

POLICE REFORMS RECOMMENDED IN CURRAN REPORT

**Policemen Should Not Be
Forced to Lose Sleep by
Appearing in Court.**

MEMO. BOOKS NEEDED.

**Instructions to Recruits Should
Be Continued Through All
Years of Service.**

"Time consumed by policemen in the courts," "Preservation of evidence," "Court procedure as affecting police officers," and "Presentation of evidence," are elements of a report submitted today by the Curran Aldermanic Committee which investigated the Police Department.

"Some efficient method of ascertaining the time spent by policemen in court should be made to apply," says the report. "Ample opportunity exists for indigent officers to waste a good deal of time in court without fear of detection."

"The co-operation of judges and district attorneys should be had in order to keep tabs on time thus spent by officers," the report recommends.

The report adds: "At present officers receive no credit against leave of duty for time spent in the courts. This acts as a deterrent, as a policeman will not be particularly zealous in making an arrest when he knows that he will be called upon to spend many days in court, thereby consuming time that should be spent in sleep. It often happens that a man spends his days in courts and nights on patrol for several days in succession. This is obviously harmful to the best administration of the criminal law."

**DETECTIVES SHOULD NOT BE
MADE TO SERVE WARRANTS.**

The report takes exception to the order of Commissioner Waldo in requiring that signatures of the detective bureau serve warrants issued in Magistrate's courts, saying that the practice is an unnecessary expenditure of the time of detectives and public money as well. Detectives should be required to do detective work. Civilian summons servers are more desirable.

"The report goes on: 'A serious defect in the present police administration with reference to police officers appearing in courts is the lack of sufficient recording of facts by officers.'

The report refers to the failure to keep memorandum books for the records. Such simple matters as conversations, changing admissions and complete confessions, are retained in the memory of the officer making the arrest. If proper records were kept, officers would be unable to suffer the complete loss of memory which is frequently experienced by officers who undergo in certain classes of cases," the report says.

Continuing on the subject of police testimony, the report reads: "Undoubtedly police testimony as a whole is placed under the burden of a popular prejudice. Very likely in some cases this distrust is deserved. In almost all cases, however, the officers are treated as an endeavoring to give fair and honest testimony. The traditional circumlocutions was of course occasionally apparent."

**URGES CAREFUL INSTRUCTION
FOR LONG PERIOD.**

"Improvement in the testimony of policemen can be secured by persistent efforts toward greater efficiency and accuracy. Greater efficiency can be secured by careful instruction in the school for recruits, supplemented by practical work along the lines of observing, recording, and narrating facts. This instruction should be continued by commanding officers through the entire twenty-five or thirty years of the policeman's service. With proper stress laid upon accuracy in observing, recording and testifying to facts there would gradually be built up a canon of honesty in the department. To ascertain all the facts obtainable and to testify to them with scrupulous accuracy should in time become an accomplishment as highly prized as making a daring rescue or capturing a desperate criminal."

In a supplementary report the committee urges a more adequate and safe handling and disposition of found, stolen and recovered property. The report says that the protection of this property is insufficient and ineffective under present conditions and adds: "Many opportunities are available for substitution and tampering with the property, this being especially true of jewelry and other valuables; all members of the staff have access to the general store rooms and to safes containing valuables."

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ON CHARGE OF BIGAMY.**

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Combinations, \$2.50 to \$22.50, formerly \$3.75 to \$30.
Corset Covers, 75c to \$8.50, formerly \$1 to \$15.
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8 ft. x 9 ft. 6 in.	5.35	4.15	36 in. x 48 in.	.90	.65
6 ft. x 8 ft. 6 in.	3.65	2.60	27 in. x 36 in.	.50	.40

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