

POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Atlanta, Georgia

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DEPARTMENT of POLICE

Atlanta 3, Georgia

January 1, 1968

Mayor Ivan Allen, Jr. and
Board of Aldermen
City Hall
Atlanta, Georgia

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith the 88th Annual Report of the Atlanta Police Department for the year 1967.

We wish to express our deep appreciation to Mayor Ivan Allen, Jr., the members of the Police Committee, and the Board of Aldermen for the very fine help and assistance the department has received in the year 1967.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "H. T. Jenkins". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Chief of Police



PRESIDENT JOHNSON AND THE NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMISSION ON CIVIL DISORDERS

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YOU CAN HELP FIGHT CRIME AND PRESERVE ATLANTA

ALERT YOURSELF -- LEARN TO PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR PROPERTY

TAKE PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES -- DO NOT LEAVE KEYS IN AUTOMOBILE -- OR HOUSE KEY UNDER DOORMAT OR IN MAILBOX -- LOCK ALL DOORS AND WINDOWS. REPORT PROWLERS TO POLICE.

LIGHTED AREAS OFFER SOME PROTECTION ESPECIALLY FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

ALWAYS WRITE THE LICENSE NUMBER AND A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE PERPETRATORS OF ANY CRIMES YOU WITNESS IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE INCIDENT.

NEVER FLASH MONEY OR EXPENSIVE JEWELRY IN PUBLIC PLACES.

TEACH YOUR CHILDREN NOT TO ACCEPT GIFTS, GET IN CARS OR TALK WITH STRANGERS.

ALL CITIZENS SHOULD COOPERATE WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN COMBATING CRIME. PUBLIC APATHY SHOULD BE ELIMINATED.

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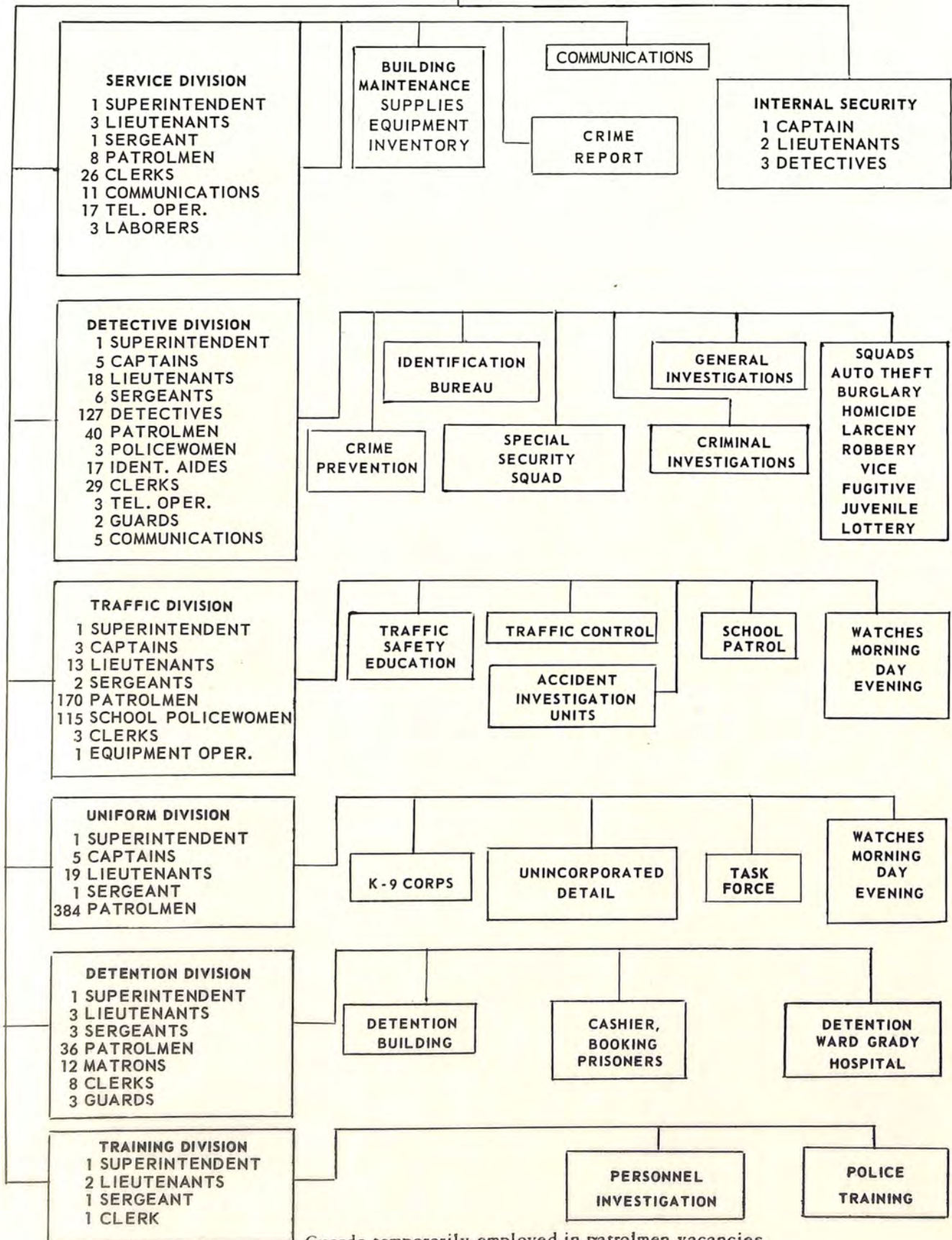
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ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

Mayor and Board of Aldermen

Police Committee

Chief



Guards temporarily employed in patrolmen vacancies.
Personnel as of December 31, 1967.

DIVISIONS
OF
DEPARTMENT



DETECTIVE BUREAU

SUPERINTENDENT CLINTON CHAFIN
Commanding Officer



SERVICE DIVISION

SUPERINTENDENT FRED BEERMAN
Commanding Officer



TRAFFIC DIVISION

SUPERINTENDENT JAMES L. MOSELEY
Commanding Officer



UNIFORM DIVISION

SUPERINTENDENT J. F. BROWN
Commanding Officer



DETENTION DIVISION

SUPERINTENDENT I. G. COWAN
Commanding Officer



TRAINING DIVISION

SUPERINTENDENT J. L. TUGGLE
Commanding Officer

PERSONNEL OF POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1967

Number of Positions Authorized	Rank and Grade
1	Chief of Police
6	Superintendent
14	Captain
60	Lieutenant
14	Sergeant
130	Detective
643	Patrolman
3	Policewoman
3	Clerk
5	Communication Clerk
3	Communication Serviceman
1	Communication Supervisor
2	Communication Technician
2	Custodial Worker
3	Electronics Technician I
1	Equipment Operator
11	Identification & Record Technician I
6	Identification & Record Technician II
5	Keypunch Operator
2	Police Dispatcher
12	Police Matron
1	Presser
2	Principal Clerk
1	Principal Stenographer
5	Senior Clerk
3	Senior Stenographer
3	Senior Typist - Clerk
4	Stenographer
1	Storekeeper
17	Switchboard Operator I
3	Switchboard Operator II
40	Typist - Clerk
115	School Traffic Policewoman
<hr/> 1,122	Total

ATLANTA GROWS

The population of Atlanta is growing by leaps and bounds. This growth is accompanied by a similiar growth in traffic.

The Atlanta Region Metropolitan Planning Commission predicts by 1983, there will be an estimated four million six hundred thousand vehicular trips made each day on the streets and highways of Metropolitan Atlanta.

These predictions are based on statistics and information compiled by the Commission and the Georgia State Highway Department.

