



# **IX. Informes 1950-1951 a 1954-1955**



*Año 1950-1951*

## **ESTADISTICAS**

August 29, 1951

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The Honorable  
The Governor of Puerto Rico  
San Juan, Puerto Rico

Sir:-

In compliance with the law, I have the honor to submit, herewith, the Annual Report outlining the activities of the Insular Police Force of Puerto Rico during the fiscal year 1950-1951.

The information and data contained in this report represent, in a considerable degree, the work and accomplishment of the Insular Police Force for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951.

Respectfully,

**SALVADOR T. REIG**  
**Chief of the Insular Police**

**ESTADISTICAS**

**INSULAR —— POLICE**

**Annual —— Report**

**1950 — 1951**

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## S U M M A R Y

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### 1- PERSONNEL:

The Insular Police Personnel for the year 1950-1951 consisted of 2729 members including 73 civilian employees. This shows an increase of 263 numbers over previous year. This increase, about an 11%, is not enough, yet, to attend all problems confronted with the service. The legislation establishing the eight-hour maximum working period for members of the Force, continues its enforcement as previous year, but still, it is necessary an increase in the Force for the best purpose of this legislation. (See chart "A").

### 2- CRIMES:

During this year, the Department recorded 145,270 offenses of which 767 were unfounded, remaining a total of 144,503 true offenses. This represents a decrease of 10% as compared with last year. Out of these figures, the Police cleared up 139,500 offenses, giving a 97% of clearance. As a result of this 97% clearance, a total of 163,659 persons, 151,486 males and 12,173 females, were charged by the Police as compared with 182,231 for the previous year, showing a decrease of 13%. (See Exhibits "7-C-H"). (See Charts "A", "C", "D", "E", "F", "G" and "H").

Crimes against persons and crimes against property increased 10% and 15% respectively over the figures for last year. Manslaughter by Negligence increased 6%; Aggravated Assaults went down .6%; Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter increased 4%; Burglary increased 25% and Robbery decreased 14%, while Larceny increased 8%. (See Exhibit "J").

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Of the 144,503 true offenses, 77% were committed in the Urban Zone and 23% in the Rural Zone. Of the 163,659 persons charged, 62% were whites, 23% mulattoes, and 10% negroes. (See Exhibit "I").

### 3- LIQUOR LAWS:

The Police seized a total of 16,293 quarts of illicit liquor, destroyed 567 illicit stills and seized 405 stills for evidence in the courts. These figures show a decrease of 42%, 54%, and 40% respectively, compared with the evidence obtained last year. The Insular Police Department in closed cooperation with the Department of Finance, has established different squads to prosecute and enforce the Liquor Law. These squads are rendering a valuable task. (See chart "III")

### 4- FIREARMS:

A total of 2341 firearms were registered during the year, as indicated below:

Revolvers	1347
Pistols	516
Rifles	72
Shotguns	904

Of these firearms, the following were registered according to Law #17 of 1951:-

Revolvers	410
Pistols	356
Shotguns	894
Rifles	59

### 5- TRAFFIC:

A total of 206 persons lost their lives and 7470 were injured on the highways and streets in Puerto Rico during the year 1950-1951. These figures represent a decrease of 13% and 3%, respectively as

compared with the figures for previous year. Automobile accidents went down from 14,058 last year to 12,798 this year, showing a decrease of 9%. Although the total of accidents was reduced in 1260, the traffic situation continues to be a very serious problem in the Island. The Traffic Division created by the Police Department enforces the Vehicle and Traffic Law, the Traffic Regulations and Ordinances relating to vehicular and pedestrian traffic. This Traffic Division operates especially, in the Metropolitan Zone but the experience is being applied to all the Island, just as previous year. Extensive surveys and investigations for the relief of traffic congestion and traffic obstacles are being made in conjunction with the Department of Interior. A total of 38,102 persons were charged by the Police for traffic violations during the year, showing a decrease of 15%, due in part to the different campaigns carried on in relation to the traffic problems.

(See charts "I", "J",

"K" and "L")

6-- JUVENILE DELINQUENCY:-

During the year, 1203 juveniles were arrested by the Police. Most of these juvenile cases are being treated by the Police Athletic League.

The League is supported primarily by private funds consisting of associate membership dues of five or more dollars a year as well as personal contributions, and other activities carried on by the Local Board of Directors in each municipality.

Nearly 20,000 children are enrolled in the League, in the local chapters throughout the Island, and most of them participate in athletic activities that are held periodically among youngsters in championships of baseball, as well as basket-ball and other similar games.

Also, there are juvenile clubs that maintain recreational centers in which their members spend part of their spare time reading books, magazines and other publications donated by sponsors of the League.

7- ACADEMY:-

It is through the Police Academy that this Department can prepare a better police to our community. The demand for adequate police protection, the tendency to place more responsibility on the police officer and the need on the part of the police officer for keeping up to date on all matters related with crimes, is receiving special consideration.

The Academy develops an intensive training program for policemen, giving special attention to the new coming members (recruits).

During the year, the following activities were carried out by this Academy:-

(a) Various conferences were held about different confidential matters, by members of the local office of the P. B. I. .

(b) Refreshing courses about Police Methods, Rules and Regulations, and different laws to be properly enforced, were conducted. 25 Detectives attended these courses.

(c) Members of the local office of the P. B. I. and officers of the American Red Cross, with the cooperation of the Academy, conducted various courses of First Aid to their members.

(d) From October to December, 1950, Shooting Courses were held at Isla de Cabras camp under the direct supervision of the Academy. In these activities 246 members of the Force received instruction about different types of firearms and gas bombs to be used in case of riots and other disorders.

(e) From January to March, 1951, a group of 280 new recruits were instructed in all police matters completing the basic course required for policemen.

(f) 41 guards of the penitentiary received full instruction in firearms, shooting, Julie and different subjects pertaining to their job. This, in closed cooperation to the Department of Justice.

(g) ~~at present~~ Actually, a group of 56 new recruits is receiving training about the basic course in police affairs.

In all these activities the Police Academy has received the cooperation of the local office of the F. B. I., the Department of Justice, the American Red Cross and other agencies. The Academy has rendered a valuable and efficient work during the whole year.

The following members of the Force attended the F. B. I. Academy at Washington, D. C. during the year:-

Lt. Miguel Mateo Colón  
Sgt. Andrés Lugo Gay  
PPM. Julie Olivieri

These numbers were specialised in Police Administration, Organization and Investigation.

Captain Gerardo Delgado, Dean of the Insular Police Academy, attended the Northwestern University Traffic School at Evanston, Ill. He was specialised in traffic problems and general police administration.

#### 3- Detective Bureau:

The Bureau of Detectives in cooperation with the Uniformed Force and Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, performs all kinds of criminal investigations brought to the Police.

The Bureau consists of 235 members of which 173 are assigned to the Metropolitan Zone, composed of San Juan, Rio Piedras, Bayamon and other adjacent districts. The other members are assigned to the Police Districts in the rest of the Island under the supervision of the Commanders of the different Police Zones.

9- INSULAR POLICE COMMISSION:-

The following report shows the activities of the Insular Police Commission for the year ending June 30, 1951:-

(a) Sessions held	44
(b) Members of the Force tried	60
(c) Complaints examined	10
(d) Appeals examined	22
(e) Applicants examined	2640
(f) Applicants for reinstatements considered	85
(g) Request for assistance examined	14
(h) Resignations of member of the Force	47
(i) Pensions approved	36
(j) Pensions recommended for widows of members of the Force	3
(k) Compensation cases approved	14
(l) Reenlistments considered	1185
(m) Applicants for promotion considered	39

Relief Fund:

Balance at the beginning of the year	\$ 27,043.73
Increases	1,339.51
Total -----	\$ 28,387.24
Assistance to members of the Force	975.00
Balance on June 30, 1951	\$ 27,412.24

10- RADIO COMMUNICATION SYSTEM:-

The Department operates and maintains a radio system with fixed point transmitters at San Juan, Bayamon, Arecibo, Aguadilla, Mayaguez, Ponce, Guayanilla, Humacao and Caguas. Besides that, we have ~~63 mobile~~ <sup>100</sup> units, including a Maritime Mobile unit at the sea shore and 12 portable

stations. Three repeaters and three relay transmitters operate automatically at El Yunque (Luzquillo), Tree Diaz (Jayuya) and Santaná (Mericao) which permit instant and dependable communication with all the Zones and the mobile units, including the station in the boat at Vieques.

The whole system has a net of emergency power generator's to be used in case of line failure and specially in case of disasters. Instructions and emergency antennae are being distributed through all Zones for this purpose. Trained men will be located at Tree Diaz, El Yunque and Santaná, in case of hurricanes or other emergency, to repair and keep the repeaters and relay transmitters on the air.

During the week of October 30, 1951, in which took place the Nationalist revolt in the Island, our radio net proved, once more, to be of great assistance to the Department. It maintained a continuous communication with all police districts and cars equipped with radio, all throughout the Island, transmitting orders and instructions in general.

#### 11- MEDICAL REPORT:-

The following report covers the cases examined by the Medical Officer of this Department, during the year:-

Number of members of the Force sick in the performance of Police duty due to injuries sustained in accidents	227
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No of members of the Force sick due to natural causes	2432
Total	2559

Total number of days lost due to injuries sustained in accidents	3819
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Total number of days lost due to natural causes	22501
Total	26320

Examination for appointments	307
Examination for reinstatements	36
Examination for reenlistments	532
Examination for promotions	94
Examination to determine drunkenness	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>970</b>
Total sick calls	1332
Total retired disability	45
Pensioned	32
Without pension	11
<b>Total deceased</b>	<b>21</b>
By accidents	11
Suicides	4
Homicides	3
Natural causes	3

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## EXHIBIT "A"

PERSONNEL → Police & Naval  
Salary Scale  
1950-1951

RANK AND GRADE	Basic SALARY
✓ 1 Chief of Police, Colonel	\$ 8,520 ✓
✓ 1 Assistant Chief of Police, Adjutant	5,940 ✓
✓ 1 Inspector General	5,220 ✓
✓ 22 Captains	101,640 ✓
✓ 1 Identification Superintendent	4,620 ✓
✓ 13 First Lieutenants	153,252 ✓
✓ 1 Identification Supervisor	3,564 ✓
✓ 1 Questioned Document Expert	3,564 ✓
✓ 1 Statistical Officer	3,564 ✓
✓ 1 Communication Officer	3,564 ✓
✓ 22 Second Lieutenants	255,552 ✓
✓ 1 Assistant Communication Officer	2,904 ✓
✓ 1 Secretary to the Chief of Police	2,904 ✓
✓ 1 Fingerprint Expert and Clerk	2,904 ✓
✓ 22 Sergeants	164,008 ✓
✓ 1 Fingerprint Expert and Scien. Photographer	1,920 ✓
✓ 1 Fingerprint Expert and Ballistic Mechanic	1,920 ✓
✓ 176 Corporals	325,248 ✓
✓ 235 Detectives	403,260 ✓
✓ 22 Fingerprints Experts	36,960 ✓
✓ 2048 Policemen	3,244,032 ✓
✓ 1 Lawyer II	3,600 ✓
✓ 1 Accountant II	3,120 ✓
✓ 1 Clerk Steno. III	2,160 ✓
✓ 2 Clerk Typist III	4,320 ✓
✓ 3 Radio Technicians II	5,120 ✓
✓ 14 Clerk Steno. II	21,840 ✓
✓ 2 Aux. Radio Mechanic Technicians	3,120 ✓
✓ 3 Clerk Typist II	4,608 ✓
✓ 5 Clerk Typist II	7,200 ✓
✓ 1 Clerk Steno. I	1,140 ✓
✓ 1 Clerk I	1,152 ✓
✓ 1 Clerk I	1,080 ✓
✓ 9 Clerk Typist I	9,720 ✓
✓ 4 Clerk Typist I	4,608 ✓
✓ 1 Storekeeper II	1,536 ✓
✓ 1 Storekeeper I	1,152 ✓
✓ 1 Automobile mechanic	1,740 ✓
✓ 1 Cabinet Maker	1,380 ✓
✓ 3 Cabinet Makers	4,356 ✓
✓ 1 Messenger	900 ✓
✓ 1 Messenger	840 ✓

RANK AND GRADE	SUPERVISOR	SALARY
1 Executive I		\$ 3,360
3 Boat Operators	Supervisor	3,600
3 Boat Operators		2,880
1 Stenographic Reporter		2,640
1 Accountant Clerk		1,920
1 Accountant Clerk		1,440
1 Executive II		5,100
✓ 1 Executive II		4,200
1 Armourer		1,380
4 Cook		3,120
4 Assistant Cook I		2,880

Table. Police Annual Salary Scale  
July 1951 - June 1952

## EXHIBIT "B"

*Actual Report*  
*in the Army*  
*in the AFM*  
*but not in the AFM*  
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**THE FOLLOWING CHANGES IN PERSONNEL WERE  
RECORDED DURING THE BISCAL YEAR, 1950-51.**

*Title / "Changes  
in Personnel  
during 1950-51"*

CHANGES	Sept.	Oct.	Sgt.	Cpl.	P.P.S.	Dtve.	Guards	Total
Appointments	1				3		348	352
Reinstatements				1			20	24
Resignations						2	33	35
Physical Unfitness	2	3		2	1	5	35	46
Deceased	1	2		1			12	16
Reenlistment Disap- proved					2		15	17
For the good of the service							5	5
Promotions →	14	9	17				31	71
Reenlistments —			97	136			145	1689
Degradations —		1						1

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**Authorized strength for the year 1950-1951**

**Civilian Employees**

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ACCOUNTING DIVISION (Cont.)

PENSION FUND FISCAL YEAR 1950-1951

Balance on July 1st., 1950	\$ 141,543.91
Balance on June 30, 1951	150,412.22
Number of pensioners on July 1st, 1950	354
Number of pensioners added during the year	36
Pensioners deceased during the year	9
Pensioners reinstated	10
Total pensioners at end of year	371

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## EXHIBIT "D"

## BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION

1950-1951

The following is a resume of the work done by this Bureau  
during the year 1950-1951:-

KIND OF WORK (PP CARDS)	APPLICANTS	CRIMINALS
Taken at the Bureau during the year	2027	2046
Received from Police Districts	20418	12138
Received from the F. B. I.		187
Received from Insular Penitentiary		899
Received from other authorities	1075	17
<b>TOTAL RECEIVED AND TAKEN</b>	<b>23520</b>	<b>15287</b>
Finger-prints classified	23520	15287
Finger-prints checked	23520	15287
<b><u>FINGER-PRINTS FILED ALL KIND EXCEPT SIMILAR:-</u></b>		
Number in files at the beginning of the year	250290	
Number filed during the year	26142	
Number in files at end of year	27632	
Number pending to be filed	12665	
<b><u>FINGER-PRINTS SENT TO:-</u></b>		
Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C.	2140	
Other authorities	2	
<b>TOTAL SENT</b>	<b>2142</b>	
<b><u>OTHER ACTIVITIES:-</u></b>		
Identification of criminals arrested	50	
Identification of criminals arrested with assumed names	653	
Identification General Album	9	
Unknown dead identified by finger-prints	2	
Suicides cases attended	1	
Murder cases attended	1	
Other cases attended	4	
Paraffins tests made	6	
Records looked up for:-		
Police	1437	
Detective Bureau	2713	
F. B. I., San Juan	2071	
Naval Intelligence Service	1782	

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DOESN'T INCLUDE PAGE 15.**

BALLISTIC LABORATORY:- (Cont.)

Shells received from crime scenes	17
Firearms received for examination	22
Bullets received from autopsies	15
Bullets identified with firearms	12
Shells identified with firearms	12
Analysis of firearms as to proof trademark, etc.	123
Number restored with in firearms	4
Firearms recovered by identification of serial number	13
Bullets photographed	10
Bullets demonstrating incongruence	6
Shells demonstrating incongruence	4
Firearms repaired	25
Bombs examined	77
"Detonadores" examined	50

PHOTOGRAPHIC LABORATORY:-

TYPE OF WORK	NEGATIVES	COPIES	ENLARGEMENTS
Persons arrested	144	10627	21
Requisitories	1	4	
Reproductions	86	795	14
Criminal codicils	19	110	36
Miscellaneous	70	252	45
Photographs to members of I.P.	20	40	
Documents	8	34	12
Finger-prints	64	94	17
<u>OTHER ACTIVITIES:</u>			
Crime scenes	191	279	
Corpses for identification	8	11	
Automobiles	20	20	
Fires	3	9	
Activities at Cabras Island	14	26	
Activities of the I.S. Squad	81	420	987
Stillis	23		40
TOTALS	2055	12332	1519

1) monodactyl prints  
2) Good Conduct Certificates and file  
3) Firearm Registration  
4) Statistics

## EXHIBIT "B"

## PERSONS CHARGED BY THE POLICE

1950-1951

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	Persons released by Police	Total persons arrested	Persons charged	Offenses Denounced	Lesser Offenses	Persons found guilty of Charged	Offense
TOTALS, Part I & II	1186	153659	85586	78073	100068	579	
Total, Part I	213	5920	5495	425	2353	82	

## PART I CLASS

1-Criminal Homicide							
(a) Murder & Negligent Manslaughter	1	298	295	3	58	15	
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence		145	143	2	15		
2-Rape	2	120	117	3	10		
3-Robbery		67	64	3	37		1
4-Aggravated Assault		679	656	23	188	42	
5-Burglary	49	1167	1132	35	221	22	
6-Larceny Theft	161	3420	3064	356	1822	2	
7-Auto Theft		24	21		2		

Total, Part II	973	157739	80091	77648	97715	497
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## PART II CLASS

8- Other Assaults	73	12566	6958	5608	5837	480
9- Forgery	5	85	77	8	18	
10-Babesnlement	24	474	317	157	369	
11-Stolen Property		71	53	18	13	
12-Weapons Carrying	13	3638	3003	635	1902	
13-Prostitution		145	103	40	90	
14-Sex Offenses	2	76	74	2	13	2
15-Narcotics		19	19		4	
16-Liquor Laws	2	2104	1950	154	805	
17-Drunkenness	32	25386	25141	245	21818	
18-Disorderly Conduct	90	27462	18452	9010	19420	
19-Vagrancy						
20-Gambling	1	10153	3661	6492	7762	
21-Road Laws		322	9	313	263	
22-Traffic Violations	551	38102	3045	35057	24019	
23-All Other Offenses	120	37136	17227	19909	15379	15

## CARTAGENA

NUMBER OF OFFENCES KNOWN OR REPORTED TO THE POLICE,  
 NUMBER OF UNFOUNDED OFFENCES, NUMBER OF ACTUAL OF-  
 FENCES, NUMBER OF OFFENCES CLEARED AND NUMBER OF PER-  
 SON'S ARRESTED OR DEMONOUNCED BY THE POLICE.

Note: Included  
in the annual  
Report.  
Police stations  
in the  
Cartagena  
zone.

1950-1951

Reported

Actual

DISTRICTS	Offences:		Total Offences: Known : Unfounded	Offences cleared	Number of persons Arrested or denounced	
	Reported	Actual			Male	Female
T O T A L S	: 145270 :	767	: 144503 :	139500	: 191486 :	12173
Adjuntas	1040	10	1050	1004	1114	30
Aguada	771		771	770	928	30
Aguadilla	2616	1	2615	2529	2967	276
Aguas Buenas	564		564	564	660	6
Almonaster	657	5	662	657	760	15
Añasco	648		648	648	624	61
Arecibo	3915		3915	3668	4207	356
Arroyo	256		256	256	1040	72
Barceloneta	874	14	860	858	947	35
Barranquitas	521		521	521	726	38
Bayamon	3897	61	3836	3253	3912	254
Cabo Rojo	1634	42	1592	1530	1751	106
Caguas	4672		4672	4672	4740	214
Camuy	771	26	965	246	1029	76
Carolina	1450		1650	1645	1853	133
Catano	2130	4	2126	2387	2221	339
Cayey	2409	4	2399	2292	2337	224
Ciales	341	1	340	332	367	56
Cidra	797		797	797	1088	28
Coco	923	2	921	926	1217	39
Comerio	788		788	788	1012	63
Coronel	528	4	524	514	614	10
Corozal	986	66	920	894	1075	66
Dorado	1033		1033	1033	1290	25
Fajardo	1623	4	1619	1574	1726	362
Guayanilla	1315	15	1300	1224	1345	198
Guayama	1879	29	1850	1786	2041	184
Guayanilla	603		603	603	954	111
Gurabo	1452		1452	1432	1634	119
Hatillo	521		521	515	589	26
Hornigueros	533		533	526	671	39
Huasco	466		466	466	595	14
Isabela	1786		1786	1774	1914	178
	942	2	940	932	1055	67

DISTRICTS	Offenses:		Total Offenses: Unknown	Arrested or denounced Offenses: cleared	Number of persons Male : Female	
	Unfounded	Offenses			Male	Female
Jayuya	783		783	783	823	17
Juncos	1613		1613	1611	2342	352
Juncos	1207		1207	1207	1373	42
Lajos	821		821	821	939	99
Lares	867		867	866	998	29
Las Marías	290		290	288	292	19
Las Piedras	495		495	495	534	19
Lajas	1524		1524	1524	1931	133
Loíza	574		574	566	706	24
Luquillo	1727	12	1735	1715	1990	103
Mamei	312	2	310	306	399	16
Marirocó	519		519	519	574	23
Mamei	678	91	677	676	836	95
Mayagüez	706		706	706	883	29
Moca	637		637	637	790	24
Morovis	1268		1268	1268	1563	112
Magueyes	261	1	260	254	496	19
Mercedita	910		910	907	909	29
Orocovis	908		908	908	1151	89
Patillas	908		908	908	944	46
Pedernales	792		792	787		
Ponce	10569	78	10647	9879	9812	1216
Quebradillas	919		919	919	1069	99
Rincon	326		326	325	330	29
Río Grande	909	6	909	879	1144	36
Río Piedras	6228	43	6235	7938	8342	505
Sabana Grande	992		992	992	1134	107
Salinas	1096	1	1095	1080	1032	152
San Germán	1693		1693	1675	1980	106
San Lorenzo	1196		1196	1160	1373	63
San Sebastián	1036	2	1034	1796	2195	82
Santa Isabel	1130	1	1130	1115	1346	191
Tau Alta	681	43	680	687	740	46
Tau Baja	864		864	856	967	59
Trujillo Alto	511		511	511	764	14
Utuado	1623	3	1620	1482	1707	46
Vega Alta	690		690	649	742	21
Vega Baja	2037		2037	2037	2229	84
Vieques	487	27	480	460	482	57
Villalba	475	1	476	473	624	13
Yabucoa	1098		1098	1098	1414	66
Yauco	1263	17	1266	1219	1680	126
San Juan	34120	149	33971	32175	32468	3382

## EXHIBIT "C"

TABLE SHOWING OFFENSES REPORTED OR KNOWN TO THE POLICE AND OFFENSES CLEARED DURING THE YEAR

1950-51

OFFENSES	Offenses:		Total	Ings		Offenses Cleared
	: Known	: Unfounded		Offenses:	Urban	
TOTALS	: 145270	: 767	: 144503	(110840)	33663	: 139500
Arson	137	3	134	62	92	76
Aggr. Assaults & Bat.	8732	58	8674	5183	3491	8587
Assault & Bat. (lesser)	4207	50	4157	2521	1576	4115
Attack to Murder	101		101	48	53	101
Burglary	2276	31	2245	1629	616	1086
Closing Laws	658	1	657	591	266	557
Drunkenness	23834		23834	22548	1286	23834
Indecent	924	16	906	611	95	842
Exposure Indecent	302	1	301	229	72	300
False Impersonation	995	19	976	794	182	781
Firearms registration	416	5	411	271	140	411
Forgery	194		194	191	3	154
Gambling	1999		1999	991	1008	1998
Gambling Art. 300	176		176	91	85	176
Health Laws	229		229	201	28	229
Homicide Attempt to	45		45	11	34	45
Health & Safety	151		151	36	115	151
Homicide Involuntary	143		143	37	106	144
Homicide Voluntary	29		29	13	16	29
Incest	11		11	3	8	11
Internal Revenue	90		90	54	36	90
Joy Riding	323	9	314	245	69	236
Kill Attempt to	267		267	129	138	267
Larceny Art. 438	88		88	76	12	88
Larceny Grand	426	26	398	328	70	231
Larceny Petit	5855	268	5587	4139	1448	3004
Liquor Laws	2073		2073	612	1455	2053
Malicious Mischief	1493	26	1467	854	613	1320
Mayhem	279		279	129	150	279
Murder	211	1	210	96	114	212
Narcotic	16		16	16	16	16
Ordinances Municipal	8208	4	8204	7988	216	8204
Peace Breach of	20915	83	20832	15742	5090	20821
Policy Slips	325		325	180	145	324
Prostitution	87		87	72	15	86

O P F E N S E S	Offenses:		Total :		Avg.		Offenses	
	: Known	: Unfounded	: Offenses	: Urban	: Rural	: Cleared		
Public Justice	161		161	112	49	161		
Public Service Commission								
Rules & Regulations	3581	1	3580	2291	1289	3579		
Rape	102	2	100	46	54	98		
Road Laws	333	1	332	122	210	330		
Robbery	77	5	72	56	16	24		
Sodomy	68	2	66	44	22	63		
Theft Auto	64	2	62	59	3	13		
Theft Cattle	12		12		12	8		
Traffic Violations	40409	112	40297	30493	9804	40176		
Unnecessary Noises	1207	2	1205	1205		1203		
Weapons Carrying	4858	13	4845	2657	2188	4846		
Other Offenses	7983	22	7961	6788	1173	7811		

TABLE SHOWING TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS CHARGED, RELEASED AND PUNISHED  
DURING THE YEAR 1950-1951

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**OFFENSES**

<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1136</b>	<b>151456; 1273; 7745; 801; 7601; 4032; 10066; 579; 2021</b>
Arson	2	778	5
Assault & Battery	41	495	90
Assault & Bat. (lesser)	32	59	163
Attack to惊吓	108	1	108
Burglary	115	14	112
Cheating	61	3	12
Drunkenness	32	43	266
Obstruction	21	11	311
Exposure Indecent	203	97	204
False Impersonation	33	12	306
Firearms Registration	27	8	27
Forgery	63	2	75
Gambling	147	5	37
Health Laws	204	2	205
Health & Safety	152	2	147
Homicide Attempt to kill	47	47	5
Homicide Involuntary	140	11	139
Homicide Voluntary	10	11	10
Incest	3	3	3
Internal Revenue	38	3	38
Jay Walking	6	7	6
Kidnapping	27	7	28
Murder Attempt to kill	24	9	24
Larceny Art.	138	2	136
Larceny Credit	270	12	269
Larceny Petit	137	2	136
			2213
			114
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Arresto : Total : Arrested : Detained : Found guilty of Iniquitated  
issued by : --- : --- : --- : Offense : Lesser : or  
Offices : Rule : Female : Male : Females : Rule : Offenders : Offense : Charged : Offenses : Filled

Liquor Laws	2	1872	332	1744	206	128	26	805	2	156
Malicious Wishes	37	125	74	589	22	65	53	622	2	626
Mayhem		253	29	224	28	19	18	48	2	8
Murder	1	57	19	256	20	3	2	31	18	4
Murder		19	19	256	20	3	2	31	18	4
Offences Municipal	42	9077	782	1598	586	6479	195	6176	1498	9077
Peace Troub or	91	22299	5173	15203	2949	5756	224	1943	72	38
Policy Slips	3	22299	5173	15203	2949	5756	224	1943	72	38
Prostitution	1	115	57	64	42	42	34	90	51	32
Public Justice		115	57	64	42	42	34	90	51	32
Public Service Com-										
Robbery & Burg.	25	353	4	65	24	37	4	276	4	46
Rob. Larc.	2	120	4	1	3	3	1	29	2	3
Robbery		120	4	1	3	3	1	29	2	3
Cadency		66	4	1	3	3	1	29	2	3
Theft Auto		24	8	8	8	8	2	10	2	3
Theft, Cattle		8	8	8	8	8	2	10	2	3
Traffic Violations	52	3772	378	3016	29	34708	349	2039	7006	166
Unnecessary Noises	20	1139	55	65	8	1054	47	893	166	1924
Weapons Carrying	7	3210	163	2643	138	987	25	1766	3519	5
Other Offences	18	763	372	1457	65	6157	307	3519	5	
Verdicts of Arrest		1674	670	1074	670	670	670	670	670	

TABLE SHOWING CLASSIFICATION BY ACTS AND COLOR OF ML PERSONS  
CHARGED BY THE POLICE DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1930 - 1931.

OFFENSES	14 & : 15 : 20 : 25 : 30 : 35 : 40 : 45 : 50 & ; below: 19; 21; 24; 39; 44; 49; over: White: Black: Indian:	14 & : 15 : 20 : 25 : 30 : 35 : 40 : 45 : 50 & ; below: 19; 21; 24; 39; 44; 49; over: White: Black: Indian:	14 & : 15 : 20 : 25 : 30 : 35 : 40 : 45 : 50 & ; below: 19; 21; 24; 39; 44; 49; over: White: Black: Indian:						
TOTALS	776 : 10203 : 32466 : 30960 : 21610 : 13016 : 6638 : 9939 : 101139 : 17256 : 145254	7 : 10 : 17 : 8 : 3 : 1 : 6 : 40 : 6 : 2000 : 2636	7 : 10 : 17 : 8 : 3 : 1 : 6 : 40 : 6 : 4658						
Arson	1029	2071	1205	326	326	3	1	6	6
Agr. Assault & Battery	22	1076	1743	1205	1205	7	3	6	6
Assault & Batter. (lesser)	20	746	611	420	420	195	455	244	1374
Attack to Murder	13	21	15	9	9	2	1	6	6
Burglary	270	475	219	88	47	15	7	15	28
Clothing Laws	14	35	117	136	128	90	165	677	147
Drunkardness	2	2553	456	492	414	41	15	65	65
Indemnification	4	48	72	72	44	44	7	15	15
Exposure Indecent	5	33	143	22	22	22	2	2	2
False Impersonation	1	194	194	168	168	112	2	2	2
Firearms Registration	1	16	22	22	22	22	3	4	4
Forgery	1	1030	1030	1030	1030	1030	3	4	4
Gambling	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Gambling Art. 300	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Health Laws	1	37	46	33	33	27	11	8	8
Health & Safety	1	7	7	4	4	15	15	32	32
Homicide Attempt to	1	4	4	3	3	19	3	9	9
Homicide Incubency	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Homicide Voluntary	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Internal Revenue	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Incest	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Joy Riding	1	7	26	26	26	26	7	7	7
Kidnapping to	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Larceny Art. 438	21	119	966	966	966	966	7	7	7
Larceny Credit	317	966	966	966	966	966	37	37	37
Larceny Petit									

OFFENSES	14 & : 15	16 & : 20	17 & : 25	18 & : 30	19 & : 35	20 & : 40	21 & : 45	22 & : 50	23 & : 55	24 & : 60	25 & : 65	26 & : 70	27 & : 75	28 & : 80	29 & : 85	30 & : 90	31 & : 95	32 & : 100	33 & : 105	34 & : 110	35 & : 115	36 & : 120	37 & : 125	38 & : 130	39 & : 135	40 & : 140	41 & : 145	42 & : 150	43 & : 155	44 & : 160	45 & : 165	46 & : 170	47 & : 175	48 & : 180	49 & : 185	50 & : 190	51 & : 195	52 & : 200	53 & : 205	54 & : 210	55 & : 215	56 & : 220	57 & : 225	58 & : 230	59 & : 235	60 & : 240	61 & : 245	62 & : 250	63 & : 255	64 & : 260	65 & : 265	66 & : 270	67 & : 275	68 & : 280	69 & : 285	70 & : 290	71 & : 295	72 & : 300	73 & : 305	74 & : 310	75 & : 315	76 & : 320	77 & : 325	78 & : 330	79 & : 335	80 & : 340	81 & : 345	82 & : 350	83 & : 355	84 & : 360	85 & : 365	86 & : 370	87 & : 375	88 & : 380	89 & : 385	90 & : 390	91 & : 395	92 & : 400	93 & : 405	94 & : 410	95 & : 415	96 & : 420	97 & : 425	98 & : 430	99 & : 435	100 & : 440	101 & : 445	102 & : 450	103 & : 455	104 & : 460	105 & : 465	106 & : 470	107 & : 475	108 & : 480	109 & : 485	110 & : 490	111 & : 495	112 & : 500	113 & : 505	114 & : 510	115 & : 515	116 & : 520	117 & : 525	118 & : 530	119 & : 535	120 & : 540	121 & : 545	122 & : 550	123 & : 555	124 & : 560	125 & : 565	126 & : 570	127 & : 575	128 & : 580	129 & : 585	130 & : 590	131 & : 595	132 & : 600	133 & : 605	134 & : 610	135 & : 615	136 & : 620	137 & : 625	138 & : 630	139 & : 635	140 & : 640	141 & : 645	142 & : 650	143 & : 655	144 & : 660	145 & : 665	146 & : 670	147 & : 675	148 & : 680	149 & : 685	150 & : 690	151 & : 695	152 & : 700	153 & : 705	154 & : 710	155 & : 715	156 & : 720	157 & : 725	158 & : 730	159 & : 735	160 & : 740	161 & : 745	162 & : 750	163 & : 755	164 & : 760	165 & : 765	166 & : 770	167 & : 775	168 & : 780	169 & : 785	170 & : 790	171 & : 795	172 & : 800	173 & : 805	174 & : 810	175 & : 815	176 & : 820	177 & : 825	178 & : 830	179 & : 835	180 & : 840	181 & : 845	182 & : 850	183 & : 855	184 & : 860	185 & : 865	186 & : 870	187 & : 875	188 & : 880	189 & : 885	190 & : 890	191 & : 895	192 & : 900	193 & : 905	194 & : 910	195 & : 915	196 & : 920	197 & : 925	198 & : 930	199 & : 935	200 & : 940	201 & : 945	202 & : 950	203 & : 955	204 & : 960	205 & : 965	206 & : 970	207 & : 975	208 & : 980	209 & : 985	210 & : 990	211 & : 995	212 & : 1000	213 & : 1005	214 & : 1010	215 & : 1015	216 & : 1020	217 & : 1025	218 & : 1030	219 & : 1035	220 & : 1040	221 & : 1045	222 & : 1050	223 & : 1055	224 & : 1060	225 & : 1065	226 & : 1070	227 & : 1075	228 & : 1080	229 & : 1085	230 & : 1090	231 & : 1095	232 & : 1100	233 & : 1105	234 & : 1110	235 & : 1115	236 & : 1120	237 & : 1125	238 & : 1130	239 & : 1135	240 & : 1140	241 & : 1145	242 & : 1150	243 & : 1155	244 & : 1160	245 & : 1165	246 & : 1170	247 & : 1175	248 & : 1180	249 & : 1185	250 & : 1190	251 & : 1195	252 & : 1200	253 & : 1205	254 & : 1210	255 & : 1215	256 & : 1220	257 & : 1225	258 & : 1230	259 & : 1235	260 & : 1240	261 & : 1245	262 & : 1250	263 & : 1255	264 & : 1260	265 & : 1265	266 & : 1270	267 & : 1275	268 & : 1280	269 & : 1285	270 & : 1290	271 & : 1295	272 & : 1300	273 & : 1305	274 & : 1310	275 & : 1315	276 & : 1320	277 & : 1325	278 & : 1330	279 & : 1335	280 & : 1340	281 & : 1345	282 & : 1350	283 & : 1355	284 & : 1360	285 & : 1365	286 & : 1370	287 & : 1375	288 & : 1380	289 & : 1385	290 & : 1390	291 & : 1395	292 & : 1400	293 & : 1405	294 & : 1410	295 & : 1415	296 & : 1420	297 & : 1425	298 & : 1430	299 & : 1435	300 & : 1440	301 & : 1445	302 & : 1450	303 & : 1455	304 & : 1460	305 & : 1465	306 & : 1470	307 & : 1475	308 & : 1480	309 & : 1485	310 & : 1490	311 & : 1495	312 & : 1500	313 & : 1505	314 & : 1510	315 & : 1515	316 & : 1520	317 & : 1525	318 & : 1530	319 & : 1535	320 & : 1540	321 & : 1545	322 & : 1550	323 & : 1555	324 & : 1560	325 & : 1565	326 & : 1570	327 & : 1575	328 & : 1580	329 & : 1585	330 & : 1590	331 & : 1595	332 & : 1600	333 & : 1605	334 & : 1610	335 & : 1615	336 & : 1620	337 & : 1625	338 & : 1630	339 & : 1635	340 & : 1640	341 & : 1645	342 & : 1650	343 & : 1655	344 & 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: 2045	422 & : 2050	423 & : 2055	424 & : 2060	425 & : 2065	426 & : 2070	427 & : 2075	428 & : 2080	429 & : 2085	430 & : 2090	431 & : 2095	432 & : 2100	433 & : 2105	434 & : 2110	435 & : 2115	436 & : 2120	437 & : 2125	438 & : 2130	439 & : 2135	440 & : 2140	441 & : 2145	442 & : 2150	443 & : 2155	444 & : 2160	445 & : 2165	446 & : 2170	447 & : 2175	448 & : 2180	449 & : 2185	450 & : 2190	451 & : 2195	452 & : 2200	453 & : 2205	454 & : 2210	455 & : 2215	456 & : 2220	457 & : 2225	458 & : 2230	459 & : 2235	460 & : 2240	461 & : 2245	462 & : 2250	463 & : 2255	464 & : 2260	465 & : 2265	466 & : 2270	467 & : 2275	468 & : 2280	469 & : 2285	470 & : 2290	471 & : 2295	472 & : 2300	473 & : 2305	474 & : 2310	475 & : 2315	476 & : 2320	477 & : 2325	478 & : 2330	479 & : 2335	480 & : 2340	481 & : 2345	482 & : 2350	483 & : 2355	484 & : 2360	485 & : 2365	486 & : 2370	487 & : 2375	488 & : 2380	489 & : 2385	490 & : 2390	491 & : 2395	492 & : 2400	493 & : 2405	494 & : 2410	495 & : 2415	496 & : 2420	497 & : 2425	498 & 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## EXHIBIT "J"

COMPARISON OF TOTAL OFFENSES AND OFFENSES CLEARED SHOWING  
PERCENTAGE OF OFFENSES CLEARED AND PERCENTAGE INCREASE OR  
DECREASE OF TOTAL OFFENSES AND OFFENSES CLEARED FROM LAST  
YEAR.

1950-1951

OFFENSES	1949-1950		1950-1951		Dec. or Inc.
	Total Offenses	Percent	Total Offenses	Percent	
TOTALS	: 160022 : 155706 :	97%	144503 : 139500 :	97%	- 10 : -
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	230	230	100%	239	* 241 ✓ 100% + 4
Manslaughter by Negligence	135	134	99	143 ✓	* 144 ✓ 100% + 6 + 1
Rape	112	108	96	100 ✓	98 ✓ 98 - 11 - 2
Robbery	94	60	71	72 ✓	* 74 ✓ 75 - 14 + 4
Aggravated Assaults	696	699	100	692 ✓	692 ✓ 100% - .6
Burglary	1793	897	50	2245 ✓	1086 ✓ 48 ✓ + 25 - 2
Larceny	5910	3262	55	6399 ✓	3567 ✓ 56 ✓ + 8 + 1
Auto Theft	50	19	38	62 ✓	13 ✓ 21 ✓ + 24 - 17
Other Assualts	11500	11380	99	12831 ✓	12702 ✓ 99 ✓ + 12
Weapons Carrying	4986	4983	99.9	4845	* 4846 100% - 3 + .1
Liquor Laws	3244	3170	98	2073 ✓	2053 ✓ 99 ✓ - 36 + 1
Disorderly Conduct	22305	22296	99.9	20832 ✓	20821 ✓ 99.9 ✓ - 7
Gambling	2936	2936	100	2175 ✓	2174 ✓ 99.9 ✓ - 26 - .1
Other Offenses	58522	58233	99	52498	50693 99 - 12
Traffic Violations	47419	47399	99.9	40297 ✓	40176 ✓ 99.7 ✓ - 15 - .2

X The Police cleared some offenses pending of clearance at end of year 1949-1950.

