform a reasonable amount of labor in return therefor, and may detain him for not more than twenty-four (24) hours after the time of such application, until the labor required of him as aforesaid has been performed.

Sec. IV. ~~An emergency exists and this ordinance shall take effect immediately on its passage.~~

Charity Organization Society

HOMELESS MEN

Month of December

Single Men.....	356
Widowers.....	16
Married (obligations elsewhere).....	10
Total.....	382
Monthly aggregate.....	700
Average per day.....	27

PHYSICAL CONDITION

Good physical condition.....	300
Suffering from accidents.....	11
Crippled.....	6
Poor physical condition.....	65
	382

NATIONALITIES

American born.....	198
English)	
Scotch).....	98
Irish)	
Scandinavian.....	35
German.....	19
Other.....	34
	382

AGES

Under 20	19	Between 45 and 50	18
Between 20 and 25	106	" 50 55	11
" 25 30	80	" 50 60	10
" 30 35	42	" 60 65	8
" 35 40	47	" 65 70	6
" 40 45	24	Unknown	10

TIME IN TOWN

1 day	16	1 month	23	Less than 1 week	83	1 week	37
2 "	24	2 "	30	" " 1 month	121	2 "	49
3 "	14	3 "	23	" " 6 "	100	3 "	35
4 "	17	4 "	10	Over 6 months	78		
5 "	8	5 "	3				
6 "	4	6 "	11				

MEALS GIVEN IN DECEMBER

From 1st to 3rd.....	59
" 3rd to 9th.....	164
" 9th to 13th.....	158
" 13th to 17th.....	170
" 17th to 23rd.....	179
" 23rd to 24th.....	182
December 27th.....	61
" 28th.....	48
" 29th.....	53
" 30th.....	35
" 31st.....	26
From December 28th to January 1st.....	162

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Charity Organization Society

HOMELESS MEN

January 3rd to January 14th.

Single Men.....	161
Widowers.....	7
Married (obligations elsewhere).....	6
	174
Aggregate for 12 days.....	340
Average per day.....	29

PHYSICAL CONDITION

Good physical condition.....	133
Fair.....	6
Poor.....	25
Accidents.....	4
Tubercular.....	1
	174

NATIONALITIES

American born.....	84
English)	
Scotch).....	43
Irish)	
Scandinavian.....	15
German.....	16
Other.....	14

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TIME IN TOWN

1 day	12	1 month	19	1 month	15	Less than 1 week	52
2 "	16	2 "	14	2 "	5	" " 1 month	50
3 "	10	3 "	17	3 "	3	" " 2 months	28
4 "	5			4 "	3	Over 6 months	34
5 "	8			5 "	0		
6 "	1			6 "	2		

CAUSE OF APPLICATION

Out of work.....	156
Sickness.....	15
Old Age.....	3
Occupation (unskilled laborers).....	150
TOTAL MEALS.....	418

He estimates that 5000 men are now out of employment will take any kind of work

also Life Boat Mission furnished over 3000 free meals during past 20 days

Average about 180 homeless men sleeping on floor each night

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