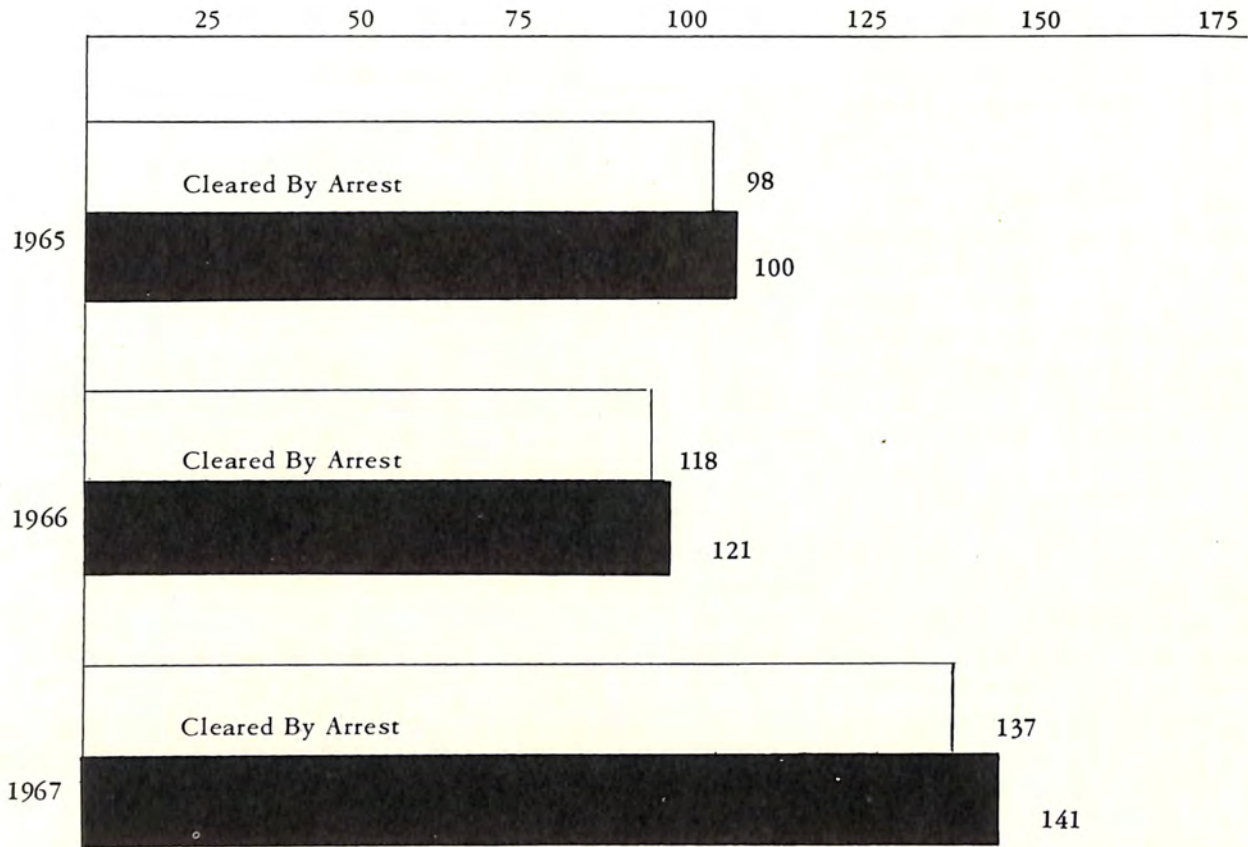


HEAVY TRAFFIC



HEAVY TRAFFIC

HOMICIDE



RACIAL DISTRIBUTION OF MURDERS:

	KILLED BY UNKNOWN			KILLED BY WHITE			KILLED BY NEGRO			TOTAL 1967
	1965	1966	1967	1965	1966	1967	1965	1966	1967	
White	1	1	2	20	24	14	3	3	2	18
Negro	1	3	2	1	1	2	74	89	119	123
										141

	Murder Weapon Used			Where Committed			
	1965	1966	1967	1965	1966	1967	
Knives			24				
Pistols			87	Residences	72	85	88
Shotguns			14	Business Places	9	16	19
Rifles			5	Streets	19	20	34
Other			11				
Total			141	Total	100	121	141

MURDER

PERPETRATORS

Negro	Male	kills	White	Male	2
Negro	Male	kills	Negro	Male	72
Negro	Male	kills	Negro	Female	25
Negro	Female	kills	Negro	Male	21
Negro	Female	kills	Negro	Female	1
White	Male	kills	White	Male	9
White	Male	kills	White	Female	3
White	Female	kills	White	Male	2
Negro	Male	kills	White	Female	0
White	Female	kills	White	Female	0
White	Male	kills	Negro	Male	2
Unknown					4

JUVENILES

5 Homicide victims are juveniles
5 Juveniles arrested as perpetrators

RECORD

103 of the perpetrators had police records
30 of the perpetrators had no police records
8 of the perpetrators were unknown

VICTIMS

White Male	15
White Female	3
Negro Male	96
Negro Female	27

Total **141**

INCOME AREAS

102 Homicides committed in low income areas
31 Homicides committed in medium income areas
8 Homicides committed in high income areas

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
Total	67	74	84	87	106	100	121	141
Cleared by Arrest	68	70	81	83	105	98	118	137
Number White	10	17	22	15	25	24	28	18
Number Colored	57	57	62	72	81	76	93	123

Day of Week

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Total
15	13	15	12	18	44	24	141

1966 - 1967 COMPARISON OF MAJOR CRIMES
SUPERINTENDENT CLINTON CHAFIN
Detective Bureau

CRIME	1966	1967	PERCENTAGE OF INCREASE OR DECREASE	CLEARED BY ARREST 1966	CLEARED BY ARREST 1967	PERCENTAGE OF CLEAR-UP	NAT'L AVERAGE	TOTAL ARREST	JUVENILE
Homicide	121	141	+ 17%	118	137	97%	89%	139	7
Rape	99	129	+ 30%	81	102	79%	62%	121	9
Robbery	473	613	+ 30%	267	362	59%	32%	384	91
Assault	925	872	- 6%	837	784	90%	72%	947	50
Burglary	5,291	5,646	+ 7%	1,341	1,800	32%	22%	1,595	793
Larceny Over \$50	4,851	4,518	- 7%	1,218	1,474				
Larceny Under \$50	8,255	8,632	+ 5%	2,782	3,077	35%	19%	3,869	1,613
Auto Theft	2,391	2,693	+ 13%	791	895	33%	23%	1,031	372
Autos Recovered	1,972	2,125							

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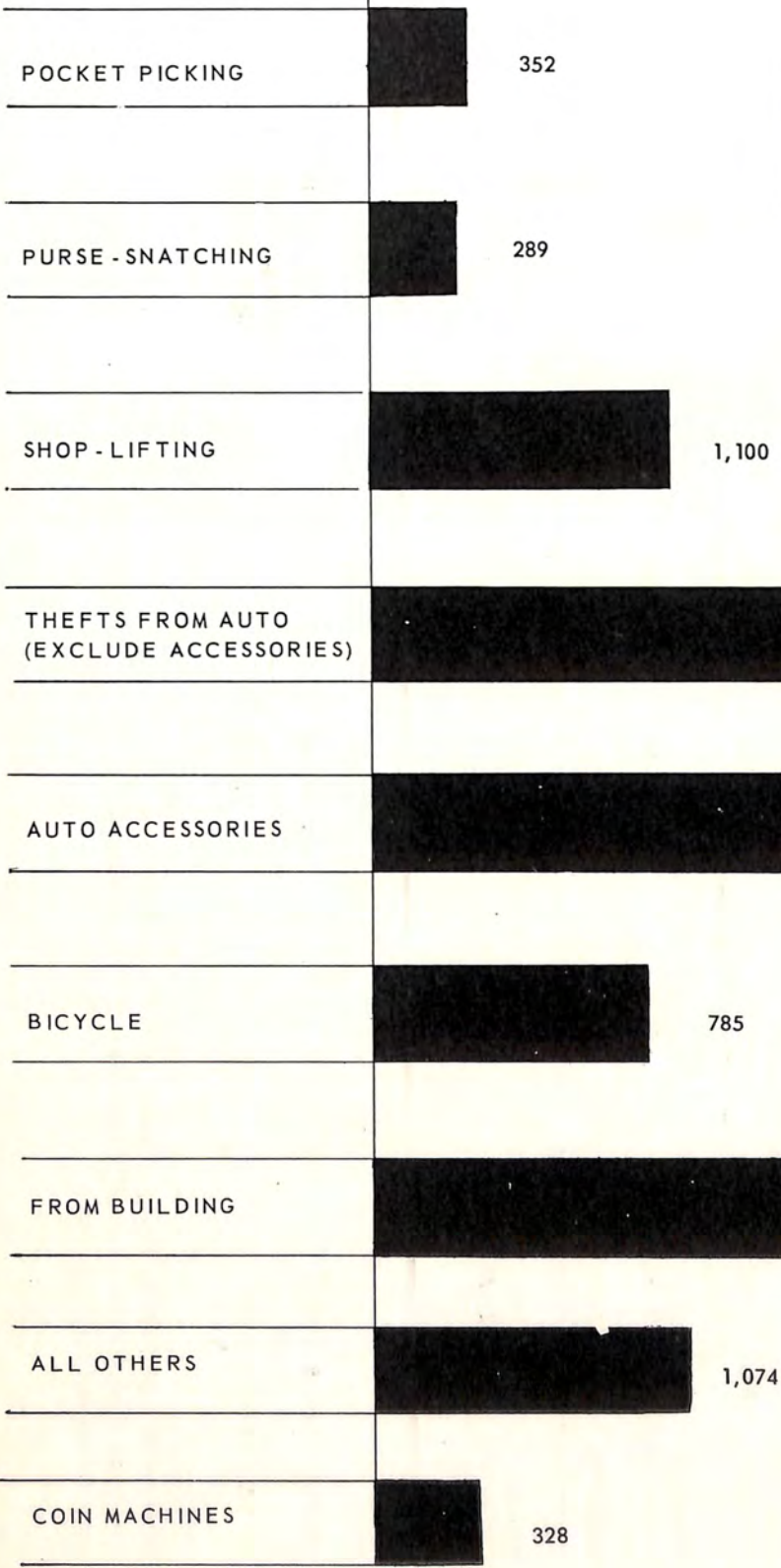
TOTAL CRIMES - 1966 22,406
TOTAL CRIMES - 1967 23,244