## EXHIBIT "W"

## JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

1950-1951

O F F E N S E S	Total pending at begin-		Reported during the year:		Total Sentenced		Acquitted		Total pending at end of year:	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
T O T A L S	1499	38	1203	26	2702	64	259	3	233	3
Arcen	9	3	9		10	3		2	16	3
Assault & Battery	94	2	85		179	2	21	15	143	2
Burglary	444		435	3	879	3	72	51	726	1
Embezzlement	30		9		39			2	37	
False Impersonation	10		7	2	17	2		5	12	2
Forgery	2	2	3		5	2	2	2	1	2
Exposure Indecent	3				3				3	
Firearms Registration	2				2				2	
Gambling	5				5		3		2	
Homicide Attempt to			1		1				1	
Homicide Involuntary	4		1		5				4	
Homicide Voluntary	1				2				1	
Incest			1		1		1			
Joy Riding	7		3		10		1	1	8	
Kill Attempt to	4				4				4	
Larceny Grand	73	7	42	4	121	11	7	9	105	11
Larceny Petit	646	17	486	16	1132	33	123	91	918	30
Liquor Law	3		2		5				5	
Malicious Mischief	62	1	4		106	1	12		88	1
Mayhem	7		1		8				8	
Ordinances Municipal	5	5	1		6	5	2		4	5
see Breach of Policy Slips	10		13		23		8	5	10	
Rape	4				1	4	1		4	1
Robbery	5		4		9			1	6	
Sodomy	1		5		6				6	
Weapons Carrying	33		13		46		1		51	
Other Offenses	16	1	2		18				18	1
	19		30		49	1	6		40	

## EXHIBIT "D"

ALLEGED PROSTITUTES SENTENCED, ACQUITTED  
AND PENDING TRIAL

1950-1951

OFFENSES	Total pending at begin-	Reported during the year	Total pending at end of year	Sentenced	Acquitted	In trial	Total
TOTALS	4049	5762	9211	5106	376	4329	
Arson		3	3	1			2
Assault & Battery	339	239	578	145	66		369
Attack to Harass	1	1	2				2
Drunkenness	469	2108	2577	2036	44		497
Indecent Exposure	1	1	2				2
Indecent Exposure	20	21	71	38	4		29
False Impersonation	2	1	3	1			2
Gambling	4	6	10	3			7
Health Laws		10	10	9			1
Homicide Attempt to Kill	1		1				1
Larceny Art. 438	2	3	5				5
Larceny Grand	11		11				11
Larceny Petit	15	7	22	6	1		13
Liquor Laws	6	4	10	2			8
Malicious Mischief	33	12	35	8	2		25
Mayhem	21	12	33	2			30
Murder	1	1	2	1			1
Ordinances Municipal	1307	744	2051	699	11		1341
Peace Breach of Policy	1549	2375	3924	2046	219		1657
Prostitution	171	50	221	53	2		166
Public Justice	8		8	1			7
Robbery		1	1				1
Registration, firearms		15	15	5	1		9
Unnecessary Noises	1		1				1
Weapons Carrying	86	104	190	41	23		126
Other Offenses	10	11	21	5	4		12

## EXHIBIT 100

## SUICIDES

1950-1951

MEANS : SUICIDE : ATTEMPTS : A T T E M P T S  
 : AND :  
 : : URBAN RURAL :  
 : Men : Women : Boys : Girls : Total : Zone : Men : Women : Boys : Girls : Total

TOTALS	255	64	5	1	325	326	362	186	169	3	5	363
Hanging	106	15	4	1	125	49	95	14	5			19
Firearms	54	4		1	59	39	33	10	3			13
Poisoning	77	37	1		115	197	201	120	149	2	4	203
Decapitation	1				1	3	11	11	2			13
Drowning	8	1			9	6	6	1	2			3
Others	9	7			16	32	16	22	8	1	1	32
<b>SICKNESS</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>363</b>
Sickness	48	5			53	26	30	15	8			23
Family Troubles	39	25	2		66	92	101	44	77	3	3	127
Love Affairs	17	4			21	35	24	14	24			38
Jealousy	2	2			4	5	6	3	5			8
Insanity	30	12	1		43	31	40	19	9			23
Others	119	16	2	1	138	136	141	91	46	2		139
<b>AGE</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>363</b>
10 to 15 years			5		5	5	12	4	3			12
16 to 30 years	83	37		1	121	185	187	115	136			291
31 to 40 years	66	11			77	70	67	41	19			60
41 to 50 years	46	4			50	27	44	14	7			21
51 to 60 years	33	7			40	24	29	10	3			13
61 to 70 years	18	4			22	14	14	6				6
71 and over	9	1			10	1	9					

Para la ejecución de los factores desaconsejable  
dejar un solo dato como se muestra en el cuadro  
anexo (la clase 16 tiene tres datos, la 17 tiene  
tres, 18 tiene 24, 19 tiene 25, 20 tiene 26, 21 tiene

## EXHIBIT "B"

## ACCIDENTS

1950-1951

ACCIDENTS OF  
MOTOR VEHICLES

No. Veh.	No. Acces.	KILLED	LIVED	KILLED	LIVED
		Men	Women	Boys	Girls

TOTALS	20127	12798	141	19	39	9	208	14547	1101	1231	491	7470
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With Pedestrian	2755	2755	58	10	31	9	106	1216	353	826	332	2727
With other vehicles	14369	7086	22	4			26	1482	459	96	82	2119
With Train	42	33	1				1	12	1	2	3	16
With bicycles	653	646	10		2		12	330	5	101	5	441
With Animals	230	230	1				1	39	3	4	4	50
With fixed objects	935	934	27	1	2		30	774	198	45	23	950
Overturned	302	302	2	2	1		12	440	50	16	13	526
Others	811	812	13	2	3		18	354	113	141	29	577

## TYPES OF VEHICLES:

TOTALS	20127	141	19	39	208	4647	1101	1231	491	7470		
Military	137		3			3	36	4	5	45		
Public Touring	4826		27	5	11	43	1221	360	360	172	2113	
Public Buses	1041		1	2	1	4	221	111	50	32	414	
Public Trucks	858		9		2	1	12	185	19	31	4	239
Private Touring	7580		46	6	6	62	1599	432	450	175	2656	
Private Heavy Trucks	2025		19	3	13	4	39	366	33	78	26	503
Private Light Trucks	2481		25	3	2		30	590	98	185	59	932
Insular Government	163						2	97	7	17	3	124
Others	616		11		2		13	332	37	55	20	444

OTHER TYPES OF  
ACCIDENTS

Airarms	21	2		1	1	4	16	1	2	19	
Drowning	109	58	5	37	7	107	1			1	
Electrocution	14	9	2	1		12	9	5	1	15	
Burning	15		2	2	4	8	6	2	4	2	14
Labor	171	11	1	2	1	11	167		1	168	
Falls	181	11	1	2	1	15	100	18	38	6	154
Bicycles	221					1	49	22	99	52	222
Others	270	14	4	12	11	41	146	47	73	35	295

TOTALS	1005	105	14	55	25	199	488	95	218	97	898
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## EXHIBIT "N" (Cont.)

<u>MOTIVES</u>	<u>NO. ACCIDENTS</u>
Speeding	1268
Passing others vehicles	1742
Responsibility of pedestrian	1230
No class	1434
Mechanical Defects	484
Lack of Experience	575
Distance	737
Reverse	702
Driving Left	310
Animals	121
Drunkenness	270
Wet Road	183
Improper load	39
Disobeying Light Signals	29
Others	<u>3654</u>
Total	12798

EXHIBIT "G"  
MISSING AND STOLEN PROPERTY  
1950-1951

TYPES OF PROPERTY	:Value in dollars: of property mis- sing &/or stolen:	:Value in dollars: of property recovered	:Value in dollars: recovered	Percentage recovered
	\$ 219118	\$ 401577	\$ 49584	
T O T A L S	\$ 297710	\$ 232260	\$ 49584	49 %
Automobiles	\$ 297710	\$ 232260		95 %
Bicycles	21910	9565		44 %
Cattle	40891	21838		53 %
Clothing	24254	4407		18 %
Jewelry	134713	33623		25 %
Others	299640	49584		17 %

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## EXHIBIT "P"

## POLICE SERVICES RENDERED TO OTHER GOVERNMENT'S AGENCIES

1950-1951

GOVERNMENT'S AGENCIES, INSULAR : AVERAGE NUMBER OF POLICEMEN MUNICIPAL AND FEDERAL : ASSIGNED PER DAY	
TOTAL	126.83
Department of Finance	2.00
Department of Health	22.39
Department of Interior	1.24
Department of Justice	66.46
Department of Labor	9.22
Federal Government	2.11
Industrial Commission	4.20
State Fund	3.90
Others	9.31

## EXHIBIT "Q"

## SERVICES RENDERED BY THE MOTORCYCLE SQUAD

1950—1951

DISTRICT	Mo.	Miles	CAL. : Total : SENTENCED :								
			Gas.	Offender with fines with jail	Acquit-	:cyclists traveled	Used	Dismissed	No. : Mo.	days std	Filed
TOTALS	75	679017	26536	22539	8720	35260	136	4785	775	599	
Aguadilla	3	22313	739	963	439	1534			25		3
Arecibo	2	16035	597	252	216	759	3	19	23		1
Bayamon	3	27932	1001	472	313	1562	27	132	23		15
Caguas	4	37127	1329	1221	771	2338	19	633	63		66
Cayey	1	6249	253	120	107	434	9	222	17		1
Fajardo	1	4769	160	225	200	731			16		3
Guayama	1	11053	422	172	37	95	10	396	11		7
Humacao	2	17423	820	460	236	809	4	865	40		
Juana Diaz	1	11319	352	163	121	484	6	55	10		3
Morovis	1	9252	390	61	95	222	1	2	3		
Mayaguez	4	32797	1241	2060	1152	3282	10	145	70		172
Ponce	5	45901	2099	1964	1361	6172	70	930	140		99
Rio Piedras	5	42240	1581	1272	495	2998	4	300	57		137
San German	1	8463	253	245	184	570	8	56	40		3
San Juan	39	363224	14760	12606	2704	12199	1	20	173		72
Utuado	1	7102	282	130	114	456	9	215	6		12
Vega Baja	1	12568	375	153	102	616	5	785	23		5

## EXHIBIT 477

## WEAPONS SEIZED BY THE POLICE ✓

1950-1951

TYPES OF WEAPONS	:	NUMBER SEIZED
T O T A L	:	2256
Revolvers (1)		351
Pistols (1)		110
Shotguns		20
Rifles		34
Machine-guns		1
Daggers		158
Knives		667
Razors		188
Machetes		626
Others		731

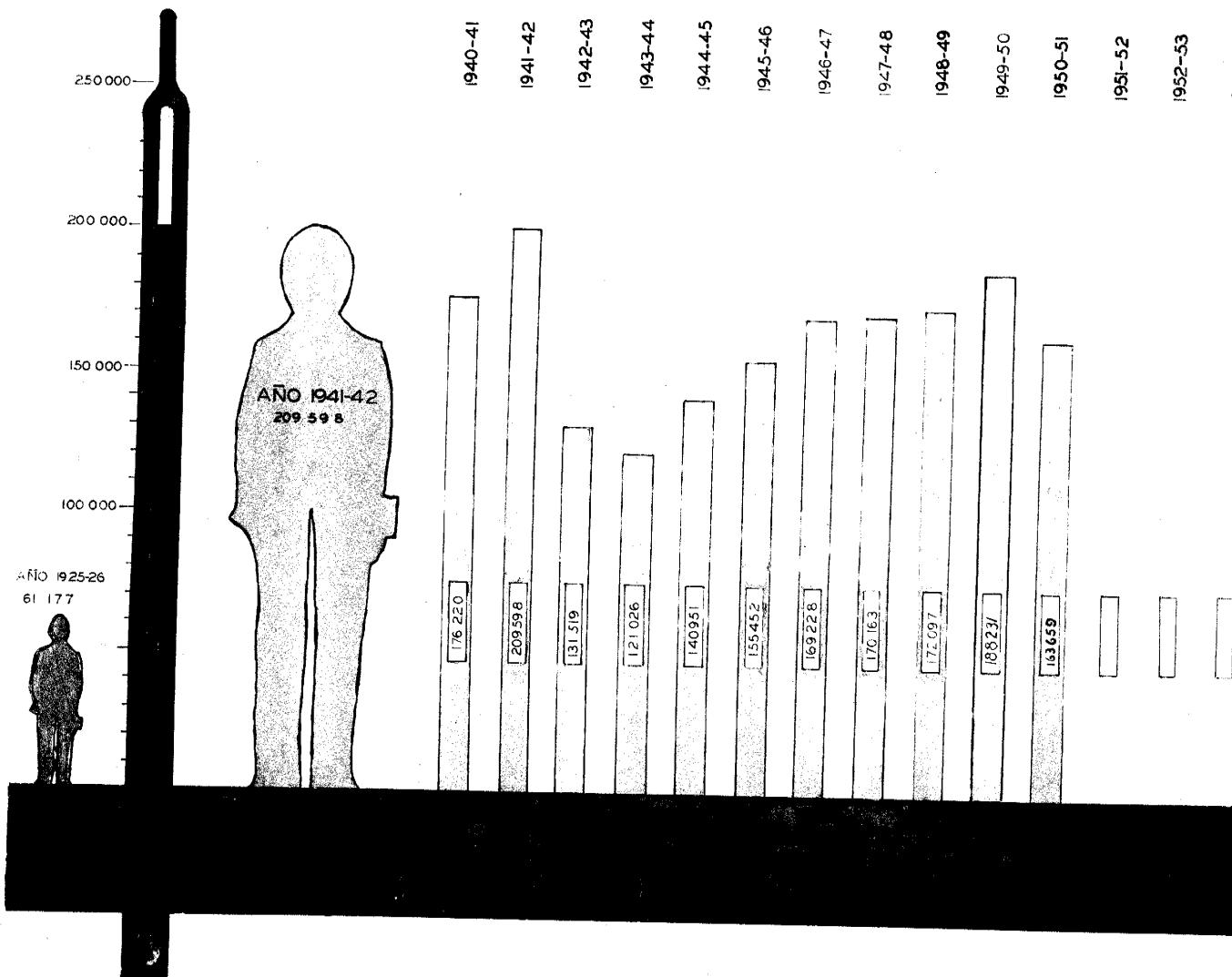
(1) Of the 461 firearms seized by the Police, (revolvers and pistols), 190 were registered and 271 were not registered.

It will be noted that the titles on the following charts are in Spanish. They have been worked out for references in the Office of Statistics of the Department. We have included them, thinking that they might be of great assistance for an objective interpretation of the literature and figures presented in this Annual Report.

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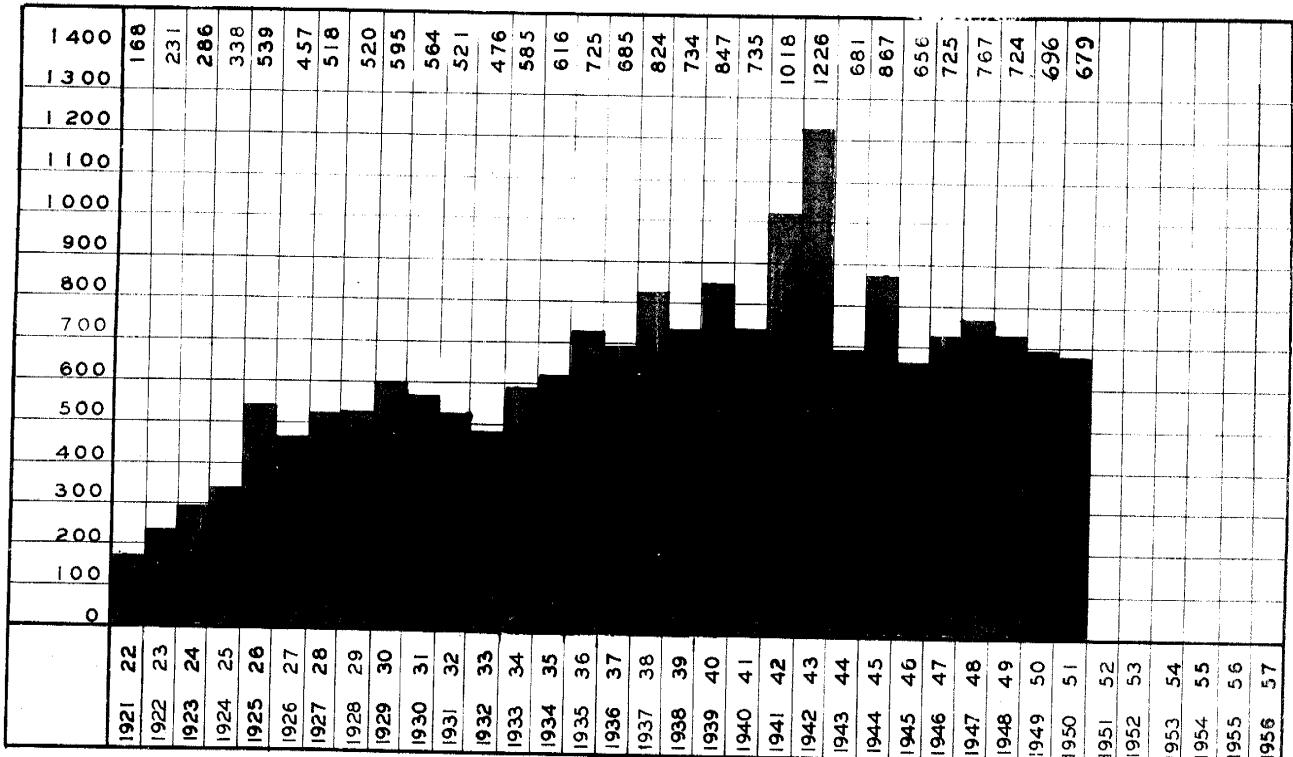
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# PERSONAS ACUSADAS POR LA POLICIA DESDE 1940-41 HASTA LA FECHA

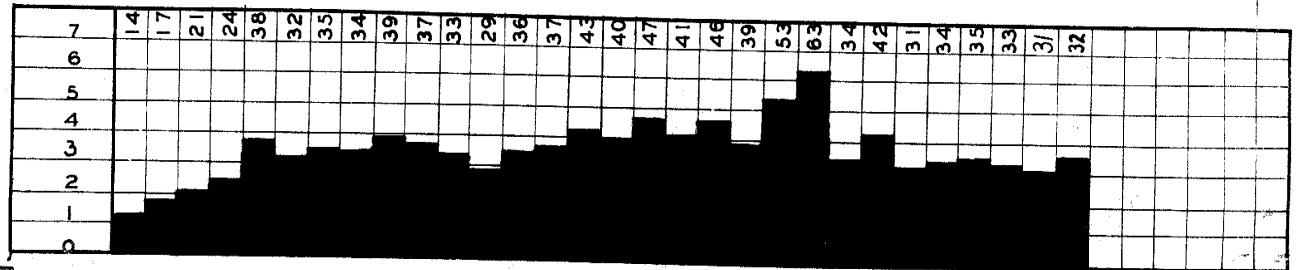


This chart represents total persons charged by the Police in the Island since 1940-1941 to 1950-1951.

# PERSONAS ACUSADAS DE AGRESION GRAVE DESDE 1921-22 HASTA LA FECHA



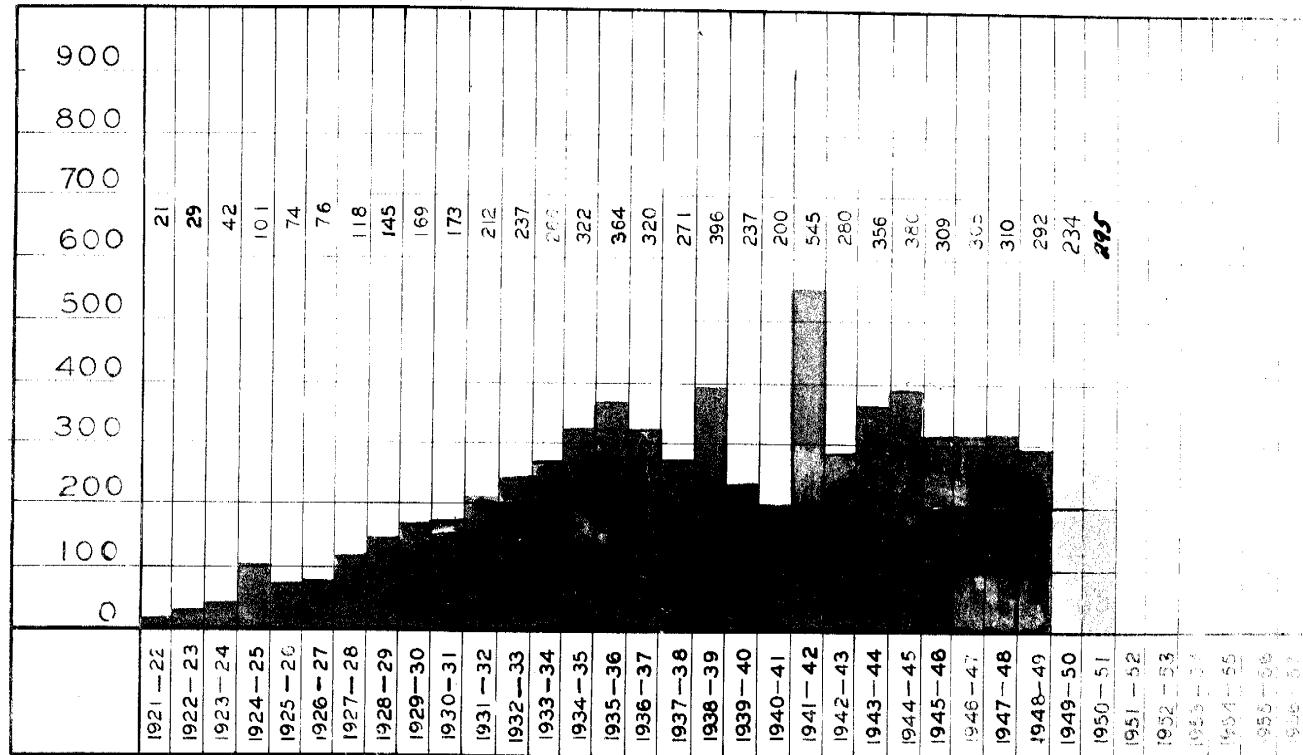
## PROMEDIO POR CADA 10,000 HABITANTES



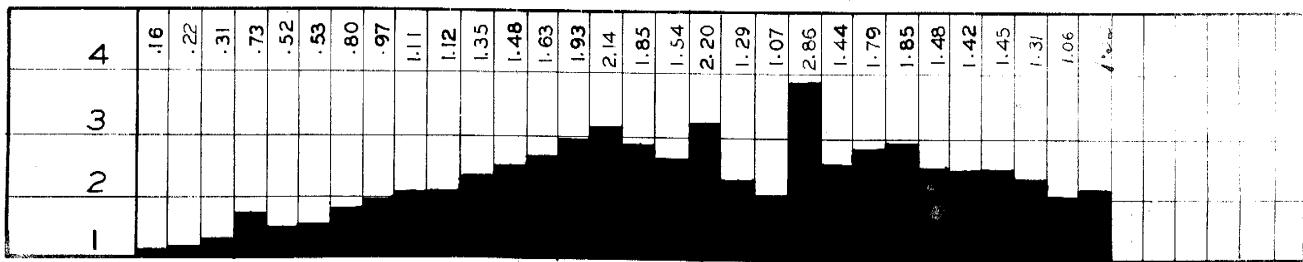
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This chart shows total number of persons charged by the Police in the Island of Aggravated Assault & Battery, since 1921-22 to 1956-1957.

## ASESINATOS Y HOMICIDIOS VOLUNTARIOS DESDE 1921-22 HASTA LA FECHA

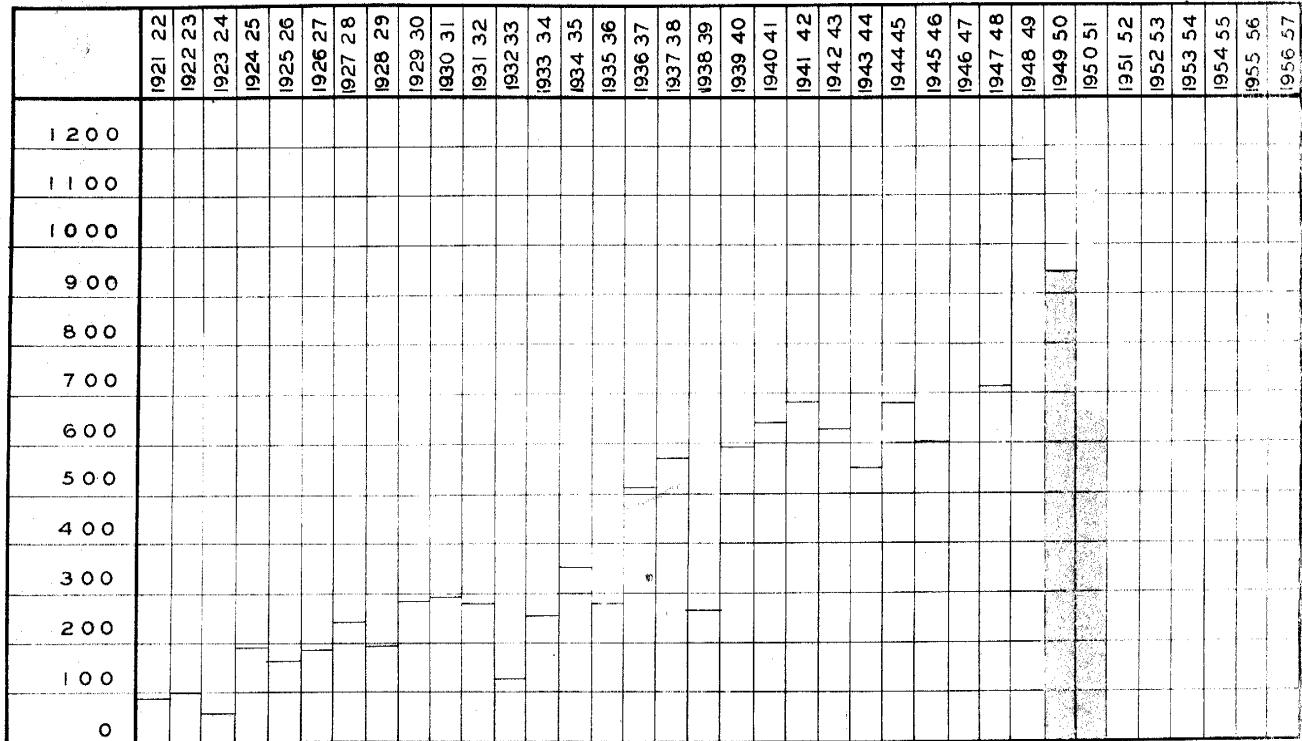


## PROMEDIO POR CADA 10,000 HABITANTES



This chart shows the number of persons charged of Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter, since 1921-22 to 1950-51, and average per each 10,000 inhabitants.

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**DELITOS SEXUALES REPORTADOS**  
**DESDE 1921-22 HASTA LA FECHA**



**PROMEDIO POR CADA 10,000 HABITANTES**

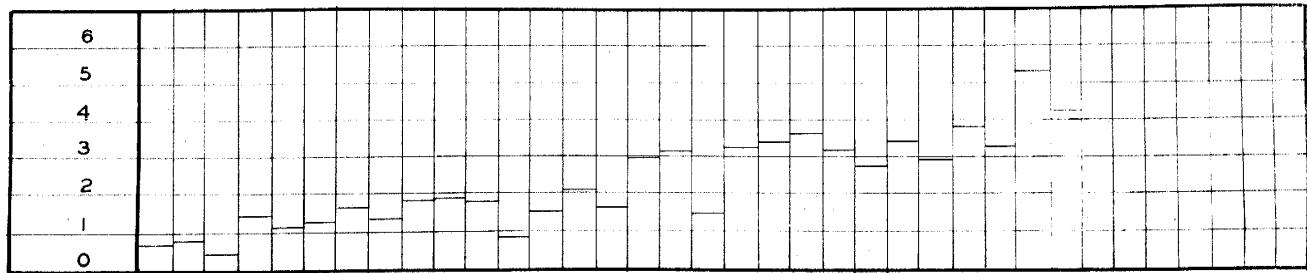
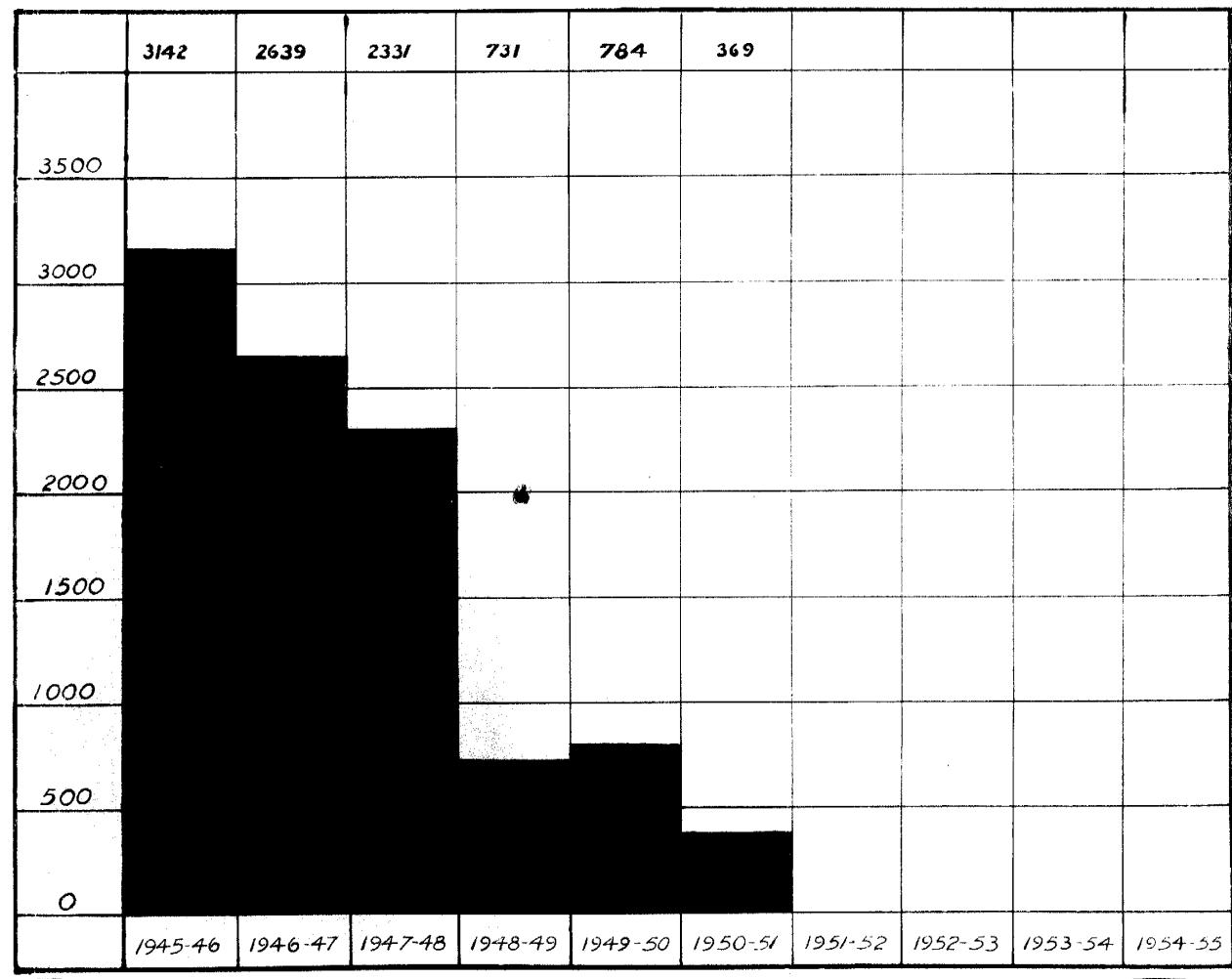


Chart showing Sex Offenses reported to the Police, since the year 1921-22 to 1956-57 and average of Offenses per each 10,000 inhabitants.

# **PERSONAS ACUSADAS POR INFRACCIONES A LA LEY DE BOLITA**

**DESDE 1945-46 HASTA LA FECHA**



This chart shows the number of persons charged for Policy Slips since 1945-46 to 1950-51.

# PERSONAS MUERTAS Y HERIDAS EN ASESINATOS, AGRESIONES, ACCIDENTES Y SUICDIOS

## CASOS DEL ULTIMO AÑO FISCAL

ASESINATOS Y HOMICIDIOS	
M U E R T O S	
239	

AGRESIONES GRAVES	
H E R I D O S	
8674	

ACCIDENTES	
M U E R T O S	
208	7470

SUICIDIOS	
M U E R T O S	
325	363

## CASOS DE AÑOS ANTERIORES

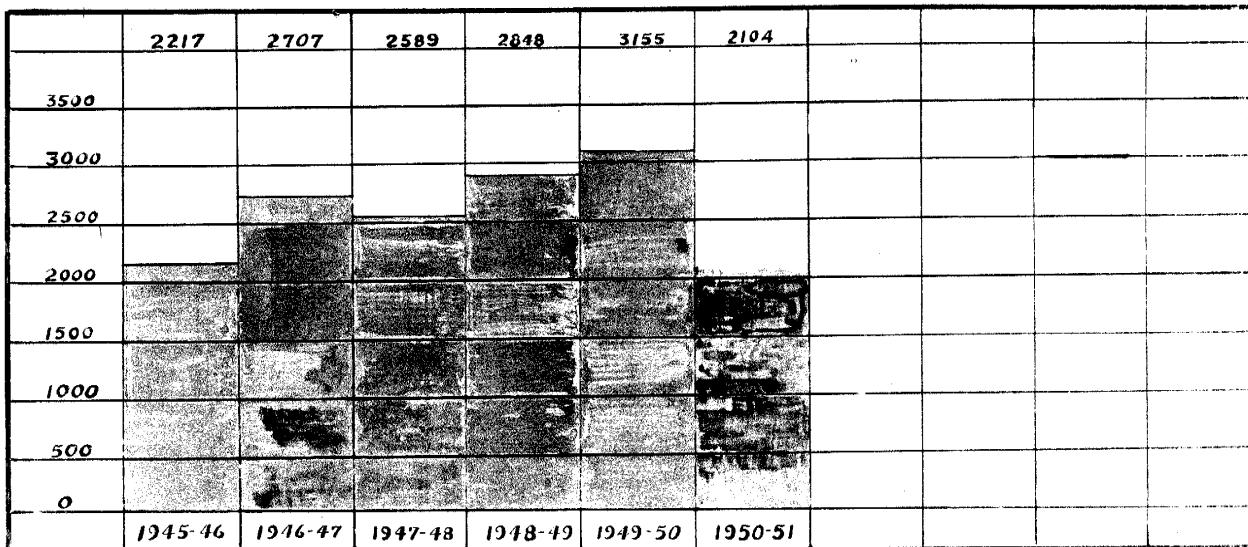
AÑO	ASES.		AGRS.		ACCIDENTES		SUICIDIOS	
					MUERTOS	HERIDOS	MUERTOS	HERIDOS
	V	H	V	H	V	H	V	H
1930-31					251	44	2240	618
1931-32					254	53	1993	572
1932-33					364	177	5625	1835
1933-34					301	78	2372	613
1934-35					296	49	2980	619
1935-36					299	62	2749	712
1936-37					312	58	2871	726
1937-38					291	51	2899	708
1938-39								
1939-40					325	52	3583	871
1940-41					355	63	3667	839
1941-42					363	83	4059	885
1942-43					347	60	2995	598

AÑO	ASES.		AGRS.		ACCIDENTES		SUICIDIOS	
					MUERTOS	HERIDOS	MUERTOS	HERIDOS
	V	H	V	H	V	H	V	H
1943-44	1				119	17	2115	473
1944-45					118	19	2516	613
1945-46					148	16	3940	975
1946-47					187	28	4968	1191
1947-48					199	28	5674	1415
1948-49					199	27	5972	1478
1949-50					199	40	6011	1671
1950-51					180	28	5878	1592
1951-52								
1952-53								
1953-54								
1954-55								
1955-56								

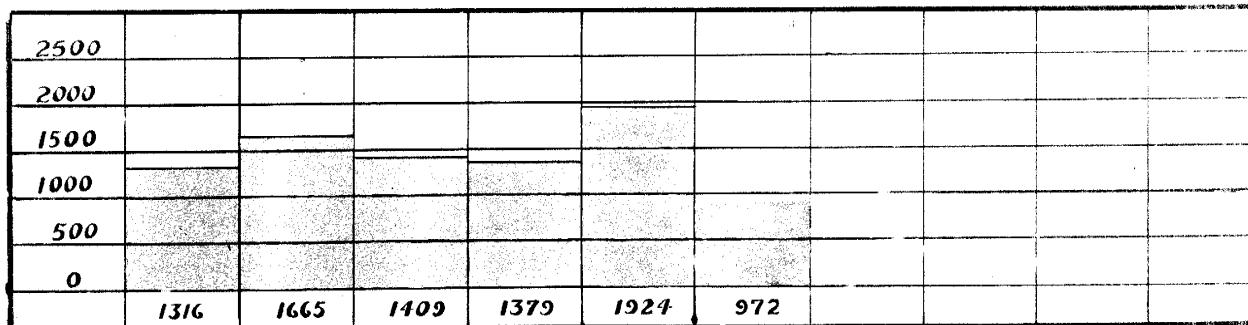
This chart shows the number of fatalities in Murders, Assualts, Accidents and Suicides.

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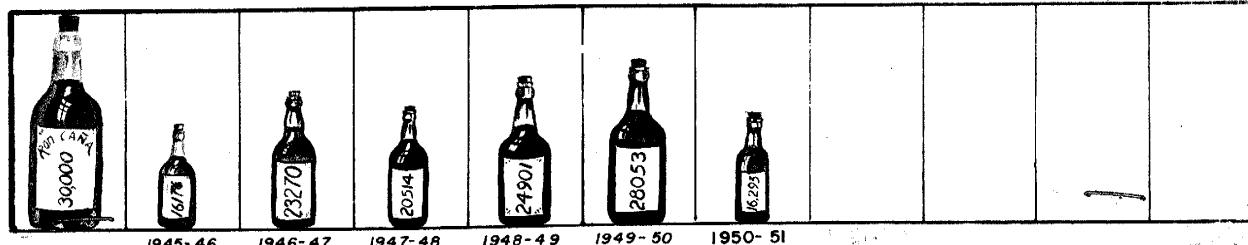
**PERSONAS ACUSADAS POR INFRACCIONES  
LEY DE BEBIDAS DESDE 1945-46**



**ALAMBICUDES OCUPADOS**



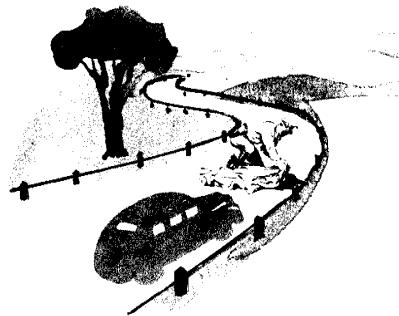
**LITROS DE LICOR CLANDESTINO OCUPADOS**



This chart shows number of persons charged for Liquor Laws, Stills and Liquor seized by Police, since 1945-46 to 1950-51.