TOTAL ARRESTS 8,086
INCLUDED IN THIS TOTAL ARE 2,935 JUVENILE ARRESTS OR 36%

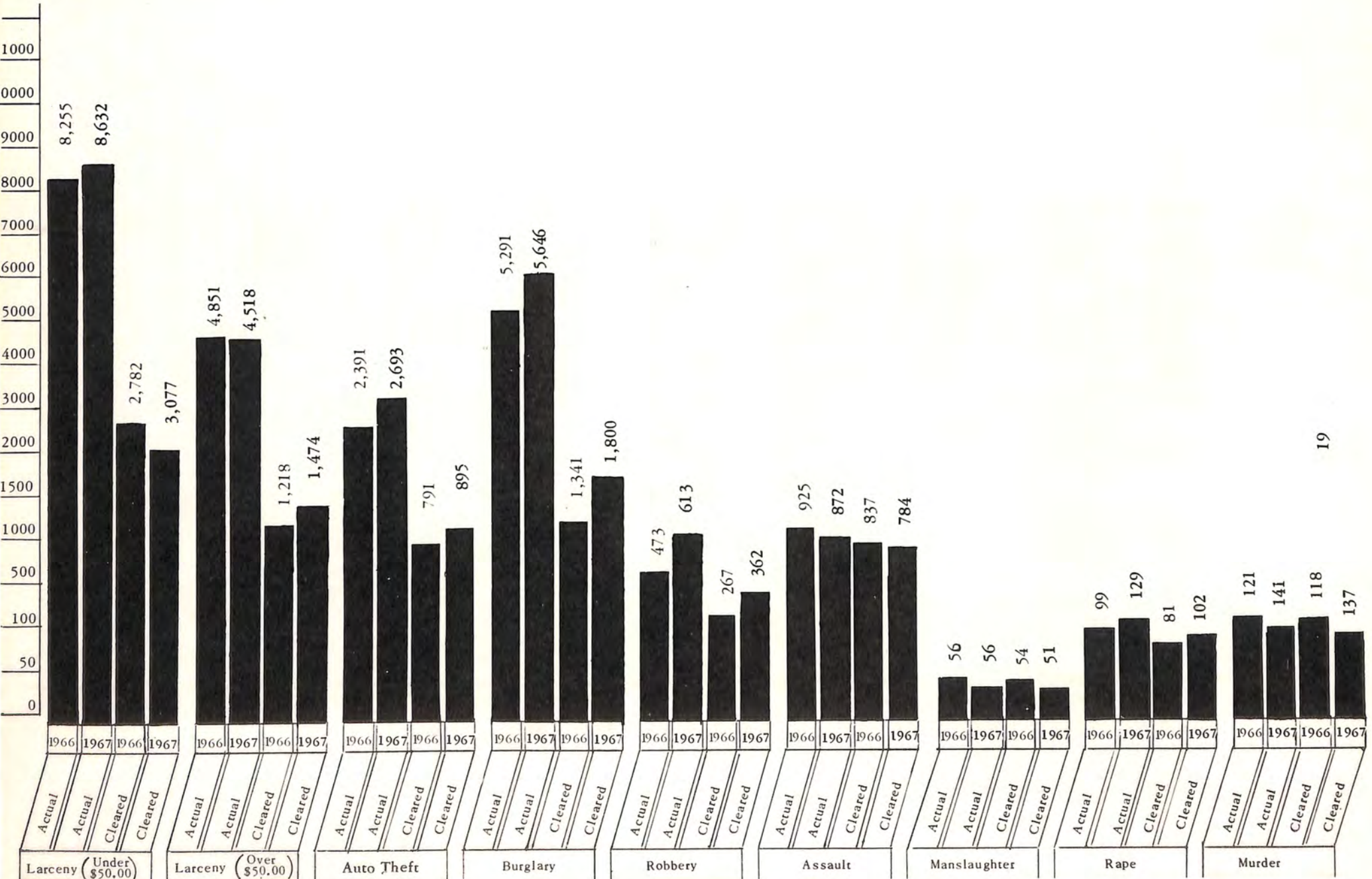
Increase of 3.7% January through December, 1967 in comparison with same period, 1966, counting Larceny under \$50., not counting Larceny under \$50, increase 3.3%.

**LARCENY REPORTS
INVESTIGATED
IN 1967**

100	300	600	900	1200	1500	2000	2500	3000	4000	4500
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\$50.00 and over	4,518
\$ 5.00 to \$50.00	6,145
Under \$5.00	2,487
TOTAL REPORTS INVESTIGATED .	13,150



BURGLARS SELECT VICTIMS

The contents of a home determines where some burglars strike nowadays.

A unique system is used in obtaining a list of major appliances he can steal from each home.

Information is gathered for the burglar by women who call residences stating she is making a survey and gives the name of a prominent organization with the assurance that she is not conducting a sales gimmick and requests cooperation by answering a few questions needed by her research program.

The caller then reads a list of questions such as:

Number in family

Number employed outside the home

Televisions -- size, model, color or black and white

Sewing machine -- make, manual or electric

Vacuum cleaner -- make and type

Radios -- make and size

Stereo, if portable

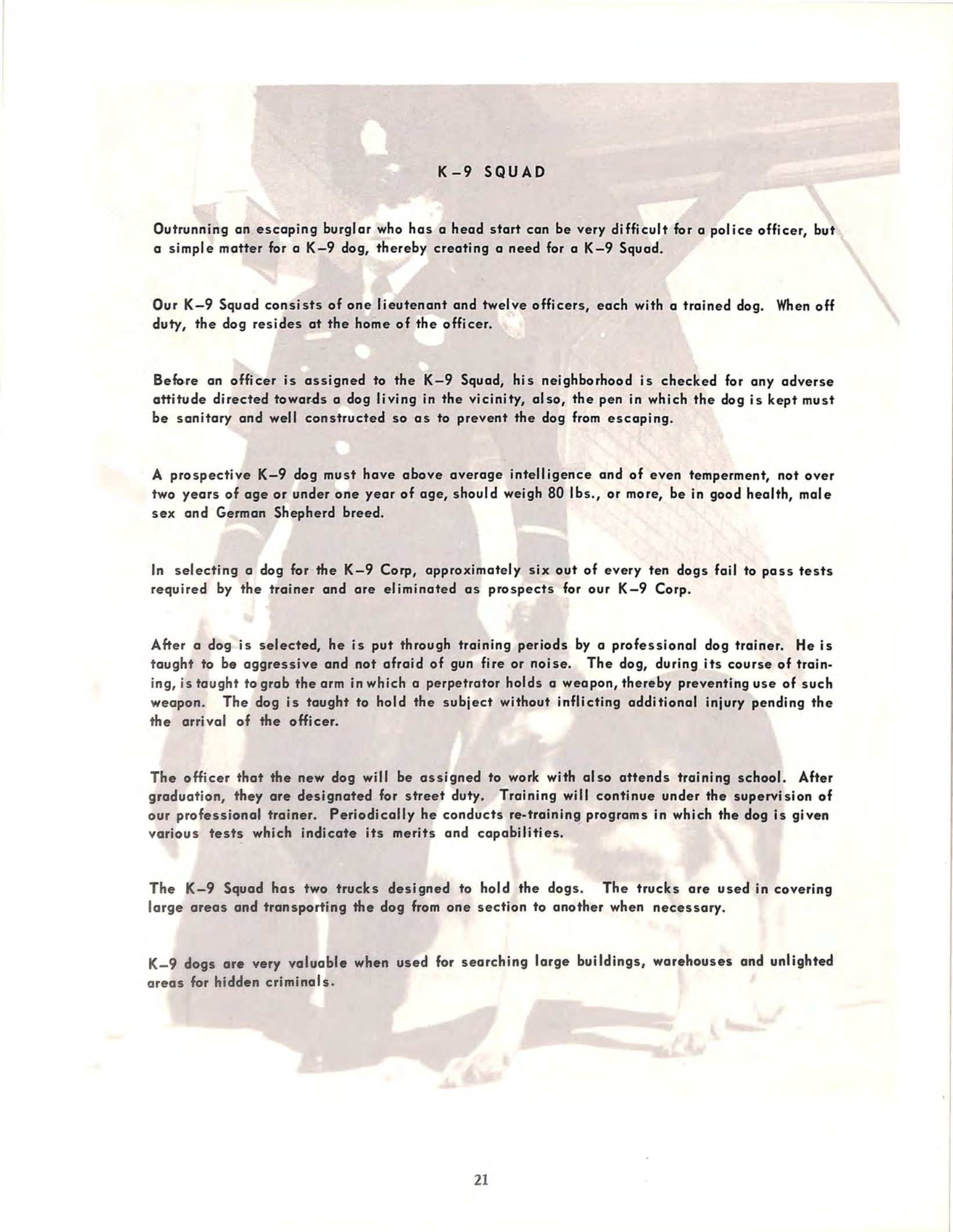
Lawn mowers, make, size, riding or self propelled

Air conditioning units -- make, tonnage of portable units

The caller thanks the housewife for being very helpful. The burglar now has a list of what each home contains. He becomes very selective in his profession.



"Yes, we have a color television."



K-9 SQUAD

Outrunning an escaping burglar who has a head start can be very difficult for a police officer, but a simple matter for a K-9 dog, thereby creating a need for a K-9 Squad.