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## PERSONAS MUERTAS Y HERIDAS EN ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES



### MUERTOS

	UNA CRUZ = 25 MUERTOS
1940-41	211
1941-42	215
1942-43	184
1943-44	137
1944-45	137
1945-46	164
1946-47	214
1947-48	217
1948-49	226
1949-50	239
1950-51	208
1951-52	
1952-53	

### HERIDOS

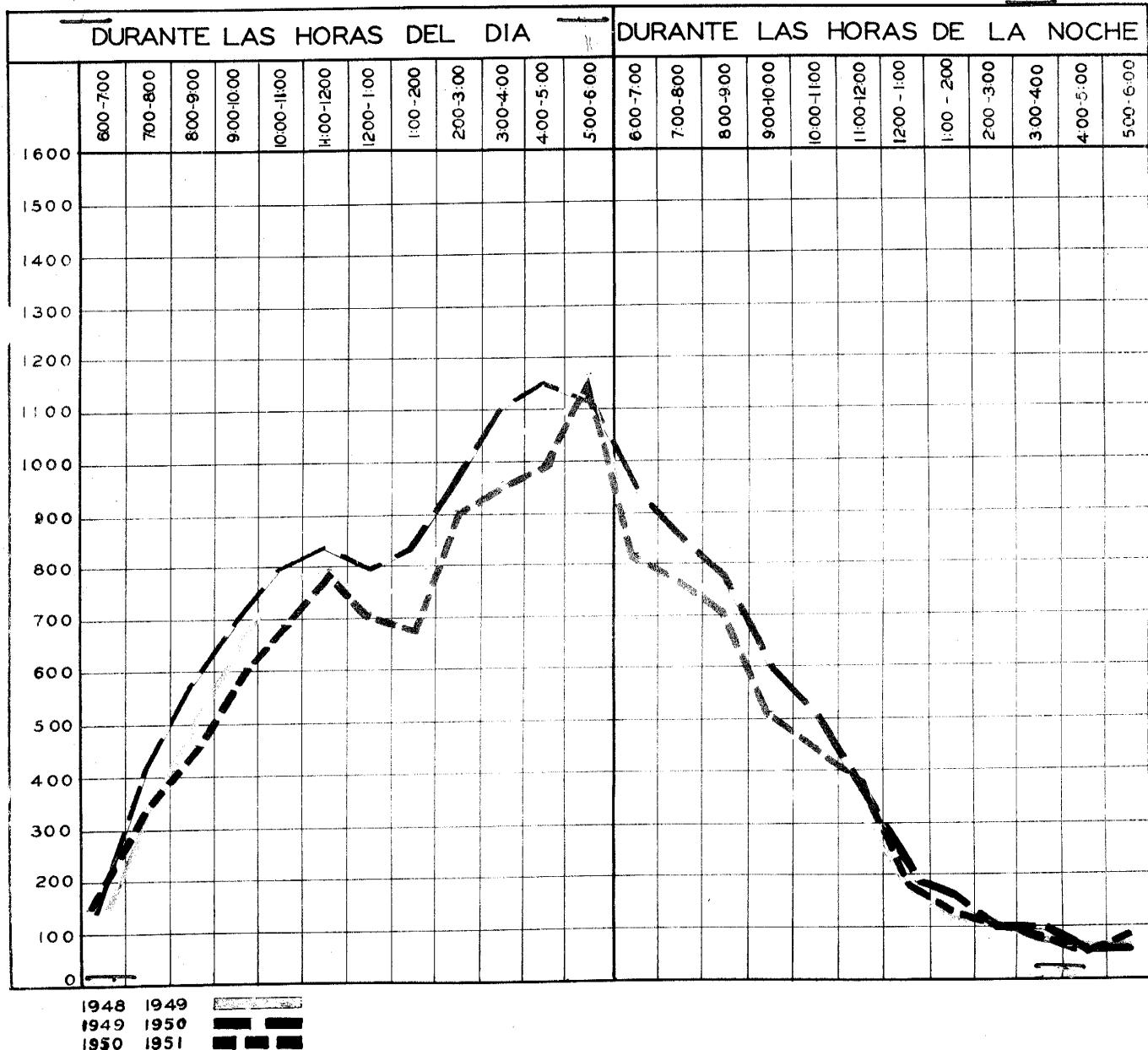
3969
4570
2738
2588
3129
4915
6159
7089
7450
7682
7470

This chart shows the number of persons killed and injured in Automobile accidents, since 1940-41 to 1950-51.



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# ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES



This chart shows the Automobile Accidents, since 1948-49 to 1950-51, occurred during the different hours of the day in the Island.

# INFRACCIONES LEYES DE TRANSITO DESDE 1921-22 HASTA LA FECHA

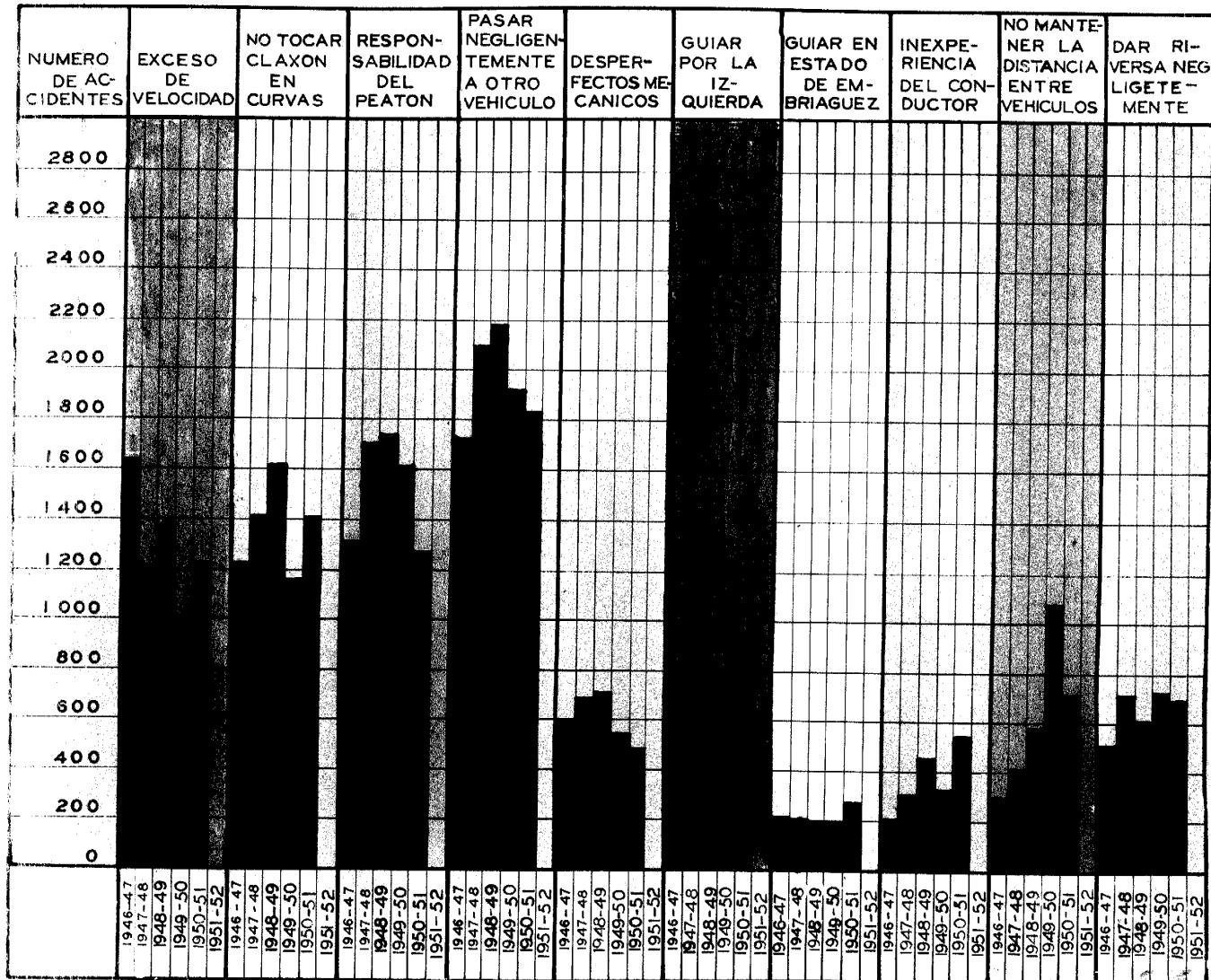
	55000	5643
	50000	3491
	45000	5065
	40000	8058
	35000	3549
	30000	8244
	25000	7906
	20000	7559
	15000	15405
	10000	11860
	5000	14092
	0	12714
1921-22	40	
1922-23	26	
1923-24	37	
1924-25	58	
1925-26	67	
1926-27	57	
1927-28	54	
1928-29	51	
1929-30	56	
1930-31	56	
1931-32	81	
1932-33	96	
1933-34	73	
1934-35	85	
1935-36	85	
1936-37	153	
1937-38	176	
1938-39	165	
1939-40	134	
1940-41	181	
1941-42	220	
1942-43	91	17770
1943-44	80	15817
1944-45	125	25589
1945-46	146	30471
1946-47	167	35747
1947-48	179	38991
1948-49	205	45733
1949-50	217	47964
1950-51	184	40629
1951-52	152	
1952-53	153	
1953-54	154	
1954-55	155	
1955-56	156	

## PROMEDIO POR CADA 10 000 HABITANTES



This chart shows total violations of the Traffic Laws in the Island, since the year 1921-22 to 1950-51 and the average per each 10,000 inhabitants.

# ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES Y SUS CAUSAS PRINCIPALES



This chart shows the Automobile Accidents and their principal causes, since the year 1946-47 to 1950-51.



*Año 1951-1952*

A N N U A L                            R E P O R T

PUERTO RICO

POLICE DEPARTMENT

1951-1952

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Prepared by:

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Records Division  
P. R. Police Department

August 27, 1952

The Honorable  
The Governor of Puerto Rico  
San Juan, Puerto Rico

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In compliance with Law, I have the honor to submit, herewith, the Annual Report outlining the activities and accomplishments of the Puerto Rico Police Department for the fiscal year 1951-1952.

Respectfully,

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### FUNCTIONS OF THE POLICE

In judging the activities of the Police Force due recognition must always be given to the fact that the magnitude and complexity of directing its affairs have been consistently in the increase and requires added administrative competence, intense and continuous study of the changing problems involved, particularly as they are focused by the demands of an intelligent growing society and the extent of the charge imposed.

The changes in the composition of the Island population, due in part to the new impetus obtained by industrialization, must also bear weight in the general consideration. In 1940 the ratio of the rural to the urban population was 1.94. This ratio had been reduced to 1.37 in 1950. Increased transportation facilities, more industrial employment opportunities, better housing conditions have marvellously contributed to an increased exodus from the rural to the urban areas. The population tendency is clearly toward numerical equalization.

The enormous changes in the concentration of people within limited areas accentuate the problems of general delinquency and the need for the searching of satisfactory solutions in relation to other causes. New means must be explored for the adequate selection, training and preparation of police personnel with the corresponding formulation of plans, policies and procedures for the improvement of the Force as a professionalized group.

## POLICE PERSONNEL

The authorized police strength for the fiscal year of 1951-52 was 2739. By April 30, 1952 the force vacancies amounted to 168.

About 166 civilian employees fulfill clerical and stenographic functions at the General Headquarters. The employment of civilian in clerical work, previously performed by members of the Force, has helped to place these men in field duties.

Considering the population uptrend, the relation of crime to population, and the assumption of increased police tasks, the Police Force is below the minimum standards as set forth by National investigations. On April 30, 1951 the National population ratio for police members was 1.70. At that time the Insular ratio was 1.23. On June 30, 1952 our ratio was below 1.18. Our ratio includes the total police personnel with the exception of positions still uncovered.

Within the sphere of the authority conferred upon the Police by law, the Chief of the Police administers and directs the Police organization with the firm and confident determination that it responds as effectively as possible to the increasing demands of the public well-being. On April 30, 1952 there were 2113 policemen for field work and 32 technicians assigned to scientific investigations, such as finger printing photography, ballistic, etc., see Table 2 and Chart B.

For operating purposes the Island is divided into 76 police districts, most of them under the command of a Lieutenant. For supervisory purposes these 76 districts are regrouped into 10 Police Zones each one under the command of a Captain, Table 3.

## POLICE COMMISSION

The Police Commission is a body composed of three members appointed by the Governor of Puerto Rico on an honorary basis, with power established by law as follows:

To recruit the members of the Force,  
To act as a judicial Board or Tribunal and  
To enact rules and regulations for the government of the Force.

In 1951-52 the Commission celebrated 49 sessions, heard formal accusations against 96 policemen, resolved 28 cases of appeal, and approved 17 pensions to police members or their widows. The Commission reported that the police aid fund was \$530.01 over the figures for 1950-51. The commission's examination, trial and disposal of complaints against members of the Force points unmistakably to an established attitude of safeguarding the public and the police force from conduct unbecoming some of its members. The commission held 5 sessions more this year than during 1950-51.

Ultimate or supreme authority of the Police Force resides in the person of the Governor of Puerto Rico. The Chief of the Police is appointed by the Governor as the immediate head of the Police Force, with power to distribute it according to needs and to administer its affairs in accordance with law and the Rules and Regulations of the Force.

## BUDGET EXPENDITURES

While the expenditures for 1951-52 were about 15 % higher than on the previous year, a large part of the increase was used in emergency or professional services rendered.

During the year, the Rio Piedras new Police Headquarters, was

about to be completed. The Bayamon Police Headquarters was completed and occupied and plans were begun for the construction of the new Police Headquarters at Camuy. The plans, specifications and designs for the improvement and expansion of the General Headquarters at San Juan have been finished.

The distribution of the annual expenditures were as follows: 83.6% regular salaries, 1.9% emergency salaries and wages, 2.1% professional services, 4.6% maintenance, 5.7% equipment and materials and 2.1% for miscellaneous expenses. An unencumbered balance of \$22148.28 was obtained this year as against \$ 59,177.62 the year before, Table 5.

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR  
GENERAL

The Office of the Inspector General of the Puerto Rico Police is composed besides the Inspector, of an auxiliary, two Division Captains to perform investigations and inspections, a lieutenant in charge of Juvenile Aid, a lieutenant in charge of the Traffic Division, an auxiliary at large and five civilian stenographers.

During the year this Office conducted 102 district inspections, 14 zonal inspections and examined 59 posts or details other than Police districts. The Office emitted 55 opinions in reference to municipal ordinances dealing with "Fiestas Patronales".

The Complaint Section of the Inspector's Office received 1596 complaints against police members. The investigation of 1349 of them revealed that in 571 there existed sufficient ground for further study. Further investigation resulted in the application of administrative punishment in 20 cases as follows: 1 for overzealous authority, 3 for negligence while on duty, 4 for unbecoming conduct, 3 for

illegal arrests, 1 for family affairs, 5 for improper conduct, 1 for traffic violations, 1 for imprecper procedures, and 1 for emotional instability.

The Chiefs of the Police Districts presented 489 charges against policemen under their supervision. Of these number 300 were resolved administratively and 189 were referred to the Commission.

#### OFFICE OF THE PHYSICIAN

The strain of police work might be generally evaluated by the number of agents who receives medical attention. During the year, 2782 received medical examinations in regards to natural or accidental sicknesses. The loss of work days due to sickness amounted to 21321, thus reducing the numerical strength of the Force by 68 members. Physical incapacity led to the retirement of 39 more members. Six deaths were registered during the year. General medical examinations were given to 3007 men for purposes of recruitment, promotion, reappointment, etc. On the basis of 1896 plain policemen, it is worthy to consider that sickness reduced the active police strength by more than 3 %.

The activities carried out during the year by the sections of the Laboratory were as follows:

##### Photographic:

Enlargements	3769
Contact	7756
Reproductions	111
Drugs and Narcotics	173
Internal Security & others	1116
Records Division	205
Miscellaneous	259
Photostatics	4020
Total	<hr/> 17409

Ballistics:

Analysis of firearms as to proof trade marks	347
Firearms repaired	11
Firearms recovered by identification of serial number	46
Shots for comparison	6
Bullets received from autopsies	4
Bullets identified with firearms	3
Firearms examined	38
Bullets photographed	38
Others	13
Total	62
	530

The Chemical Section carried out 30 experimental tests involving blood stains, poisons, explosives and paints. The Questioned Document Section examined 114 documents consisting of letters and fraudulent papers of miscellaneous kinds.

POLICE ACADEMY

The Academy is the training center for the Police Force, the heart of many police activities, and in service training school for many other government agencies with quasi-police responsibilities. District and Zonal Commanders carry independent institutes to meet specific problems in their own localities or to obviate requirements not fully covered during the short training course.

The public demand for the extension of police services and protection are reflected in the instructional areas covered by the Academy. The training areas are: Citizen rights including rights common to all men, arrest making, searching, crime investigation, identification, fingerprinting, scientific photography, analysis of questioned documents, collecting evidence, police regulations, public relations, making reports, testifying in court, code of ethics, statistics, use

of firearms, general defensive tactics, public behavior, courtesy, traffic conduct, first aid, the keeping of records, the filling and safeguarding of records, supervision of personnel, participation in legislation preparation, etc. It is evident that the degree to which these basic police knowledges might be effectively assimilated depends on the learning abilities of the police candidate as well as his level of educational preparation. The recruitment of new policemen is forcefully influenced by these two factors and the salary scale offered by the Department. These conditions must be understood well by the public, as they are understood by us.

In 1951-52 the Academy carried out the following activities:

- 1- Two hundred recruits passed the regular training course and were promptly assigned to the field Districts to obtain practical experience and additional training under the supervision of the District Commanders.
- 2- Fifty-two regular policemen received specialized training and were assigned to duty at the General Constitutional Assembly.
- 3- An advanced course on first aid was given to 42 regular police members.
- 4- Training in latent fingerprint lifting was taken by 14 policemen who were assigned to the police zones with the exception of the Metropolitan Area. These fingerprint experts perform their work in their respective territories without extra aid from Headquarters.
- 5- A general refresher course in gun firing, judo and first aid was given to the entire police membership of the Humacao Zone.

6- The use of tear gas bombs, chemicals, and firing practices of small firearms was finished by 151 penal guards of the Bureau of Prisions, Puerto Rico Department of Justice.

7- Defensive tactics were taught to a group of 123 Auxiliary Guards of the Civil Defense Organization at Isla de Cabra.

8- A nine week training program was completed by 153 agents and 25 regular policemen conducted by members of the Bureau of Internal Revenue and the Division of Alcoholic Beverages, Department of Finance, under the auspices of the Police Academy.

9- An advanced course in First Aid was given by members of the Academy to 50 public school teachers of the Mayaguez Area.

10- Firing practices were given to 395 regular policemen from the General Headquarters, La Fortaleza, the Metropolitan Area and the Arcebo Zone.

11- In addition to conducting general conferences offered by F. B. I. agents and other local government officers, the Academy completed and published the first edition of a Manual for Police Instruction and is now revising and enlarging a second edition.

12- The Academy recommended the lengthening of the training course and the inclusion of supervisory courses for officers.

#### RECORDS DIVISION

There are 82 employees in the Division of Records. Of this number 46 civilian employees and the remaining 36 are supervisory assistants and fingerprint experts. The keeping of records safely and in such a manner that they may be used with promptness, is

one of the most important phases of this Division.

The Fingerprint Section had 276,432 fingerprints completely classified and on file at the beginning of the year and filed 29463 during the current year for a total of 305,900. There are 20,331 additional fingerprints still to be filed. This is an excellent, perhaps marvellous collection of fingerprints. On the other hand, it is an indication of the criminal history of our society. These fingerprints are about 15 % of the present Island population. A total of 16,389 fingerprint cards were received during the year from different government agencies. Members of this Section gave 9 conferences on subjects related with the work of the Section. See Records Division Report, page 25.

The Firearm Registration Section received 34,225 applications for firearm licenses during the year. Of this number 11,049 were fully investigated and approved and the remainder are in the process of investigation. A total of 3357 pieces of firearms were registered.

The Certification Section prepared 11,768 certified declarations of good conduct for firearm licenses, travelling visas, and accident statements which required the payment of \$17,652 in revenue stamps. An understanding reached between the Department of Labor and the Police Department, led to the preparation of clearance statements on good conduct for 6,285 labor employees free of charge. An additional 1,158 certifications for recruits to the National Guard and 335 fire-arm practice licenses for the Commission of Parks and Recreation were issued. Requests for summary reports on 5,937 persons were

prepared and remitted to various Federal and Insular agencies during the year.

#### TRAFFIC

Of 46,108 traffic violations reported during 1951-52, 33,775 of them were committed during the hours of the day and 12,333 during the night. A total of 30130 violations occurred in the urban area and 15,978 in the rural zone. The Police cleared 46,023 of these offenses and extended formal accusation to 43,455 male and 483 female violators. Obviously some of the violators were accused for more than one traffic violation during the year.

The courts solved 31,121 cases of traffic violators, of which 284 were for female violators. The courts acquitted or filed 17.5% of the male violators and 25% of the female violators. In 1950-51 the courts dismissed or filed 24.1% of the number of traffic violators.

#### AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

Vehicle accidents totaled 13,727 and involved 21,686 of the registered vehicles. These accidents caused the death of 209 individuals and injuries to another 7864 persons. The number of accidents went up 7.2% with respect to 1950-51; the number of vehicles involved in accidents increased 7.7%; deaths went up 0.5 % and injured persons increased 5.3% over the figures for the previous fiscal year, Tables 6 and 7, Charts C and D.

The vehicle accidents against pedestrians caused the largest number of fatalities and injuries. During the year 64 men, 12 women and 39 children lost their lives in 2945 accidents caused by as many vehicles. An additional 2864 men, women and children were injured.

This class of accidents constituted 21.5 % of all the vehicle accidents registered during the year and produced 55 % of the total deaths and 36.4 % of the total injuries.

Accidents produced by the collision of motorvechicles with other motor vehicles totaled 7623, killed 38 persons and injured 2228 more. A total of 15,525 motor vehicles participated. Thus 55.5 % of the total number of accidents were produced by 71.6 % of the vehicles involved in accidents. This type of accident contributed with 8.2 % of the deaths and 23.3 % of the injured persons.

In 648 motor vehicle accidents against bicycles, 446 persons were injured and 5 children were killed. Of the injured, 150 were children, 291 were men and 5 were women. Bicycling in the Metropolitan Area is evidently dangerous, aside from the fact that the use of any two wheel vehicle is highly risky.

In 34 collisions, of motor vehicles with trains 38 persons were injured and 2 were killed. There were 1022 accidents against fixed objects which resulted in 17 deaths and 879 injured persons. In 211 accidents with road animals, 47 were injured. As many as 340 cars overturned, killing 12 persons and injuring 630 more. The remaining 904 accidents of the annual volume were of various natures, and caused 20 deaths, and injuries to 732 individuals. The enumeration of these accident facts for the year 1951-52 points to gave responsibilities at the police and court enforcement levels.

Over 18.2 % of the annual motor vehicle accidents were against fixed objects, trains, animals, including overturned and other accidents of a similar nature, Table 6. These accidents which clearly indicate

excessive velocity, gross negligence and wantonness, caused 24.4 % of the total deaths and 29.5 % of the annual injured figures, Table 8.

(a) Rates by Types of Vehicles:-

The highest number of deaths for every 100 motor vehicles involved in accidents in 1951-52 was produced by the vehicles of the Federal Government with 3.77. Other rates were as follows: motorcycles 2.73; trucks 1.20; busses 1.00; passenger cars 0.94; taxis 0.70; commercial vehicles 0.60; and Insular Government 0.25. The total death rate per 100 vehicles involved was 0.96.

Inasmuch as the statistics for injured adults reached a very high level with 5862 of which 4603 were men and probably family supporters, the rates for injured persons were also calculated. Motorcycles registered the highest number of persons injured for every 100 vehicles involved with 55.2. The injured rates for the other vehicles were: taxis 45.0; Federal Government vehicles 37.9; busses 41.1; commercial vehicles 34.6; Insular Government vehicles 34.4; passenger cars 33.4; and trucks 36.3. The total annual injured rate for all vehicles was 36.2. Clearly the injured rates were above average for motorcycles, taxis, busses and Federal Government vehicles and below average for commercial, Insular Government and passenger cars. The rate for trucks was equal to the average. These rates point to the fact that in 1951-52 Federal Government vehicles, motorcycles and busses inflicted the highest number of deaths and injuries per every 100 vehicles involved in accidents. The other types had high rates in either deaths or injuries but not in both. See Table 6, page 38.

About 29.1 % of all motor vehicles registered until June, 1952, were involved in accidents. Private passenger cars produced 41.6 % of the 209 annual deaths and 39.2 % of the total injured figures.

Taxis had 15.3 % of the deaths and 26.4 % of the injured persons. The highest frequency of accidents occurred between 5:00 and 6:00 P. M. during the year with 1223, resulting in 15 deaths and 717 persons injured, Table 9 and Chart I.

(b) Automobile Accidents Monthly Variation:-

May, 1952 registered the highest number of accidents with 1,309, yet, it also reported the lowest number of deaths, (9). June, 1952 had the highest frequency of deaths with 27 and was followed by April with 23 and March with 21, Chart F.

About 2 1/2 times as many men as children were killed during the year in motor vehicle accidents and about 2 1/2 times as many children as women.

February had the lowest number of accidents with 784 but the deaths were 15 and another 547 individuals were injured. A monthly average of 1146 accidents, involving 1607 vehicles, killed 17 persons and injured 655 individuals in 1951-52.

#### OTHER KINDS OF ACCIDENTS

Accidents produced by drowning, labor, burns, falls, firearms, bicycles, electricity and others accounted for 131 deaths and 845 injured individuals during 1951-52. Aviation accidents are not included in the 907 non-vehicular accidents reported, Table 10.

#### MOTORCYCLE SQUAD

A monthly average of 75 motorcyclists presented charges against 24,981 traffic violators of which number 11,257 paid \$ 47,574 in fines, 164 received jail sentences, 975 were acquitted, the cases of 454 were filed and the remainder were left pending. Police personnel salaries

involved and gasoline expenditures amounted to about \$ 20,000.00,  
Table 27.

## CRIMES

Crimes during the year amounted to 148,747 or a 2.9 % (4244) more than previous year (144,503). Also the population rate increased from 653 last year to 671 this year, for every 10,000 inhabitants. The Urban areas accumulated 107,572 offenses for a reduction of 2.9 % from the figures for 1950-51, while the Rural areas registered an increase of 22.3 %, Tables 12, 14 and 15.

### (a) Major Crimes Trends:-

There was a general increase of 4.7 % in major crimes throughout the Island in 1951-52 over 1950-51. The Urban areas registered a rise of 9.6 % while Rural areas had a decrease of 6.8 % in these types of offenses. Rape, Robbery, Burglary, Larceny, Auto Theft increased 12.0%, 27.3 %, 11.7 %, 4.5 %, 71.0 % respectively, Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter, Manslaughter by Negligence and Aggravated Assaults reflected downward trends of 37.7 %, 11.2 %; 3.2 %, respectively, Table 11 and Chart, G.

### (b) Crimes Against Property:-

Crimes against property constituted 8.3 % of the total number of offenses committed during the year. For 1951-52 property crimes were distributed as follows: 92 Robberies, 6598 Larcenies, 1411 Malicious Mischiefs, 724 Embezzlements, 2507 Burglaries, 128 Forgeries, 742 False Impersonations and 106 Auto Thefts, for a total of 12308. Though there were slight increases in Robberies, Burglaries and Auto Theft, property crimes were 2.0 % less this year than last year, when the total re-

gistered was 12563.

The estimated value of missing and stolen property passed the million dollars mark with \$ 1,059,558. This is an increase of \$ 240,430 over 1950-51. The Police was able to locate and recover 48.6 % of this amount. The property value of automobiles stolen and recovered was reduced to 97.2 % of its original value, mostly due to damage produced on them. The estimated percentages of other articles recovered were as follows: 44.8 % of the cattle, 42.4 % of bicycles, 28.3 % for jewelry and money, 17.7 % of the clothing and 16.3 % of all other property, Table 24.

(c) Crimes Against the Person:-

Against the human person, crimes totaled 1023 in 1951-52 while in 1950-51 this total was 1174 for Criminal Homicides, Rapes and Aggravated Assaults. For the purpose of this comparison all the serious crimes against the human lives or the conservation of them were considered. The distribution of the crimes was as follows: Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter 149; Manslaughter by Negligence, 127; Rape, 112; Attempt to kill, 210; Attack to Murder, 102; Attempts to Commit Homicide, 32; Mayhem, 291.

(d) Crimes Against Morals:-

The year ending June 30, 1952, closed with 279 offenses of Indecent Exposures, 112 Rapes, 108 Prostitutions, 56 Sodomasies and 8 Incests for a total of 563 or 2 offenses less than in 1950-51. Prostitutions and Rapes increased and the other types of offenses decreased to equalize numerically the annual totals. Rape offenses constituted 20 % of the totals. Approximately 1 offense in every 250 committed during the year

was a Rape, or and Incest or a Sodomy, or an Indecent Exposure or an act of Prostitution. It is very important to remember that Police Statistics represent only a part of the offenses actually committed, in other words, the legal acts in which the Police Force intervenes. As such, police statistics serve as mere indicators of prevalent social conditions. They do not reveal the whole story, Table 14.

(e) Crimes Against Public Order and Security:

All those crimes which are similar, either by their nature, or influence on public safety, order or security were grouped in this category. Common aggressions, even though somewhat related with crimes against the human person, were likewise listed under public order, except when the conditions described indicated mutilation or the infliction of wounds of a serious nature. In this latter case the offenses were classified under Aggravated Assaults.

In 1951-52 the crimes against public order or safety numbered 113,443 and constituted 76.2 % of all the offenses committed during the year. Offenses against traffic laws amounted to 46,108 and were more than 40 % of the group. The total number of violations against the regulations of the Public Service Commission was 4921 and against road laws 524, elevating transit violations to 51,553. Transit offenses were followed by Drunkenness with 22,817; Disorderly Conduct with 20,037; Common Aggressions with 12,274; Weapons Carrying 4,691; Unnecessary Noises 1,384; Non-registration of firearms 221, Health Laws 161; Public Health and Safety 155; Narcotics 81 and Arson 69, Table, 14.

Traffic violations increased 14.5 % over last year's figures. For

the other offenses the increases were: Regulations of Public Service Commission 37.5%; Road Laws 57.8 %; Unnecessary Noises 14.9%; Narcotics 406.3 %. While only 16 cases of violations against the Narcotic Laws were reported in 1950-51, the number in 1951-52 was 81. The investigation on organized crime and criminals conducted by the Federal Grand Jury in Puerto Rico emphasized the dangers consequent to the expansion of the narcotic market.

Decreases were registered in some of the offenses related to public order such as Drunkenness 4.3 %, Public Disturbances 3.8 %, Common Aggressions 4.3 %, Non registration of firearms 46.2 %, Weapons Carrying 3.1 %, Health Laws 32.3 % and Arson 48.5 %.

#### UNFOUNDED OFFENSES

During the year, 979 offenses reported to the Police were considered without ground to initiate a formal accusation. Such offenses are classified as unfounded. There were 274 unfounded cases of minor Larceny, 197 of Traffic Laws, 89 of Aggression and Battery, 84 Breaches of the Peace, 63 Burglary, 61 Minor Aggression, 36 Malicious Mischief, 34 Embezzlements, 33 Grand Larceny, 19 False Impersonation, and the remainder comprised Weapons Carrying, Policy Slips, Joy Riding, Liquor Laws, Robbery, Arson, Attempt to Kill, Rape and Narcotic violations, see Table 14.

#### OFFENSES CLEARED AND PERSONS CHARGED

During the fiscal year 1951-52 a total of 1023 serious crimes were committed against the person. From this total 1019 or 99.6 % were cleared and 1032 persons charged. Among these types of crimes the

100.0 % cleared for Aggravated Assaults was highest, followed by Negligent Manslaughter with 99.2 %; Rape 99.1 % and Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter with 98.6 %, Table 15, Chart II.

Serious crimes against property amounted to 9303. Of the total 4558 or 49.0 % were cleared and 4421 persons charged. It can be observed from Table 15 and Chart I that Robberies obtained the highest percent of clearance (68.5 %), followed by Larceny 50.7 %, Burglary 45.0 % and Auto Theft 21.7 %.

(a) Female Offenders:-

About 35 women were charged daily during the fiscal year 1951-52 as against 33 on 1950-51. The charges were for offenses equally common among male offenders, though in a lesser degree. Of the 12,869 women charged, 47 % were below the age of 25 years and 21 % below 20 years of age. There were 263 women charged for violations against property laws; 1,061 for violations against the human person; 60 against morals and the remainder against public order. Tables 16-19 and Chart J.

(b) Male Offenders:-

A total of 155,342 men were charged during the year. A maximum of 14,862 men were charged in the Month of May, 1952. The lowest number of men charged occurred in February, 1952 with 10,886. The highest frequency of male charged was for ages 25 to 29 years with 28,558 or 18.4 % of the total number.

About 48 % of the male violators were less than 30 years of age and 29.1% were under 25 years of age. For the first five age groups of women charged the percentages were as follows: 0.3 %, 20.9%, 25.5%, 16.8% and 12.6 %. The percentages of men charged in the same order were 0.7 %, 10.1 %, 18.3 %, 18.4 % and 16.5 %. The percentage of

female violators in the age group 15 to 19 years was more than twice the percentage for the same group of men. About 55.4 % of the women charged were less than 25 years of age, Tables 16, 19 and Chart J.

#### PERSONS FOUND GUILTY

The total percentage of persons found guilty for serious crimes was 37.4 % and for less serious crimes, 61.1 %, Table 20.

The data related with persons found guilty is shown in Table 20 and Charts K and L. The highest percentages of persons found guilty of serious crimes are as follows: Auto Theft, 51.9 %; Larceny, 44.6 %; Burglary, 31.3%; Murder and Nonneglegent Manslaughter, 27.3 % and Rape, 23.1 %. For less serious crimes: Drunkenness, 87.5 %; Gambling, 81.9 %; Disorderly Conduct, 74.2 %; Forgery, 73.4 %, Embezzlement, 69.8 % and Prostitution, 65.2 %.

#### JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

The Police reported 1581 cases of juvenile delinquency during the fiscal year. Of the 921 cases acted upon by the courts, 375 were acquitted and 546 sentenced. Since 1948-49 the number of juvenile cases reported annually, has been increasing. For the years 1948-49, 1949-50, 1950-51 the reported number of juvenile delinquents were 549, 626, and 1229 respectively. The courts are presently acting in no more than 60% of the cases, if the Police figures are correct, Table 21 and Chart M-N.

Statistics indicate that generally 2.5 % of the children attending school become delinquent. For the school year of 1951, there were 454,866 children between the ages of 6 and 18 matriculated in the schools of the Island and 251,423 children of school age were not attending any school. Allowing a 5 % delinquent rate for non-school children, there were

approximately 24,000 potential delinquent children in the Island in 1951. The number which is being officially reported by the Police is obviously very small. On the other hand the increase in educational opportunities at all levels would clearly decrease juvenile delinquency. But public interest must be focused to that group which would become delinquent regardless of extended educational facilities. Education, of course, diminishes but does not eliminate delinquency.

(a) Police Athletic League:-

The Police Athletic League has helped to increase the children's right to healthful recreational opportunities by exploring the community availability of resources and engaging its enthusiastic co-operation. The League does not always wait for children to come to it but often goes <sup>after</sup> them. The League holds some of their programs in schools, hospitals and other places. But the League, because of its juvenile delinquency objectives, concentrates its efforts in the potentially delinquent group, without altogether ignoring the others.

Unfortunately many more programs can not be effected through lack of community apathy or adequate personnel facilities. The League's activities are carried out mostly in the Urban areas, where chapters are generally organized. Yet it is prepared to extent its programs to the Rural areas just as well. In fact several sub-chapters have been already established. Government agencies are often lending movie projectors and other equipments to give educational pictures. Plans are underway to establish recreational centers where children may assemble in larger numbers to engage freely in writing, studying, reading, playing music and hearing lectures from prominent community leaders.

Communal centers have been established in Ponce, Humacao, Caguas, Ciales, and as many as three in San Juan. Mayaguez will soon construct a house for the League at a construction value of \$ 10,000. The project is mothered by a group of prominent ladies from that city under Mrs. Matilde Nadal de Vidal and Mrs. Helen Font de Delgado auspices.

What has been done has not been obtained easily. Some Police Districts are unwilling to divert any part of its police personnel to these activities due to insufficient manpower. Some municipalities with high juvenile delinquency are not given enough attention to its preventive phase. In spite of these and many other difficulties, the League increased its children's membership by 6800. In 1951-52 about 12404 different activities in which 160,024 children throughout the Island participated were effected. The League spent \$ 6,971.15 in equipment, transportation, office and meals, during the year. For next year the League is hopeful of obtaining \$ 10,000 in donations and other contributions. The League's principal internal problem is the need of personnel freed from other police duties and trained in preventive work.

The Police Athletic League was organized in 1943.

#### WEAPONS SEIZED

The Police seized 2,523 illegal pieces of different arms during the year as follows: 254 revolvers, 61 pistols, 23 rifles, 629 machetes, 624 knives, 197 razors blades, 123 stabbing knives, and 612 of other kinds of instruments. Only 172 of the revolvers and pistols seized were legally registered. In every 100 illegal arms seized by

the police there were 25 machetes, 25 knives, 13 firearms, 8 razors blades, 5 stabbing knives and the remainder were of other types of arms, Table 25.

#### NARCOTIC VIOLATIONS

In 1946-47 one person was arrested for a narcotic violation. By 1949-50 the number of violations had reached to 76, decreased to 16 in 1950-51 and rose again to 81 in the current fiscal year. Though numerically small, violations of this nature are highly dangerous in view of the relation which they bear to numerous other offenses. In the sessions held by the Federal Grand Jury investigating organized crime and criminals in Puerto Rico, the reporting agencies indicated with overwhelming testimony the menacing conditions surrounding the narcotic traffic. Criminals as a rule, change their fields of activities when conditions become too difficult. So, if "Bolita" violations are decreasing, violators must explore some other activities.

#### POLICY SLIPS

Offenses against the laws of Policy Slips, "Bolita" have been reduced to the point of apparent elimination. These violators have probably shifted their fields of illegal activities. In 1951-52 the number of offenses committed in Policy Slips was 161. The population rate for this type of offense have been reduced from 11.45 per 10,000 inhabitants in 1946-47 to 0.73 for this fiscal year. For the intervening fiscal years commencing with 1947-48 the rates were, 10.14; 2.91; 3.07 and 1.47.

#### Liquor Laws

Illicit liquor seized by the Police during the fiscal year, totaled

12,565 quarts. The Police destroyed 451 illicit stills and seized 300 more for evidence in the Courts. Comparing these figures with the figures for the previous year, it will be noted that a decrease of 22.9% in the illicit quarts seized, a 20.5 % in the stills destroyed and 25.9% in the stills seized for evidence was obtained.

#### OTHER POLICE ACTIVITIES

On January 1952, the Chief of the Police delivered a radio address through the program Insular Events, setting forth the major guiding policies in the development of the Police Force. He summarized briefly the police activities during the last 25 years, emphasizing the growing enthusiasm to raise the professional level of the Police Force.

Most encouraging and stimulating letters and comments were received indicating a certain degree of understanding desire to participate in the solution of some of the problems set forth.

Another address was delivered before the Automobile Club of Puerto Rico, an affiliate of the American Automobile Association, during the week dedicated by the Club to the Prevention of Automobile Accidents. The address analized the growth of the automobile in Puerto Rico since 1906, indicated the parallel increase in the construction of roads, and the development of traffic legislation to regulate the use of the public highways. The increase in motor vehicle accidents, infliction of deaths and injuries and concurrent economic losses involved, were statistically presented covering a period of years.

Officers of the Police Force represented the Department at the meeting held by the Federal Grand Jury in relation with the investigation of organized crimes and criminals in Puerto Rico. Very

valuable information was presented by the Police to the Grand Jury in the form of statistics, graphs, policies and field work. The Police received commendatory statements from the Office of the Federal Attorney General in Puerto Rico for the materials presented.

A comprehensive study of the Traffic Problem was made by the Statistical Section in which solutions and other considerations were analized.

There are some service fields in which the Police are intensely interested, even though at present they are prevented from extending its facilities. Among these are Juvenile Aid, The Police Athletic League, and Juvenile Delinquency. The traffic problem with its various technical, legislative and administrative aspects is one of grave concern to the Police. There are of course, many other equally important problems demanding attention, such as personnel needs, re-organization improvement, plant facilities. The Police is moving forward with hopeful purposes consonant with public demands for more adequate protection and vigilance of the social order.