Our K-9 Squad consists of one lieutenant and twelve officers, each with a trained dog. When off duty, the dog resides at the home of the officer.

Before an officer is assigned to the K-9 Squad, his neighborhood is checked for any adverse attitude directed towards a dog living in the vicinity, also, the pen in which the dog is kept must be sanitary and well constructed so as to prevent the dog from escaping.

A prospective K-9 dog must have above average intelligence and of even temperament, not over two years of age or under one year of age, should weigh 80 lbs., or more, be in good health, male sex and German Shepherd breed.

In selecting a dog for the K-9 Corp, approximately six out of every ten dogs fail to pass tests required by the trainer and are eliminated as prospects for our K-9 Corp.

After a dog is selected, he is put through training periods by a professional dog trainer. He is taught to be aggressive and not afraid of gun fire or noise. The dog, during its course of training, is taught to grab the arm in which a perpetrator holds a weapon, thereby preventing use of such weapon. The dog is taught to hold the subject without inflicting additional injury pending the arrival of the officer.

The officer that the new dog will be assigned to work with also attends training school. After graduation, they are designated for street duty. Training will continue under the supervision of our professional trainer. Periodically he conducts re-training programs in which the dog is given various tests which indicate its merits and capabilities.

The K-9 Squad has two trucks designed to hold the dogs. The trucks are used in covering large areas and transporting the dog from one section to another when necessary.

K-9 dogs are very valuable when used for searching large buildings, warehouses and unlighted areas for hidden criminals.

ACTIVITIES OF IDENTIFICATION BUREAU

	1966	1967
Persons photographed and fingerprinted	32,266	33,177
Persons identified by fingerprints	12,867	13,276
Sets of fingerprints made	48,646	49,318
Dispositions to the F. B. I.	7,970	28,270
Reports to the various courts	23,081	23,580
Reports to probation office, parole board, board of corrections and Bellwood Camp	2,278	3,587
Persons checked for jury duty	51,902	397
Criminal calls made for photos and fingerprint dusting	1,665	2,535

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Fingerprints classified	7,785	8,037
Wanted persons flagged	1,688	2,161
Latent prints identified	358	360
Records to Strip File	2,141	1,826
Color photo calls	273	435
Silver Nitrate processing	27	61

RADIO

Summary of Work by Radio Station KIA - 532

	1965	1966	1967
Other Local Departments	3,134	3,879	3,944
Dispatches City	421,662	428,802	413,126
Dispatches Unincorporated Area	11,538	12,143	11,369
Wagon Calls	38,465	38,143	41,824
Lookouts and Miscellaneous Calls	303,554	309,708	295,492
Total Calls	778,353	792,675	765,755

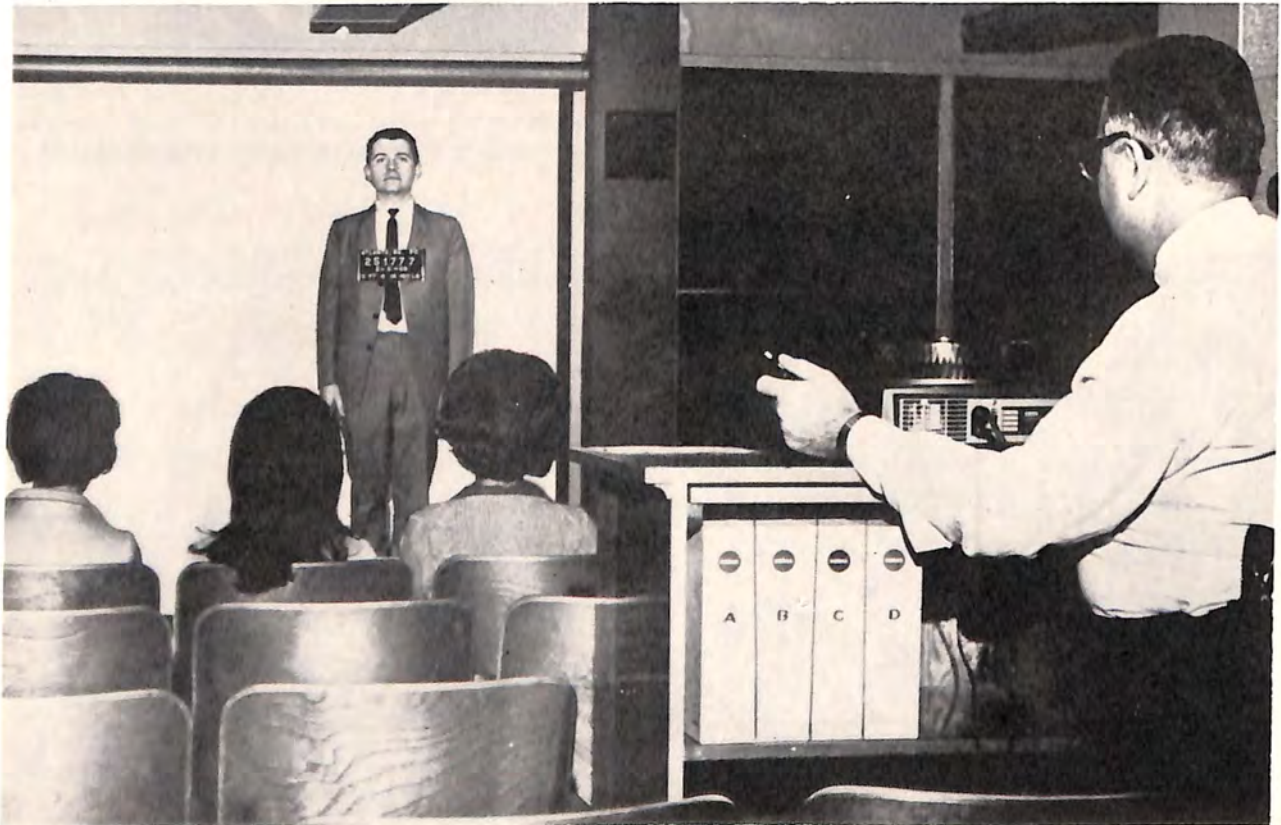
IDENTIFICATION BUREAU

A new system was started on a trial basis in the photography section this year.

Color slides are made of all persons arrested for robbery and sex crimes. Their image is projected on a screen in exact life size, in natural color and is reviewed by victims and witnesses for identification purposes.

The slides are classified and filed according to age, race, sex and height of arrested person. The system is cross indexed with the identification number. During 1967 over 1,700 color slides were made.

This system is a great improvement over the four inch by five inch black and white mug shots and produced such favorable results that our present plans are to expand it until all major crimes are eventually included in this color slide system.



SEARCHING FOR PERPETRATOR

CRIME PREVENTION



A new concept in crime prevention was inaugurated by this department during 1967. We are striving to change the thinking and behavior of potential criminals by creating a desire for them to become worthwhile citizens with a correct sense of values which include a respect for City, State and Federal laws and an obedience to home regulation.

WE SUPPORT LAW ENFORCEMENT

To deter a person from becoming a criminal and taking the first wrong step, this training must start with youth. Some sections of the city already contain recreational organizations and agencies capable of absorbing the youth population into various constructive activities.



*SKATE-O-RAMA
2,500 participated*

CRIME PREVENTION

In other areas of the city, we find a need for youth guidance organizations. Realizing this need, the department has broadened the structure of crime prevention by sponsoring several avenues of activity for our young people.

We encourage and assist groups such as Junior Deputy and Junior Crime Prevention Clubs, since these groups participate in crime prevention by influencing other people to live clean lives.

Our officers co-operate in providing sight-seeing tours for the youngsters and assist the Jaycees in providing entertainment during half-time periods at neighborhood non-professional football games.

Our officers speak to many adult groups such as PTA's, civic organizations and schools on various crime prevention subjects.



JUNIOR CRIME FIGHTERS



LOST CHILD FINDS FRIEND

1967
TRAFFIC ACCIDENT SUMMARY

1. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS							NUMBER OF PERSONS				
	All Accidents	Fatal	Non-Fatal				Property Damage	Total Killed	Total	Injured		
			Total	a	b	c				a	b	c
Motor Vehicle:												
1. Ran off Road	2,328	23	737	571	150	16	1,568	27	1,149	806	257	86
2. Overturned on road	64		16	8	7	1	48		37	16	13	8
3. Pedestrian	622	29	593	327	183	83		29	617	337	189	91
4. Motor vehicle in traffic	19,352	32	1,364	878	341	145	17,956	39	2,807	1,331	668	808
5. Parked motor vehicle	1,450	3	105	75	26	4	1,342	3	144	93	38	13
6. Railroad train	21	1	8	5	1	2	12		14	9	3	2
7. Bicyclist	66	1	61	32	21	8	4	2	67	35	23	9
8. Animal	1		1	1					1	1		
9. Fixed object	51		11	7	3	1	40		11	8	2	1
10. Other object	17		1		1		16		1	1		
11. Other non-collision	25		10	7	2	1	15		13	9	3	1
12.												
TOTALS	23,997	89	2,907	1,914	735	261	21,001	100	4,861	2,646	1,196	1,019

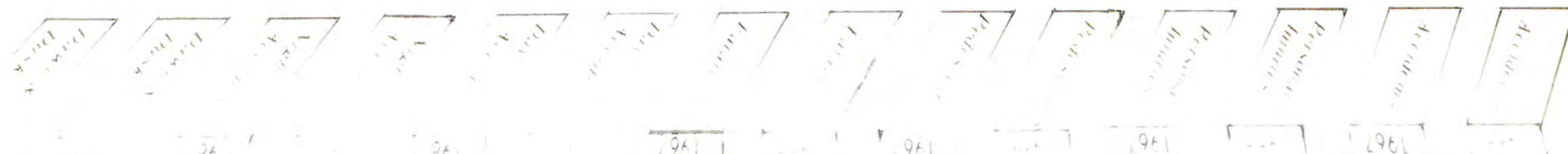
100 persons killed in 89 fatal accidents.

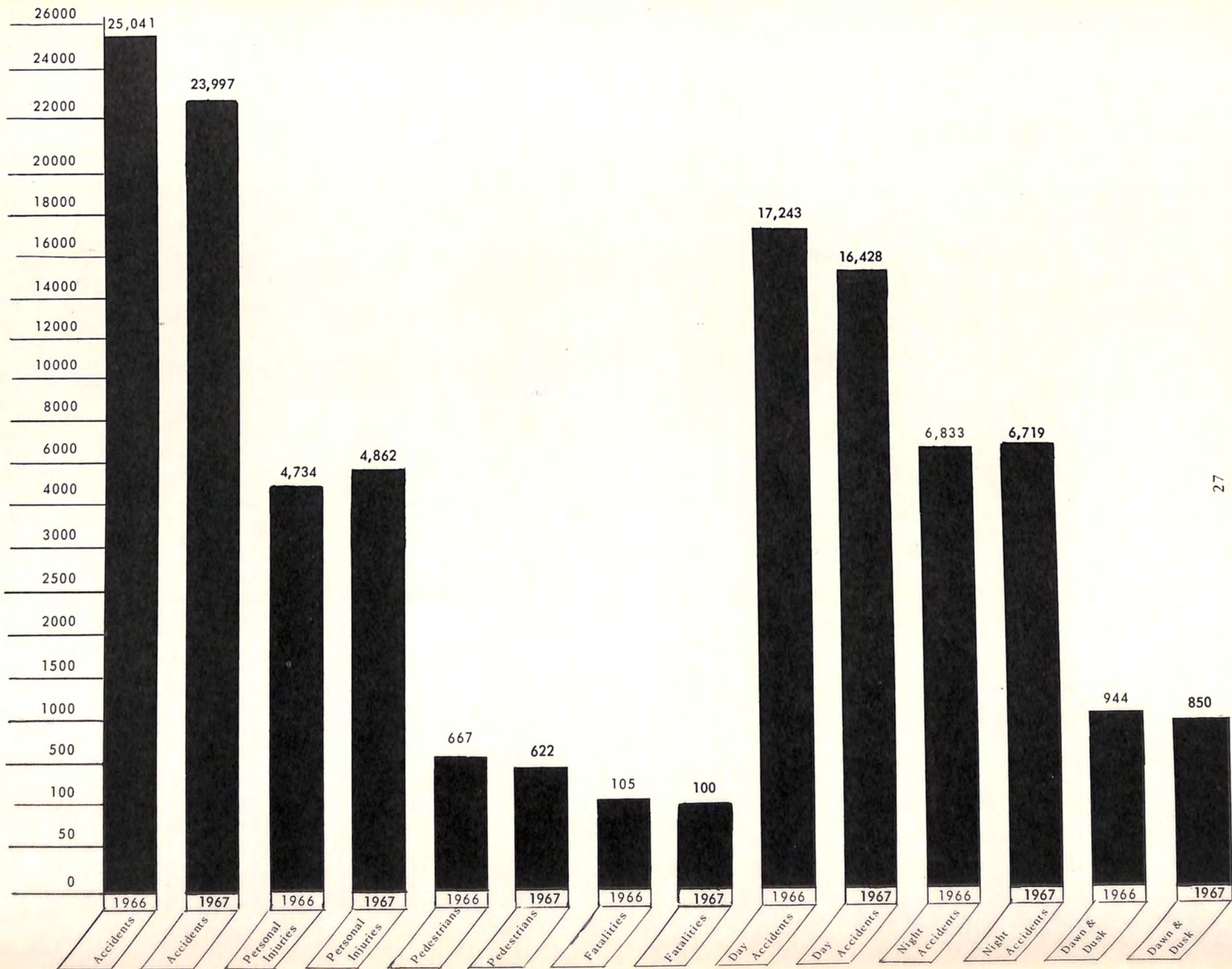
CODE FOR INJURY

A - Visible signs of injury, as bleeding or distorted member; or had to be carried from the scene.

B. - Other visible injury, as bruises, abrasions, swelling, limping, etc.

C. - No visible injury but complaint of pain or momentary unconsciousness.





ACCIDENTS

1967

Contributing Circumstances Indicated	All Accidents		Fatal Accidents	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
Speeding too fast	830	796	25	15
Fail to yield right-of-way	4,423	4,075	5	5
Drove left of center	1,131	1,137	11	11
Improper overtaking	634	579	2	2
Past stop sign	1,107	1,111	3	0
Disregarded traffic signal	1,254	1,220	1	5
Followed too closely	6,854	6,285	0	2
Made improper turn	1,667	1,700	0	0
Other improper driving	5,360	5,495	26	31
Inadequate brakes	428	353	0	0
Improper lights	21	26	0	0
Had been drinking	938	996	6	2
Total	24,647	23,773	79	73

* 1966

105 Persons killed in 94 fatal accidents

* 1967

100 Persons killed in 89 fatal accidents

Persons Killed by Hour of Day

11 - 12 AM	6	7 - 8 AM	4
12 - 1 AM	3	8 - 9 AM	3
1 - 2 AM	1	9 - 10 AM	2
2 - 3 AM	3	10 - 11 AM	1
3 - 4 AM	0	11 AM to 12 PM	3
4 - 5 AM	1	12 - 1 PM	4
5 - 6 AM	2	1 - 2 PM	6
6 - 7 AM	6	2 - 3 PM	9
Total	22	Total	32

By Day of Week

3 - 4 PM	7	Monday	10
4 - 5 PM	2	Tuesday	11
5 - 6 PM	7	Wednesday	13
6 - 7 PM	9	Thursday	11
7 - 8 PM	5	Friday	20
8 - 9 PM	11	Saturday	22
9 - 10 PM	3	Sunday	13
10 - 11 PM	2		
Total	46	Total	100

TOTAL TRAFFIC ARREST

1967

CHARGE	1967	1966	CHANGE
Allowing another to drive U/I	86	60	26
Allowing another to drive without license	305	233	72
Driving on sidewalk	31	33	-2
Driving on wrong side of street	2,384	2,546	-162
Driving while drivers license suspended	555	596	-41
Driving wrong way on one way street	2,484	3,192	-708
Failing to give a proper signal	39	54	-15
Failing to grant or yield right of way	3,086	3,181	-95
Failing to obey officers signal	206	223	-17
Failing to pull to curb to unload passenger	30	44	-14
Failing to remain in proper lane	9,763	13,285	-3522
Failing to set brakes and curb wheels	45	61	-16
Failing to stop when traffic obstructed	9	5	4
Following too closely	4,739	5,310	-571
Illegal or improper turn	15,715	16,106	-391
Impeding regular movement of traffic	737	1,067	-330
Improper entering or leaving vehicle	17	28	-11
Improper backing	1,014	1,213	-199
Improper brakes	185	215	-30
Improper emerging from private drive	786	832	-46
Improper or no lights	5,075	6,581	-1,506
Improper passing	898	1,185	-287
Improper start from parked position	664	636	28
Operating motor vehicle U/I	4,762	4,298	464
Projecting load	98	40	58
Riding double on motor scooter	6	22	-16
Speeding	32,627	30,068	2559
Violating pedestrians duties	1,119	1,698	-579
Violating pedestrians rights	252	197	55
Violating red light ordinance	19,275	19,555	-280
Violating stop sign ordinance	10,490	8,586	1,904
Blocking traffic	62	181	-119
Improper changing lanes	4,033	3,771	262
Motor vehicle colliding with object	886	924	-38
Vehicle leaving street or roadway	647	635	12
Vehicle colliding with parked vehicle	844	811	33
Blocking intersection	84	175	-91
Fail to grant R/W to pedestrian	4	4	0
Other hazardous violations	358	310	48
Violating minimum speed law	221	97	124
Drag Racing	171	111	60
Crossing Median	347	462	-115
TOTAL HAZARDOUS VIOLATIONS	125,139	128,631	-3492
Fail to abide	972	1,010	-38
Fail to appear in court on copy	4,218	4,499	-281
Illegal parking (restricted area)	1,792	2,547	-755
Improper muffler	1,057	979	78
No drivers license	8,415	9,089	-674
Violating truck and trailer ordinance	44	116	-72
Violating section 18.173 (Fail report acc.)	1,114	981	133
Illegal parking (overtime)	712	1,390	-678
Illegal parking (impound)	1,861	1,822	39
VSMVL	2,564	2,355	209
Other non-hazardous violations	71	77	-6
Violating State Inspection Law	3,839	1,372	2,467
	26,659	26,237	422
TOTAL TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS	151,798	154,868	-3070
Drunk on street	389	477	-88
Drunk in automobile	263	251	12
Other non-traffic violations	859	935	-76
	1,511	1,663	-152
TOTAL ALL VIOLATIONS	153,309	156,531	-3222
Cases involving accidents	19,377	20,501	-1,124

POLICE EMERGENCY VEHICLES

Accidents on our expressway system usually are more severe than accidents occurring in slow moving areas. Often times, people are trapped inside wrecked vehicles. Danger of fire is ever present, thus creating the need for emergency rescue vehicles with great maneuverability and power.