RECORDS DIVISION REPORT

The Records Division of the Police is one of the Divisions of the Bureau of Administration and consists of the following sections:- Finger prints, Statistics, Firearm Registration, Certifications, Single prints, and General File Section. The personnel and activities performed during the year by these Sections are as follows:

Fingerprints Section:-

To this Section are assigned 25 fingerprint experts and 7 civilian employees. The following is the work performed by the Section:

Kind of Work (Fingerprint cards)	Applicants	Criminals
Taken at the Section during the year	2990	265
Received from Police Districts	11683	15021
Received from the F. B. I.		294
Received from the Insular Penitentiary		670
Received from other authorities	430	139
Total Received and Taken	15103	16389
Fingerprints classified	15103	16389
Fingerprints checked	15103	16389

Fingerprints filed (all kinds except singles):

Number in file at the beginning of the year	276432
Number filed during the year	29468
Number in files at end of year	305900

Fingerprints sent to:-

Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington D.C.	864
Single print system	390
Other authorities	2
Total sent	1276

Other Activities:-

Identification of criminals arrested	126
Identification of criminals with assumed names	358
Identification of persons convicted	18
Records looked up and sent to:-	
Police Detective Bureau, "F.B.I., Naval Intelligence, Service and others	31576

Besides the work shown above, the Section carried out many other activities of various kinds.

Firearm Registration Section:-

This is the Section where all documents related to firearm registration are prepared and filed according to Law No. 14 of the year 1936 and No. 17 of 1951. The Section consists of 12 members: 1 sergeant, 1 policeman and 10 civilian employees.

The work done during the year was as follows:

License applications received - June 30, 1952	34225
Licenses issued June 30, 1951	432
Licenses issued June 30, 1952	<u>10517</u>
Total licenses issued	11049
Firearms seized during the year (Law 17 of 1951)	383
License applications canceled during the year	<u>75</u> * <u>11507</u>
License applicants to be considered	22718
Licenses issued to public officers	288
Firearms registered during the year:	
Revolvers	1113
Pistols	194
Shotguns	2028
Rifles	<u>22</u>
Total firearms registered	3357

From the 22,718 license applicants to be considered as listed above, 19,600 are in the process of investigation.

Statistics Section:

The principal function of this Section is the preparation of monthly and annual reports covering the activities of the Police Department. They are presented in tables and charts and are submitted to the Governor of Puerto Rico. In addition to these reports, the Section prepares surveys related to Police Matters, such as Traffic, Juvenile

Delinquency, etc.

All this work is performed manually and the Section consists of one Statistical Officer and 5 civilian employees.

#### COMMUNICATION DIVISION REPORT

##### Communication System:

The Department operates and maintains a radio system with fixed points transmitters at San Juan, Bayamón, Arecibo, Aguadilla, Mayaguez, Ponce, Guayama, Humacao and Caguas. Besides these, there are 100 automobiles with radio units and 2 maritime mobile units with radio communication equipment. About 75 % of the automobiles equipped with radio units are assigned to the Metropolitan Area.

##### New Equipment:

During the year, 11 radio stations and 10 radio units for automobiles were purchased. The 11 radio units were installed in various Police quarters in the Metropolitan Area and are controlled by an special station.

##### Special Activities:

Recently an individual radio communication service was inaugurated in the Metropolitan Area. This communication service operates at a frequency of 154.89 megacycles and it is controlled directly from the Office of the Superintendent of the Metropolitan Area.

New radio equipment has been ordered for some posts and districts of the Metropolitan Area that have no radio service.

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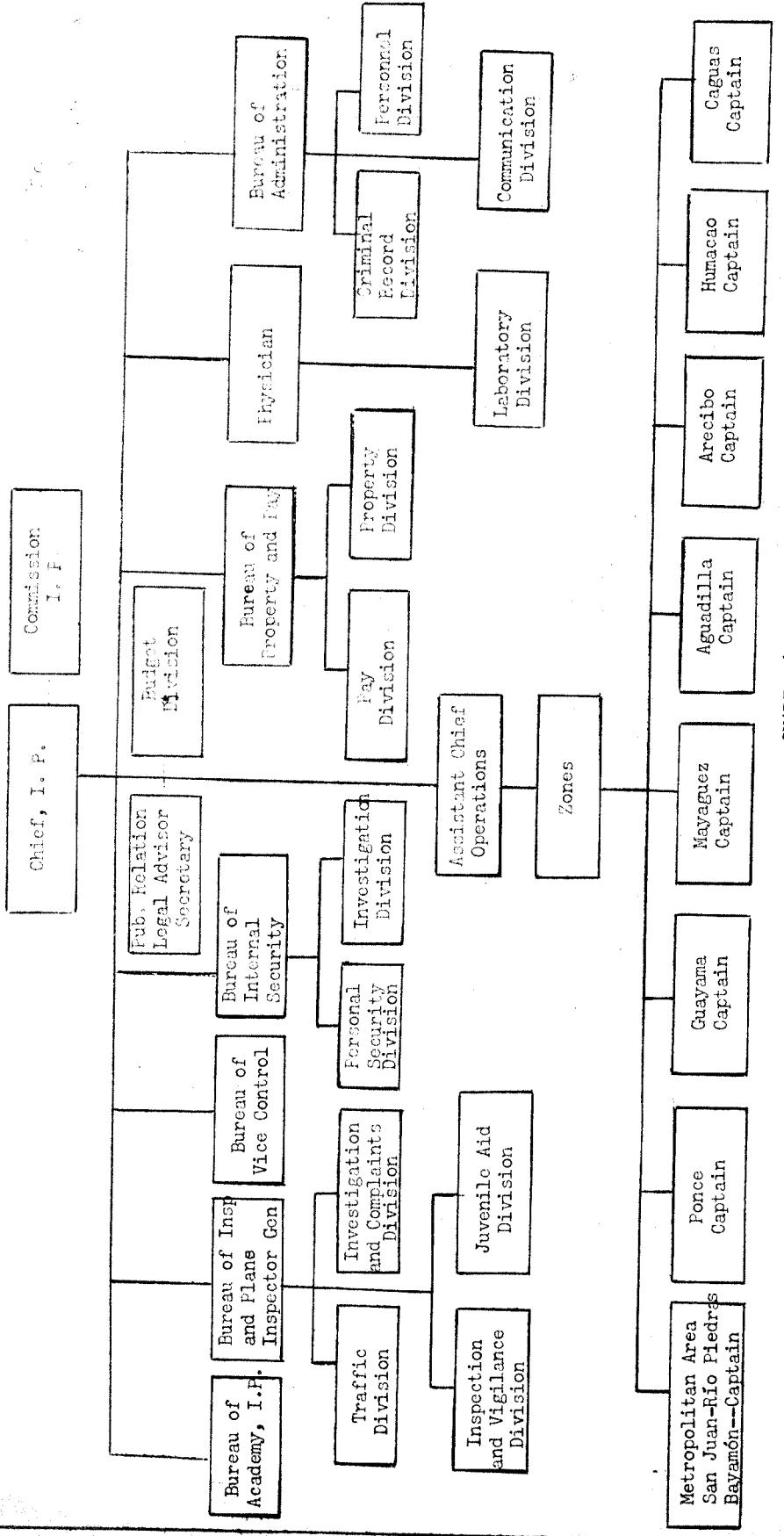


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TABLE 1 - CHANGES IN THE POLICE FORCE  
JULY 1951, JUNE 1952

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C H A N G E S :Total:Capt.:Lt.:Sgt.:Corpl.:Dtve.:Guards:F.P.E.  
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INCREASE

TOTAL	212	1	1		208	2
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Appointments	199	1			196	2
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Reinstatements	13		1		12	
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DECREASE

TOTAL	133	4	4	5	4	10	104	2
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Rasignations	69		1		1	5	60	2
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Physical Unfitness	39	4	2	5	3	4	21	
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Deceased	6		1			1	4	
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Reenlistments Disapproved	9						9	
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For the good of the service	10						10	
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OTHER CHANGES

Promotions	65		3	15	17	2	23	
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Reenlistments	823			33	82	122	585	
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Degradations	3		2		1			
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Authorized Police Force Personnel for the year 1951-52                    2739  
Authorized Civilian Personnel    174

TABLE 2 - POLICE FORCE MEMBERS APRIL 30, 1952, NUMBER AND RATE PER 1000 INHABITANTS, BY POLICE ZONES

Z O N E S	:	Number of Population	Average No. of Members Police Members	per 1000 Inhabitants
TOTAL ZONES	:	2,206,214	2113	.96
Zone I		223,949	521	2.33
Zone II		227,583	194	.85
Zone III		223,266	169	.76
Zone IV		284,308	213	.77
Zone V		348,973	297	.85
Zone VI		220,634	211	.96
Zone VII		163,025	144	.88
Zone VIII		160,243	124	.78
Zone IX		190,330	123	.65
Zone X		163,403	112	.69

Includes Police Members assigned to the field only.

AVERAGE NUMBER OF POLICE FORCE MEMBERS PER  
1000 INHABITANTS

By Zonal Groups      April 30, 1952

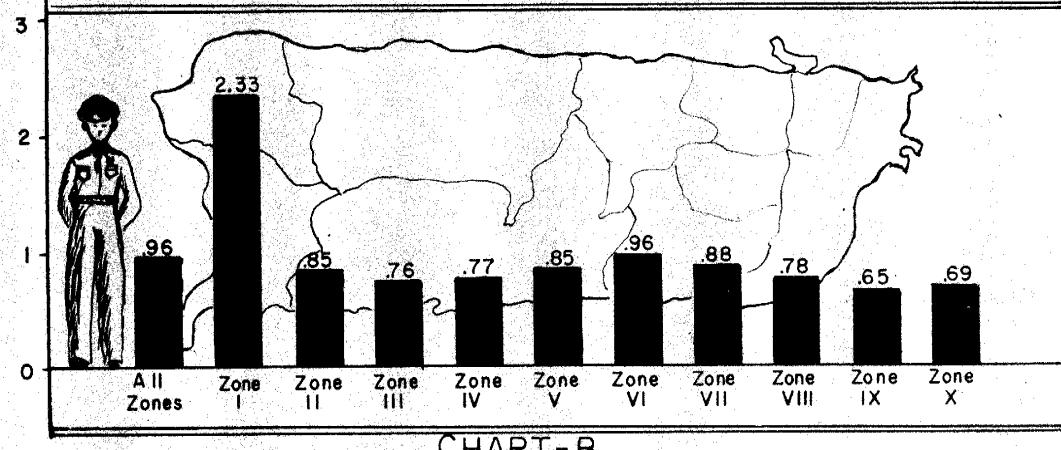


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TABLE 3 - POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES, APRIL 30, 1952, DISTRIBUTED BY ZONES AND POLICE DISTRICTS

Z O N E S	<u>POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES</u>											
	: 1st.:2nd.:											
	:Col.:	Capt.:	Lt. :	Lt.	Sgt.:	Corpl.:	Dtve.:	Guards:	F.P.E.:	Civilins:	Total	
GRAND TOTAL	1	24	47	85	79	163	244	1896	32	166	2738	
General Headquarters	1	13	6	11	10	16	64	129	32	166	448	
Fortaleza	1	1	3	3	7	28	133				176	
Zone I												
Total		3	12	11	16	37	103	339			521	
San Juan		3	12	11	16	37	103	339			521	
Zone II												
Total		3	7	9	10			165			194	
Carolina		1		1	1			13			16	
Loíza			1	1	1			12			15	
Río Grande			1		1			9			11	
Río Piedras		2	4	7	6			122			141	
Trujillo Alto			1		1			9			11	
Zone III												
Total		1	3	8	5	11	1	140			169	
Bayamón		1	2		3	4	1	39			50	
Cataño				1		1		20			22	
Corozal			1		1			12			14	
Dorado			1		1			9			11	
Guaynabo			1		1			13			15	
Naranjito			1		1			8			9	
Toa Alta				1	1			7			9	
Toa Baja				1		1		9			9	
Vega Alta			1		1			8			11	
Vega Baja		1	1	1				15			10	
											18	
Zone IV												
Total		1	6	7	6	15	4	179			218	
Arecibo		1	3		3	5	4	53			69	
Barceloneta				1		1		14			16	
Camuy			1		1			10			12	
Ciales			1		1			9			11	
Comerío			1		1			9			11	
Hatillo			1		1			9			11	

POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES

ZONES : :1st.:2nd.:  
           :Col.:Capt.:Lt. :Lt. :Sgt.:Corpl.:Dtve.:Guards:F.P.E:Civilians>Total

**Zone IV (Cont.)**

Manati	2	1	1	20	24
Morovis		1		8	9
Quebradillas		1	1	8	10
Utuado	1	2	3	39	45

**Zone V**

Total	1	5	10	10	16	11	244	297
Adjuntas			1		1		10	12
Coamo		1		1	1		14	17
Guánica			1	1	1		13	16
Guayanilla			1		1		10	12
Jayuya				1	1		13	15
Juana Diaz		1		2	1		16	20
Orocovis			1		1		12	14
Peñuelas			1		1		10	12
Ponce	1	2	3	4	5	11	109	135
Santa Isabel			1		1		10	12
Villalba			1		1		9	11
Yauco		1		1	1		18	21

**Zone VI**

Total	2	7	5	14	15	168	211	
Añasco			1		1		9	11
Cabo Rojo			1		2		17	20
Hormigueros			1		1		8	10
Lajas			1		1		9	11
Las Marias				1	1		7	9
Maricao					1		3	3
Mayaguez	1	2	3	5	15		80	106
Sabana Grande			1		1		11	13
San German		1		1	2		19	23

**Zone VII**

Total	1	2	6	4	8	3	120	144
Ceiba			1				8	9
Fajardo		1		1	1		19	22
Humacao	1	1		2	3	3	31	41
Las Piedras			1		1		8	10
Luquillo			1		1		10	12
Maunabo			1				9	10
Naguabo			1				10	11
Vieques			1		1		10	12
Yabucoa				1	1		15	17

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**POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES**  
**ZONES : 1st.:2nd.: Col.:Capt.:Lt. :Sgt.:Corpl.:Dtve.:Guards:F.P.E:Civilians:Total**  
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**Zone VIII**

Total	1	2	6	4	10	1	100	124
Aibonito			1		1		8	10
Arroyo			1		1		8	10
Barranquitas			1		1		7	9
Cayey		1		1	1		19	22
Guayama	1	1	1	2	4	1	32	42
Patillas			1		1		10	12
Salinas			1	1	1		16	19

**Zone IX**

Total	1	3	3	4	11	7	94	123
Aguadilla	1	1		2	3	6	31	44
Aguada			1		1		9	11
Isabela			1		2	1	12	16
Lares		1		1	1		12	15
Moca			1		1		8	10
Rincón				1	1		8	10
San Sebastián		1			2		14	17

**Zone X**

Total	1	2	6	3	8	7	85	112
Aguas Buenas			1		1		8	10
Caguas	1	1	2	3	3	7	39	56
Cidra			1		1		8	10
Gurabo			1		1		7	9
Juncos		1			1		13	15
San Lorenzo			1		1		10	12

The table exclude 21 employees (Police Force) in provisional suspension.

TABLE 4 - POLICE DEPARTMENT SALARY SCALE  
1951-1952

CLASSIFICATION	ANNUAL BASIC SALARY
Chief of Police, Colonel	\$ 8,520
Assistant Chief of Police, Adjutant	5,940
Inspector General	5,280
Captains	4,620
Identification Superintendent	4,620
Physician	4,620
Legal Advisor	4,620
Pay Officer	4,620
Property Officer	4,620
Dean of the Academy	4,620
First Lieutenants	3,564
Identification Supervisor	3,564
Questioned Document Expert	3,564
Statistical Officer	3,564
Communication Officer	3,564
Second Lieutenant	2,904
Assistant Communication Officer	2,904
Secretary to the Chief of Police	2,904
Fingerprint Expert & Clerk	2,904
Sergeant	2,244
Fingerprint Expert Scien. Photographer	1,920
Fingerprint Expert & Balistic Mechanic	1,920
Corporals	1,848
Detectives	1,716
Fingerprints Expert	1,680
Policemen	1,584
Lawyer II	3,600
Accountant II	3,300
Clerk Steno. III	2,040
Clerk Typist III	1,920
Radio Technician	2,040
Clerk Steno. II	1,560
Aux. Radio Mechanic Technician	1,560
Clerk Typist II	1,440
Clerk Steno. I	1,140
Clerk I	1,080
Clerk Typist I	1,080
Storekeeper II	1,440
Storekeeper I	1,080
Automobile Mechanic	1,740
Cabinet Maker	1,380
Messenger	840
Executive I	3,360
Boat Operator, Supervisor	1,200
Boat Operator	960

TABLE 4 (Cont.)

CLASSIFICATION	ANNUAL BASIC SALARY
Steno. Reporter	\$ 2,640
Accountant Clerk	1,920
Executive II	5,100
Executive III	4,200
Armourer	1,380
Cook Assistant	720
First Cook	1,440
Second Cook	1,200
Third Cook	1,080
Inspector General Assistant	2,904
Assistant Communication Officer	2,904
Secretary to the Police Commission	2,904
Informational Writer I	3,360
Clerk IV	2,520
Clerk III	1,440
Duplication Machine Operator	1,200
Statistician II	3,120
Statistician I	2,400
Statistician Clerk	1,920
Clerk III	1,920
Janitor	900
Recreation Officer II	3,000
Chemist	2,280

POLICE ACCOUNTING DIVISION

TABLE 5 - STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES  
AS ON JUNE 30, 1952

GENERAL BUDGET

TITLES	Budgetary	Total		
	: Appropriations	: Expenditures	: Uncumbrances	: Unencumbered
T O T A L S	:\$ 6,774,683.68	6,471,653.12	280,882.28	22,148.28
Salaries-Regular employees	5,432,396.61	5,409,787.68	20,000.00	2,608.93
Salaries-Emergency emp.	119,117.60	119,060.80	56.80	
Wages	6,000.00	5,784.33	215.67	
Professional & Cons. Services	6,100.00	4,852.15	296.00	951.85
Jury, Wtness and others	1,800.00	960.41	35.29	804.30
Advert. Print. & Binding	16,900.00	14,053.04	2,820.68	26.28
Traveling Expenses	125,039.77	118,345.52	4,632.82	2,111.43
Maint. & repair of Bldgs.	159,600.00	98,536.48	55,686.57	5,376.95
Miscelaneous Services	145 000.00	134,436.37	10,523.02	40.61
Electricity, Water and Sewer				
Services and premiums	146,410.70	139,037.59	6,246.69	1,126.42
Food	86,000.00	57,891.28	27,034.22	1,074.50
Materials, Supplies & repair	325,000.00	209,295.45	113,096.75	2,607.80
Purchase of Equipment	190,000.00	148,577.57	40,237.77	1,184.66
Grant. Subsidies & Awards	500.00	21.36		478.64
Budgetary Reserve	269.00			269.00
Confidential Services	11,000.00	10,133.25		866.75
Fugitives Capture Expenses	3,500.00	879.84		2,620.16

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Totals	\$ 316,709.36	201,301.05	13,100.69	2,307.62
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OTHERS

Totals	64,624.99	36,682.74	27,942.25
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TABLE 6 - AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

July, 1951 - June, 1952

DESCRIPTION	No. of:		K	I	L	L	E	D	:	I	N	J	U	R	E	D
	Veh.	Accts.	Men	Women	Boys	Girls	Total		Men	Women	Boys	Girls	Total			

Collision with:

TOTALS	:21686:	13727:	135:	20	:42:	12	:209:	4603:	1259:	1503:	499:	7864
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Pedestrians	2945	2945	64	12	28	11	115	1246	366	923	329	2864
Other vehicles	15525	7623	29	5	4		38	1498	507	141	82	2228
Trains	38	34	1		1		2	29	5	3	1	38
Bicycles	648	648			5		5	291	5	143	7	446
Animals	211	211					37			10		47
Fixed Objects	1022	1022	15	1		1	17	674	121	57	27	879
Overturned	340	340	10	2			12	451	110	53	16	630
Others	957	904	16		4		20	377	145	173	37	732

## TYPES OF VEHICLES

TOTALS	21686		135	20	42	12	209	4603	1259	1503	499	7864
Federal Govt.	158		5	1			6	54	2	2	2	60
Public Touring	4616		16	4	8	4	32	1135	419	365	159	2078
Public Busses	896		4	2	3		9	171	110	57	30	368
Public Trucks	873		5		5		10	182	24	53	7	266
Private Touring	9244		57	9	15	6	87	1792	506	571	217	3086
Private Heavy												
Trucks	2193		20	1	5	1	27	399	34	109	13	555
Commercial	2484		10	2	1	1	14	468	101	239	51	859
Insular Govt.	395		1				1	101	10	22	3	136
Others	827		17	1	5		23	301	53	85	17	456

TRENDS IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS INJURIES IN  
PUERTO RICO  
1942-43 TO 1951-52

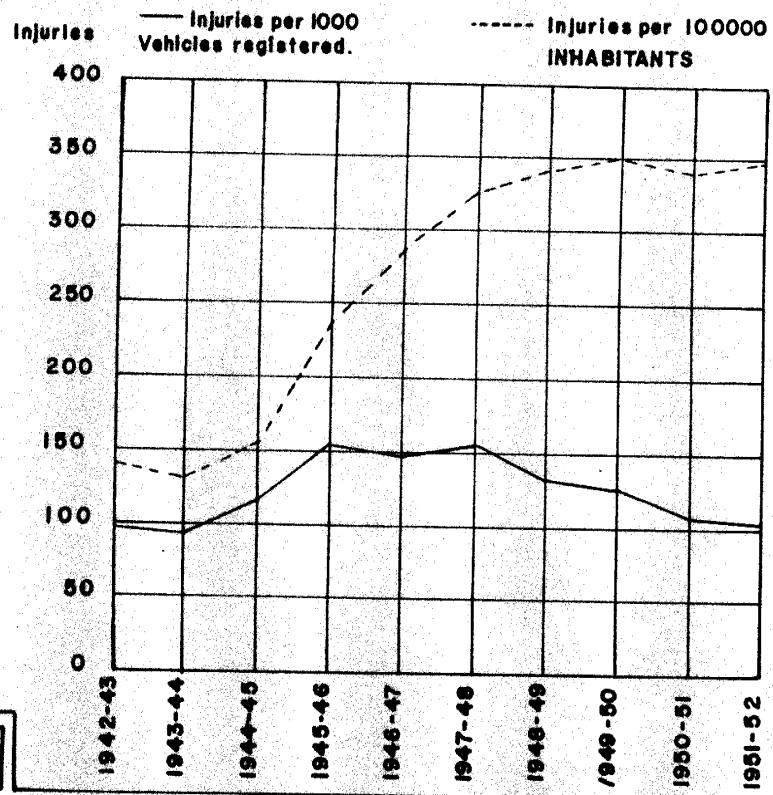


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TABLE 7 - NUMBER AND RATIO OF DEATHS AND INJURIES IN AUTOMOBILES  
ACCIDENTS FROM 1942--43 to 1951--52

Year	Number of: Accidents	Deaths	Injuries	Registration:Population	Motor veh.	Estimated Deaths per 1000 veh. reg.	Injuries per 100000 inh.	R	A	T	I	O	S
1942--43	4004	164	2738	28155	1943664	97.1	97.1	6.5	140.4	9.4	—	—	—
1943--44	4072	137	2588	27648	1939625	93.8	93.8	4.9	130.0	7.0	—	—	—
1944--45	4398	137	3129	28233	2051407	111.0	111.0	4.9	152.6	6.7	—	—	—
1945--46	7652	164	4915	32531	2093461	151.2	151.2	5.0	235.1	8.0	—	—	—
1946--47	10183	215	6159	42367	2143461	145.2	145.2	5.1	287.8	10.0	—	—	—
1947--48	11625	227	7089	46157	2178023	153.4	153.4	4.9	325.2	10.4	—	—	—
1948--49	13088	226	7450	57258	2200266	130.0	130.0	4.0	339.0	10.3	—	—	—
1949--50	14058	239	7682	60564	2206214	126.8	126.8	3.9	348.0	10.8	—	—	—
1950--51	12798	208	7470	70755	2212562	105.5	105.5	2.9	338.0	9.4	—	—	—
1951--52	13727	209	7864	76750	2270456	102.5	102.5	2.7	346.4	9.2	—	—	—

TRENDS IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DEATHS  
IN PUERTO RICO  
1942-43 TO 1951-52

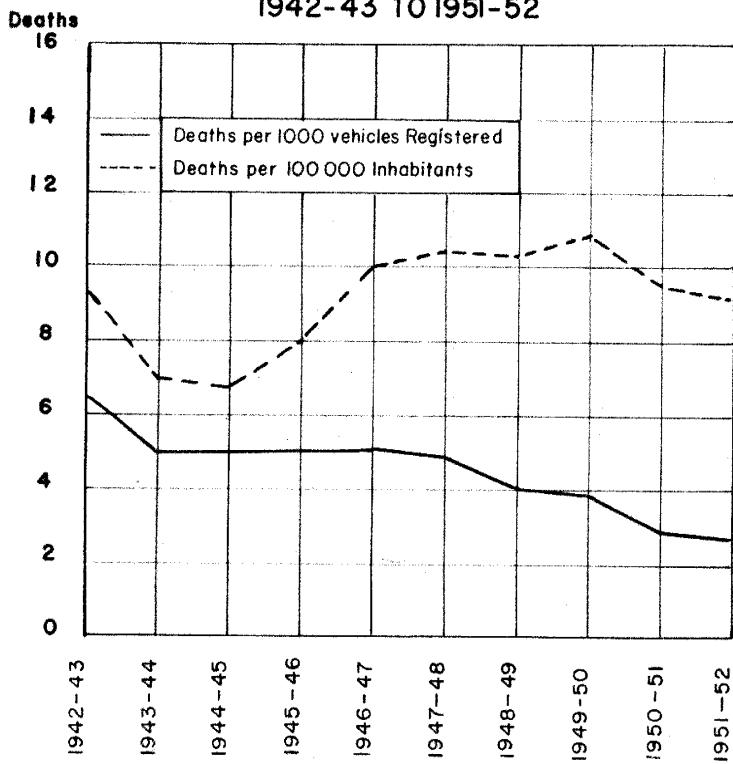


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TABLE 8 - PRINCIPALS CAUSES IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS  
1951-1952

CAUSES	: No. of Accs.:	Per cent
TOTAL	: 13727	: 100.0 %
Speeding	1318	9.6 %
Passing other vehicles	1916	13.9
Responsibility of pedestrians	1120	8.2
No claxon	1661	12.1
Mechanical Defects	314	2.3
Lack of experience	676	4.9
Distance	670	4.9
Reverse	740	5.4
Driving left	218	1.6
Animals	122	0.9
Drunkenness	211	1.5
Wet road	218	1.6
Improper load	22	0.2
Disobeying light signals	27	0.2
Other causes	4494	32.7

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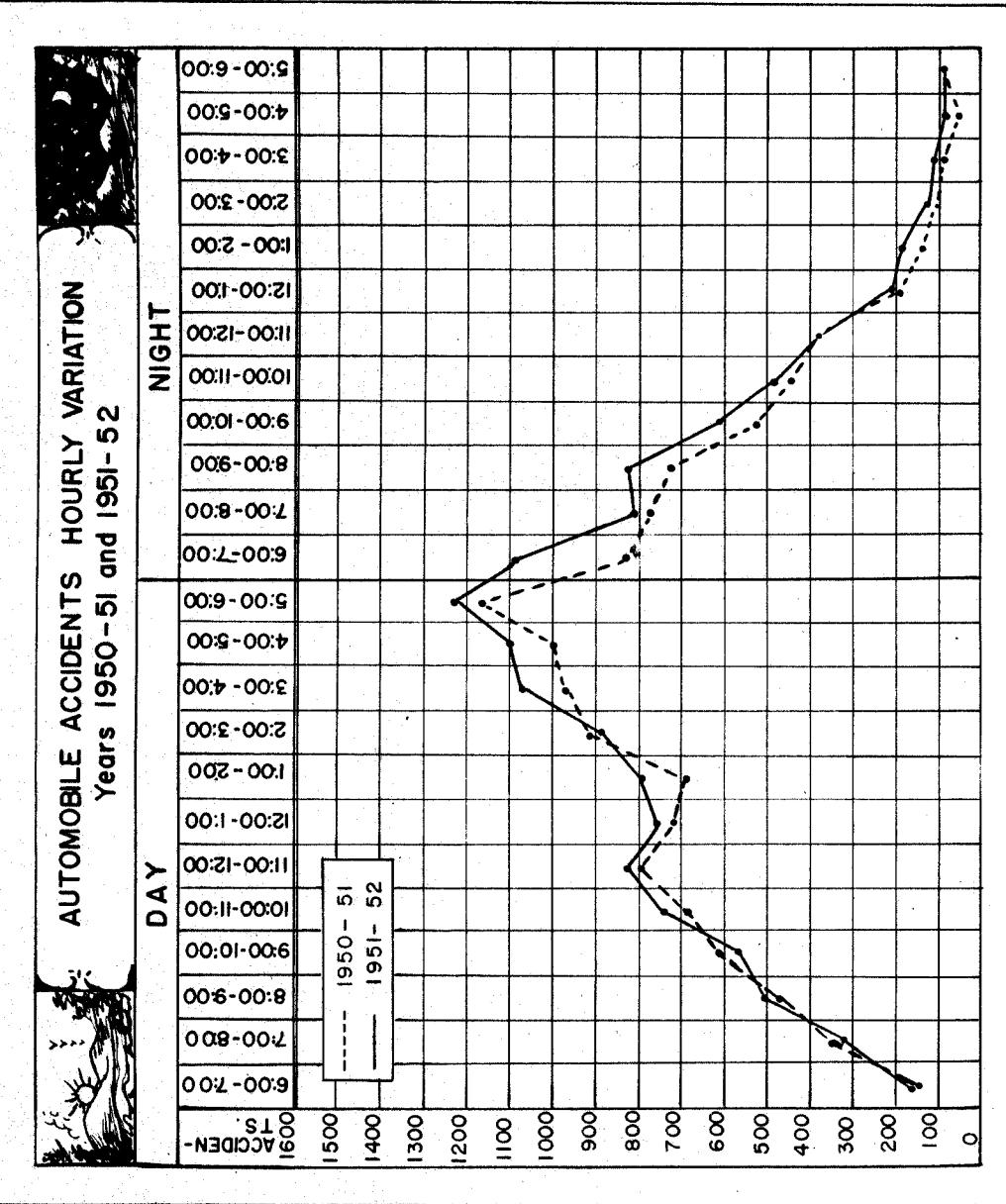


TABLE 9 - NUMBER OF DEATHS, INJURIES AND NUMBER OF VEHICLES  
INVOLVED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED BY HOURS  
1951 -- 1952

Day Hours	:Number of:		Z o n e	:Number of:		
	:Accidents:	Urban	:Rural	:Vehicles	:Deaths	:Injuries
TOTALS	:	13727	: 8022	: 5705	: 21686	: 209 : 7864
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A.M.						
12:01 - 1:00	201	108	93	338	4	138
1 :01 - 2:00	178	77	101	287	7	152
2 :01 - 3:00	121	61	60	188	2	77
3 :01 - 4:00	105	53	52	168	1	69
4 :01 - 5:00	79	33	46	120	1	72
5 :01 - 6:00	85	42	43	130	1	76
6 :01 - 7:00	145	66	79	215	5	113
7 :01 - 8:00	322	210	112	516	8	178
8 :01 - 9:00	501	322	179	794	8	234
9 :01 - 10:00	563	366	197	860	5	308
10:01 - 11:00	738	482	256	1137	6	356
11:01 - 12:00	827	543	284	1307	5	402
P.M.						
12:01 - 1:00	745	475	270	1169	11	386
1 :01 - 2:00	791	490	301	1250	8	413
2 :01 - 3:00	890	510	380	1433	11	433
3 :01 - 4:00	1066	597	469	1662	11	662
4 :01 - 5:00	1094	626	468	1746	11	667
5 :01 - 6:00	1223	731	492	1951	15	717
6 :01 - 7:00	983	529	454	1543	23	596
7 :01 - 8:00	804	443	361	1217	15	472
8 :01 - 9:00	817	477	340	1325	11	493
9 :01 - 10:00	599	349	250	963	11	316
10:01 - 11:00	476	241	235	763	13	292
11:01 - 12:00	374	191	183	604	16	242

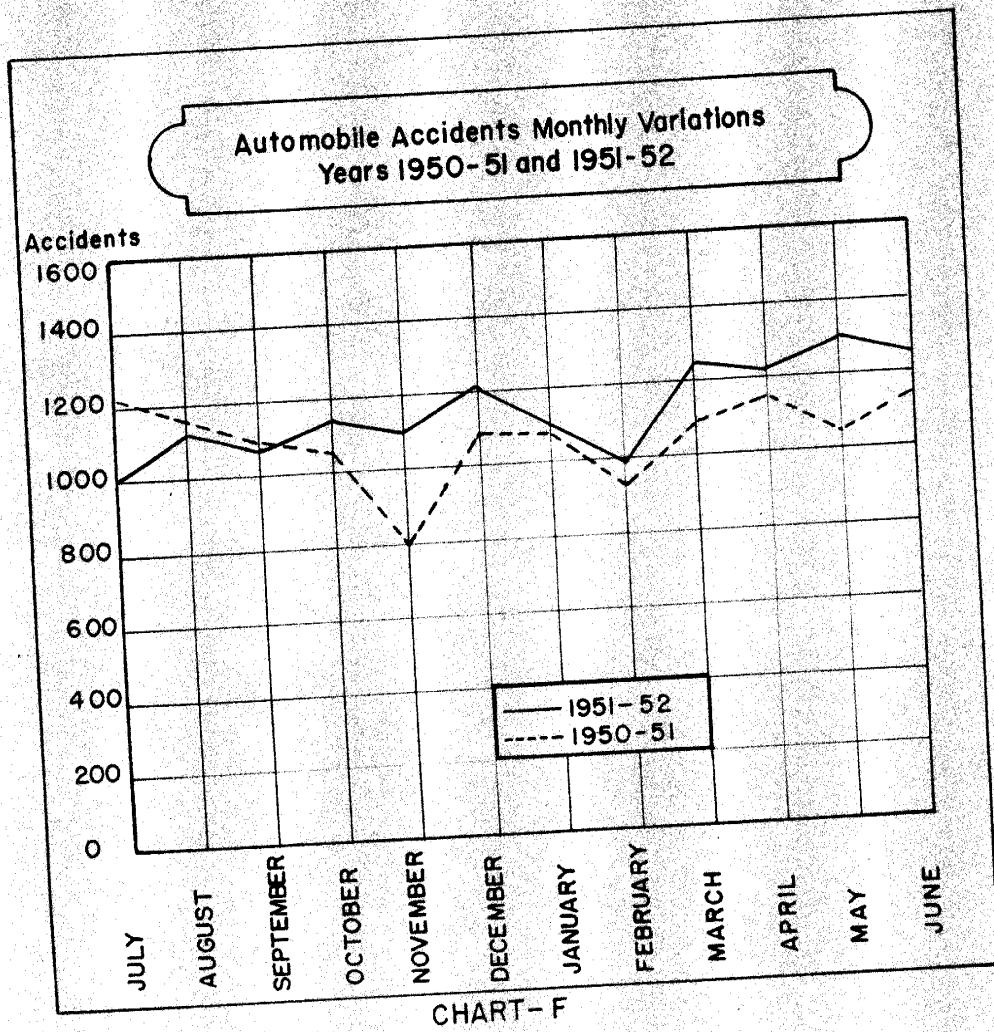


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TABLE 10 - OTHER KINDS OF ACCIDENTS  
1951 - 1952

KIND	Number of:			D E A T H S			I N J U R I E S				
	:Accidents: Men: Women:Boys:Girls:Total:			Men:Women:Boys:Girls:Total:			Men:Women:Boys:Girls:Total:				
TOTALS	:	907	:	84:	3	27 :	17	131	: 419: 84 : 247: 95 : 845		
Firearms		5					4	1	1	6	
Drowning	46	22		11	6	39	4	3	1	8	
Electrocution	6	1			1	2	4			4	
Burning	12			1	2	3	1	1	11	14	
Labor	130	21				21	122			122	
Falls	59	1	1			2	40	3	13	2	58
Bicycles	287						53	27	144	70	294
Others	362	39	2	15	3	64	191	52	75	21	339

TABLE 11 - CRIME TRENDS, URBAN AND RURAL ZONES  
1951---1952

OFFENSES	NUMBER OF ACTUAL OFFENSES		CHANGES	
	1950-51	1951-52	Number	Percent
Total : Urban : Rural : Total : Urban : Rural : Total : Urban : Rural : Total : Urban : Rural				
T O T A L S : 9864 : 6965 : 2899 : 10326 : 7625 : 2701 : + 462 : + 660 : - 198 : + 4.7%:+ 9.6%: - 6.8%				
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	239	109	130	- 149
Manslaughter by Negligence	143	37	106	- 127
Rape	100	46	54	- 112
Aggravated Assaults	692	317	375	- 635
Burglary	2245	1629	616	- 2507
Larceny	6311	4712	1599	- 6598
Auto Theft	62	59	3	- 106
Robbery	72	56	16	- 92

**CRIME TRENDS**  
Based on major Crimes  
In Puerto Rico  
1951-52 PERCENT CHANGE

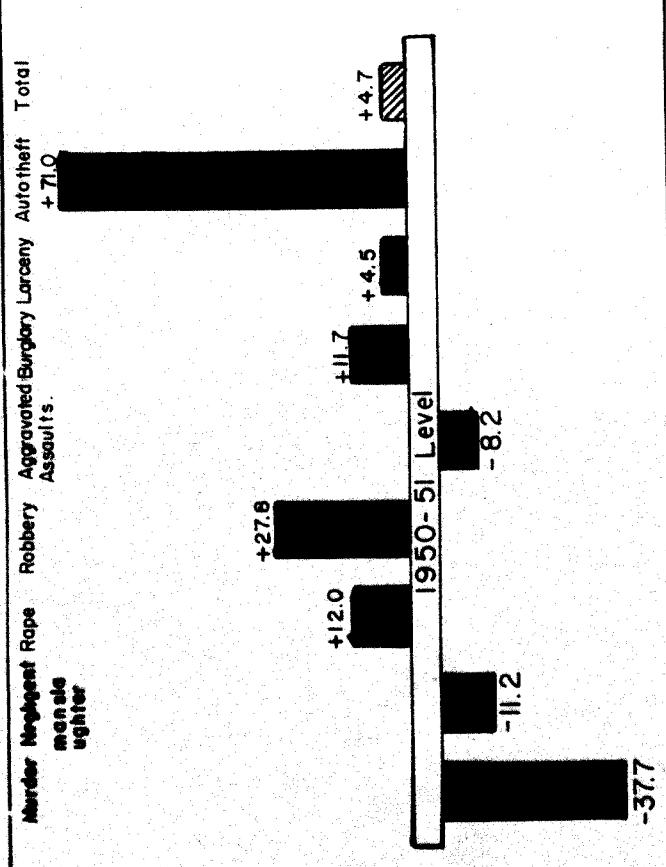


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TABLE 12 - POPULATION OF PUERTO RICO DISTRIBUTED BY ZONES,  
POLICE DISTRICTS AND AREAS

(Population Based on 1950 Decennial Census)

POLICE ZONES	: Population :	Urban	: Rural
GRAND TOTAL	2206214	929018	1277196
Zone I - San Juan			
Total	223949	223949	
San Juan	223949	223949	
Zone II - Río Piedras			
Total	227583	143938	83645
Carolina	29143	5015	24128
Loíza	24313	2857	21456
Río Grande	16642	2619	14023
Río Piedras	143897	132369	11528
Trujillo Alto	13588	1078	12510
Zone III - Bayamón			
Total	223266	51111	172155
Bayamón	48183	20245	27938
Cataño	19856	9175	10681
Corozal	23080	2432	20648
Dorado	11752	2533	9219
Guaynabo	29075	2157	26918
Naranjito	15949	2366	13583
Toa Alta	14170	1393	12772
Toa Baja	15795	1822	13973
Vega Alta	16510	3478	13032
Vega Baja	28896	5505	23391
Zone IV - Arecibo			
Total	284808	68055	216753
Arecibo	75739	29181	46558
Barceloneta	19899	1032	13867
Camuy	20865	2281	18584
Ciales	19423	3471	15952

POLICE ZONES	:	Population	:	Urban	:	Rural
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Zone IV - Arecibo (Cont.)