In answer of this need, two small but powerful vehicles equipped with four-wheel drive capable of moving heavy broken down trucks from the traffic arteries were added to the mobile units this year. They are manned by officers trained in resuscitation, first aid and other phases of rescue work.

Due to their great maneuverability, these small vehicles can reach the scene of an emergency much faster than the large heavy type rescue vehicles.

These vehicles are in addition to the four trucks that patrol our expressway system rendering assistance to stranded motorists.

When not involved in rescue operations, the vehicles patrol the expressways helping other police units in the regulation and control of vehicular traffic.

Personnel assigned to these vehicles are experts in operating the following equipment carried in the vehicles.

Resuscitator
First Aid Kit
Porter power jack
Hydraulic jack
Wire cutter
Jumper cable

Metal cutter
Bolt cutter
Snatch block
Wench
AC power generator unit
Fire extinguisher

Electric Metal saw
Tow chain
Leg splint
Arm splint



POWER JACK FORCES DOOR OPEN - RESUSCITATOR USED

UNINCORPORATED AREA - 1967

**OFFENSES AND ACTIVITIES REPORT
UNINCORPORATED AREA OF FULTON COUNTY**

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Police services furnished to the Unincorporated Area of Fulton County are furnished by contract between City of Atlanta and Fulton County.

PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT

December 31, 1967

- 2 Captains
- 1 Lieutenant (Detective)
- 4 Detectives
- 4 Lieutenants (Uniform)
- 44 Patrolmen
- 12 Patrol cars
- 11 Police Women (School Traffic)
- 4 Motorcycles

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	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Total traffic accidents	88	96	99	111	86	114	104	134	94	126	140	139	1,331
Injuries	51	41	42	76	62	70	75	89	56	90	76	68	796
Deaths	4	6	0	3	0	1	1	4	2	1	4	4	30

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VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN

RECOVERED

	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966
Burglaries	423	422	\$113,721.63	\$108,726.97	\$ 8,244.91	\$10,917.21
Larcenies	451	366	\$101,908.01	53,116.85	8,902.62	1,528.11
Larceny of Automobiles	49	72	86,965.00	93,500.00	66,015.00	77,250.00
Totals			302,594.64	255,343.82	83,162.53	89,695.32

UNINCORPORATED AREA ARRESTS

FBI REPORT - PART ONE

NUMBER OF ARRESTS

Arrests	1965	1966	1967
CRIMINAL HOMICIDE:			
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	1	4	2
Manslaughter	7	9	7
Forcible Rape	3	1	3
Robbery	6	5	11
Aggravated Assault	5	3	9
Burglary	35	39	93
Larceny	35	42	118
Auto Theft	16	40	13
Total - Part One	108	143	256
FBI REPORT - PART TWO			
Other Assaults	7	29	9
Arson	2	1	5
Forgery & Counterfeiting	3	0	1
Fraud	3	4	0
Embezzlement	0	0	0
Stolen Property, Buying, Receiving, Possessing	4	3	2
Vandalism	5	10	26
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, Etc.	10	13	18
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	0	10	0
Sex Offenses	3	5	4
Narcotic Drug Laws	1	6	2
Gambling	4	5	0
Offenses Against the Family & Children	0	0	0
Driving under the Influence	200	205	255
Liquor Laws	22	8	5
Drunkenness	305	309	266
Disorderly Conduct	55	61	1
Vagrancy	1	1	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	169	190	314
Total - Part Two	794	860	908
Total - Part One and Part Two	902	1003	1164
OTHER TRAFFIC ARRESTS			
Driving on Wrong Side of Street	35	60	96
Failing to Yield Right-Of-Way	40	81	152
Following Too Close	54	116	166
Hit & Run	22	19	23
No Drivers License	237	281	349
Red Light	37	59	158
Speeding	821	943	1640
State Motor Vehicle Laws	162	214	368
Stop Sign	531	565	985
Other Traffic Cases	544	409	531
Total Other Traffic Cases	2483	2747	4468
GRAND TOTAL	3385	3750	5632

UNINCORPORATED AREA REPORTS

FBI REPORT - PART ONE

NUMBER OF OFFENSES

Offense	1965	1966	1967
CRIMINAL HOMICIDE			
Murder & Nonnegligence	1	7	2
Manslaughter by Negligence	6	15	10
Forcible Rape	3	5	3
Rape by Force	2	3	3
Assault to Rape-Assault	1	2	0
Robbery	9	3	6
Armed - Any Weapon	7	2	4
Strong - Arm, No Weapon	2	1	2
Assault	11	18	24
Gun	3	6	7
Knife, or Cutting Instrument	4	2	2
Other Dangerous Weapon	0	0	5
Hands, Fists, Feet, Etc., Aggravated	1	2	2
Other Assaults, Not Aggravated	3	8	8
Burglary	318	422	423
Forcible Entry	299	409	408
Unlawful Entry, No Force	7	2	3
Attempted Forcible Entry	12	11	12
LARCENY			
\$50 & Over	159	208	253
Under \$50	153	158	198
Auto Theft	48	72	49
Total	708	908	968
REPORTS NOT SHOWN ON FBI REPORT			
Death, Accidental	11	4	5
Death, Natural	13	13	18
Doors & Windows Found Open	15	23	62
Fires	39	52	45
Impounded Autos, Etc.	221	202	201
Lost	10	16	35
Malicious Mischief	124	203	240
Miscellaneous	124	145	117
Persons Injured	40	43	31
Suicides	4	6	2
Whiskey Stills Destroyed	11	3	1
Whiskey Cars Confiscated	7	1	3
Total	619	711	760
GRAND TOTAL	1327	1619	1728
Illegal (Non-Tax Paid) Whiskey and Mash Destroyed	3618	4886½	2336 Gal.

LARCENY OF CREDIT CARDS

Over 140,000,000 credit cards were in circulation in 1966. This number greatly increased during 1967.

Illegal and unauthorized use of credit cards cost American citizens between twenty-five and thirty million dollars per year and from all indications, this amount will continue to increase.

Merely by presenting a credit card, cash and most any type of service or commodity is obtainable on demand by the holder of credit cards.

Various methods are used to obtain credit cards, Some are stolen by pocket pickers, some by resident burglars and some from hotel and motel guests. They are also counterfeited.

Airlines, department stores and service stations are targets in the credit card racket. Tremendous bills are run up very fast at motels and hotels especially in large cities, before the owner has any knowledge that his credit card has been stolen.

Service stations are frequent victims in this sophisticated form of larceny. Not only is the credit card used for purchasing motor fuel, it is used for purchasing tires and other items offered for sale in the station. In one case, a victim received a bill for twenty high priced automobile tires that had been purchased two at a time in different stations between Atlanta and California, using a stolen credit card.

In a distant city, a young boy with a stolen credit card ran up bills for over ten thousand dollars having parties and purchasing gifts for girls he met, before being apprehended.



HOTEL PAID BY CREDIT CARD

GULLIBLE CITIZENS SWINDLED

Widows and poor citizens are swindled by fast talking con-men who represent themselves as being reputable building contractors.

These contractors seek their victims by door-to-door contact and telephone calls.

The victim is promised first class workmanship below the market cost, for additional rooms, carports, driveways, patios and other type of remodeling to their home.

In some instances, the victim signs a second mortgage unbeknowing. This is done by the swindler at the time of the signing of the contract. He shuffles a mortgage paper in with the contract papers and the victim innocently signs all papers.

In other cases, the perpetrator is given 50% of the total amount of the contract to purchase building material. The balance to be paid upon completion of the job. The perpetrator spends about a half day tearing out or doing preparatory work, leaves the job, never to be heard of again.

In most cases, the victims are widows and uneducated people who are not in the position to stand such losses.

In cases where second mortgages are made, the victim is laboring under the illusion that she is to pay a reasonable amount of money for the job. She is shocked when she receives a past due notice that she has failed to pay the first payment due on her second mortgage, which in most cases is more than she ordinarily would have paid had she been dealing with a reputable contractor.