Comerio	17969	5026	12943
Hatillo	20857	2473	18384
Manati	30427	10075	20352
Morovis	19294	2430	16864
Quebradillas	13720	2405	11315
Utuado	46615	9681	36934

Zone V - Ponce

Total	348973	151340	197633
Adjuntas	22415	5260	17155
Coamo	26463	11561	14902
Guánica	15575	4817	10753
Guayanilla	17373	3105	14268
Jayuya	15062	2287	12775
Juana Diaz	27660	4732	22928
Orocovis	21085	2670	18415
Peñuelas	14867	2327	12540
Ponce	126451	99190	27261
Santa Isabel	13462	4105	9357
Villalba	14903	1509	13394
Yauco	33657	9777	23880

Zone VI - Mayaguez

Total	220634	85443	135191
Añasco	17173	3369	13804
Cabo Rojo	29488	4784	24704
Hormigueros	6907	1764	5143
Lajas	16275	1143	15132
Las Marias	10806	561	10245
Maricao	7353	1360	5993
Mayaguez	87038	58744	28294
Sabana Grande	16080	4859	11221
San German	29514	8859	20655

Zone VII - Humacao

Total	163025	47149	115876
Ceiba	9192	1656	7536
Fajardo	22036	15255	6781
Humacao	34965	10823	24142
Las Piedras	16235	3146	13089
Luquillo	9979	2257	7722
Maunabo	11742	1241	10501
Naguabo	20991	4438	16553
Vieques	9211	3083	6128

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 POLICE ZONES : Population : Urban : Rural  
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Zone VII - Humacao (Cont.)

Yabucoa	28674	5250	23424
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Zone VIII - Guayama

<b>Total</b>	<b>160243</b>	<b>58693</b>	<b>101550</b>
Aibonito	18206	5119	13087
Arroyo	12899	4960	7939
Barranquitas	17590	4257	13333
Cayey	36634	18402	18232
Guayama	32713	19367	13346
Patillas	18789	2234	16555
Salinas	23412	4354	19058

Zone IX - Aguadilla

<b>Total</b>	<b>190330</b>	<b>40308</b>	<b>150022</b>
Aguadilla	43748	13181	25567
Aguada	20727	3173	17554
Isabela	29061	6889	22172
Lares	29921	3834	26087
Moca	21622	1964	19658
Rincón	9862	1067	8795
San Sebastián	35389	5200	30189

Zone X - Caguas

<b>Total</b>	<b>163403</b>	<b>59032</b>	<b>104371</b>
Aguas Buenas	15546	2668	12878
Caguas	60132	33733	26395
Cidra	20518	3144	17374
Gurabo	16274	4412	11862
Juncos	21664	8277	13391
San Lorenzo	29269	6798	22471

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TABLE 13 - NUMBER OF OFFENSES KNOWN OR REPORTED TO THE POLICE, ACTUAL,  
CLEARED AND PERSONS CHARGED, BY ZONES AND POLICE DISTRICTS

1951—1952

POLICE ZONES	:Offenses:		:Actual Known	:Offenses: Unfounded	Persons Charged :Cleared	: Male : Female
	: Known	: Unfounded				
GRAND TOTAL	149726	979	148747	143171	155342	12869
<b>Zone I</b>						
Total	40337	230	40107	37777	38329	3778
San Juan	40337	230	40107	37777	38329	3778
<b>Zone II</b>						
Total	12680	38	12642	12372	13323	735
Carolina	1613		1613	1613	1730	171
Loíza	1527		1527	1527	1670	92
Río Grande	1134	1	1133	1112	1336	59
Río Piedras	7830	31	7799	7557	7911	386
Trujillo Alto	576	6	570	570	676	27
<b>Zone III</b>						
Total	14690	173	14517	13834	15526	1153
Bayamón	4223	73	4150	3561	3556	298
Cataño	2337		2337	2334	2734	420
Corozal	1190	54	1136	1095	1346	38
Dorado	1307		1307	1307	1518	65
Guaynabo	852	1	851	851	1157	62
Naranjito	330		330	322	431	16
Toa Alta	718	29	689	664	763	22
Toa Baja	753		753	745	864	49
Vega Alta	710	2	708	708	814	49
Vega Baja	2270	14	2256	2247	2343	134
<b>Zone IV</b>						
Total	14362	60	14302	14000	15692	935
Arecibo	4589		4589	4589	5018	374
Barceloneta	1115	9	1106	1050	1196	41
Camuy	952	12	940	933	1145	81
Ciales	953	15	938	937	1155	32
Comerío	764	1	763	737	870	57

POLICE ZONES	:Offenses: : Known	: Actual : Unfounded	Offenses: : Offenses Cleared	Persons Charged : Male	Persons Charged : Female
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Zone IV (Cont.)

Hatillo	587		587	574	650	29
Manati	2202	9	2193	2116	2168	131
Morovis	596		596	596	774	16
Quebradillas	827		827	811	896	73
Utuado	1777	14	1763	1657	1820	101

Zone V

Total	20807	121	20686	19569	20681	2690
Adjuntas	911	4	907	892	965	42
Coamo	726		726	726	838	86
Guánica	1270	15	1255	1202	1258	219
Guayanilla	887		887	887	1119	153
Jayuya	594		594	587	739	8
Juana Diaz	2002		2002	1996	2132	551
Orocovis	709		709	696	828	27
Peñuelas	714	2	712	707	896	15
Ponce	9509	79	9430	8498	8262	1199
Santa Isabel	1045		1045	1040	1189	193
Villalba	436		436	432	661	23
Yauco	1954	21	1933	1856	1794	174

Zone VI

Total	13497	211	13286	12621	14901	903
Añasco	789		789	789	815	72
Cabo Rojo	1644	135	1509	1431	1429	102
Hormigueros	434		434	434	508	13
Lajas	667		667	667	790	52
Las Marias	213		213	200	275	6
Maricao	249		249	249	320	10
Mayaguez	7081	76	7005	6640	7429	456
Sabana Grande	984		984	984	1368	99
San German	1436		1436	1427	1967	93

Zone VII

Total	7559	58	7501	7437	8155	628
Ceiba	402	2	400	400	437	21
Fajardo	1468	19	1449	1440	1241	149
Humacao	1694	1	1693	1678	1903	152
Las Piedras	393		393	393	475	17
Luquillo	396		396	389	489	22
Maunabo	628		628	628	702	46

POLICE ZONES	:Offenses: : Known	: Actual : Unfounded	: Offenses: : Cleared	Persons Charged : Male : Female
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Zone VII (Cont.)

Vieques	448	24	424	424	460	71
Naguabo	1069		1069	1069	1101	88
Yabucoa	1061	12	1049	1016	1347	62

Zone VIII

Total	8411	10	8401	8324	9986	891
Aibonito	690	8	682	575	829	28
Arroyo	870		870	870	1148	62
Barranquitas	502		502	502	661	14
Cayey	2463		2463	2459	2776	330
Guayama	1943	2	1941	1886	2187	212
Patillas	896		896	896	1165	107
Salinas	1047		1047	1036	1220	138

Zone IX

Total	8518	27	8491	8327	9414	770
Aguadilla	2713	1	2712	2711	2849	464
Aguada	784		784	784	840	45
Isabela	1052	9	1043	966	1014	68
Lares	996		996	996	1303	29
Moca	549	4	545	544	651	28
Rincón	367	2	365	361	397	17
San Sebastián	2057	11	2046	1965	2360	119

Zone X

Total	8865	51	8814	8703	9335	386
Aguas Buenas	527		527	527	623	11
Caguas	4107	51	4056	3969	4137	126
Cidra	847		847	847	960	49
Gurabo	580		580	563	651	56
Juncos	1358		1358	1358	1350	43
San Lorenzo	1446		1446	1439	1614	101

TABLE 14 - NUMBER OF OFFENSES KNOWN OR REPORTED TO THE POLICE,  
ACTUAL AND CLEARED DURING THE YEAR 1951 - 1952

O F F E N S E S	Offenses:		Actual Known	Offenses: Unfounded	Zone Urban	Occurrence Rural	Day	Night
TOTALS	149726	979	148747	143171	107572	41175	87503	61244
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Criminal Homicide:								
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent								
Manslaughter	149		149	147	65	84	65	84
(b) Manslaughter by Neg.	127		127	126	40	87	86	41
Rape	114	2	112	111	39	73	49	63
Robbery	96	4	92	63	63	24	35	57
Aggravated Assaults:								
Attack to Murder	102		102	102	43	59	53	49
Homicide Attempt to	32		32	32	15	17	15	17
Kill Attempt to	211	1	210	210	73	137	80	130
Mayhem	291		291	291	124	167	113	178
Burglary	2570	63	2507	1129	1954	553	662	1845
Larceny:								
Larceny Grand	649	33	616	300	521	95	340	276
Larceny Petit	5980	274	5706	2922	4373	1333	3813	1893
Theft Cattle	2		2			2	1	1
Joy Riding	280	6	274	221	215	59	84	190
Auto Theft	106		106	23	95	11	17	89
Other Assaults:								
Aggr. Assaults & Battery	8324	89	8235	8062	4826	3409	4246	3989
Assaults & Bat. (Lesser)	4100	61	4039	3939	2533	1506	2238	1801
Forgery	129	1	128	87	124	4	122	6
Embezzlement	758	34	724	655	613	111	686	38
Stolen Property	155		155	155	139	16	140	15
Weapons:								
Firearms Registration	221		221	219	120	101	114	107
Weapons Carrying	4703	12	4691	4684	2433	2258	2181	2510
Prostitution	108		108	108	63	45	33	75
Other Sex Offenses:								
Sodomy	56		56	56	36	20	28	28
Incest	8		8	8	2	6	3	5
Narcotic	82	1	81	81	73	8	51	30
Liquor Laws	1680	6	1674	1666	528	1146	1362	312
Drunkenness	22822	5	22817	22817	21336	1481	7387	15430
Disorderly Conduct	20121	84	20037	20015	14821	5216	9046	10991
Gambling:								
Gambling Art. 300	227		227	227	145	82	80	147
Gambling	2044	4	2040	2035	1032	1008	1117	923
Violation of Road & Driv. Laws	524		524	524	89	435	510	14
Traffic Violations	46305	197	46108	46019	30130	15978	33775	12333

TABLE 14 (Cont.)

O F F E N S E S	:Offenses:		:Actual		:Offenses:		Z o n e	: Occurrence	
	: Known	:Unfounded	:Offenses:	:cleared	:Urban	Rural	Day	Night	
<b>All Other Offenses:</b>									
Arson	72	3	69	45	7	62	42	27	
False Impersonation	761	19	742	660	617	125	670	72	
Malicious Mischief	1447	36	1411	1287	765	646	832	579	
Policy Slips	169	8	161	160	93	68	120	41	
Unnecessary Noises	1388	4	1384	1384	1381	3	409	975	
Internal Revenue	133		133	133	59	74	69	64	
Exposure Indecent	281	2	279	277	207	72	170	109	
Health Law	161		161	161	129	32	111	50	
Health & Safety	155		155	155	40	115	78	77	
Public Justice	168		168	168	112	56	82	86	
Public Service Commission									
Rules & Regulations	4922	1	4921	4921	2506	2415	4458	463	
Closing Law	876	1	875	874	668	207	819	56	
Ordinances Municipal	8365	14	8351	8350	8177	174	5172	3179	
Other Offenses	7752	14	7738	7660	6143	1595	5939	1799	

# OFFENSES CLEARED IN PERCENTAGE PART I OFFENSES AGAINST THE PERSON

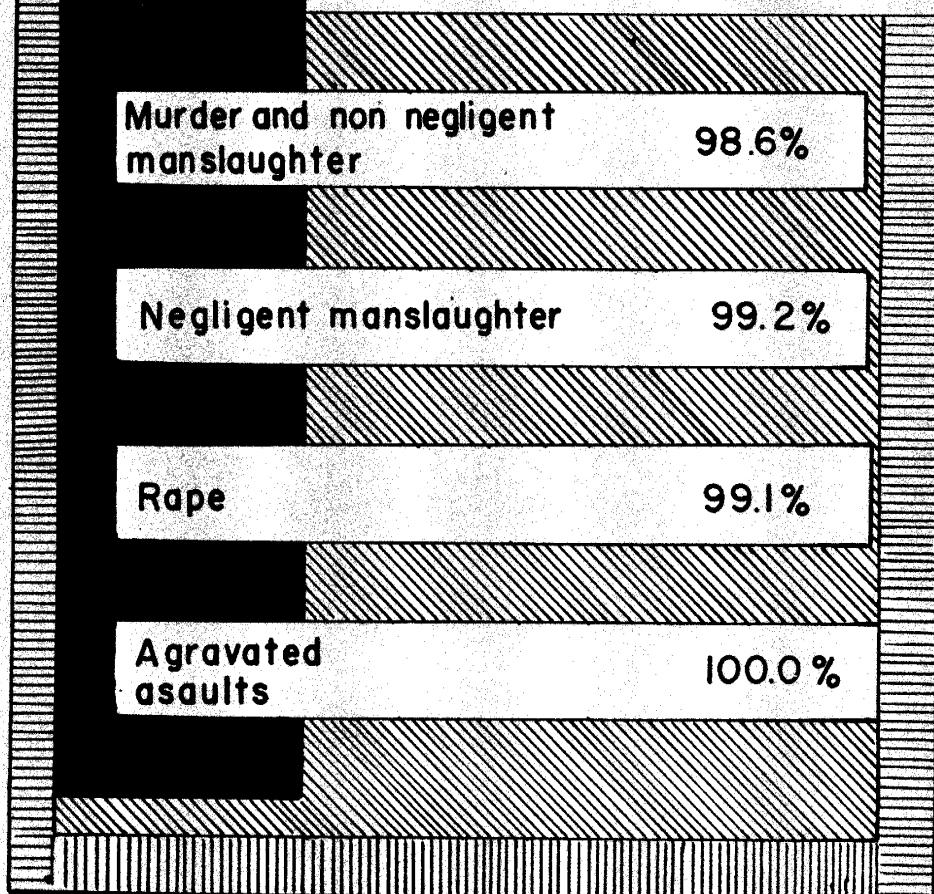


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TABLE 15 - COMPARISON OF ACTUAL OFFENSES, NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE  
CLEARED FOR 1951-52 WITH 1950-51

OFFENSES	Actual Offenses	Offenses cleared	Actual Offenses	Offenses cleared	Actual Offenses	Offenses cleared	Percentage of Offenses cleared	Percentage of Offenses cleared	Percentage of Offenses cleared	Change 1951-52
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter by Negligence	239	149	*211	147	100	98.6	-	90	- 37.7	- 1.4
Rape	143	127	*144	126	100	99.2	-	16	- 11.2	+ .8
Robbery	100	112	98	111	98	99.1	+ 12	12	+ 12.0	+ 1.1
Aggravated Assaults	72	92	54	63	75	68.5	+ 20	20	+ 27.8	- 6.5
Burglary	692	635	622	635	100	100.0	-	57	- 8.2	- .4
Larceny	6311	2245	2507	1036	1129	48	45.0	+	262	+ 11.7
Auto Theft	62	6593	3479	3343	55	50.7	+ 287	+	4.5	- 4.3
Other Assualts	12831	194	128	13	23	21.7	+ 44	+	71.0	+ .7
Forgery	906	724	842	655	93	90.5	-	182	- 20.1	- 11.0
Embezzlement	88	155	89	155	100	100.0	+ 67	67	- 4.3	- 2.5
Stolen Property	5256	4912	*5257	4903	100	99.8	-	344	- 6.5	- .2
Weapons	87	108	86	108	99	100.0	+ 21	21	+ 24.1	+ 1.0
Prostitution	77	64	74	64	96	100.0	-	13	- 16.9	+ 4.0
Other Sex Offenses	16	81	16	81	100	100.0	+ 65	65	+ 406.3	- .6
Narcotics	2073	1674	2053	1668	99	99.6	-	399	- 19.2	+ .6
Liquor Law	23834	22817	23834	22817	100	100.0	-	1017	- 4.3	- .6
Drunkenness	20832	20037	20821	20015	99.9	99.9	-	795	- 3.8	- .6
Disorderly Conduct	2175	2267	2174	2262	99.9	99.8	+ 92	92	+ 4.2	- .1
Gambling	332	524	330	524	99	100.0	+ 192	192	+ 57.8	+ 1.0
Roads and Driving Laws	40297	46108	40176	46019	99.7	99.8	+ 5811	5811	+ 14.4	+ .1
Traffic Violations	25641	26548	25086	26235	98	98.8	+ 907	907	3.5	.8
All Other Offenses										

\* The Police cleared some offenses that were pending of clearance at end of year 1949-50.

**OFFENSES CLEARED  
IN PERCENTAGE  
PART I OFFENSES  
AGAINST THE PROPERTY**

Robbery            68.5%

Burglary        45.0%

Larceny    50.7 %

Auto    21.7%  
theft

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TABLE 16 - DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS CHARGED BY AGE GROUPS  
July 1951 - June 1952

O F F E N S E S	A G E S															
	Total persons:		14		15		19		20		24		25		29	
	charged		& below		:		:		:		:		:		:	
	Male	Female	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
TOTALS	:155342	:12869	:1033	:44	:15757	:2689	:28443	:3287	:28558	:2161						
Criminal Homicide:																
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	151	3	1				17		27	1		33				
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence	124	1					7		15			29				
Rape	121						28		25			23				
Robbery	83	2	8				13		26			16				
Aggravated Assaults:																
Attack to Murder	95	1					14		22	1		24				
Homicide Attempt to Kill	27	1					1		6			3				1
Attempt to Mayhem	212	5					24	1	48	2		36				
Burglary	258	33	2				25	7	67	9		47				4
Larceny:	1172	5	363	2			484		161	2		62				
Larceny Grand	324	20	51	1			111	6	65	7		40				2
Larceny Petit	2400	115	393	16			815	39	418	23		237				19
Theft Cattle																
Joy Riding	267	6	7				118	5	70	1		39				
Auto Theft	27						15		4			3				
Other Assaults:																
Aggr. Assaults & Bat.	7349	514	42	5			876	85	1825	128		1451				100
Assaults & Bat. Lesser	3586	502	31	4			694	105	876	111		651				92
Forgery	59	5	1				7	1	13	2		16				1
Embezzlement	439	8	10				68		83			68				1
Stolen Property	134	4					19	2	12			19				
Weapons:																
Firearms Registration	155	2	2				14		28			26				
Weapons Carrying	2998	161	3				325	29	747	39		550				32
Prostitution	103	29					1	2	8	4		17				2
Other Sex Offenses:																
Sodomy	60		11				17		9			11				
Incest	10								2			1				
Narcotics	75	5					20	3	19	1		20				1
Liquor Law	1519	181					80	4	189	10		190				20
Drunkenness	22177	2630	1				1805	650	3707	736		3911				435
Disorderly Conduct	20895	5302	17	5			2631	1085	4634	1426		3869				866
Gamblings:																
Gambling Art. 300	216	6					4		5	1		14				1
Gambling	10768	94	3				1342	7	1784	6		1618				12
Road & Driving Laws	521						5		62			89				
Traffic Violations	43455	483	3				2822	27	7314	105		8953				135

TABLE 16 - DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS CHARGED BY AGE GROUPS  
 (Part II) July, 1951 - June, 1952

O F F E N S E S	: 30---34		: 35---39		: 40---44		: 45---49;50 & over	
	: Male	: F	: M	: F	: M	: F	: M	: F
TOTALS	: 25685:1618:21538: 1288:14869: 781 : 9234:496:10220:505							
Criminal Homicide:								
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	19		16		2	19	5	14
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence	26	1	17			17	6	7
Rape	16		8		6		5	10
Robbery	15	1	4	1	1			
Aggravated Assaults:								
Attack to Murder	9		9		5		4	8
Homicide Attempt to Kill	6		4		1		3	3
Attempt to Kill	36		23	1	20	1	9	16
Mayhem	42	8	34	4	19	1	10	13
Burglary	45		24	1	19		6	8
Larceny:								
Larceny Grand	31	1	14	2	5	1	5	2
Larceny Petit	187	4	150	10	84	2	64	1
Theft Cattle								
Joy Riding	16		8		3			1
Auto Theft	3		2					
Other Assaults:								
Aggr. Assaults & Battery	1099	68	788	57	477	32	323	22
Assaults & Bat. Lesser	515	67	353	50	219	28	108	28
Forgery	12	1	3		3		2	2
Embezzlement	72	3	53	2	48	1	18	19
Stolen Property	20		11		17	1	7	29
Weapons:								
Firearms Registration	25	2	16		10		9	25
Weapons Carrying	423	23	338	21	209	6	161	6
Prostitution	5	3	10	6	17	6	10	3
Other Sex Offenses:								
Sodomy	4		3		1		1	3
Incest	2				1		1	3
Narcotics	9		7					
Liquors Law	242	30	240	25	175	26	143	20
Drunkenness	3599	280	3233	248	2311	130	1616	79
Disorderly Conduct	2986	702	2528	500	1679	307	1129	219
Gamblings:								
Gambling Art. 300	29	1	36	1	47	2	27	54
Gambling	1639	8	1320	15	1066	16	704	12
Road & Driving Laws	129		88		64		36	48
Traffic Violations	8167	91	6942	65	4792	42	2570	11
								7

TABLE 16 (Cont.)

O F F E N S E S	Total Persons: 14			A G E S				
	: charged : & below : 15---19 : 20---24 : 25---29							
	: Male : Female: M : F : M : F : M : F							
<b>All Other Offenses:</b>								
Arson	46	2	3	15	1	9	6	1
False Impersonation	482	21	2	35	3	94	10	110
Malicious Mischief	1260	82	34	241	9	320	21	209
Policy Slips	144	31		8		10	4	14
Unnecessary Noises	1233	94		50	2	173	7	226
Internal Revenue	98	4		6		15		16
Exposure Indecent	251	31		30	8	57	8	47
Health Law	150	17		29		28	3	18
Health & Safety	160	1		11		26		36
Public Justice	168	18		13	2	41	3	23
Public Service Commission Rules & Reg.	4810	24		113	8	736	5	1009
Closing Law	815	31		14		44	1	75
Ordinances Municipal	7731	1384	6	9	1346	451	1391	384
Other Offenses	7740	374	38	2	670	44	1201	73
Warrants of Arrest	10474	637	1		774	103	2032	153
							2157	103

TABLE 16 (Part II) Cont.

O F F E N S E S	: 30----34			: 35----39			: 40----44			: 45----49			: 50 & Over		
	: Male : F : M			: F : M			: F : M			: F : M			: F		
<b>All Other Offenses:</b>															
Arson	8		1		2								2		
False Impersonation	85	1	72	2	37	1	13						29	2	
Malicious Mischief	141	11	100	7	78	5	60	7	77				6		
Policy Slips	25	5	23	4	20	5	11	3	33				7		
Unnecessary Noises	234	19	176	14	156	12	94	6	124				18		
Internal Revenue	11	1	14	1	12		14						10	1	
Exposure Indecent	40	3	26	3	16	2	15	3	20						
Health Laws	17		17	10	16		11	2	14				2		
Health & Safety	39		22		14	1	5						7		
Public Justice	32	2	14	3	14	1	14	1	12				3		
Public Service Commission Rules & Reg.	1103	3	866	1	513	1	293						177		
Closing Laws	126	4	165	3	132	10	104	3	155				4		
Ordinances Municipal	1109	118	931	98	681	73	507	24	473				30		
Other Offenses	1313	55	1410	57	934	25	527	15	393				24		
Warrants of Arrest	1974	102	1419	74	905	43	579	31	633				28		

# PERSONS CHARGED

PERCENTAGE BY AGE AND SEX

Year 1951-52

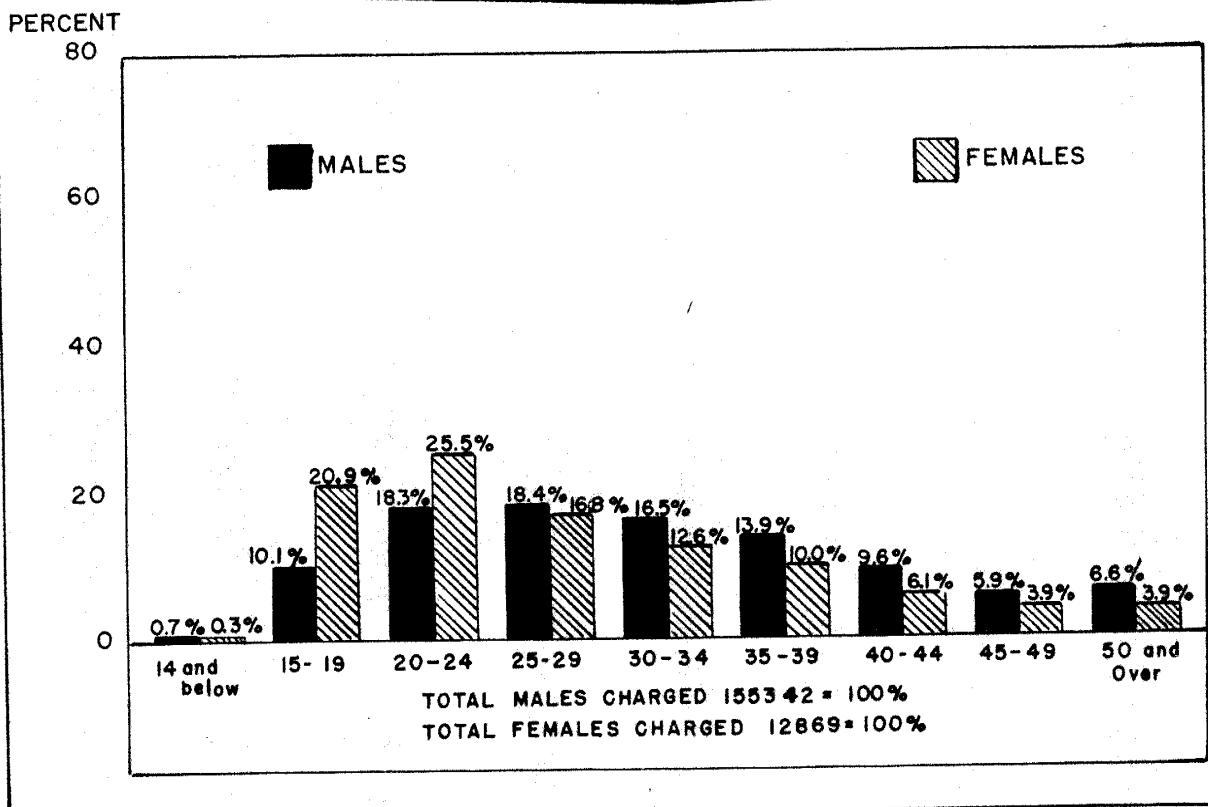


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TABLE 17 - NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF PERSONS CHARGED  
UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE -- 1951-52

OFFENSES	Persons Charged						Percentage
	Total	Under 15 yrs.	Under 20 yrs.	Under 25 yrs.	Under 15 yrs.	Under 20 yrs.	
	Charged	15 yrs.	20 yrs.	25 yrs.	15 yrs.	20 yrs.	
TOTALS	163211	1077	19523	51258	0.6	11.6	30.5
Criminal Homicide:							
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	154	1	18	46	0.7	11.7	29.0
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence	125		7	22		5.6	17.6
Rape	121		28	53		23.1	43.8
Robbery	85	8	21	47	9.4	24.7	55.3
Aggravated Assaults	632	2	74	229	0.3	11.7	36.2
Burglary	1177	365	849	1012	31.0	72.1	86.0
Larceny	3132	468	1562	2146	14.9	49.9	68.5
Auto Theft	27		15	19		55.6	70.4
Other Assaults	11951	82	1842	4782	0.7	15.4	40.0
Forgery	64	1	9	24	1.6	14.1	37.5
Embezzlement	447	10	78	161	2.2	17.4	36.0
Stolen Property	138		21	33		15.2	23.9
Weapons	3316	5	373	1137	0.2	11.2	35.8
Prostitution	132		3	15		2.3	11.4
Other Sex Offenses	70	11	28	39	15.7	40.0	55.7
Narcotics	80		23	43		28.8	53.8
Liquor Law	1700		84	283		4.9	16.6
Drunkenness	24807	1	2456	6899	0.004	9.9	27.8
Disorderly Conduct	26197	22	3738	9798	0.08	14.3	37.4
Gamblings	11084	3	1356	3152	0.03	12.2	28.4
Road & Driving Laws	521		5	67		1.0	12.9
Traffic Violations	43938	3	2852	10271	0.007	6.5	23.4
All Other Offenses	38313	95	4081	10930	0.2	10.7	28.5

TABLE 17 a FIVE YEARS COMPARISON

YEARS

1951 - 52	168211	1077	19523	51258	0.6	11.6	30.5
1950 - 51	163659	776	18984	52450	0.5	11.6	32.0
1949 - 50	188231	530	20720	60191	0.3	11.0	32.0
1948 - 49	172097	399	17814	55360	0.2	10.4	32.2
1947 - 48	170163	472	17826	56186	0.3	10.5	33.0

TABLE 18 - DISTRIBUTION BY SEX OF PERSONS CHARGED  
1951 - 1952

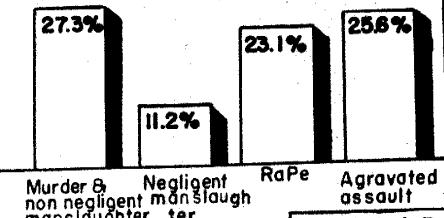
O F F E N S E S	Number			Percent		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
TOTALS	: 168211	: 155342	: 12869	: 100.0	: 100.0	: 100.0
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Criminal Homicide:						
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	154	151	3	0.1	0.1	0.02
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence	125	124	1	0.1	0.1	0.01
Rape	121	121	-	0.1	0.1	-
Robbery	85	83	2	0.05	0.05	0.01
Aggravated Assaults	632	592	40	0.4	0.4	0.3
Burglary	1177	1172	5	0.7	0.8	0.04
Larceny	3132	2991	141	1.9	1.9	1.1
Auto Theft	27	27	-	0.02	0.02	-
Other Assaults	11951	10935	1016	7.1	7.0	7.9
Forgery	64	59	5	0.04	0.04	0.04
Embezzlement	447	439	8	0.3	0.3	0.06
Stolen Property	138	134	4	0.1	0.1	0.03
Weapons	3316	3153	163	2.0	2.0	1.3
Prostitution	132	103	29	0.1	0.1	0.2
Other Sex Offenses	70	70	-	0.04	0.04	-
Narcotics	80	75	5	0.05	0.05	0.04
Liquors Law	1700	1519	181	1.0	1.0	1.4
Drunkenness	24807	22177	2630	14.7	14.3	20.4
Disorderly Conduct	26197	20895	5302	15.6	13.4	41.2
Gamblings	11084	10984	100	6.6	7.1	0.8
Roads & Driving Laws	521	521	-	0.3	0.3	-
Traffic Violations	43938	43455	483	26.1	27.9	3.75
All Other Offenses	38313	35562	2751	22.7	22.9	21.4

TABLE 19 - DISTRIBUTION BY COLOR OF PERSONS CHARGED  
1951 - 1952

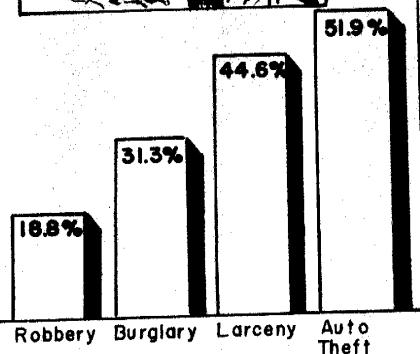
OFFENSES	White		Black		Mulato		
	Total	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
TOTALS	: 168211: 97345: 7294 : 16090: 1667 : 41937: 3900						
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Criminal Homicide:							
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	154	93	3	16		42	
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence	125	98		5		21	
Rape	121	75		10		36	
Robbery	85	45		11		27	
Aggravated Assaults	632	391	17	57	7	144	
Burglary	1177	691	1	157	1	324	
Larceny	3132	1835	70	370	27	786	
Auto Theft	27	17				10	
Other Assaults	11951	6375	543	1271	152	3289	
Forgery	64	38	3	4		17	
Embezzlement	447	251	2	49	1	139	
Stolen Property	138	101	3	10	1	23	
Weapons	3316	1883	81	393	24	872	
Prostitution	132	77	20	10	1	16	
Other Sex Offenses	70	44		11		15	
Narcotics	80	37	4	21		17	
Liquors Law	1700	1029	109	112	28	378	
Drunkenness	24807	13101	1431	2530	411	6546	
Disorderly Conduct	26197	12643	2937	2143	639	6109	
Gamblings	11084	6803	60	1120	11	3056	
Road & Driving Laws	521	265		136		120	
Traffic Violations	43938	28705	353	3911	34	10839	
All Other Offenses	38313	22703	1657	3743	330	9111	
						764	

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY**  
**Percent of Persons Charged-Part I Offenses —**  
**Year 1951—52**

**CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON**



**CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY**



Total Percentage of Persons  
 Found Guilty Part I offenses 37.4%

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TABLE 20 - NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF PERSONS FOUND GUILTY  
1951--1952

O F F E N S E S	: Persons	Total	Persons found guilty	Acquit.	Total	Percent.
	: Released	: Persons	of Off.	Loser	: or	: Found
	: by Police	: Charged	: Charged	Offense	: Filed	: guilty
T O T A L S (PART I) :	329	5453	1984	56	784	2040 : 57.4
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Criminal Homicide						
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent						
Manslaughter		154	28	14	6	42 27.5
(b) Manslaughter by						
Negligence	2	125	13	1	17	14 11.2
Rape	1	121	28		5	28 23.1
Robbery	8	85	15	1	9	16 19.8
Aggravated Assaults	2	632	143	19	29	162 25.6
Burglary	94	1177	364	4	79	368 31.3
Larceny	222	3132	1379	17	646	1396 44.6
Auto Theft		27	14		2	14 51.9
TOTALS (PART II)	948	162758	98682	817	20024	99499 61.1
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Other Assaults	84	11951	5211	559	4504	5770 48.3
Forgery	5	64	47		6	47 73.4
Embezzlement	31	447	309	3	148	312 69.8
Stolen Property		138	20		52	20 14.5
Weapons	5	3316	1361	12	1774	1373 41.4
Prostitution		132	86		17	86 65.2
Other Sex Offenses	4	70	9		3	9 12.9
Narcotics	1	80	6			6 7.5
Liquor Laws	5	1700	573		88	573 33.7
Drunkenness	32	24807	21674	25	576	21699 87.5
Disorderly Conduct	104	26197	19449		4002	19449 74.2
Gambling	3	11084	9038	44	590	9082 81.9
Road & Driving Laws		521	233	8	26	241 46.3
Traffic Violations	515	43938	25575	83	5463	25658 58.4
All Other Offenses	159	38313	15091	83	2775	15174 39.6



**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY  
PERCENT OF PERSONS  
CHARGED PART II OFFENSES  
Year 1951-52**

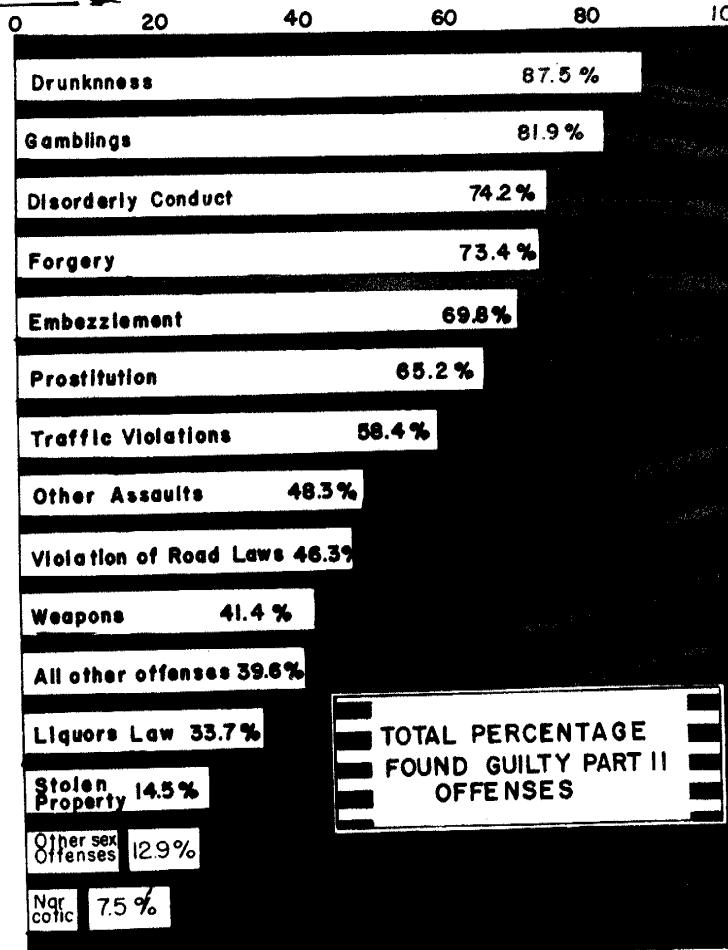


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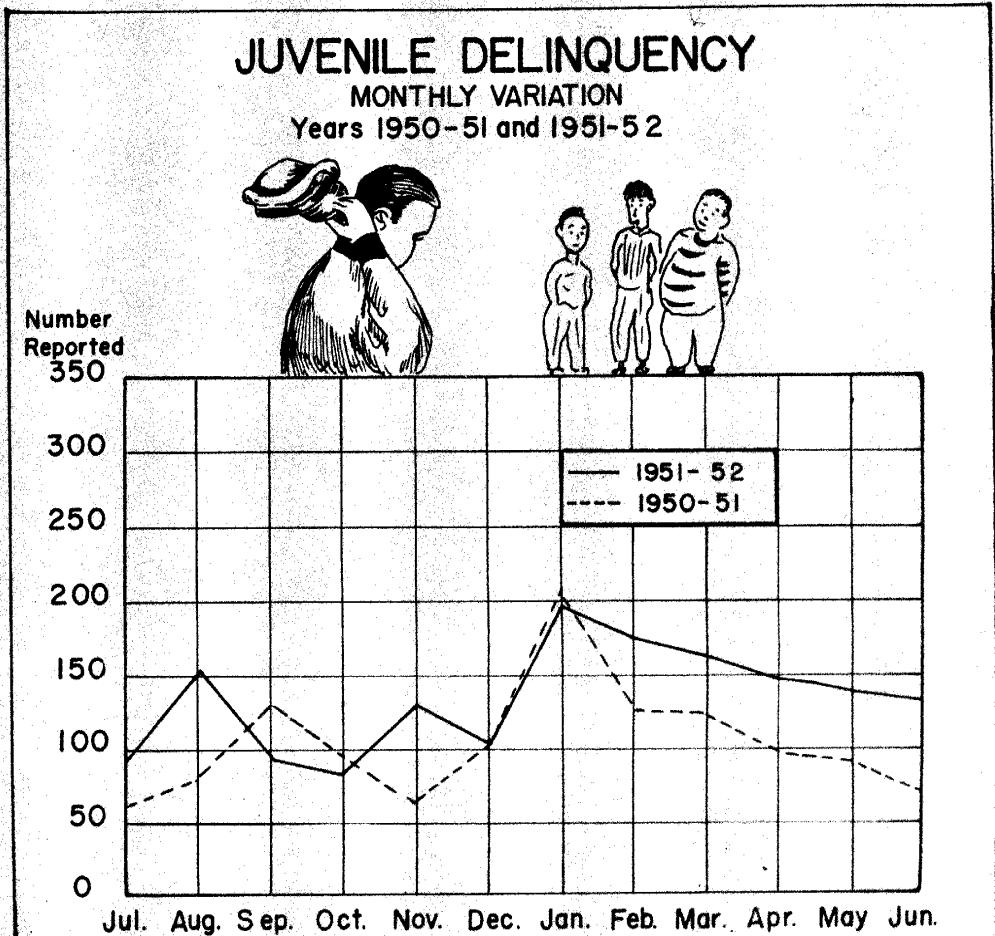


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TABLE 21 - JUVENILE DELINQUENCY  
1951--1952

O F F E N S E S	:Total pend-		:Reported : ing at begin-		:Total : during the: ning of year:		:Sentenced: year : --- : Boys :Girls:Boys:Girls:Boys:Girls:Boys:Girls:Boys:Girls		:Total pend- ing at end of year:	
T O T A L S	: 2210:	58	: 1540:	41	: 3750:	99	: 540:	6	: 367:	3 : 2843
Criminal Homicide:										
(a) Murder & Nonnegli-										
gent Manslaughter	1		1		2		1			1
(b) Manslaughter by										
Negligence	4				4					4
Rape	8		1		9		1			8
Robbery	6		8		14		1			13
Aggravated Assaults:										
Attack to Murder			1		1					1
Homicide Attempt to	1				1					1
Kill Attempt to	4				4					4
Mayhem	8		3		11		1			10
Burglary	726	1	543	3	1269	4	164	2	104	1001
Larceny:										
Larceny Grand	105	11	74	5	179	16	33	22	1	124
Larceny Petit	913	30	605	13	1523	43	237	1	142	114
Joy Riding	8		15		23		3		5	15
Other Assaults	143	2	131	15	274	17	42	3	60	172
Forgery	1	2	2		3	2	1			2
Embezzlement	37		18		55		7		9	39
Weapons:										
Firearms Reg.	2		2		4					4
Weapons Carrying	13		16	1	34	1	6		3	1
Other Sex Offenses:										
Sodomy	40		15		55		4		1	50
Liquor Law	5		2		7		1			5
Disorderly Conduct	10		5	1	15	1	1			14
Gamblings	2				2					2
All Other Offenses:										
Arson	16	3	8		24	3	1		1	22
False Impersona-										
tion	12	2	2		14	2		3		11
Malicious Mischief	88	1	51	1	139	2	27	10	1	102
Internal Revenue	1				1					1
Exposure Indecent	3				3					3
Ordinances Mples.	4	5	1		5	5	1			4
Other Offenses	39	1	36	1	75	2	9	5		61

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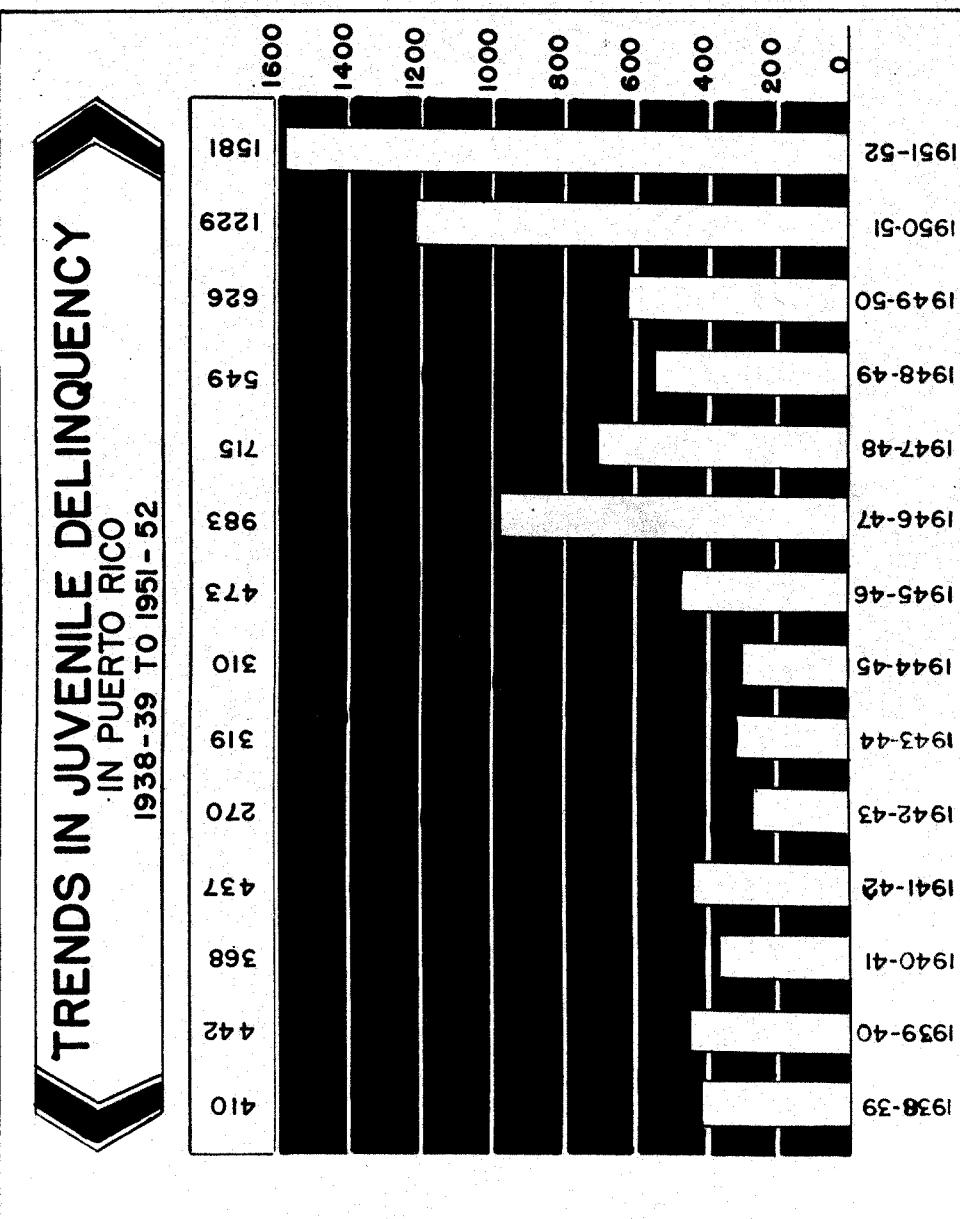


TABLE 22 - ALLEGED PROSTITUTES REPORTED, SENTENCED,  
ACQUITTED AND PENDING TRIAL - 1951-1952.