SIGNS MORTGAGE AND CONTRACT

BURGLARY 1967

	Residence Night	Residence Day	Residence Unknown	NON-RES. Night	NON-RES. Day	NON-RES. Unknown	Total Number	Value
Jan.	65	108	14	322	15	42	566	90,694.33
Feb.	45	82	22	251	8	34	442	79,085.84
March	61	97	27	204	9	31	429	65,667.17
April	75	113	14	191	7	22	422	54,856.21
May	67	89	18	194	10	19	397	73,426.26
June	68	71	19	223	8	14	403	56,908.22
July	77	66	20	304	19	22	508	51,821.18
Aug.	87	91	18	217	9	27	449	49,747.82
Sept.	85	96	21	190	17	32	441	55,667.69
Oct.	85	122	25	229	9	19	489	82,203.76
Nov.	58	141	27	287	8	27	548	97,476.49
Dec.	79	116	36	284	11	26	552	99,876.88
Total	852	1,192	261	2,896	130	315	5,646	857,431.85

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT 1967

	0	25	50	75	100	125	150	175	200	225	250	275	300	325	350	375	400	425	450	475
White woman attacks White woman	4																			
White woman attacks White man	9																			
White woman attacks Negro woman	0																			
White woman attacks Negro man	0																			
White man attacks White woman	12																			
White man attacks White man	98																			
White man attacks Negro woman	0																			
White man attacks Negro man	8																			
Negro woman attacks White woman	0																			
Negro woman attacks White man	0																			
Negro woman attacks Negro woman	38																			
Negro woman attacks Negro man	80																			
Negro man attacks White woman	6																			
Negro man attacks White man	29																			
Negro man attacks Negro woman	155																			
Negro man attacks Negro man	408																			
Not stated	25																			

Day of Week	Total	Weapons	Total
Sunday	163	Force (Bodily)	27
Monday	80	Pistol	344
Tuesday	91	Shotgun	26
Wednesday	59	Rifle	8
Thursday	68	Ice Pick	7
Friday	122	Knife	343
Saturday	289	Iron Pipe	7
		Others	91
		Unknown	19
Total	872	Total	872

TOTAL **872**

VALUE OF PROPERTY REPORTED STOLEN AND RECOVERED

	1966		1967	
	Stolen	Recovered	Stolen	Recovered
January	\$ 417,605.07	\$ 218,378.60	\$ 510,739.19	\$ 285,498.62
February	505,288.07	246,675.92	490,538.26	247,489.86
March	452,772.43	235,475.97	481,227.07	267,296.99
April	445,658.08	243,827.21	394,606.97	208,463.84
May	429,356.67	193,988.50	470,556.01	232,849.36
June	407,708.25	223,725.45	441,070.61	180,665.70
July	521,843.60	302,805.81	575,660.44	318,165.97
August	522,363.66	253,723.91	564,732.54	243,657.05
September	355,099.78	229,289.76	499,018.38	301,573.84
October	481,287.02	252,040.08	470,409.42	233,370.68
November	476,416.72	240,367.43	643,693.25	293,048.14
December	500,772.77	265,611.51	639,217.54	361,290.81
Total	\$5,516,172.12	\$2,905,910.15	\$6,181,469.68	\$3,173,370.86

WORTHWHILE ENDEAVORS

Many of our police officers are engaged in various types of commendable activity during their off-duty hours.

This type activity varies from boy scout leadership to conducting religious services for our silent citizens.

Due to the limited space in this publication, we are illustrating only two of these endeavors.

While assigned to the Morning Watch (12PM-8AM) Officer C. L. Huddleston observed groups of deaf people gathering for food and fellowship in a downtown restaurant. He observed them very closely and became interested in them.

Years later, he transferred from the mission committee to the silent department in his church. Not knowing the A B C's in the sign language, he studied the sign language in order to take part in teaching the word of God to our deaf citizens.

Officer Huddleston now teaches a class of 45 deaf people each Sunday.

Ray H. Billings, assigned to the Radio Division, the holder of a Bachelor of Electrical Engineering Degree from Georgia Tech, has been an active scouter for 12 years.

He has been a member of the District Eagle Review Board for 8 years. He served in other capacities such as cub pack Treasurer-secretary, troop advancement chairman, troop committee chairman, assistant scout master and institutional representative.

Such activity as overnight camping, hikes into various points' throughout the State of Georgia and attending the summer troop outings and teaching the boys scouting skills is greatly enjoyed by Mr. Billings.



BIBLE TEACHING BY SIGN LANGUAGE



SCOUTING

POLICE SAFETY COMMITTEE

A Safety Committee authorized to investigate all incidents where police personnel are involved in vehicular accidents and city property is damaged, meets once each week.

This Committee consists of one superintendent who acts as chairman and votes only in case of a tie, one lieutenant who acts as secretary and is in charge of motorized equipment, and does not vote, one detective and three patrolmen.

After reviewing the evidence, the Committee will decide on one of the following:

1. The officer involved is exonerated.
2. Guilty of failure to avoid or prevent an accident with no penalty.
3. The officer involved be required to give a five minute safety lecture at roll call training.
4. The Traffic Court conducts a school where first offenders attend in lieu of paying a fine. Traffic laws are reviewed. The officer must attend one of these schools in uniform in his off duty hours.
5. Probation by Safety Committee for specified time.
6. The officer involved be assigned to a foot beat and not allowed to drive a police vehicle.
7. The officer be suspended, not to exceed five days.
8. Charges be preferred against the officer and tried before the Police Committee.



SAFETY COMMITTEE

CRIME REPORT BUREAU

Reports not shown on F. B. I. Annual Report

Lost Items	1,149
Recoveries, found, impounded, Etc.	5,456
Forgery, worthless and fictitious checks	1,454
Open doors and windows found by patrolmen	1,082
Fires	748
Deaths, found dead, no crime	835
Damage to police property, cars, motorcycles, etc.	673
Persons injured, other than traffic accidents, etc.	1,018
Malicious Mischief and vandalism	2,510
Burned to Death	5
Miscellaneous	838
Whiskey cars confiscated	47
Lottery cars confiscated	26
Narcotic cars confiscated	9
Unruly prisoners	358
Damage to City property – non-police	441
Officers injured	270
Molesting minor, public indecency, etc.	254
Attempted suicide	200
Suicides	55
Fire – Smoking in Bed	75
Persons bitten by dogs and cats	139
Accidental shootings	92
Injured in fires	26
Suspicious fires, arson, etc.	55
Arrest	7,114
Missing Persons	1,719
Vulgar phone calls	55
Operating without owners consent	327
Total	27,030
Unincorporated area reports	1,728
Unincorporated area unfounded reports	58
Unfounded reports (City)	1,846
Report shown on F. B. I. copy (City)	22,168
Total	52,830

AUTOMOBILES STOLEN AND RECOVERED

	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
Automobiles reported stolen	2,718	3,622	3,417	4,210	2,974	2,391	2,693
Stolen automobiles recovered	2,269	2,510	2,536	3,035	2,280	1,972	2,125
Stolen elsewhere, recovered here in 1967							
Number	222						
Value	\$365,504.00						

CRIME REPORT BUREAU

Distribution of Crimes by Months

	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assaults	Burglary	Larceny	Auto Larceny
January	5	49	63	566	1,137	220
February	4	56	58	442	1,061	229
March	15	39	51	429	1,148	214
April	10	51	86	422	1,101	181
May	17	40	79	397	1,141	233
June	9	33	76	403	969	196
July	8	38	96	508	1,103	252
August	17	68	106	449	1,136	242
September	12	54	59	441	999	184
October	10	49	53	489	1,068	191
November	13	68	72	548	1,096	267
December	9	68	73	552	1,191	284
Totals	129	613	872	5,646	13,150	2,693

MISSING PERSONS

Age	WHITE		NEGRO		Totals
	Male	Female	Male	Female	
1 - 5	5	6	8	4	23
6 - 10	24	9	29	19	81
11 - 16	209	286	108	190	793
17 - 20	69	111	32	69	281
21 - 30	68	71	37	44	220
31 - 40	38	35	26	33	132
41 - 50	33	19	22	7	81
OVER 50	47	18	28	15	108
Totals	493	555	290	381	1,719

96% of persons reported missing located or returned.

CASES BOOKED

Type of Violation	White Male	White Female	Negro Male	Negro Female	17 Years and Under		Total Number Arrested
					White	Negro	
Murder and Non-Negligent							
Manslaughter	14	2	92	21	0	10	139
Rape	28	0	79	0	0	14	121
Robbery	73	9	183	3	13	103	384
Aggravated Assault	126	23	563	160	9	66	947
Burglary	230	15	422	20	291	617	1,595
Larceny	516	233	924	333	518	1,345	3,869
Auto Theft	232	17	312	10	164	296	1,031
Other Assaults	529	47	694	110	50	159	1,589
Arson	2	0	4	4	2	5	17
Forgery and Counterfeiting	88	24	50	20	10	21	213
Fraud	93	33	33	20	7	10	196
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property (Receiving)	51	10	58	6	12	19	156
Vandalism	132	10	173	28	133	154	630
Weapons - C. C. W. - C. P. W. L.	320	21	885	100	22	98	1,446
Prostitution and Vice	46	116	31	32	1	4	230
Sex offenses, except Rape &							
Prostitution	273	15	206	22	31	29	576
Narcotic and Dangerous Drugs	318	95	184	57	18	14	686
Gambling	85	14	709	357	11	49	1,225
Offenses against Family-Children	57	20	29	18	6	0	130
Driving Under the Influence	2,795	243	1,630	64	25	5	4,762
Liquor Laws	289	43	534	190	9	16	1,081
Drunkenness	25,508	2,113	14,315	1,887	56	77	43,956
Disorderly Conduct	6,387	1,032	9,729	2,579	1,068	1,574	22,369
Vagrancy	145	106	104	14	14	8	391
All other, except traffic	216	49	298	75	13	44	695
Run-Aways-loitering-Curfew	0	0	0	0	380	234	614
Total	38,553	4,290	32,241	6,130	2,863	4,971	89,048

General Court Cases

79,280

TRAINING DIVISION

Conducted four Recruit Classes, 240 hours each with eight (8) visiting officers from police departments in the Atlanta Metropolitan Area.