OFFENSES	:Total pending at begin-	:Reported during the	Total : Sentenced	: Acquitted	:Total pending at end of year:
	ning of year:	year	---	---	---
TOTALS	: 4329	: 6433	: 10762	: 5302	: 326
Criminal Homicide:					
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	1			1	
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence					
Robbery	1	1	2		2
Aggravated Assaults:					
Attack to Murder	2		2		1
Homicide Attempt to Kill	1		1		1
Kill Attempt to Kill	5	1	6		1
Mayhem	30	11	41	2	2
Larceny:					
Larceny Grand	3	4	7	2	5
Larceny Petit	13	13	31	8	4
Other Assaults	369	242	611	138	52
Embezzlement	2		2	1	1
Stolen Property	11		11		11
Weapons:					
Firearms Registration	9	1	10		10
Weapons Carrying	126	103	229	43	20
Prostitution	166	10	176	6	1
Narcotics		1	1		1
Liquor Law	8	7	15	5	10
Drunkenness	497	2242	2739	2115	41
Disorderly Conduct	1657	2729	4386	2169	189
Gambling:					
Gambling	7	1	8		8
All Other Offenses:					
Arson	2		2		2
False Impersonation	2	1	3	1	2
Malicious Mischief	25	9	34	2	3
Policy Slips	1	1	2		2
Unnecessary Noises	1		1		1
Exposure Indecent	29	12	41	11	30
Health Laws	1	2	3	3	
Public Justice	7	1	8	1	7
Ordinances Municipal	1341	1025	2366	786	10
Other Offenses	12	11	23	4	2
					1570
					17

TABLE 23 - SUICIDES AND ATTEMPTS TO COMMIT SUICIDES  
DISTRIBUTED BY SEX, AGES, ZONES AND MOTIVES  
1951--1952

DESCRIPTION	S U I C I D E S			A T T E M P T S			SUICIDES AND ATTEMPTS					
	Men	Women	Boys	Girls	Total	Men	Women	Boys	Girls	Total		
<u>Methods Employed</u>												
T O T A L S	159	45	-	1	205	127	157	-	-	284	190	299
Hanging	75	11			86	8	1			9	30	35
Firearms	31	2			33	8				8	19	22
Poisoning	39	24		1	64	81	140			221	113	174
Drowning	5	1			6		3			3	5	4
Decollation	3	1			4	11	4			13	8	11
Others	6	6			12	19	9			28	17	33
<u>Motives</u>												
T O T A L S	159	45	-	1	205	127	157	-	-	284	190	299
Sickness	25	4			29	15	4			19	19	29
Family Troubles	18	3			21	22	60			82	43	60
Love Affairs	3				3	8	13			21	11	13
Jealousy	1	2			3	3	8			11	4	10
Insanity	2	5	9		34	6	8			14	13	35
Others	87	27		1	115	73	64			137	100	152
<u>Ages</u>												
T O T A L S	159	45	-	1	205	127	157	-	-	284	190	299
10 - 15 years				1	1		4			4	4	1
16 - 30 years	48	17			65	75	117			192	98	159
31 - 40 years	39	11			50	30	25			55	44	61
41 - 50 years	27	9			36	9	7			16	23	29
51 - 60 years	24	4			28	9	3			12	15	25
61 - 70 years	14	4			18	2	1			3	6	15
71 years & over	7				7	2				2		9

TABLE 24 - MISSING AND STOLEN PROPERTY  
1951---1952

TYPES OF PROPERTY	:Missing or:		:Percentage	
	: Stolen	: Recovered	: Recovered	
T O T A L S	<u>\$ 1059558</u> : <u>\$ 515194</u> :			<u>48.6 %</u>
Automobiles	\$ 374138	\$ 363487		97.2 %
Cattle	27740	12426		44.8 %
Bicycles	21347	9043		42.4 %
Jewelry	216254	61162		28.3 %
Clothing	31864	5652		17.7 %
Others	388215	63424		16.3 %

TABLE 25 - WEAPONS SEIZED BY THE POLICE  
1951--1952

TYPES OF WEAPONS	:	NUMBER SEIZED
T O T A L	:	2523
Revolvers (1)		254
Pistols (1)		61
Shotguns		12
Rifles		11
Daggers		123
Machetes		629
Knives		624
Razors		197
Others		612

(1) Of the 315 firearms seized by the Police, (revolvers and pistols), 172 were registered and 143 were not registered.

TABLE 26 - POLICE SERVICES RENDERED TO OTHER GOVERNMENT'S AGENCIES  
1951---1952

GOVERNMENT'S AGENCIES	:AVERAGE NUMBER OF POLICEMEN : ASSIGNED PER DAY
T O T A L	<u>123.92</u>
Department of Justice	77.23
Department of Health	2.23
Department of Labor	9.82
Department of Interior	1.29
Department of Finance	2.13
State Fund	3.58
Industrial Commission	5.35
Federal Government	1.26
Others	20.98

TABLE 27 - SERVICES RENDERED BY THE MOTORCYCLE SQUAD  
1951---1952

DISTRICT							S E N T E N C E D :			
	No. of cyclists	Miles Traveled	:Gas.	Offender Used	:With fines Denounced	No. \$	:With jail No.	:Acquit days	:Filed	
T O T A L S :	74	700764	25776:	24981	11257	47574:	164:	2830:	975	: 454
Aguadilla	3	45732	1817	1139	281	932			18	8
Arecibo	3	28783	817	540	336	1329	7	371	31	
Bayamón	2	27338	899	581	241	1459	3	19	47	18
Caguas	4	34930	1402	1723	1121	2940	9	136	73	84
Cayey	1	3029	120	104	28	126	7	33		
Fajardo	1	6422	247	218	99	296	2	8	3	9
Guayama	3	30969	1145	486	130	557	4	335	38	2
Humacao	2	15958	660	301	226	674	14	452	19	
Juana Diaz	1	14300	364	269	168	702	7	95	30	7
Manatí	1	6930	242	43	25	116			4	2
Mayaguez	4	34468	1385	1235	719	2285	24	588	71	118
Ponce	4	43758	1916	1962	1384	5249	73	692	134	31
Río Piedras	4	33640	1337	1417	626	2068			55	66
San Germán	1	4803	165	188	169	421	6	11	31	4
Utuado	1	7989	308	163	110	502			14	6
Vega Baja	1	8260	271	280	37	288			2	
San Juan	38	353455	12681	14332	5557	27630	8	90	405	99



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## S U M M A R Y

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### POLICE PERSONNEL

The authorized police strength for the fiscal year 1952-53 was 2739 members; the same as previous fiscal year. By June 30, 1953, the Force vacancies amounted to 100. About 189 civilian employees fulfill clerical and stenographic functions at the General Headquarters and in the Police Zones, one civilian for each zone, Table 2.

### POLICE COMMISSION

The Police Commission is a body composed of three members appointed by the Governor of Puerto Rico on an honorary basis and with powers established by law.

During the year 1952-53 the Commission held 44 sessions, heard formal accusations against 69 police members, resolved 28 cases of appeal, and approved 17 pensions to police members or their widows. In addition, the Commission examined 990 applicants of persons interested to enter in the Force; examined 57 applicants of reinstatement and considered 108 resignations.

The Commission reported the balance of the Police Aid Fund as on June 30, 1953 totaled \$28,219.21. The Fund Balance has a net increase of \$276.96 with respect to the balance at the beginning of the fiscal year.

### BUREAU OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL

The Bureau of the Inspector General of the Puerto Rico Police

is composed, besides the Inspector, by the following personnel:-

- (a) The Assistant for the Inspector General (Captain).
- (b) Three Captains assigned to the Inspections and Complaints Division, Vigilance and Investigation Division and Plans and Training Division.
- (c) Three First Lieutenants; one in charge of the Juvenile Aid Division, another to the Traffic Division and the other at large.
- (d) Three Second Lieutenants assigned to Plans and Training Division (Isla de Cabras) and
- (e) Five civilians stenographers to perform office and clerical work.

The Complaint and Inspection Division received during the year 1784 complaints against police members. The investigation of 1349 of them revealed that in 1022 existed sufficient ground for further study. Further investigation resulted in the application of administrative charges against 410 members.

#### OFFICE OF THE PHYSICIAN

The strain of the Police work might be generally evaluated by the number of agents who receives medical attention. During the year 4472 3195 members received medical examination in regard to natural or accidental sicknesses, General medical examinations were given to 2008 men for purposes of recruitment, reinstatement, reappointment, promotion, etc. Physical unfitness led to the retirement of 45 members. 6 Eleven deaths were registered during the year.

The activities carried out during the year by the Laboratory Section were as follows:-

Photographic:

Enlargements	12545	14637
Contact	13562	17867
Photostatics	<u>5949</u>	62570
Total	32056	38754

Ballistics:

Firearms examined to determine serial number	738	77
Suspicious firearms examined	7	11
Bullets and capsules received from the scene of the murders	15	4
Firearms repaired	11	1
Bullets not shot	12	9
Analysis of parafine	12	33
Photographs	457	75
Miscellaneous	<u>451</u>	35
Total		1703

Questioned Documents:

Forgery	50	62
Anonymous	14	33
Photographs	690	884
Miscellaneous	<u>13</u>	13
Total	767	1014

The Chemical Section performed 15 experimental tests involving blood stains, poisons, paints, etc.

POLICE ACADEMY

The Academy is the training center for the Police Force, the heart of many Police activities, and a service training school for many other government agencies with quasi-police responsibilities. District and Zonal Commanders carry independent institutes to meet specific problems in their localities or to obviate requirements not

fully covered during the short training courses.

The public demand for the extension of police services and protection are reflected in the instructional fields covered by the Academy. The training fields are: citizen rights, arrest making, searching, crime investigation, identification, fingerprinting, scientific photography, analysis of questioned documents, collecting evidence, police regulations, public relations, making reports, testifying in courts, code of ethics, statistics, use of firearms, general defensive tactics, public behavior, courtesy, traffic, first aid, the keeping of records, etc. It is evident that the degree to which these basic police knowledges might be effectively assimilated depends on the aptitudes and learning abilities of the candidates as well as his educational background. The recruitment of new policemen is forcefully influenced by these three factors and the salary scale of the Police. These conditions must be understood well by the public, as they are understood by us.

During the year 1952-53 the Police Academy carried out the following activities:-

1- Two hundred-five recruits passed the regular training and were promptly assigned to field work, to obtain practical experience and additional training under de supervision of the district commanders.

2- A standard course on First Aid was given to the recruits. 203 were graduated and received a certificate of the Red Cross.

3- A course of Patron-Labor relations was given to 90 police

officers under the guidance of the Labor Secretary Office of Puerto Rico.

4- Conferences regarding to Traffic Laws and Unnecessary Noises were given to the police personnel and other persons interested in these problems.

Besides the activities above listed, the Academy carried out many other activities related to police matters and in connection with the Police Force.

In addition, the Academy trained members of the Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation (local chapter), Insurance State Fund, Department of Finance and Civil Defense in some particular areas, such as: Firing, Judo, First Aid, etc.

#### RECORD DIVISION

The Record Division of the Police is one of the divisions of the Bureau of Administration. One of the most important phases of the Division is the keeping of records and in such a manner that they may be used with promptness. The Division is composed by the following sections: Fingerprints, Firearms Registration, Good Conduct Certificates, Single Fingerprints, Statistics, and the General Section.

The activities carried out by these sections during the year 1952-53 were as follows:-

##### Fingerprints Section:-

Kind of Work	Applicants	Criminals
Fingerprints cards taken at the Section	2078	201
Received from Police Districts	11246	10443
Received from the F.B.I.		46
Received from the Penitentiary		158
Received from other authorities	45	
Total received and taken	<u>13369</u>	<u>10848</u>

	Applicants	Criminals
Fingerprints classified and checked	13369	10848

Present Situation of the Fingerprint Filed:-

Number of fingerprints filed at July 1st., 1952	305900
Number of fingerprints filed during the year	19518
Total fingerprints filed on June 30, 1953	325418
Number of fingerprints pending to be filed	21940

Fingerprints sent to:-

Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D.C.	764
Single fingerprint system	320

Account of Total Transmittal      Total sent      1084

Other Activities:-

Identification of criminals	164
Fugitives under paroll checked	512
Identification of persons under paroll	54
Identification of criminals with assumed names	304
Records looked up and sent to: Police Detective Bureau, F.B.I., Naval Intelligence Service and many other authorities	23559
Good conduct certificates issued	53458

Besides the work shown above, the section performed many other activities of various kind.

Firearms Registration Section:-

In this Section all documents related to firearms registration are prepared and filed according to Laws No. 14 of 1936 and No. 17 of 1951.

As on June 30, 1953 the Section had received 35208 firearms applications. During the year, the Section issued 21874 licenses, canceled 247 licenses and confiscated 766 more. At the end of the year, the total number of licenses applications considered by the Office amounted to 34,394. Of all the license applications received, there are only about 814 applications pending to be considered. These ap-

plications are in process of investigation. Firearms, of various types, registered during the year totaled 1038. About 50 certifications papers for Judicial and Police authorities were prepared and issued.

Good Conduct Certificates Section:-

During the year 1952-53 the Section prepared and issued 4722 certificates of good conduct for travelling purposes and others. An additional 16256 certificates free of charge (revenue stamps), were prepared for recruits of the National Guard and for laborers that were going to work to the United States auspiced by the Department of Labor. Also, 2588 accident reports certificates, 647 licenses for hunting, and 1418 licenses for carrying a firearm, were prepared. Firearm practice licenses renewed amounted to 411.

Revenue stamps amounting to \$14,062.50 were cancelled as a requisite for the issuance of the certificates.

Statistics Section:-

The principal function of the Office is the compilation of statistical data to be used in the preparation of monthly and annual reports outlining the activities of the Puerto Rico Police. The data is presented in statistical tables and charts, including analysis. The Section also prepares additional reports and surveys dealing with specific police matters. Among the surveys and reports prepared by the Section during the year, we have:-

- (a) Juvenile Delinquency in Puerto Rico according to the Police.
- (b) Cases of Prostitution in Puerto Rico during the last ten years.
- (c) Automobile Accidents caused by parking of vehicles in the high-

ways without reglamentary lights.

(d) Automobile accidents caused by drunken drivers and unauthorized drivers.

(e) Number of persons denounced or arrested for driving without authorization and drunkenness, including the final disposition of the cases in the courts.

(f) Traffic violations.

(g) Juveniles reported by the Police during a seven month period.

Twenty statistical colored charts of police matters and organization were prepared for the Office of the Chief of the Police.

The Office is composed by one Statistical Officer and 5 civilian employees.

All the work is perform manually but there are plans to install a machine system to compile the datas using statistical master cards. Obviously, the statistics will be prepared easily and with less human efforts.

## CRIMES

Crimes during the year 1952-53 totaled 136,418. The urban areas registered 98259 (72.0%) offenses for a reduction of 8.7% as compared with previous year. Rural areas accumulated 38159 (28.0%) offenses or 7.3% less than 1951-52. Of the total number of offenses, 79925 (58.6%) were committed during day hours and 56493 (41.4%) at night hours. In the year, crimes decreased 8.3% and 5.6% in respect to 1951-52 and to 1950-51, respectively. Crimes for 1951-52 amounted to 148,747 and for 1950-51, 144,503, Table 7-10 and Chart D.

April was the month of the year that registered the largest percentage of offenses committed (10.0%), followed by March with 9.2%. January obtained the lowest percentage with 6.9%, Table 6.

### Major Crime Trends:-

There was a general increase of 1.2% and 5.9% in the major crimes in comparison with 1951-52 and 1950-51, respectively. This type of crimes went up 0.1% in the urban areas and 4.1% in the rural areas in respect to 1951-52. Robbery and Burglary increased 41.3% and 8.3%, respectively. There was a decrease in the following crimes: Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter, 2.0%; Negligent Manslaughter, 3.9%; Rape, 7.1%; Aggravated Assaults, 2.0%; Larceny, 1.4% and Auto Theft, 3.8%; Table 5 and Chart B.

### Crimes Against Property:-

Crimes against property constituted 9.4% (12828) of the total number of offenses committed during the year. Property crimes for 1952-53 was distributed as follows: 130 Robberies; 2716 Burglaries;

6506 Larcenies; 102 Auto Theft; 142 Forgeries; 855 Embezzlements; 77 Stolen Property; 127 Arsons; 768 False Impersonations and 1405 Malicious Mischiefs. Property crimes were 2.4% more this year than last year, Table 9-10.

Crimes Against the Person:-

Serious crimes against the human person totaled 994 in 1952-53; or 2.8% less than last year. The distribution of these crimes was as follows: Murder 119, Nonnegligent Manslaughter, 27; Negligent Manslaughter, 122; Rape, 104; Attack to Murder, 98; Attempts to Commit Homicide, 33; Attempts to Kill, 161; and Mayhem, 330, Table 9-10.

Crimes in the Police Zones:-

The Zone of San Juan registered the highest percentage of crimes during 1952-53, with 24.6% of the total number of offenses. In descending order, the percentage of crime occurrence per zone was as follows: Ponce, 14.6%; Arecibo, 9.7%; Bayamón, 9.3%; Mayaguez, 8.5%; Rio Piedras, 8.2%; Caguas, 7.0%; Aguadilla, 6.5%; Guayama, 6.4% and Humacao, 5.2%. The zones of San Juan, Ponce and Arecibo reported (together) about 50% of the total crimes registered in the whole Island during the year, Tables 7-8.

All the Police Zones, except Guayama and Aguadilla, registered a decrease in the number of crimes in comparison with the last year. San Juan was the zone where the percentage of decrease in crimes was highest (16.4%). The percentage of decrease for the zones in descending order was: Mayaguez, 12.9%, Bayamón, 12.6%; Rio Piedras, 11.0%; Humacao, 5.4%; Ponce, 3.5%; Arecibo, 2.7% and Caguas, 0.4%. In the zones

of Aguadilla and Guayama the number of crimes increased 5.2% and 3.5%, respectively, Tables 7-8 and Chart C.

#### UNFOUNDED OFFENSES

In the total number of offenses known to the Police during the year, 1431 resulted without ground to initiate formal accusation. Unfounded offenses for this year are 452 or 46% more than in 1951-52. Of the unfounded offenses for the year, 395 were of serious nature. Minor Larcenies, 273, was the type of serious offenses that had more cases of this nature. The distribution of the unfounded offenses is presented in Tables 7 and 9.

#### OFFENSES CLEARED AND PERSONS CHARGED

During the year 1952-53, of the serious offenses committed against the person, 987 (99.3%) were cleared. Aggravated Assaults obtained the highest percentage of clearance with 99.8%, followed by Murder and Non-negligent Manslaughter with 99.3%, Negligent Manslaughter, 98.4% and Rape, 97.1%.

Serious crimes against property amounted to 9454. The 45.2% (4273) of this total was cleared. The percentage of clearance for Robbery was the highest (67.7%), followed by Larceny 46.8%; Burglary, 41.1% and Auto Theft, 20.6%, Tables 9-10 and Chart E.

The general percentage of offenses cleared for 1952-53 was 95.4% or 0.9% less than 1951-52.

#### Female Offenders:-

About 11211 (7.2%) of the total number of persons arrested or denounced during the year by the Police, were female offenders. The number

of women arrested or denounced this year is 12.9% less than last year. Of the females charged, (11211), a total of 2265 (20.2%) were under 20 years old; and 4942 (44.1%) under 25 years of age. The daily average of female offenders for 1952-53 is 31 as against 36 for 1951-52 and 33 for 1950-51. The charges were for offenses equally common among male offenders, Table 11-13 and Chart F.

#### Male Offenders:-

Of the total persons arrested or denounced during the year, (92.8%) 155,122 were male offenders. The highest percentage (18.2%) of the males arrested or denounced during the year have ages between 20 to 24 years. About 48% of the male violators were under 30 years of age, Tables 11-13 and Charts F-G.

#### PERSONS FOUND GUILTY

The 43.6% of the total persons charged for serious crimes during the year 1952-53 was found guilty. For less serious crimes, the percentage found guilty was 61.7%. The percentage of persons found guilty for serious crimes, in descendent order, are as follows:- Larceny, 54.6%; Burglary, 42.9%; Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter, 28.8%, Robbery, 28.7%, Auto Theft, 20.0%, Negligent Manslaughter, 6.8%; and Rape, 2.7%, Table 14 and Chart H. Of the persons charged for Drunkenness, 84.7% were found guilty and 81.1% for illicit gambling. The 62.5% of the traffic violator resulted guilty, Chart H.

#### TRAFFIC

Traffic violations in 1952-53 amounted to 45,699 or 2.0% less

than previous year. The 71.9% (32866) of them were committed during the hours of the day and 28.1% (12833) during the night. The urban areas registered 66.5% of the violations and rural areas 33.5%. The Police cleared 99.8% (45586) of them and extended formal accusations against 43658 violators. Obviously, some of the violators were responsible for more than one traffic violation. The 33.5% of all the offenses committed in 1952-53 were traffic violations. Of the traffic violators accused, 510 (1.2%) were females and 43148 (98.8%) males. The 6.3% were under 20 years old and 24.2% under 25 years old. About 62.6% of the persons accused for traffic offenses were found guilty; 14.0% were acquitted or their cases filed, Table 9-14.

#### AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

During the fiscal year 1952-53, a total of 14607 automobile accidents were reported in which 221 persons resulted killed and 8133 injured. These figures as compared with last year represent an increase of 6.4% in the accidents, 3.4% in the injuries and 5.7% in the deaths. Urban zone registered 58.1% of the annual accidents and rural zone 41.9%, Table 15.

#### Trands in Automobile Accidents:-

Deaths and injuries per 1000 vehicles registered and 100,000 inhabitants in the last eleven years are shown in Table 20 and Charts J, K and L.

#### Accidents Monthly Variation:-

Monthly distribution of accidents, deaths and persons injured are shown in Table 19. The month of May obtained the highest percentage of

accidents with 10.0%, followed by June with 9.3%. The highest percentages of persons injured corresponded to December and May with 9.7% and 9.5%, respectively. March and December were the months in which more persons resulted killed with 15.8% and 10.9%, respectively, Table 19, and Chart I.

#### Distribution of the Accidents:-

Collision of motor vehicles with other motor vehicles was the type of accident that occurred most frequently. In this year, 8231 (56.3%) of the accidents were of this kind and represent an increase of 8.0% in respect to last year.

Accidents against pedestrian amounted to 2940 or 20.1% of the total and decreased 0.2% as compared with 1951-52.

The rest of the accidents and the percentages they represent, in a descending order, were: automobile against fixed objects, 8.5% (1236); other accidents, 6.6% (961); with bicycles, 4.4% (644); overturned, 2.4% (357); with animals, 1.5% (214); with Trains, 0.2% (24), Table 18.

#### Persons Killed and Injured by Age Groups:-

In the accidents of the year, 8133 persons were injured, 3.4% more than previous year. The distribution of the persons injured by age groups is as follows: Under 5 years old, 201 or 2.5%; 5 to 15 years, 1626 or 20.0%; 16 to 24 years, 2123 or 26.1%; 25 to 64 years, 3917 or 48.1% and 65 years and over, 266 or 3.3% of the total. Collision of automobile against pedestrian was the type of accident in which more persons resulted injured (2968) 36.5%, Table 16.

Deaths caused by automobile accidents for the year amounted to 221, 5.7% more than 1951-52. Of the persons who lost their lives in accidents, 9 or 4.1% were under 5 years of age; 46 or 20.8% between

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5 to 15 years; 48 or 21.7% between 16 to 24 years; 101 or 45.7%,  
25 to 64 years; and 17 or 7.7% were 65 years and over. Accidents of  
vehicles against pedestrian caused 54.7% of the total number of per-  
sons killed during the year, Table 17.

#### Accidents in the Police Zone:-

The Zones of San Juan (19.8%), Rio Piedras (15.2%) and Mayaguez (12.0%) reported, together, 47% of the total number of accidents re-  
gistered in the whole Island. The percentages of accidents occurred  
in the rest of the zones were, in descendent order, as follows:-  
Ponce, 11.7%; Bayamón, 10.9%; Arecibo, 9.2%; Aguadilla, 6.8%; Caguas  
5.8%; Guayama, 5.0% and Humacao, 3.6%, Tables 21-22 and Chart M.

All the Police Zones registered an increase in accidents in com-  
parison with previous year. Ponce obtained the largest percentage of  
increase (13.9). The percentage of increase for the Zones was as fol-  
lows, in descendent order:- Caguas, 12.7%; Guayama, 10.2%; Aguadilla,  
8.9%; Humacao, 8.7%; Arecibo, 6.7%; Bayamón, 5.9%; San Juan, 3.4%; Rio  
Piedras, 3.1% and Mayaguez, 2.9%.

In the Zone of San Juan the number of persons injured went up 0.3%  
and deaths decreased 12.5% when compared with 1951-52. The changes in  
the number of persons injured and killed registered in the zones were:  
Rio Piedras, injuries went down 1.4% and deaths increased 15.4%; Baya-  
món, injuries and deaths reduced 3.9% and 4.5%, respectively; Arecibo,  
injuries went up 0.8% and deaths decreased 35.3%; Ponce, injuries in-  
creased 8.3% and deaths 53.3%; Mayaguez, injuries went up 9.3% and deaths  
54.5%; Humacao, injuries and deaths decreased 14.5% and 7.7%, respect-  
ively; Guayama, injuries increased 31.1% and deaths 13.3%; Aguadilla,

injuries dropped 1.3% and deaths 6.7%; and Caguas, injuries went up 22.6% and deaths 91.7%, Table 22.

#### Accident Motives:-

The causes that produce automobile accidents are many but those that occurred most frequently during the year are shown in Tables, 24-27. Table 26 shows the distribution of the motives by types of vehicles involved in accidents and Table 27, the motives distributed by age groups of the drivers.

Passing other vehicles negligently and speeding were the two specific causes that more contributed to produce the accidents of the year, with 13.1% and 9.3%, respectively. 17.8% of the persons injured and 40.3% of the deaths were due to accidents caused by speeding.

#### Sex, Age, and Type of Licenses of the Drivers:-

In the accidents of the year, 23105 drivers were involved. Of this total, 98.0% (22647) were male drivers and 2.0% (458) female drivers. Female drivers injured 117 (1.4%) persons and caused 4 (1.8%) fatalities during the year 1952-53, Table 28.

Drivers under 21 years old involved in accidents amounted to 1182 (5.1%). They injured 478 (5.9%) persons and killed 20 (9.0%). Drivers between 21 to 24 years caused injuries to 1073 (13.2%) persons and killed 18 (8.2%). Drivers with these ages amounted to 2865 (12.4%). Between 25 and 49 years old totaled 17168 (74.3%), injured 6073 (74.7%) persons and killed 171 (77.4%). Drivers with ages of 50 years and over totaled 1890 (8.2%), injured 509 (6.2%) persons and killed 12 (5.4%), Table 29. 79.5% (18359) of the drivers involved in accidents hold licenses

type "chauffeur". Drivers under this classification injured 75.0% (6099) persons and caused the death of 147 (66.5%). "Apprentice drivers" involved in accidents totaled 286 (1.2%). They injured 148 (1.8%) persons and caused 8 (3.6%) deaths. The "unauthorized" drivers amounted to 1481 (6.4%); injured 882 (10.9%) persons and killed 34 (15.4%). Drivers holding licenses of "drivers" totaled 2979 (12.9%). They were responsible for 1004 (12.3%) persons injured and 32 (14.5%) deaths, Table 30.

#### Types of Vehicles:-

Private (45.3%) and Public (20.7%) tourings were the two types of vehicles that more frequently participated in the accidents. Private tourings contributed with 43.6% (3550) of the persons injured and 41.2% (91) of the deaths. 24.4% (1984) of the persons injured and 19.0% (42) of the deaths were caused by public tourings. The distribution of the persons injured and killed are shown in table 31.

#### OTHER KINDS OF ACCIDENTS

Accidents produced by drowning, electrocution, burns, labor, falls, bicycles (without motor) and others, resulted in 141 deaths and 578 injured persons. The highest number of deaths (68) were caused by drowning. In bicycle accidents 1 person resulted killed and 241 injured, Table 33, Chart O. The Table excludes aviation accidents.

#### JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

The Police reported 1698 cases of Juveniles during the year

1952-53. Since 1948-49 the number of Juvenile cases reported annually has been increasing. The number of cases reported in the year represents an increase of 20%; 17%; 38% and 7% with respect to the years 1948-49, 1949-50, 1950-51, 1951-52, respectively, Table 34, Charts P and Q.

Juvenile cases against the property amounted to 1452. Of all the cases of Juveniles reported, 73% (1238) were cases of minor larcenies and burglaries, Table 34.

In Tables 35, 36 and 37, additional data in regard to Juveniles is shown for the last 6 months of the fiscal year (January-June, 1953). According to this six month period, it can be noted that 54.5% (367) of the juveniles reported (673) were juveniles between 13 to 15 years of age. In addition, 33% (222) of the juveniles reported were repeaters. 49.1% (109) of the repeaters were between 13 to 15 years old and 26.1% (58) were between 10 to 12 years of age. At the time of commitment, 61% (387) of the juveniles were not attending any school.

The offenses committed during the six months period by the 673 juveniles reported totaled 811. Out of this total, 38 offenses were committed by juveniles under 10 years old; 230 by juveniles between 10 to 12 years; 458 by juveniles between 13 to 15 years and 85 offenses by juveniles of 16 years old and over, who are under the jurisdiction of the Juvenile Courts. Of the offenses committed 33.4% were burglaries and 38.7% minor larcenies, Table 36.

## POLICE ATHLETIC LEAGUE

The Police Athletic League has helped to increase the Children's right to healthful recreational opportunities by exploring the community availability of resources and engaging its enthusiastic cooperation. The League does not always wait for Children to come to it but often goes after them. The League holds some of their programs in schools, hospitals and other places. But the League, because of its juvenile delinquency objectives, concentrates its efforts in the potentially delinquent group, without altogether ignoring the others.

Unfortunately many more programs can not be effected through lack of community apathy or adequate personnel facilities. The League's activities are carried out mostly in the urban areas, where chapters are generally organized. Yet, it is prepared to extent its programs to the rural areas just as well. In fact several sub-chapters have been already established. Government agencies are often lending movie projectors and other equipments to give educational pictures. Plans are underway to establish recreational centers where children may assemble in larger numbers to engage freely in writing, studying, reading, playing music and hearing lectures from prominent community leaders.

Three additional communal centers have been established in Corozal, Arecibo, and Aibonito during the year 1952-53 making a total of 13 communal centers in the whole Island.

What has been done has not been obtained easily. Some Police

Districts are unwilling to divert any part of its police personnel to these activities due to insufficient manpower. Some municipalities with high juvenile delinquency are not given enough attention to its preventive phase. In spite of these and many other difficulties, the League increased its children's membership considerable in comparison with previous years. In 1952-53 about 14,287 different activities in which 166,556 children throughout the Island participated were effected. The League's principal internal problem is the need of personnel freed from other police duties and trained in preventive work. The number of days dedicated by Police members to the Police Athletic League amounted to 11,026 days, 2455 more than last year.

The following is the financial statement of the League attached to the Juvenile Aid Division:-

### Incomes 1952-53

Annual Campaign	\$ 5,811.00	8,261.68
Chewing Gum Machines	4,427.35	4,782.48
Total	-- \$ 10,238.35	11,043.48

### Disbursements 1952-53

Athletic Equipment sent to different chapters	\$ 5,233.85	2,104.93
Transportation, meals, etc.	826.06	3,020.72
Central Office (Administration)	2,412.11	3,744.18
Total	-- \$ 8,472.02	8,166.83

### Budget for the year 1953-54

Cash on bank	\$ 4,573.76	6,510.81
Inventory (athletic equipment)	1,375.10	1,375.10
Total	-- \$ 5,948.86	7,885.91
Other equipment assets (movable)	\$ 4,174.88	4,174.88
Estimate for chewing gum machines	\$ 4,000.00	3,000.00
Estimate for annual campaign	6,000.00	6,000.00
	\$ 15,948.86	15,948.86

RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

The following are the recreational activities carried out by  
the League during the year 1952-53:-

Chapters ----	Days dedicated to P. A. L. by W. O.	No. of activities -----	Children who participated
Adjuntas	155	155	66
Aguada	124	147	25
Aguadilla	215	226	90
Aguas Buenas	103	110	60
Aibonito	226	235	140
Añasco	197	201	34
Arceibo	125	145	85
Arroyo	122	179	75
Barceloneta	193	255	185
Barranquitas	47	97	15
Bayamón	49	51	15
Cabo Rojo	130	137	33
Caguas	126	182	132
Camuy	89	197	30
Carolina			
Cataño	3	3	
Cayey	165	185	150
Ceiba	35	160	32
Ciales	189	219	152
Cidra	183	194	110
Coamo	174	179	115
Comerío	166	173	58
Corozal	126	162	120
Culebras			
Dorado	287	553	443
Fajardo	160	198	155
Guánica	206	312	198
Guayama	201	289	132
Guayanilla	144	191	96
Guaynabo	42	65	95
Gurabo	269	297	125
Hatillo	268	349	143
Hormigueros	163	213	52
Humacao	66	199	130
Isabela	157	159	18
Jayuya	200	217	142
Juana Diaz	176	208	48
Juncos	107	146	102
Lares	241	243	135
Las Marias	127	157	78
Las Piedras	256	262	200
Loíza	152	153	15
	166	183	50

Chapters ---	Days dedicated to P. A. L. by W. O.	No. of activities -----	Children who participated
Luquillo	75	91	22
Manati	136	149	73
Maricao	208	313	140
Maunabo	122	158	16
Mayaguez	58	193	33
Moca	123	194	95
Morovis	209	271	128
Naguabo	26	27	
Naranjito	313	335	255
Orocovis	82	190	28
Patillas	198	267	177
Peñuelas	81	91	35
Ponce	102	104	98
Ponce Playa	32	32	20
Quobradillas	209	260	180
Rincón	180	212	40
Río Grande	41	75	30
Río Piedras	121	144	52
Sabana Grando	97	139	98
Salinas	230	297	200
San Germán	259	395	500
San Juan	2	2	
San Lorenzo	150	169	55
San Sebastián	85	187	22
Santa Isabel	242	244	35
Toa Alta			
Toa Baja	118	299	145
Trujillo Alto	293	311	180
Utuado	160	168	95
Vega Alta	32	123	33
Vega Baja	110	162	105
Vieques	141	162	63
Villalba	127	149	60
Yabucoa	170	188	120
Yauco	44	151	90
Puerta de Tierra	39	37	225
Calle Loíza			
Bo. Obrero	38	37	225
Parada 19	28	40	175
Totalcs	11,026	14,237	7,982

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TABLE 1 - CHANGES IN THE POLICE FORCE  
JULY 1952, JUNE 1953

1952-53

CHANGES

(Total: Capt.: Lt.: Sgt.: Corp.: Dtwo.: Guards: F.P.E.)

INCREASE

<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>223</u>	<u>222</u>	<u>1</u>
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Appointments	214	213	1
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Reinstatements	9	9	
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DECREASE

<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>156</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>131</u>	<u>1</u>
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Resignations	35					4	30	1
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Physical Unfitness	28	2	2		3	8	13	
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Decasced	11		2	2			7	
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Not Reenlistments	4				1		3	
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Reenlistments Disapproved	22						22	
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For the good of the service	6						6	
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OTHER CHANGES

Promotions	6			2	1		3	
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Reenlistments Approved	1363		48	86	95	1134		
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Degradations

Authorized Police Force Personnel for the year 1952-53  
Civilian Personnel

9739  
7162

TABLE 2 - POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES, JUNE 30, 1953,  
DISTRIBUTED BY POLICE ZONES AND DISTRICTS.

Zones & Districts	<u>POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES</u>										
	:1st.:2nd.:		:Civil-								
	: Total:Col.:Capt.:Lt. :Lt. :Sgt.:Corpl.:Dtvc.:Guards:FPE:ians										
GRAND TOTAL	2028	1	25	48	87	82	176	235	1951	34	189
General Headquarters	516	1	14	10	14	15	29	60	160	34	179
Fortaleza	162		2		3	3	7	20	119		
Zone I - San Juan											
Total	464			2	9	7	13	32	90	310	1
San Juan	464			2	9	7	13	32	90	310	1
Zone II - Rio Piedras											
Total	193			1	3	9	6	13		165	1
Carolina	16				1	1	1			13	
Loiza	17					1	1			14	
Río Grande	13					1				11	
Río Piedras	141			1	2	5	4	10		118	
Trujillo Alto	11					1		1		9	
Zone III - Bayamón											
Total	176			1	3	7	7	12	1	144	1
Bayamón	43				1	2	3	3	1	37	1
Cataño	21					1	1	1		18	
Corozal	13					1				11	
Dorado	11					1				9	
Guaynabo	17					1				15	
Naranjito	11					1	1	1		8	
Toa Alta	11						1	1		9	
Toa Baja	13					1		1		11	
Vega Alta	11					1		1		9	
Vega Baja	20				1		1	1		17	
Zone IV - Arecibo											
Total	207			1	4	7	6	16	7	165	1
Arecibo	74				1	2	1	3	5	54	1
Barceloneta	17					1			2	14	
Camuy	14					1			1	12	
Ciales	11					1			1	9	

POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES

Zones & Districts : 1st.:2nd.: :Civil-  
                       : Total:Col.:Capt.:Lt. :Lt. :Sgt.:Corpl.:Dtve.:Guards:FPE:ians

**Zone IV - Arecibo (Cont.)**

Hatillo	12		1		1		10
Manati	20		1		1		17
Morovis	11			1		1	9
Quebradillas	11			1		1	9
Utuado	37		1		2	3	31

**Zone V - Ponce**

Total	306	1	5	9	8	19	14	249	1
Adjuntas	9					1		8	
Coamo	18		1		1	1		15	
Guánica	19			1	1	2		15	
Guayanilla	14			1		1		12	
Jayuya	12			1		1		10	
Juana Diaz	21		1			2		18	
Orocovis	12			1		1		10	
Pefiuelas	14			1	1	1		11	
Ponce	141	1	2	2	4	6	14	111	1
Santa Isabel	14			1		1		12	
Villalba	11			1		1		9	
Yauco	21		1		1	1		18	

**Zone VI - Mayaguez**

Total	234	3	3	6	13	16	137	1
Añasco	13			1		1		11
Cabo Rojo	22			1	1	1		19
Hormigueros	11			1		1		9
Lajas	11			1		1		9
Las Marias	9				1	1		7
Maricao	9			1				8
Mayaguez	108	2	2	3	5	16	79	1
Sabana Grande	31			1		2		28
San German	20		1		1	1		17

**Zone VII - Humacao**

Total	161	1	3	7	4	10	4	131	1
Cciba	11			1				10	
Fajardo	22		1			1		20	
Humacao	44	1	1	1	2	3	4	31	1
Las Piedras	10			1		1		8	
Luquillo	12			1		1		10	
Maunabo	11			1		1		9	
Vieques	17			1	1	1		14	
Naguabo	15			1		1		13	
Yabucoa	19		1		1	1		16	

POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES

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Zones & Districts : :lst.:2nd.: :Civil-  
                       : Total:Col.:Capt.:Lt. :Lt. :Sgt.:Corpl.:Dtve.:Guards:FPE:ians

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Zone VIII - Guayama

Total	131	2	6	4	9	1	108	1
Aibonito	12		1		1		10	
Arroyo	11		1				10	
Barranquitas	11		1		1		9	
Cayey	26		1		1		23	
Guayama	38		1	1	4	1	28	1
Patillas	13		1		1		11	
Salinas	20		1	1	1		17	

Zone IX - Aguadilla

Total	132	1	3	3	6	6	6	106	1
Aguadilla	48	1	1		2	1	5	37	1
Aguada	14				1	1		12	
Isabela	16			1		1	1	13	
Lares	14		1		1			11	
Moca	11			1		1		10	
Rincón	9				1	1		7	
San Sebastián	20		1	1	1	1		16	

Zone X - Caguas

Total	141	1	3	7	4	10	8	107	1
Aguas Buenas	10			1		1		8	
Caguas	62	1	2	2	3	4	8	41	1
Cidra	13			1		1		11	
Comerío	13			1		1		11	
Gurabo	12			1		1		10	
Juncos	18		1		1	1		15	
San Lorenzo	13			1		1		11	

The Table includes 20 members of the Force in provisional suspension.

TABLE 3 - POLICE DEPARTMENT SALARY SCALE  
1952-1953

CLASSIFICATION	ANNUAL BASIC SALARY
Chief of Police, Colonel	\$ 8,520
Assistant Chief of Police, Adjutant	5,940
Inspector General	5,280
Captains	4,620
Identification Superintendent	4,620
Physician	4,620
Legal Advisor	4,620
Pay Officer	4,620
Property Officer	4,620
Dean of the Academy	4,620
First Lieutenants	3,564
Identification Supervisor	3,564
Questioned Document Expert	3,564
Statistical Officer	3,564
Communication Officer	3,564
Second Lieutenant	2,904
Assistant Communication Officer	2,904
Secretary to the Chief of Police	2,904
Fingerprint Expert & Clerk	2,904
Sergeant	2,244
Fingerprint Expert Scien. Photographer	1,920
Fingerprint Expert & Ballistic Mechanic	1,920
Corporals	1,848
Detectives	1,716
Fingerprints Expert	1,680
Policemen	1,584
Lawyer II	3,600
Accountant II	3,300
Clerk Steno. III	2,040
Clerk Typist III	1,920
Radio Technician	2,040
Clerk Steno. II	1,560
Aux. Radio Mechanic Technician	1,560
Clerk Typist II	1,440
Clerk Steno. I	1,140
Clerk I	1,080
Clerk Typist I	1,080
Storekeeper II	1,440
Storekeeper I	1,080
Automobile Mechanic	1,740
Cabinet Maker	1,380
Messenger	840
Executive I	3,360
Boat Operator, Supervisor	1,200
Boat Operator	960

TABLE 3 (Cont.)

CLASSIFICATION	ANNUAL BASIC SALARY
Steno. Reporter	\$ 2,640
Accountant Clerk	1,920
Executive II	5,100
Executive II	4,200
Armourer	1,380
Cook Assistant	720
First Cook	1,440
Second Cook	1,200
Third Cook	1,080
Inspector General Assistant	2,904
Assistant Communication Officer	2,904
Secretary to the Police Commission	2,904
Informational Writer I	3,360
Clerk IV	2,520
Clerk II	1,440
Duplication Machine Operator	1,200
Statistician II	3,120
Statistician Clerk	1,920
Clerk III	1,920
Janitor	900
Recreation Officer II	3,000
Chemist	2,280
Assistant Dean of the Academy	4,464
Administration Technician	2,952

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## PUERTO RICO POLICE ACCOUNTING DIVISION

TABLE 4 - STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES  
AS ON JUNE 30, 1953

## GENERAL BUDGET

TITLES	Budgetary : Appropriations	Total : Expenditures	Encumbrances	Unencumbered
T O T A L S	: \$ 7,183,929.14:	6,879,570.23:	135,183.44 :	169,175.47
Salaries-Regular Employees	5,458,136.00	5,276,664.00	19,308.97	*162,188.03
Additional Retribution-Law 371, 4/10/52	494,152.00	494,127.00		
Wages	3,000.00	2,856.13	111.21	32.66
Professional & Cons. Services	5,000.00	4,825.00	175.00	
Fees to Jury, Witness & Others	2,000.00	1,263.79	27.50	708.71
Advert. Print & Binding	15,000.00	6,607.55	7,782.10	610.35
Traveling Expenses	105,542.00	100,291.66	1,857.98	3,392.36
Maint. & repair of Bldgs.				
Equipment, etc	176,150.00	147,523.68	28,126.32	500.00
Miscellaneous Services, Non Personal	157,419.14	148,447.42	8,898.82	72.90
Electricity, Water and Sewer Services, Premiums	140,450.00	128,956.04	11,493.96	
Food	124,480.00	118,595.77	5,866.22	18.01
Materials, Supplies & Repair Parts	300,000.00	253,052.73	46,947.27	
Purchase of Equipment	200,000.00	195,412.21	4,587.79	
Grants, Subsidies & Awards	100.00	36.35	.30	63.35
Confidential Services	2,500.00	910.90		1,589.10

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Totals	\$ 116,136.84	108,124.06	7,876.03	136.75
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OTHERS

79,104.55	50,830.34	28,274.21
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\* Of this balance \$150,000.00 corresponds to savings in salaries established by the Bureau of the Budget of the Government of Puerto Rico.

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TABLE 5 - CRIME TRENDS, URBAN AND RURAL ZONES  
 (BASED ON MAJOR CRIMES)  
 YEARS 1951 - 52 AND 1952 - 53

OFFENSES	NUMBER OF ACTUAL OFFENSES			NUMBER OF ACTUAL OFFENSES			CHANGES		
	1951 Total : Urban : Rural :	1952 Total : Urban : Rural :	1953 Total : Urban : Rural :	1951 Total : Urban : Rural :	1952 Total : Urban : Rural :	1953 Total : Urban : Rural :	Percent	Total : Urban : Total : Rural : Total : Urban : Rural :	
TOTALS	10326	7625	2701	10448	7636	2812	+ 1.2%	+ 111	+ 0.1% + 4.1
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	149	65	84	146	58	88	- 3	- 7	+ 4 - 2.0 - 10.8 + 4.8
Manslaughter by Negligence	127	40	87	122	36	86	- 5	- 4	- 1 - 3.9 - 10.0 - 1.1
Rape	112	39	73	104	39	65	- 8	- 8	- 7.1 - 11.0 - 8.8
Robbery	92	68	24	130	94	36	+ 38	+ 26	+ 12 + 41.3 + 38.2 + 50.0
Aggravated Assaults	635	255	380	622	293	329	- 13	+ 38	- 51 - 2.0 + 14.9 - 13.4
Burglary	2507	1954	553	2716	2034	682	+ 209	+ 80	+ 129 + 8.3 + 4.1 + 23.3
Larceny	6598	5109	1489	6506	4993	1513	- 92	- 116	+ 24 - 1.4 - 2.3 + 1.6
Auto Theft	106	95	11	102	89	13	- 4	- 6	+ 2 - 3.8 - 6.3 + 18.2

TABLE 6 - ACTUAL CRIMES MONTHLY VARIATIONS  
YEARS 1951 - 52 AND 1952 - 53

Months	A C T U A L O F F E N S E S				PERSONS ARRESTED OR DENOUNCED			
	: 1951 - 52 : 1952 - 53				: 1951 - 52 : 1952 - 53			
	: Percent :	: Percent :	: Percent :	: Percent :	: Number:	: Number:	: Number:	: Number:
TOTALS	: 148747: 100.0%	: 136418: 100.0%	: 168211: 100.0%	: 155122: 100.0%				
July	12224	8.2	11851	8.7	13930	8.3	13188	8.5
August	11186	7.5	11519	8.5	12595	7.5	13068	8.4
September	11880	8.0	10964	8.0	13656	8.1	12325	7.9
October	12783	8.6	10225	7.5	14444	8.6	11415	7.4
November	13340	9.0	10917	8.0	14537	8.6	12489	8.1
December	11965	8.0	10794	7.9	13062	7.8	12256	7.9
January	11377	7.7	9473	6.9	12536	7.4	10665	6.9
February	10575	7.1	9996	7.3	11784	7.0	11521	7.4
March	12247	8.2	12478	9.2	13984	8.3	14428	9.3
April	13584	9.1	13619	10.0	16103	9.6	15711	10.1
May	13824	9.3	12294	9.0	16018	9.5	14111	9.1
June	13762	9.3	12288	9.0	15562	9.3	13945	9.0

TABLE 7 - NUMBER OF OFFENSES KNOWN OR REPORTED TO THE POLICE, ACTUAL,  
CLEARED AND PERSONS CHARGED, BY ZONES AND POLICE DISTRICTS

1952--1953

POLICE ZONES	:Offenses:		: Actual : Offenses : Persons Charged	: Known :Unfounded:Offenses : Cleared : Male : Female	
	: Known	:Unfounded:			
GRAND TOTAL	<u>137849</u>	<u>1431</u>	<u>136418</u>	<u>130202</u>	<u>143911</u>
<b>Zone I - San Juan</b>					
Total	33680	162	33518	31517	33542
San Juan	33680	162	33518	31517	33542
<b>Zone II - Rio Piedras</b>					
Total	<u>11311</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>11250</u>	<u>10722</u>	<u>11482</u>
Carolina	1186		1186	1186	1076
Loiza	1401		1401	1401	1447
Rio Grande	900	1	899	859	1072
Rio Piedras	7249	57	7192	6704	7101
Trujillo Alto	575	3	572	572	786
<b>Zone III - Bayamón</b>					
Total	<u>13124</u>	<u>440</u>	<u>12684</u>	<u>11898</u>	<u>14066</u>
Bayamón	4327	375	3952	3307	3685
Cataño	1867		1867	1867	2161
Corozal	879	42	837	804	1095
Dorado	643		643	643	840
Guaynabo	700	8	692	675	999
Naranjito	289	1	288	273	371
Toa Alta	672		672	652	744
Toa Baja	609		609	601	628
Vega Alta	690		690	690	803
Vega Baja	2448	14	2434	2386	2740
<b>Zone IV - Arecibo</b>					
Total	<u>13219</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>13168</u>	<u>12868</u>	<u>14733</u>
Arecibo	4356		4356	4356	5117
Barceloneta	991	23	968	897	1025
Camuy	1010	6	1004	983	1099
Ciales	1017		1017	1017	1133
Hatillo	521		521	499	610
Manati	2079	12	2067	2020	2206
Morovis	695		695	695	840
Quebradillas	676		676	652	650
Utuado	1874	10	1864	1749	2053

POLICE ZONES	Offenses:		Actual Offenses	Persons Charged
	: Known	: Unfounded		

Zone V - Ponce

Total	20316	345	19971	18535	19248	2244
Adjuntas	753		753	753	762	22
Coamo	1031	8	1023	1009	1107	80
Guánica	1070	11	1059	990	945	144
Guayanilla	734		734	705	974	106
Jayuya	403		403	397	557	5
Juana Diaz	1945	8	1937	1934	2133	325
Orocovis	504		504	490	649	34
Peñuelas	721	58	663	646	714	31
Ponce	10342	249	10093	8909	8386	1181
Santa Isabel	957		957	943	1105	144
Villalba	377		377	376	493	21
Yauco	1479	11	1468	1383	1423	151

Zone VI - Mayaguez

Total	11768	194	11574	10944	13179	801
Añasco	658	41	617	599	680	39
Cabo Rojo	1585	109	1476	1389	1552	92
Hormigueros	384	3	381	381	455	14
Lajas	769		769	769	956	56
Las Marias	269	1	268	251	344	9
Maricao	181		181	185	305	5
Mayaguez	5754	40	5714	5241	6222	429
Sabana Grande	767		767	765	1025	55
San German	1401		1401	1364	1640	102

Zone VII - Humacao

Total	7138	45	7093	7054	7741	761
Ceiba	404		404	404	404	32
Fajardo	1425	2	1423	1421	1264	244
Humacao	1464	14	1450	1427	1635	133
Las Piedras	371		371	371	573	19
Luquillo	353		353	340	438	38
Maunabo	544		544	544	584	47
Vieques	476	12	464	463	501	87
Naguabo	922		922	922	938	53
Yabucoa	1179	17	1162	1162	1404	108

Zone VIII - Guayama

Total	8723	29	8694	8591	10061	1014
Aibonito	742	23	719	696	874	16

POLICE ZONES	Offenses:		Actual Known	Offenses Unfounded	Persons Charged	
	Cleared	Male			Female	

Zone VIII - Guayama (Cont.)

Arroyo	798		798	781	1011	71
Barranquitas	625		625	625	850	27
Cayey	2252		2252	2251	2562	303
Guayama	2170	6	2164	2105	2205	346
Patillas	948		948	948	1246	73
Salinas	1188		1188	1185	1313	173

Zone IX - Aguadilla

Total	8959	30	8929	8754	9655	835
Aguadilla	3120		3120	3093	3144	479
Aguada	738		738	738	837	28
Isabela	894	6	888	791	942	65
Lares	995	5	990	968	1262	37
Moca	548		548	548	694	29
Rincón	303	17	291	288	288	13
San Sebastián	2356	2	2354	2328	2488	184

Zone X - Caguas

Total	9611	74	9537	9319	10204	371
Aguas Buenas	551		551	544	666	32
Caguas	4177	73	4104	3940	4140	92
Cidra	780		780	774	880	30
Comerío	750	1	749	724	902	41
Gurabo	725		725	709	829	50
Juncos	1284		1284	1284	1351	40
San Lorenzo	1344		1344	1344	1436	86

TABLE 8 - COMPARISON OF ACTUAL OFFENSES AND OFFENSES CLEARED BY POLICE ZONES  
YEARS 1951-52 WITH 1952-53

POLICE ZONES	No. of Actual	PERCENTAGE	Offenses	Change	PERCENTAGE	OFFENSES	CLEARED:	PERCENTAGE	Change
							1951-52: 1952-53: Number: Percent: 1951-52: 1952-53: 1951-52: 1952-53:		
TOTAL (76 Police Districts)	148747	136418	-12329:-	8.3%	100.0%	143171	130202	96.3%:	- 0.9
San Juan (4 Police Posts)	40107	33518	- 6589	-16.4	27.0	24.6	37777	31517	94.2
Rio Piedras (5 Police Districts)	12642	11250	- 1392	-11.0	8.5	8.2	12379	10722	97.9
Bayamon (10 Police Districts)	14517	12684	- 1833	-12.6	9.8	9.3	13834	11898	95.3
Arecibo (9 Police Districts)	13539	13168	- 371	- 2.7	9.1	9.7	13263	12868	98.0
Ponce (12 Pol. Districts)	20686	19971	- 715	- 3.5	13.9	14.6	19569	18535	94.6
Mayaguez (9 Pol. Districts)	13286	11574	- 1712	-12.9	8.9	8.5	12821	10944	96.5
Humacao (9 Pol. Districts)	7501	7093	- 408	- 5.4	5.0	5.2	7437	7054	99.1
Guayama (7 Police Districts)	8401	8694	+ 293	+ 3.5	5.7	6.4	8324	8591	99.1
Aguadilla (7 Police Districts)	8491	8929	+ 438	+ 5.2	5.7	6.5	8327	8754	98.1
Caguas (7 Police Districts)	9577	9537	- 40	- 0.4	6.4	7.0	9440	9319	98.6

TABLE 9 - NUMBER OF OFFENSES KNOWN OR REPORTED TO THE POLICE,  
ACTUAL AND CLEARED DURING THE YEAR 1952-1953

O F F E N S E S	:Offenses:		Actual Known	Occurrence Unfounded	Z o n e		Offenses Cleared
	Offenses:	Z o n e			Day	Night	
T O T A L S	: 137849:	1431	: 136418	: 79925:	56493:	98259:	38159: 130202
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Criminal Homicide:							
(a) Murder	120	1	119	43	76	46	73 118
(b) Nonnegligent Manslaughter	27		27	11	16	12	15 27
(c) Manslaughter by Neg.	122		122	86	36	36	86 120
Rape	112	8	104	50	54	39	65 101
Robbery	137	7	130	39	91	94	36 88
Aggravated Assaults:							
Attack to Murder	98		98	37	61	49	49 98
Homicide Attempt to	33		33	12	21	12	21 33
Kill Attempt to	161		161	74	87	76	85 161
Mayhem	330		330	134	196	156	174 329
Burglary	2769	53	2716	644	2072	2034	682 1116
Larceny:							
Larceny Grand	699	28	671	343	328	535	136 318
Larceny Petit	5595	273	5322	3588	1734	4058	1264 2308
Theft Cattle	21	4	17	2	15	2	15 2
Joy Riding	517	21	496	117	379	398	98 420
Auto Theft	102		102	24	78	89	13 21
Other Assaults:							
Aggr. Assaults & Bat.	8752	92	8660	4222	4438	5210	3450 8553
Assaults & Bat. (Lesser)	4286	127	4159	2150	2009	2731	1428 4034
Forgery	142		142	139	3	131	11 107
Embezzlement	877	22	855	806	49	770	85 775
Stolen Property	77		77	69	8	56	21 77
Weapons:							
Firearms Registration	161		161	81	80	94	67 161
Weapons Carrying	4388	30	4358	2033	2325	2424	1934 4343
Prostitution	99	2	97	27	70	61	36 97
Other Sex Offenses:							
Sodomy	54	1	53	27	26	24	29 48
Incest	10		10	3	7	4	6 10
Narcotic	11		11	2	9	11	10 10
Liquor Law	1502	115	1387	1179	208	390	997 1369
Drunkenness	16606	13	16593	5856	10763	15463	1130 16593
Disorderly Conduct	18852	122	18730	8336	10394	13799	4931 18650
Gamblings:							
Gambling	1879	2	1877	1027	850	1003	874 1868
Gambling Art. 300	342		342	150	192	264	78 342
Violation of Road & Driv. Laws	323		323	305	18	95	228 321
Traffic Violations	45693	317	45376	32561	12815	30273	15103 45265

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 O F F E N S E S : Offenses : Actual : Occurrence : Z o n e : Offenses  
 : Known : Unfounded : Offenses : Day : Night : Urban : Rural : Cleared

All Other Offenses:

Arson	135	8	127	76	51	26	101	71
False Impersonation	782	14	768	671	97	609	159	694
Malicious Mischief	1449	44	1405	795	610	813	592	1278
Policy Slips	148	12	136	92	44	70	66	135
Unnecessary Noises	1659	13	1646	644	1002	1637	9	1645
Internal Revenue	90		90	63	27	52	38	90
Exposure Indecent	285	4	281	158	123	193	88	282
Health Law	155		155	94	61	135	20	155
Health & Safety	202		202	113	89	62	140	200
Public Justice	175		175	70	105	124	51	175
Public Service Commission								
Rules & Regulations	3702	3	3699	3309	390	1995	1704	3692
Closing Law	709	1	708	667	41	518	190	708
Ordinances Municipal	6994	23	6971	4373	2598	6770	201	6971
Other Offenses	6467	71	6396	4623	1773	4816	1580	6223

TABLE 10 - COMPARISON OF ACTUAL OFFENSES, NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE  
Cleared for 1952-53 with 1951-52

OFFENSES	No. of Actual Offenses	Change	Percent of Occurrence	Percent of Offenses Cleared:		Percentage Cleared
				Cleared	Unsolved	
Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	149	-146	-3	2.0	0.10	0.11
Manslaughter by Negligence	127	-122	-5	3.9	0.08	0.09
Rape	112	-104	-8	7.1	0.08	0.08
Robbery	92	-130	+38	41.3	0.06	0.09
Aggravated Assaults	635	-622	-13	2.0	0.43	0.45
Burglary	2507	-2716	+209	8.3	1.69	1.99
Larceny	6598	-6506	-92	1.4	4.44	4.77
Auto Theft	106	-102	-4	3.8	0.07	0.07
Other Assualts	12274	-12819	+545	4.4	8.25	9.40
Forgery	128	-142	+14	10.9	0.09	0.10
Embezzlement	724	-855	+131	18.1	0.49	0.63
Stolen Property	155	-77	-78	50.3	0.10	0.06
Weapons	4912	-4519	-393	8.0	3.30	3.31
Prostitution	108	-97	-11	10.2	0.07	0.07
Other Sex Offenses	64	-63	-1	1.6	0.04	0.05
Narcotics	81	-11	-70	86.4	0.05	0.01
Liquor Laws	1674	-1387	-287	17.1	1.13	1.02
Drunkenness	22817	-16593	-6224	27.3	15.34	12.16
Gambling	2267	-2219	-48	2.1	1.52	1.63
Disorderly Conduct	20037	-18730	-1307	6.5	13.47	13.73
Road & Driving Laws	524	-323	-201	38.4	0.35	0.24
Traffic Violations	46108	-45376	-732	1.6	31.00	33.26
All Other Offenses	26548	-22759	-3789	14.3	17.85	16.68
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>148747</b>	<b>-136418</b>	<b>-12329</b>	<b>8.3%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
					<b>143171</b>	<b>130202</b>
					<b>96.3%</b>	<b>95.4%</b>
					<b>95.3%</b>	<b>95.0%</b>

TABLE 11 - DISTRIBUTION BY AGE GROUPS OF THE PERSONS ARRESTED OR  
DENOUNCED BY THE PUERTO RICO POLICE  
1952---1953

OFFENSES		14	& below:	15	19	20	24	25	29	A	G	E	S	50	
		M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	M : F :	
TOTALS		:944:	25:14389:	2240:26126:	2677:25374:	1890:23956:	1534:19765:	1212:14368:	779:8854:	439:10135:	415				
Criminal Homicide:															
a- Murder	1	14	1	31	2	17	21	1	16	8	7	1	7		
b- Nonnegligent Manslaughter	1	3	1	2	1	6	4	4	4	3	2	3	3		
c- Manslaughter by Neg.	1	5	16	1	26	22	19	7	18	9	1	5	13	1	
Rape	22	22	25	16	27	7	7	5	4	4	7	4	4	1	
Robbery	48	44	44								3	1			
Aggravated Assaults:															
Attack to Murder	5	5	23	18	1	19	13	5	5	4	2	4	4		
Homicide Attempt to Kill	1	1	7	6	3	32	1	1	18	3	1	1	4		
Attempt to Kill	8	8	50	9	60	10	49	7	42	2	15	9	6		
Mayhem	22	6	179	3	66	1	40	2	24	1	17	2	27		
Burglary	470	470	470	1	470	6	40	7	42	2	13	1	23		
Larceny:															
Larceny Grand	43	2	84	5	75	5	41	1	18	10	10	5	5		
Larceny Petit	339	12	641	40	396	11	207	6	137	10	114	4	45		
Theft Cattle	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Joy Riding	8	213	3	131	54	29	12	1	1	3	1	1	1		
Auto Theft	6	6	9	2	2	2	1	1	1						
Other Assaults:															
Agg. Assaults & Bat.	37	976	76	1797	141	1487	112	1132	95	818	73	601	13	532	
Assaults & Bat. Lesser	30	2	710	104	810	125	625	116	473	82	367	243	12	22	
Forgery	4	4	3	2	10	2	12	10	1	5	1	5	1	15	
Embezzlement	1	69	1	70	3	67	2	48	1	42	1	39	2	27	
Stolen Property	4	8	9	7	10	1	6	1	6	1	5	15	8	18	
Weapons:															
Firearms Registration	10	20	21	22	26	413	26	18	1	6	222	7	142	8	
Weapons Carrying	11	331	26	590	50	447	26	318	16	16	10	226	8	226	

OFFENSES		& below:		20 - 19 :		25 - 24 :		30 - 34 :		35 - 39 :		40 - 44 :		45 - 49 :		over 50		
		M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F	M : F		
Prostitution	Other Sex Offenses	5	7	6	12	5	11	3	8	3	12	4	12	4	20	4		
Sodomy	4	22	1	11	4	3	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	1	4	1		
Incest		1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	4		
Arcoitic		2	69	1	119	5	170	14	204	29	182	26	161	35	101	17	205	
Liquer Law		2	1220	466	2541	441	2607	296	2569	236	2252	163	1752	95	1240	43	1552	
Drunkenness		2	2	2608	942	4187	1090	3448	746	2803	534	2361	505	1606	313	1101	219	1358
Disorderly Conduct		5	2	5	1222	8	1710	6	1690	11	1677	3	1498	6	1269	1	963	
Gambling		5	8	18	22	22	36	51	1	50	1	69	4	32	2	90	4	
Gambling Art. 300		10	10	39	61	61	61	51	1	50	1	36	36	36	2	30	2	
Road & Driving Law		3	2681	48	7652	129	8139	118	8288	101	6653	53	4980	33	2546	17	1883	
Traffic Violation		3	2681	48	7652	129	8139	118	8288	101	6653	53	4980	33	2546	17	1883	
All Other Offenses:-		9	7	9	9	9	9	1	8	5	107	2	75	2	27	1	4	
Arson		50	2	99	3	90	5	107	2	75	14	102	7	61	5	26	23	
False Impersonation		1	230	11	264	16	207	16	137	14	102	1	27	1	14	105	2	
Malicious Mischief		34	5	11	11	3	7	1	15	1	27	1	18	3	11	1	30	
Policy Slips		63	7	195	13	267	14	276	14	255	24	255	16	195	19	119	6	
Unnecessary Noises		3	1	5	2	9	1	6	3	6	3	16	1	5	1	7	1	
Internal Revenue		27	11	56	12	46	10	40	7	32	5	22	3	12	4	21	1	
Exposure Indecent		19	20	13	29	14	4	12	13	9	3	12	4	7	2	8	4	
Health Law		10	1	32	1	38	1	43	1	20	2	18	1	10	1	14	1	
Health & Safety		15	1	45	44	3	30	2	19	4	10	2	9	2	9	2	9	
Public Justice		87	570	793	1	871	1	630	1	394	182	3	89	116	116	4	158	
Public Service Commission		8	27	1	74	3	105	2	110	8	122	3	89	3	89	158	4	
Rules & Regulations		6	1060	296	1114	304	1011	154	987	103	874	96	593	55	370	19	397	
Closing Law		52	6	476	57	896	78	1045	77	1049	56	1011	67	583	44	429	21	
Ordinances Municipal		2	832	88	2171	182	2314	131	2112	122	1652	89	1058	55	693	25	773	
Other Offenses		2	832	88	2171	182	2314	131	2112	122	1652	89	1058	55	693	25	773	
Warrants of Arrest																		

TABLE 12 - NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF PERSONS ARRESTED OR DENOUNCED  
BY THE P. R. POLICE UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE  
1952-1953

OFFENSES	Persons Arrested or Denounced					Percentage	
	Under 15 years		Under 20 years		Under 25 years		Under 15 years
	Total	15 years	Total	20 years	Total	25 years	25 yrs.
TOTALS	:155122:	969	: 17598 :	46401 :	0.6 % :	11.3 %:	29.9%
Criminal Homicide:							
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent							
Manslaughter	156	1	20	56	0.6	12.8	35.9
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence	117		5	22		4.3	18.8
Rape	110		22	47		20.0	42.7
Robbery	143	4	52	96	2.8	36.4	67.1
Aggravated Assaults	607	6	48	177	1.0	7.9	29.2
Burglary	1167	337	816	998	29.9	69.9	85.5
Larceny	2899	404	1392	2011	13.9	48.0	69.4
Auto Theft	20		6	15		30.0	75.0
Other Assaults	12455	69	1935	4808	0.6	15.5	38.6
Forgery	60		10	22		16.7	36.7
Embezzlement	392	4	74	147	1.0	18.9	37.5
Stolen Property	73		8	17		11.0	23.3
Weapons	2975	11	378	1038	0.4	12.7	34.9
Prostitution	116		5	18		4.3	15.5
Other Sex Offenses	61	4	27	39	6.6	44.3	63.9
Narcotics	16		1	3		6.3	18.8
Liquor Laws	1376	2	72	196	0.1	5.2	14.2
Drunkenness	17512	2	1688	4670	0.01	9.6	26.7
Disorderly Conduct	24051	7	3557	8834	0.03	14.8	36.7
Gamblings	12168	5	1243	2977	0.04	10.2	24.5
Road & Driving Laws	317		10	49		3.2	15.5
Traffic Violations	43341	3	2732	10513	0.01	6.3	24.3
All Other Offenses	34990	110	3497	9648	0.31	10.0	27.6

TABLE 12-a - SIX YEARS COMPARISON

Years

1952 - 53	155122	969	17598	46401	0.6%	11.3%	29.9%
1951 - 52	168211	1077	19523	51258	0.6	11.6	30.5
1950 - 51	163659	776	18984	52450	0.5	11.6	32.0
1949 - 50	188231	530	20720	60191	0.3	11.0	32.0
1948 - 49	172097	399	17814	55360	0.2	10.4	32.2
1947 - 48	170163	472	17826	56186	0.3	10.5	33.0

TABLE 13 - DISTRIBUTION BY SEX OF PERSONS ARRESTED OR DENOUNCED  
BY THE PUERTO RICO POLICE  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

O F F E N S E S	N U M B E R			P E R C E N T A G E		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
T O T A L S	: 155122	: 143911	: 11211	: 100.0 %	: 100.0 %	: 100.0 %
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Criminal Homicides:						
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	156	149	7	0.10	0.10	0.06
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence	117	114	3	0.08	0.08	0.03
Rape	110	109	1	0.07	0.08	0.01
Robbery	143	143		0.09	0.10	
Aggravated Assaults	607	565	42	0.39	0.39	0.38
Burglary	1167	1147	20	0.75	0.80	0.18
Larceny	2899	2791	108	1.87	1.94	0.96
Auto Theft	20	20		0.01	0.01	
Other Assaults	12455	11332	1123	8.03	7.87	10.02
Forgery	60	53	7	0.04	0.04	0.06
Embezzlement	392	381	11	0.25	0.27	0.10
Stolen Property	73	71	2	0.05	0.05	0.02
Weapons	2975	2811	164	1.92	1.95	1.46
Prostitution	116	82	34	0.07	0.06	0.30
Other Sex Offenses	61	61		0.04	0.04	
Narcotics	16	15	1	0.01	0.01	0.01
Liquor Laws	1376	1213	163	0.89	0.84	1.45
Drunkenness	17512	15735	1777	11.29	10.93	15.85
Disorderly Conduct	24051	19477	4574	15.50	13.54	40.80
Gambling	12168	12115	53	7.85	8.42	0.47
Road & Driving Laws	317	313	4	0.20	0.22	0.04
Traffic Violations	43341	42835	506	27.94	29.76	4.51
All Other Offenses	34990	32379	2611	22.56	22.50	23.29

TABLE 14 - NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF PERSONS FOUND GUILTY  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

O F F E N S E S	:Persons	Total	:Persons Found Guilty:	:Total: %			
	:Released	Persons	of Off.	Lesser	:Acquitted	:Found	
	:by Police	Charged	Charged	Offenses	:or Files	:Guilty:Guilty	
TOTALS (Part I)	: 234	: 5219	: 2155	: 122	: 652	: 2277	: 43.6%
Criminal Homicide:							
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent							
Manslaughter	1	156	33	12	5	45	28.8
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence		117	7	1	10	8	6.8
Rape	1	110	3		9	3	2.7
Robbery	4	143	37	4	10	41	28.7
Aggravated Assaults	2	607	66	27	18	93	15.3
Burglary	50	1167	480	21	57	501	42.9
Larceny	175	2899	1525	57	537	1582	54.6
Auto Theft	1	20	4		6	4	20.0
TOTALS (Part II)	754	149903	91301	1144	20172	92445	61.7%
Other Assaults	108	12455	5189	593	4675	5782	46.4
Forgery	6	60	29		1	29	48.3
Embezzlement	15	392	224	5	94	229	58.4
Stolen Property		73	15		32	15	20.5
Weapons	21	2975	1318	25	1655	1343	45.1
Prostitution	1	116	38		27	38	32.8
Other Sex Offenses	5	61	7			7	11.5
Narcotics		16	2			2	12.5
Liquor Laws	26	1376	694		55	694	50.4
runkennes	39	17512	14777	48	432	14825	84.7
Disorderly Conduct	95	24051	16708	142	3958	16850	70.1
Gambling	2	12168	9799	74	532	9873	81.1
Road & Driving Laws		317	229	5	13	234	73.8
Traffic Violations	235	43341	26933	176	6102	27109	62.5
All Other Offenses	201	34990	15339	76	2596	15415	44.1

TABLE 15 - NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS, DISTRIBUTED BY TYPES  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

Collision with	: No. of	Zones	: No. of	:	Injured	Deaths
	: Accidents	: Urban	: Rural	: Vehicles		
T O T A L	: 14607	: 8486	: 6121	: 23191	: 8133	: 221
Pedestrians	2940	1792	1148	2940	2968	97
Other Vehicles	8231	5217	3014	16787	2249	38
Trains	24	17	7	45	17	1
Bicycles	644	470	174	645	497	11
Animals	214	26	188	214	49	
Fixed Objects	1236	529	707	1236	989	16
Overturned	357	31	326	357	570	32
Other Accts.	961	404	557	967	794	26

TABLE 16 - DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS BY AGE GROUPS  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

Collision with	Total	Ages 0-4	Ages 5-15	Ages 16-24	Ages 25-64	& over	:Ages 65	
	: % of	: % of	: % of	: % of	: % of	: % of	: % of	
	: No.	Total	No.	Total	No.	Total	No.	
T O T A L	: 8133	: 100.0%	: 201	: 100.0%	: 1626	: 100.0%	: 2123	: 100.0%
Pedestrians	2968	36.5	149	74.1	1118	68.7	461	21.7
Other Vehicles	2249	27.6	29	14.4	146	9.0	616	29.0
Trains	17	0.2	1	5	2	0.1	1	0.1
Bicycles	497	6.1	3	1.5	128	7.9	262	12.3
Animals	49	0.6			6	0.4	11	0.5
Fixed Objects	989	12.2	3	1.5	61	3.8	346	16.3
Overturned	570	7.0	7	3.5	29	1.8	211	10.0
Other Accts.	794	9.8	9	4.5	136	8.3	215	10.1

TABLE 17 - DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS BY AGE GROUPS  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

Collision with	Total	Ages 0-4	Ages 5-15	Ages 16-24	Ages 25-64	Ages 65 & over
	No.: %	No.: %	No.: %	No.: %	No.: %	No.: %
TOTAL	221: 100.0%	9: 100.0%	46:100.0%	48: 100.0%	101: 100.0%	17: 100.0%
Pedestrians	97	43.9	8	88.9	27	58.7
Other Vehicles	38	17.2		3	6.5	22.9
Trains	1	0.4		1	2.2	37
Bicycles	11	5.0	1	11.1	4	31.2
Animals						18.8
Fixed Objects	16	7.2		1	2.2	14
Overturned	32	14.5		3	6.5	36.6
Other Accts.	26	11.8		7	15.2	14
					7	1.4
					12	82.3
						5.9

TABLE 18 - COMPARISON OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS FOR THE YEAR 1952-53 WITH 1951-52

Collision with	Accidents 52 : 1952 - 53	Change	Injured	Change	Killed	Change
	No. : % of	No. : % of	No. : %	No. : %	No. : %	No. : %
TOTAL	13727:100.0%	+14607:100.0%	+880:+ 6.4%	7864 : 8133	+269:+ 3.4%	209 : 221 : + 12 : + 5.7%
Pedestrians	2945	21.5	2940	20.1	- 5	- 0.2
Other Vehicles	7623	55.5	8231	56.3	+ 608	+ 8.0
Trains	34	3	24	0.2	- 10	- 29.4
Bicycles	648	4.7	644	4.4	- 4	- 0.6
Animals	211	1.5	214	1.5	+ 3	+ 1.4
Fixed Objects	1022	7.4	1236	8.5	+ 214	+ 20.9
Overturned	340	2.5	357	2.4	+ 17	+ 5.0
Other Accts.	904	6.6	961	6.6	+ 57	+ 6.3