Conducted three examinations on Training Bulletins furnished by International Chiefs of Police Association.

One officer graduated from the F. B. I. National Academy in Washington, D. C. The purpose of the three months course at the "West Point of Law Enforcement" is to provide officers with a knowledge of the latest administrative and investigative developments in the law enforcement profession.

Two officers graduated from the Southern Police Institute, Louisville, Kentucky. A three months course in Police Organization and Administration, Human Relations, Criminal Law, Police Planning, Traffic Control, Juvenile Investigations and Public Speaking.

Conducted thirty-seven (37) tours of the Police Station for a total of 506 persons.

Three (3) officers attended the Aircraft Rescue Demonstration School.

Nine (9) officers attended two weeks Traffic School at the Georgia State Police Academy sponsored by Northwestern Traffic Institute.

Twelve (12) officers received special first aid and rescue operations course familiarizing them with new emergency units.

One officer attended Harvard University three weeks for a course in "Management Institute for Police Chiefs".

Seventeen (17) officers attended Georgia State Police Academy for a course in Police Management and recruit school.

One officer attended a Workshop at the University of Georgia for one week for a course in Police Supervision.

Three (3) officers attended the University of Georgia for a course in Community Relations. (one week)

Sixty-six (66) officers were issued the report on the President's Crime Commission entitled "Challenge of Crime in a Free Society"

Distributed 20,800 copies of I. A. C. P. Training Keys to members of the department.

Distributed 287 copies of "Analysis of General Statutes Enacted at the 1967 Session of the General Assembly."

Conducted thirty-nine (39) lectures to civic groups, churches, and schools.

Two (2) officers made two films for training purposes.

TRAINING DIVISION

Ten (10) officers lectured at the Georgia State Police Academy.

340 officers were given firearms instruction at the Atlanta Police Department Pistol Range.

Twenty-six (26) Sight and Sound Training Films sponsored by the International Association of Chiefs of Police were shown to members of the department.

800 members of this department participated in law enforcement training programs at the University of Georgia, Division of Law and Government. 38,400 Training Bulletins issued in conjunction with this program.

INTERNAL SECURITY

The Atlanta Police Department's Internal Security Squad is charged with, and performed the following functions:

Investigated and made summary and final reports on complaints against Police Department Personnel.

Investigate and ascertain the honesty and integrity of police personnel.

Interviewed 583 new police applicants. Conducted a complete investigation on 368, recommended 251 for employment and of this number, 167 were employed.

Interviewed 37 applicants for reinstatement as patrolmen. Conducted investigation on 33 and recommended reinstating 21 as patrolmen.

Conducted 15 investigations on applicants for out-of-town police departments.

Investigated and approved or rejected all applications for extra police jobs for off-duty and retired officers.

Established a systematic file on complaints and report immediately to the Chief of Police any case that might require disciplinary action; and to furnish a summary report of all activities to the Chief of Police.

POLICE OFFICERS ASSAULTED

	OFFICERS ASSAULTED	OFFICERS INJURED BY PRISONERS	OFFICERS ASSAULTED NOT INJURED	OFFICERS INJURED IN ACCIDENTS	UNRULY PRISONERS
JAN.	19	4	15	10	18
FEB.	33	10	23	9	33
MAR.	33	11	22	15	33
APR.	29	11	18	17	29
MAY	26	4	22	15	25
JUNE	24	9	15	21	29
JULY	38	10	28	12	38
AUG.	26	4	22	12	24
SEPT.	34	7	27	15	34
OCT.	32	10	22	23	34
NOV.	28	6	22	14	28
DEC.	33	6	27	15	33
TOTAL	355	92	263	178	358

*Officers receiving minor injury not shown. Only cases requiring hospital treatment included.
In some incidents, more than one officer and one prisoner are involved.*

KNOWLEDGEABLE

A number of our police personnel have earned their college diplomas. Forty-eight officers now attend colleges and universities in the Atlanta area, completing courses of instructions in their off-duty hours.

Thirty-three of our officers are holders of bachelor degrees and eight have masters degrees in law.

Fourteen officers have completed courses at the FBI Academy. Several have attended the Traffic Institute at Northwestern University and the Southern Police Institute.

The Georgia State College now offers a two year course in Police Administration which leads to an Associates of Arts Degree. The College is one of the few institutions in the nation offering this course. Twenty-six Atlanta police officers are presently enrolled in this degree program.

Various degrees held by other officers include:

One Bachelor Electrical Engineering
One Associate of Art
Three Bachelor of Business Administration

Three Bachelor of Science
Four Bachelor of Art
One Bachelor of Divinity



ATTENDING COLLEGE

ALCOHOLISM

A ruling by the Superior Court caused a change in drunkenness cases booked after July 19, 1967.

This ruling applies only to chronic alcoholic cases. In the new ruling, the order stated that "excusal of one afflicted with chronic alcoholism from criminal prosecution is confined exclusively to those acts on his part which are compulsive as symptomatic of the disease and with respect to other behavior -- not characteristic of confirmed chronic alcoholism -- he should be judged as any person not so afflicted."

The judge did not exclude those drinkers whose alcoholic binges cause great harm to others and to the peace in general. It did not excuse those who get drunk and disturb the peace at will. It did not excuse arrest of those drunk on the streets or in public places who are not classed as chronic alcoholics. The menace to the community of such persons will still be acknowledged.

The Fulton County case is the first time in Georgia alcoholism has been judged to be a disease and not a crime.

Chronic alcoholics are not exempted from criminal guilt in cases involving criminality. The ruling reduced the effectiveness to only cases of drunkenness, loitering, and other directly related to the state of intoxication.



ALCOHOLIC

ATTEMPT SUICIDE

Attempt suicides show a drastic increase in recent years.

In 1963 one hundred and forty-seven persons attempted to take their own lives. In 1967 two hundred persons attempted to take their lives.

The records indicate that people who survive this searing emotional experience constitute a pool from which completed suicides are later drawn. Below is the age, sex and race breakdown on attempt suicides for 1967.

	20 & Under	21-25	26-30	31-35	36-40	41-45	46-50	51-55	56 & Over	Total
White Male	10	16	6	5	10	5	3	5	8	68
White Female	12	16	17	13	9	7	1	3	3	81
Negro Male	7	3	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	17
Negro Female	13	11	3	3	1	2	1	0	0	34
Total	42	46	29	23	22	14	5	8	11	200

POLICE DEPARTMENT COST OF OPERATION 1967

Purchase of Equipment	\$ 274,260.99
Lights and Power	21,101.33
Service, Motor Transport Department	575,966.95
Uniforms	112,648.50
Other Cost of Operations	212,387.14
Salaries	6,284,103.15
Salaries - Traffic Policewomen (School Crossings)	99,835.60
Rentals, I. B. M. Etc.	105,377.77
Total	7,685,681.43

POLICE OFFICERS PENSION IN 1967

	Name	Rank	Retirement Date	Years of Service
1.	Young Howard Allen	Detective	February 1, 1967	28 years
2.	Marion W. Blackwell	Lieutenant	March 28, 1967	25 years
3.	Lewis L. Lackland	Patrolman	April 15, 1967	25 years
4.	E. C. (Roy) Mitchell	Patrolman	May 1, 1967	25 years
5.	George L. Newton	Patrolman	July 3, 1967	28 years
6.	Durrell Fuller	Patrolman	July 7, 1967	30 years
7.	Robert L. Shutley	Detective	August 1, 1967	25 years
8.	Charles E. Strickland, Sr.	Patrolman	August 7, 1967	29 years
9.	David W. Clayton, Jr.	Patrolman	August 18, 1967 (Disability)	24 years
10.	Clem H. Fortner, Jr.	Lieutenant	August 28, 1967	25 years
11.	Edwin A. Barfield	Lieutenant	August 31, 1967	28 years
12.	Erah C. Carter	Patrolman	October 11, 1967	25 years
13.	George E. Wallace	Patrolman	October 20, 1967	31 years
14.	Norman R. Clodfelter	Sergeant	October 21, 1967	28 years
15.	Quinton F. Hays	Patrolman	November 30, 1967	25 years

NOTE: To qualify for retirement an officer must be 55 years of age and have a minimum of 25 years of service.

In 1967 two hundred
 officers constitute a pool from
 shown on attempt suicides

51-55	56 & Over	Total
5	8	68
3	3	81
0	0	17
0	0	34
x	11	200

\$ 274,260.99
 21,101.33
 575,966.95
 112,648.50
 212,387.14
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