TABLE 19 - AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS MONTHLY VARIATION  
YEARS 1951-52 AND 1952-53

MONTHS	ACCIDENTS				PERSONS INJURED				PERSONS KILLED			
	1951-52		1952-53		1951-52		1952-53		1951-52		1952-53	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
TOTALS	13727	100.0%	14607	100.0%	7864	100.0%	8133	100.0%	209	100.0%	221	100.0%
July	1007	7.3	1123	7.7	627	8.0	701	8.6	21	10.1	8	3.6
August	1119	8.2	1139	7.8	637	8.1	665	8.2	21	10.1	18	8.1
September	1060	7.7	1091	7.5	650	8.2	632	7.8	16	7.6	16	7.2
October	1138	8.3	1173	8.0	715	9.1	696	8.6	18	8.6	13	5.9
November	1096	8.0	1137	7.8	600	7.6	679	8.4	12	5.7	21	9.5
December	1205	8.8	1308	8.9	666	8.5	789	9.7	12	5.7	24	10.9
January	1097	8.0	1090	7.5	622	7.9	622	7.6	14	6.7	13	5.9
February	984	7.2	1192	8.2	547	7.0	646	7.9	15	7.2	21	9.5
March	1247	9.1	1261	8.6	684	8.7	667	8.2	21	10.1	35	15.8
April	1214	8.8	1275	8.7	742	9.4	626	7.7	23	11.0	16	7.3
May	1309	9.5	1464	10.0	723	9.2	772	9.5	9	4.3	19	8.6
June	1251	9.1	1354	9.3	651	8.3	638	7.8	27	12.9	17	7.7

TABLE 20 - NUMBER AND RATIO OF DEATHS AND INJURIES IN AUTOMOBILES  
ACCIDENTS FROM 1942--43 to 1952--53

Year	No. of: Accts.	Deaths	Injuries	Motor veh. reg.: 1000 veh.	Estimated Population	Accts. per 1000 veh.	Deaths per 100000 inh.	Injuries per 1000 veh. reg.	R A T I O S		
									R	A	T
1942--43	4004	184	2738	28155	1948664	142.4	97.1	6.5	140.4	9.4	I
1943--44	4072	137	2588	27648	1989625	147.5	93.8	4.9	130.0	7.0	S
1944--45	4898	137	3129	28233	2051407	173.7	111.0	4.9	152.6	6.7	
1945--46	7652	164	4915	32531	2093461	235.4	151.2	5.0	235.1	8.0	
1946--47	10183	215	6159	42367	2143461	240.1	145.2	5.1	287.8	10.0	
1947--48	11625	257	7089	46157	2178023	251.6	153.4	4.9	325.2	10.4	
1948--49	13083	226	7450	57258	2200266	228.4	130.0	4.0	339.0	10.3	
1949--50	14058	239	7682	60564	2206214	232.0	126.8	3.9	348.0	10.8	
1950--51	12798	208	7470	70755	2212562	180.1	105.5	2.9	338.0	9.4	
1951--52	13727	209	7864	76750	2270456	178.7	102.5	2.7	346.4	9.2	
1952--53	14607	221	8133	86750	2321674	168.3	93.7	2.5	350.6	9.5	

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 TABLE 21 - DISTRIBUTION OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS  
 BY POLICE ZONES AND DISTRICTS  
 1952--1953

DISTRICTS	Number of:		<u>ZONES</u>	<u>DEATHS</u>		<u>INJURIES</u>	
	Accidents	Vehicles		Urban	Rural	Adults	Children
GRAND TOTAL	: 14607	: 23191	: 8486	: 6121	: 166	: 55	: 6306 : 1827
<b>Zone I - San Juan</b>							
Total	2900	4964	2870	30	15	6	943 322
San Juan	2900	4964	2870	30	15	6	943 322
<b>Zone II - Río Piedras</b>							
Total	2223	3675	1570	653	25	5	812 211
Carolina	190	310	53	137	4		110 19
Loíza	122	188	35	87			57 13
Río Grande	117	167	30	87	1	1	75 19
Río Piedras	1713	2889	1444	269	20	4	532 151
Trujillo Alto	81	121	8	73			38 9
<b>Zone III - Bayamón</b>							
Total	1589	2554	423	1166	33	9	900 189
Bayamón	540	908	159	381	16	1	317 67
Cataño	198	302	114	84	2	1	61 33
Corozal	100	158	17	83	2		65 13
Dorado	83	124	12	71	2		63 7
Guaynabo	116	176	20	96	4	2	57 13
Naranjito	50	70	14	36			32 8
Toa Alta	61	92	19	42			25 6
Toa Baja	131	228	11	120	3	1	50 14
Vega Alta	103	165	9	94	2	1	100 9
Vega Baja	207	331	48	159	2	3	130 19
<b>Zone IV - Arecibo</b>							
Total	1343	2052	531	812	16	6	662 176
Arecibo	591	923	286	305	3	4	272 64
Barceloneta	112	175	21	91	4		50 17
Camuy	85	126	28	57			32 12
Ciales	103	158	31	72			51 17
Hatillo	67	103	15	52	1		52 7
Manatí	133	203	48	85	4	2	90 21
Morovis	48	67	20	28	1		20 5
Quebradillas	53	70	16	37	2		45 9
Utuado	151	227	66	85	1		50 24

DISTRICTS	:Number of Accidents	:Number of Vehicles	<u>ZONES</u>	<u>DEATHS</u>		<u>INJURIES</u>	
	:Urban	:Rural		Adults	Children	Adults	Children

Zone V - Ponce

Total	1708	2558	853	855	17	6	791	263
Adjuntas	62	95	17	45	1		35	6
Coamo	59	84	27	32			38	12
Guánica	73	100	23	50	2		44	16
Guayanilla	86	124	31	55	1		37	14
Jayuya	25	34	5	20			10	5
Juana Diaz	131	192	32	99			71	21
Orocovis	38	57	13	25			17	6
Peñuelas	65	100	13	52	2		43	3
Ponce	792	1218	531	261	8	3	317	717
Santa Isabel	151	208	44	107	1	3	104	32
Villalba	43	61	9	34			8	10
Yauco	183	285	108	75	2		67	21

Zone VI - Mayaguez

Total	1755	2751	1002	753	13	4	635	212
Añasco	65	95	14	51	1		47	8
Cabo Rojo	216	337	71	145			89	30
Hormigueros	57	95	17	40	2		31	7
Lajas	117	194	43	74	2		36	11
Las Marias	32	47	4	28			19	2
Maricao	22	33	4	18			8	3
Mayaguez	983	1547	741	242	6	2	247	114
Sabana Grande	94	132	42	52		1	43	17
San German	169	271	66	103	2	1	115	20

Zone VII - Humacao

Total	523	749	225	293	7	5	282	84
Ceiba	19	27	4	15			6	6
Fajardo	98	152	66	32	1	1	50	17
Humacao	145	212	71	74	2	1	68	24
Las Piedras	78	103	31	47	2		47	13
Luquillo	62	94	7	55		2	38	8
Maunabo	18	24	5	13		1	11	3
Vieques	15	20	6	9			11	2
Naguabo	12	18	2	10	1		11	1
Yabucoa	76	99	33	43	1		40	10

Zone VIII - Guayama

Total	724	1062	274	450	10	7	392	127
Aibonito	50	70	19	31		2	37	11
Arroyo	44	67	17	27			23	3
Barranquitas	82	111	25	57			48	20

DISTRICTS	:Number of:	Number of:	ZONEs	: DEATHS	: INJURIES
	:Accidents:	Vehicles	: Urban:	Rural:	Adults:Children:Adults:Children

Zone VIII - Guayama (Cont.)

Cayey	212	310	89	123	4	4	91	38
Guayama	157	229	95	62			62	28
Patillas	66	95	14	52		1	46	11
Salinas	113	180	15	98	6		85	16

Zone IX - Aguadilla

Total	988	1521	378	610	11	3	406	130
Aguadilla	418	650	181	237	2	2	138	53
Aguada	64	89	22	42	1		38	6
Isabela	102	151	31	71	1		52	14
Lares	76	121	40	36			37	16
Moca	96	151	25	71	3		36	9
Rincón	63	97	8	55			25	9
San Sebastián	169	262	71	98	4	1	80	23

Zone X - Caguas

Total	854	1305	360	494	19	4	483	113
Aguas Buenas	45	69	10	35			19	6
Caguas	383	620	206	177	9	3	194	44
Cidra	66	92	11	55	4		13	12
Comerío	69	96	23	46	1		28	13
Gurabo	83	119	18	65	3	1	66	6
Juncos	100	154	48	52	1		39	12
San Lorenzo	108	155	44	64	1		74	20

TABLE 22 - COMPARISON OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS BY POLICE ZONES  
YEARS 1951-52 WITH 1952-53

POLICE ZONES	NO. OF ACCTS.	CHANGE	PERCENTAGE OF OCCURRENCE	PERSONS INJURED	CHANGE	PERSONS KILLED	CHANGE
:1951-52:1952-53: No. :Percent:1951-52:1952-53:No. :Percent:1951-52:1952-53: No.:Percent							
TO TA 4 -46_Police Districts)	13727 : 14607 :+ 880: + 6.4%: 100.0%	100.0%:	7864 : 8133 :+ 269: + 3.4%:	209 : 221 :+ 12:+ 5.7%			
San Juan (4 Police Posts)	2804	+ 96 + 3.4	20.4	19.8	1261	1265 + 4 + 0.3	24
Rio Piedras (5 Pol. Districts)	2156	+ 67 + 3.1	15.7	15.2	1038	1023 - 15 - 1.4	26
Bayamon (10 Pol. Districts)	1500	+ 89 + 5.9	10.9	10.9	1133	1089 - 44 - 3.9	44
Arecibo (9 Pol. Districts)	1259	+ 84 + 6.7	9.2	9.2	831	838 + 7 + 0.8	34
Ponce (12 Pol. Districts)	1500	+ 208 +13.9	10.9	11.7	973	1054 + 81 + 8.3	15
Mayaguez (9 Pol. Districts)	1705	+ 50 + 2.9	12.5	12.0	775	847 + 72 + 9.3	23
Humacao (9 Pol. Districts)	481	+ 42 + 8.7	3.5	3.6	423	366 - 62 - 14.5	13
Guayanilla (7 Pol. Districts)	657	+ 67 +10.2	4.8	5.0	396	519 + 123 +31.1	15
Aguadilla (7 Pol. Districts)	907	+ 81 + 8.9	6.6	6.8	543	536 - 7 - 1.3	15
Caguas (7 Pol. Districts)	758	+ 96 +12.7	5.5	5.8	486	596 + 110 +22.6	12

TABLE 23 - NUMBER OF DEATHS, INJURIES AND NUMBER OF VEHICLES INVOLVED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED BY HOURS  
1952 -- 1953

Day Hours	:Number of: Accidents:	Z o n e Urban	:Number of: Rural vehicles	Deaths Adults	: Deaths Children	Injuries Adults	: Injuries Children
TOTALS	: 14607 : 8486 : 6121:	23191	: 166 : 35 : 6306 : 1827				
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A. M.							
12:01 - 1:00	225	111	114	353	3	145	14
1 :01 - 2:00	207	101	106	326	4	147	5
2 :01 - 3:00	181	92	89	285	1	140	3
3 :01 - 4:00	145	76	69	225	4	86	6
4 :01 - 5:00	132	66	66	201	4	98	4
5 :01 - 6:00	163	73	90	244	5	114	8
6 :01 - 7:00	209	91	118	329	5	123	10
7 :01 - 8:00	375	213	162	602	4	227	47
8 :01 - 9:00	515	338	177	836	3	185	57
9 :01 - 10:00	635	400	235	997	2	244	58
10:01 - 11:00	729	475	254	1159	4	219	112
11:01 - 12:00	868	581	287	1367	8	288	127
P. M.							
12:01 - 1:00	863	597	266	1337	9	274	148
1 :01 - 2:00	805	526	279	1299	3	290	115
2 :01 - 3:00	892	522	370	1435	11	331	116
3 :01 - 4:00	1102	638	464	1735	10	402	183
4 :01 - 5:00	1182	677	505	1916	7	448	184
5 :01 - 6:00	1191	661	530	1907	12	499	198
6 :01 - 7:00	978	488	490	1538	10	451	144
7 :01 - 8:00	889	450	439	1376	10	428	118
8 :01 - 9:00	793	462	331	1237	5	365	83
9 :01 - 10:00	567	315	252	911	13	272	38
10:01 - 11:00	525	293	232	879	15	247	26
11:00 - 12:00	436	240	196	597	14	283	23

TABLE 23 -a- AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED BY DAYS OF THE WEEK  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

Day Hours		Number of: Accidents	D A Y S   O F   T H E   W E E K						
			Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
TOTALS		: 14607 : 2724: 1951 : 1789 : 1873 : 1723 : 2052: 2495							
<u>A. M.</u>									
12:01 - 1:00		225	53	34	23	29	26	23	37
1 :01 - 2:00		207	61	23	13	22	22	35	31
2 :01 - 3:00		181	40	22	15	26	19	26	32
3 :01 - 4:00		145	45	17	17	13	17	9	28
4 :01 - 5:00		132	32	21	9	23	12	17	18
5 :01 - 6:00		163	35	28	17	19	25	17	22
6 :01 - 7:00		209	34	39	39	32	18	17	30
7 :01 - 8:00		375	26	70	45	59	46	75	54
8 :01 - 9:00		515	43	92	84	68	72	79	77
9 :01 - 10:00		635	77	109	105	99	77	83	85
10:01 - 11:00		729	92	118	93	106	91	100	129
11:01 - 12:00		868	128	128	129	106	110	140	127
<u>P. M.</u>									
12:01 - 1:00		863	106	141	110	138	114	131	123
1 :01 - 2:00		805	114	113	110	128	101	109	130
2 :01 - 3:00		892	161	107	99	123	112	119	171
3 :01 - 4:00		1102	211	148	143	135	127	147	191
4 :01 - 5:00		1182	218	162	163	142	152	164	181
5 :01 - 6:00		1191	231	180	137	128	156	164	195
6 :01 - 7:00		978	210	97	106	131	102	153	179
7 :01 - 8:00		889	243	82	101	99	101	113	150
8 :01 - 9:00		793	203	93	83	69	72	111	162
9 :01 - 10:00		567	130	59	50	73	51	68	136
10:01 - 11:00		525	139	35	47	56	58	30	110
11:01 - 12:00		436	92	33	51	49	42	72	97

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 TABLE 2<sup>4</sup> - AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED BY MOTIVES  
 JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

MOTIVES OR CAUSES	: No. of : Z O N E S : I N J U R E D : K I L L E D							
	: Accts. : Urban: Rural: Adults: Children: Adults: Children							
T O T A L	: 14607 : 8486: 6121: 6306: 1827 : 166 : 55							
Speeding	1361	479	882	1275	175	71	18	
Passing other vehicles	1913	1123	790	208	23	3		
Responsibility of pedestrians	1006	637	319	464	506	4	4	
No claxon	510	255	255	248	61	2		
Mechanical Defects	344	123	221	298	32	4	1	
Lack of experience	482	234	248	269	43	7	3	
Distance	757	504	253	151	15	1		
Reverse	872	705	167	138	41	6	2	
Driving Left	230	80	150	102	9	2	1	
Animals	155	23	132	34	4	1		
Drunkenness	211	112	99	109	12	7		
Wet road	256	64	192	155	15			
Improper load	31	15	16	12	2			
Disobeying signals	87	76	11	26	7			
Other causes	6392	4006	2386	2817	882	58	26	

TABLE 25 - AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS, IN PERCENTAGE, DISTRIBUTED BY MOTIVES  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

MOTIVES OR CAUSES	:Accidents:	Percent:	Injured:	Percent:	Killed :	Percent
T O T A L	: 14607	: 100.0%	: 8133	: 100.0%	: 221	: 100.0%
Speeding	1361	9.3	1450	17.8	89	40.3
Passing other vehicles	1913	13.1	231	2.8	3	1.4
Responsibility of pedestrian	1006	6.9	970	11.9	8	3.6
No claxon	510	3.5	309	3.8	2	0.9
Mechanical Defects	344	2.4	330	4.1	5	2.3
Lack of experience	482	3.3	312	3.8	10	4.5
Distance	757	5.2	166	2.0	1	0.4
Reverse	872	6.0	179	2.2	8	3.6
Driving left	230	1.6	111	1.4	3	1.4
Animals	155	1.1	38	0.5	1	0.4
Drunkenness	211	1.4	121	1.5	7	3.2
Wet road	256	1.7	170	2.1		
Improper load	31	0.2	14	0.2		
Disobeying signals	87	0.6	33	0.4		
Other causes	6392	43.7	3699	45.5	84	38.0

TABLE 26 - MOTIVES OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED BY  
TYPES OF VEHICLES  
1952--1953

MOTIVES OR CAUSES	TOTALS	Federal	PUBLIC	PRIVATE	State	Others
	TOTALS	Government	Trucks	Busses	Tourings	Trucks
Speeding	2180	11	81	22	434	141
Passing other vehicles	3744	21	204	209	720	377
Responsibility of pedestrian	1063	4	17	28	309	28
No claxon	867	3	36	26	201	56
Mechanical Defects	494	1	29	43	88	77
Lack of experience	668	1	17	3	72	53
Distance	1519	24	53	77	329	110
Reverse	1516	4	83	38	312	166
Driving left	433	5	19	22	90	37
Animals	200	5	8	7	62	6
Drunkenness	359		18	1	65	32
Wet road	436		15	14	85	33
Improper load	51		8	3	5	17
Disobeying signals	163		3	5	35	10
Other Causes	9498	48	396	393	1997	845
					1049	4149
						196
						425

TABLE 27 - DRIVERS INVOLVED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED  
BY AGE GROUPS AND MOTIVES  
1952--1953

MOTIVES OR CAUSES	: T O T A L : Number	Under 21	A G E S			50 & over
			21--24	25--49	%	
T O T A L S	: 23105	: 1182	100.0%	100.0%	2865	100.0%
Speeding	2171	9.4	135	11.4	333	11.6
Passing other vehicles	3731	16.1	138	11.7	438	15.3
Responsibility of Pedestrian	1054	4.6	48	4.1	106	3.7
No claxon	860	3.7	45	3.8	110	3.8
Mechanical Defects	491	2.1	37	3.1	53	1.8
Lack of experience	663	2.9	160	13.5	125	4.4
Distance	1514	6.6	48	4.1	195	6.8
Reverse	1510	6.5	60	5.1	183	6.4
Driving left	423	1.8	24	2.0	56	2.0
Animals	198	0.9	13	1.1	28	1.0
Drunkenness	358	1.5	15	1.3	31	1.1
Wet road	433	1.9	26	2.2	52	1.8
Improper load	51	0.2	4	0.3	7	0.2
Disobeying signals	162	0.7	6	0.5	22	0.8
Other causes	9486	41.1	423	35.8	1126	39.3

TABLE 28 - SEX OF DRIVERS IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

Sex	: No. of drivers	: Per Cent	: Persons Injured	: Per Cent	: Persons Killed	: Per Cent
T O T A L	: 23105	: 100.0%	8133	: 100.0%	221	: 100.0%
Male	22647	98.0	8016	98.6	217	98.2
Female	458	2.0	117	1.4	4	1.8

TABLE 29 - AGE GROUPS OF DRIVERS IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

Age Groups	: No. of drivers	: Per Cent	: Persons Injured	: Per Cent	: Persons Killed	: Per Cent
T O T A L	: 23105	: 100.0%	8133	: 100.0%	221	: 100.0%
Under 21 years	1182	5.1	478	5.9	20	9.0
21 - 24 years	2865	12.4	1073	13.2	18	8.2
25 - 49 years	17168	74.3	6073	74.7	171	77.4
50 & over	1890	8.2	509	6.2	12	5.4

TABLE 30 - CLASSIFICATION OF DRIVERS BY KIND OF LICENSES

Kind of License	: No. of drivers	: Per Cent	: Persons Injured	: Per Cent	: Persons Killed	: Per Cent
T O T A L	: 23105	: 100.0%	8133	: 100.0%	221	: 100.0%
Driver	2979	12.9	1004	12.3	32	14.5
Conductor	18359	79.5	6099	75.0	147	66.5
Apprentice	286	1.2	148	1.8	8	3.6
Unauthorized	1481	6.4	882	10.9	34	15.4

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TABLE 31 - NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES INVOLVED IN ACCIDENTS  
 DISTRIBUTED BY TYPES  
 1952--1953

TYPES OF VEHICLES	:No. of	: Percent	Persons	:Percent	Persons	:Percent
	vehicles	of total	Injured	of total	Killed	of total
T O T A L S	: 23191	: 100.0%	8133	: 100.0%	221	: 100.0%
Federal Government	136	0.6	34	0.4		
Public Tourings	4804	20.7	1984	24.4	42	19.0
Public Busses	891	3.8	385	4.7	5	2.3
Public Trucks	989	4.3	233	2.9	14	6.3
Private Tourings	10511	45.3	3550	43.6	91	41.2
Private Heavy Trucks	1988	8.6	476	5.9	23	10.4
Private Light Trucks	2615	11.3	941	11.6	28	12.7
State Government	422	1.8	109	1.3		
Others	835	3.6	421	5.2	18	8.1

TABLE 32 - ANALYSIS OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS WITH PEDESTRIANS  
1952--1953

ACTIONS OF THE PEDESTRIANS:	ACCIDENTS		Z	O	N	E	S	PERSONS		PERSONS	
	No.	%	URBAN		RURAL		INJURED	No.	%	KILLED	No.
T O T A L S	:2940	100.0%	: 1792	100.0%	:1148	100.0%	:2968	100.0%	:97	100.0%	
Crossing road at intersection	254	8.6	209	11.7	45	3.9	264	8.9	4	4.1	
Pushing or working on vehicles	34	1.2	14	0.8	20	1.8	50	1.7	1	1.0	
At work on roads	31	1.0	16	0.9	15	1.3	30	1.0	1	1.0	
Riding or hitching on vehicles	206	7.0	100	5.6	106	9.2	205	6.9	4	4.1	
Outside the road	242	8.2	149	8.3	93	8.1	252	8.5	18	18.6	
Crossing not at intersection	1234	42.0	856	47.7	378	32.9	1211	40.8	32	33.0	
Coming from behind parked vehicle	208	7.1	114	6.4	94	8.2	215	7.3	6	6.2	
Walking on roads	603	20.5	267	14.9	336	29.3	615	20.7	27	27.9	
Playing on roads	117	4.0	63	3.5	54	4.7	117	3.9	3	3.1	
Lying down on roads	11	0.4	4	0.2	7	0.6	9	0.3	1	1.0	

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 TABLE 33 - OTHER KINDS OF ACCIDENTS  
 1952--1953

K I N D	Number of:      I N J U R I E S      :				D E A T H S			
	Accidents: Men:Women:Boys:Girls:Total:				Men:Women:Boys:Girls:Total			
TOTALS	:	669	: 272:	50 : 196:	60 : 578	:	80:	4 : 41 : 16 : 141
Drowning		67		1		1	37	3 23 5 68
Electrocution		9	3		2 2	7	5	6 2 13
Burning		12	4	3	5 2	14	1	1 1 3
Labor		44	34	1	1	36	9	9
Falls		106	63	6	26 6	101	3	1 2 2 8
Bicycles		233	75	27	99 40	241		1 1
Others		198	93	12	63 10	178	25	8 6 39

TABLE 34 - JUVENILE DELINQUENCY  
JULY 1952 - JUNE 1953

O F F E N S E S	Reported during:			Sentenced : Acquitted : Boys : Girls: Boys : Girls: Boys : Girls
	the year			
T O T A L S	: 1673	: 25	: 897	: 1 : 121 : 3
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Criminal Homicide:				
(a) Murder & Nonnegli-				
gent Manslaughter ✓	1		1	
(b) Manslaughter by				
Negligence, ✓	1		1	
Rape ✓	2			
Robbery ✓	12		8	
Aggravated Assaults:				
Attack to Murder ✓			1	
Homicide Attempt to ✓			1	
Kill Attempt to ✓	4			
Mayhem ✓	3	1		1
Burglary ✓	641		405	50
Larceny:				
Larceny Grand ✓	72	2	85	4
Larceny Petit ✓	583	14	284	32
Joy Riding ✓	45		16	1
Other Assaults ✓	112	1	28	20
Forgery ✓	2			
Embezzlement ✓	8			
Weapons:				
Firearms Reg. ✓		1		
Weapons Carrying ✓	17		7	
Other Sex Offenses:				
Sodomy ✓	6		3	1
Liquor Law ✓	2			
Disorderly Conduct ✓	12	5	2	
Gamblings ✓	1			
All Other Offenses:				
Arson ✓	19		3	3
False Impersonation ✓	4		2	1
Malicious Mischief ✓	50		15	5
Internal Revenue ✓				
Exposure Indecent ✓	1		2	
Ordinances Mples ✓	2		1	
Other Offenses ✓	72	2	32	2

TABLE 35 - NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF JUVENILES REPORTED, DISTRIBUTED BY AGE GROUPS  
 (JANUARY - JUNE 1953)

AGE GROUPS	No. of Child	Per Cent	Child Repeaters	No. Repeaters	Scholars	Percent	Non Scholars	Percent
	Reported	of Total	Number of Total					
TOTAL	673	100.0%	222	100.0%	451	100.0%	247	100.0%
Under 7 years	1	0.2		1	0.2		1	0.2
7 - 9 years	33	4.9	4	1.8	29	6.4	19	7.7
10 - 12 years	205	30.5	58	26.1	147	32.6	102	41.3
13 - 15 years	367	54.5	109	49.1	258	57.2	117	47.4
16 - 18 years	50	7.4	34	15.3	16	3.6	8	3.2
19 years & over	17	2.5	17	7.7			1	0.4
							16	3.7

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TABLE 37 - DISTRIBUTION OF JUVENILES BY GRADES OF SCHOOL REACHED  
 (JANUARY - JUNE 1953)

AGE GROUPS	G R A D E S		G R O U P S		P E R C E N T A G E		P E R C E N T A G E	
	: 1st.	: 4th.	: 7th.	: &	: Not	: 1st.	: 4th.	: 7th.
None : 3rd. : 6th. : over : reported					None : 3rd. : 6th. : over : reported			
TOTAL : 51 : 162 : 254 : 64. : 142								
Under 7 years	1					1.9		
7 - 9 years	6	17	1		9	11.8	10.5	0.4
10 - 12 years	14	80	79	3	29	27.4	49.4	31.1
13 - 15 years	28	59	154	54	72	55.0	36.4	60.6
16 - 18 years	2	6	18	6	18	3.9	3.7	7.1
19 years & over		2	1	14			0.8	1.5
								9.9

TABLE 38 - ALLEGED PROSTITUTES REPORTED, SENTENCED,  
ACQUITTED AND PENDING TRIAL - 1952-1953

OFFENSES	Total pending at begin-ning of year :	Reported during the year :	Total	Sentenced :	Acquitted :	Total pending at end yr.
TOTALS	: 5134	: 4705	: 9839	: 4127	: 316	: 5396
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Criminal Homicide:						
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	1		1			1
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence						
Robbery	2		2			2
Aggravated Assaults:						
Attack to Murder	1		1			1
Homicide Attempt to Kill	1		1			1
Kill Attempt to Kill	5	2	7	1		6
Mayhem	37	12	49	3		46
Larceny:						
Larceny Grand	5	4	9	1		8
Larceny Petit	19	14	33	6	5	22
Joy Riding		3	3	2		1
Other Assaults	421	235	656	192	67	397
Embezzlement	1		1			1
Stolen Property	11		11			11
Weapons:						
Firearms Registration	10		10			10
Weapons Carrying	161	98	259	50	31	178
Prostitution	169	21	190	10	4	176
Narcotics	1		1			1
Liquor Law	10	4	14			14
Drunkenness	583	1565	2148	1422	31	695
Disorderly Conduct	2023	1827	3855	1624	150	2081
Gamblings:						
Gambling	8	1	9	1		8
Other Offenses:						
Arson	2		2			2
False Impersonation	2	1	3	1	1	1
Malicious Mischief	29	15	44	11	1	32
Policy Slips	2		2	1		1
Unnecessary Noises	1		1			1
Exposure Indecent	30	30	60	16	5	39
Public Justice	1570	760	2330	751	11	1568
Ordinances Municipal	7	4	11	2	2	7
Health Laws			11			11
Other Offenses	17	98	115	33	8	74

TABLE 39 - SUICIDES AND ATTEMPTS TO COMMIT SUICIDES  
DISTRIBUTED BY SEX, AGES, ZONES AND MOTIVES  
1952--1953

DESCRIPTION	:						:SUICIDES				
	S U I C I D E S			A T T E M P T S			: AND				
	:			:			:ATTEMPTS				
	:Men:Women:Boys:Girls:Total:Men:Women:Boys:Girls:Total:Urban:Rural										
<b>Methods Employed</b>											
T O T A L S	:152:	43	:	-	-	:195	:144:	158:	-	-	: 302: 280 : 217
Hanging	62	13				75	4	5			9 27 57
Firearms	22	4				26	5				5 18 13
Poisoning	47	15				62	99	140			239 182 119
Drowning	6	1				7	3	3			6 6 7
Decollation	2					2	14	3			17 11 8
Others	13	10				23	19	7			26 36 13
<b>MOTIVES</b>											
T O T A L S	152	43	-	-	195	144	158	-	-	302 280 217	
Sickness	38	9			47	17	11			29 38 37	
Family Troubles	16	8			24	23	37			60 44 40	
Love Affairs	1	1			2		9			9 7 4	
Jealousy	17	7			24	7	6			13 20 17	
Insanity					5	5				10 8 2	
Others	80	18			98	92	90			182 163 117	
<b>AGES</b>											
T O T A L S	152	43	-	-	195	144	158	-	-	302 280 217	
10 - 15 years	2				2	1	10			11 7 6	
16 - 20 years	9	3			12	20	39			59 50 21	
21 - 30 years	35	20			55	61	79			140 115 80	
31 - 40 years	38	9			47	31	17			48 46 49	
41 - 50 years	23	5			28	16	10			26 27 27	
51 - 60 years	24	4			28	9	1			10 21 17	
61 - 70 years	12	2			14	4	2			6 10 10	
71 years & over	9				9	2				2 4 7	

TABLE 40 - MISSING AND STOLEN PROPERTY  
1952--1953

TYPES OF PROPERTY	: Missing or: : Stolen : Recovered : Percentage : Recovered		
	\$ 1321076	\$ 707876	54%
Automobiles	\$ 624402	\$ 547258	88%
Jewelry	198651	40598	20%
Clothing	28938	5447	19%
Bicycles	30530	12399	41%
Cattle	52171	24138	46%
Others	386384	78036	20%

TABLE 41 - WEAPONS SEIZED BY THE POLICE  
1952--1953

TYPES OF WEAPONS	:	NUMBER SEIZED
T O T A L	:	2176 234/3
Revolvers (1)		193 212
Pistols (1)		41 47
Rifles		17 3
Daggers		111 82
Machetes		609 590
Razors		176 514
Knives		586 561
Shotguns		5 8
Others		438 363

(1) Of the 234 firearms seized by the Police, (revolvers and pistols), 131 were registered and 128 were not registered.

TABLE 42 - POLICE SERVICES RENDERED TO OTHER GOVERNMENT'S  
AGENCIES  
1952---1953

GOVERNMENT'S AGENCIES	: AVERAGE NUMBER OF POLICEMEN : ASSIGNED PER DAY
T O T A L	<u>119.57</u>
Department of Justice	77.07
Department of Health	.93
Department of Labor	9.88
Department of Interior	.46
State Fund	3.38
Industrial Commission	5.06
Federal Government	2.83
Department of Finance	1.64
Others	18.32

TABLE 43 - SERVICES RENDERED BY THE MOTORCYCLE SQUAD  
1952--1953

DISTRICT	:No. of cyclists	:Miles Traveled	:Gas. Used	:Offender Denounced	:With fines No.	:With jail \$:	S E N T E N C E D		
							: Gal.	Total	: Filed :ted
T O T A L S	: 80	: 805197	: 29540:	20271	: 10038:	54977:	44	: 966:	1038:236
Aguadilla	4	61946	2743	868	463	1446	4	54	36 6
Arecibo	3	31818	959	340	273	1391	6	67	26 5
Bayamón	2	16521	636	527	343	2253			33 9
Caguas	4	35929	1449	1298	1069	3222	8	213	61 43
Cayey	2	5555	236	194	73	410	7	70	3
Fajardo	1	6096	198	187	87	239			3
Guayama	3	31006	975	638	126	391	1	2	36
Humacao	2	19586	726	275	125	488	3	15	17 3
Juana Diaz	1	9435	282	274	142	581			28
Manatí	1	11001	402	361	245	853			22 2
Mayaguez	3	38156	1336	572	381	1187			51 9
Ponce	4	49444	2074	1010	733	3271	8	365	76 12
Rio Piedras	6	71550	2657	1478	671	2702			104 104
San Germán	1	5239	260	166	135	516	2	40	23 1
Utuado	1	10022	333	257	232	914	1	5	25 5
Vega Baja	1	7762	340	407	353	2039	1	60	20
San Juan	41	394131	13934	11419	4587	33074	3	75	474 37

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 TABLE 44- NUMBER OF QUARTS OF ILLICIT LIQUOR  
 SEIZED BY THE PUERTO RICO POLICE  
 1952--1953

M O N T H S	: Number of	: Number of	: Number of
	: Quarts Seized	: Stills Destroyed	: Stills Seized
T O T A L S	<u>10368</u>	<u>444</u>	<u>276</u>
July	439	26	20
August	819	47	17
September	596	22	16
October	381	26	13
November	620	33	18
December	1243	54	34
January	802	30	29
February	1169	65	37
March	1420	32	23
April	1082	50	34
May	862	27	17
June	935	32	18



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The Honorable  
The Governor of Puerto Rico  
La Fortaleza  
San Juan, Puerto Rico

S i r :-

In compliance with the Law, I have the honor to submit herewith, the Annual Report of the Puerto Rico Police, outlining its activities and accomplishments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1954.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM SANTANA  
Acting Chief of Police

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### POLICE PERSONNEL

The authorized police strength for the fiscal year 1953-54 was 2739 members; the same as previous fiscal year. About 189 civilian employees fulfill clerical and stenographic functions at the General Headquarters and in the Police Zones, one civilian for each zone, Table 2.

### POLICE COMMISSION

The Police Commission is a body composed of three members appointed by the Governor of Puerto Rico on an honorary basis and with powers established by law.

During the year 1953-54 the Commission held 48 sessions, heard formal accusations against 84 police members, resolved 16 cases of appeal and approved 12 pensions to police members or their widows. In addition, the Commission examined 815 applicants of persons interested to enter in the Force; examined 66 applicants of reinstatement and considered 107 resignations.

### BUREAU OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL

The Bureau of the Inspector General of the Puerto Rico Police is composed, besides the Inspector, by the following personnel:

- (a) The Assistant for the Inspector General (Captain).

(b) Three Captains assigned to the Inspections and Complaints Division, Vigilance and Investigation Division and Plans and Training Division.

(c) Three First Lieutenants; one in charge of the Juvenile Aid Division, another to the Traffic Division and the other at large.

(d) Three Second Lieutenants assigned to Plans and Training Division (Isla de Cabras) and

(e) Five civilians stenographers to perform office and clerical work.

The Complaint and Inspection Division received during the year 986 complaints against police members. The investigation of them revealed that in 480 existed sufficient ground for further study. Further investigation resulted in the application of administrative charges against 181 members.

#### OFFICE OF THE PHYSICIAN

The strain of the Police work might be generally evaluated by the number of agents who receives medical attention. During the year 4473 members received medical examination in regard to natural or accidental sicknesses, general medical examinations were given to 1564 men for purposes of recruitment, reinstatement, reappointment, promotion, etc. Physical unfitness led to the retirement of 45 members. Six deaths were registered during the year.

The activities carried out during the year by the Laboratory Section were as follows:

Photographic:

Enlargements	14637
Contact	17867
Photostatic	<u>6250</u>
Total	38754

Ballistics:

Firearms examined to determine serial number	71
Suspicious firearms examined	41
Bullets and capsules received from the scene of the murders	4
Firearms repaired	1
Bullets not shot	9
Analysis of parafine	38
Photographs	75
Miscellaneous	30
"Espectógrafo"	<u>10</u>
Total	279

Questioned Documents:

Forgery	62
Anonymous	55
Photographs	884
Miscellaneous	<u>13</u>
Total	1014

The Chemical Section performed 70 experimental tests involving blood stains, poisons, paints, etc.

POLICE ACADEMY

The Academy is the training center for the Police Force, the heart of many Police activities, and a service training school for many other government agencies with quasi-police responsibilities. District and Zonal Commanders carry independent institutes to meet

specific problems in their localities or to obviate requirements not fully covered during the short training courses.

The public demand for the extension of police services and protection are reflected in the instructional fields covered by the Academy. The training fields are: citizen rights, arrest making, searching, crime investigation, identification, fingerprinting, scientific photography, analysis of questioned documents, collecting evidence, police regulations, public relations, making reports, testifying in courts, code of ethics, statistics, use of firearms, general defensive tactics, public behavior, courtesy, traffic, first aid, the keeping of records, etc. It is evident that the degree to which these basic police knowledges might be effectively assimilated depends on the aptitudes and learning abilities of the candidates as well as his educational background. The recruitment of new policemen is forcefully influenced by these three factors and the salary scale of the Police. These conditions must be understood well by the public, as they are understood by us.

During the year 1953-54 the Police Academy carried out the following activities:-

1.- Two hundred-fifty-two recruits passed the regular training and were promptly assigned to field work, to obtain practical experience and additional training under the supervision of the district commanders.

The Academy trained members of the Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation (local chapter), Insurance State Fund, Department of Finance and Civil Defense in some particular areas, such as: Firing, Judo, First Aid, etc.

**RECORD DIVISION**

The Record Division of the Police is one of the divisions of the Bureau of Administration. One of the most important phases of the Division is the keeping of records and in such a manner that they may be used with promptness. The Division is composed by the following sections: Fingerprints, Firearms Registration, Good Conduct Certificates, Single Fingerprints, Statistics and the General Section.

The activities carried out by these sections during the year 1953-54 were as follows:

**Fingerprints Section:**

Kind of Work	Applicants	Criminals
Fingerprints cards taken at the Section Received from Police Districts and other agencies	1415 <u>5382</u>	13 <u>1206</u>
Total received & taken	6798 7343	1219 12036
Fingerprints classified and checked & filed	9543	12039

**Present Situation of the Fingerprint Filed:**

Number of fingerprints filed at July 1st., 1953	327518
Number of fingerprints filed during the year	<u>22679</u>
Total fingerprints filed on June 30, 1954	350197
Number of fingerprints pending to be filed	63308

**Fingerprints sent to:-**

Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington D.C	363
Single fingerprint system	136
Others	<u>976</u>
Total sent	1475

Other Activities:-

Identification of criminals	124
Fugitives under parole checked	60
Identification of criminals with assumed names	677
Records locked up and sent to: Police Detective Bureau; F.B.I., Naval Intelligence Service and many others authorities	25848
Good Conduct Certificates issued	43757

Besides the work shown above, the section performed many other activities of various kind.

Firearms Registration Section:-

In this Section all documents related to firearms registration are prepared and filed according to Laws No. 14 of 1936 and No. 17 of 1951.

As on June 30, 1954 the Section had received 36257 firearms applications. During the year, the Section issued 1057 licenses, canceled 78 licenses and confiscated 245 more. At the end of the year, the total number of licenses applications considered by the Office amounted to 35,725. Of all the license applications received, there are only about 532 applications pending to be considered. These applications are in process of investigation. Firearms, of various types, registered during the year totaled 1246. About 63 certificates papers for Judicial and Police authorities were prepared and issued.

Good Conduct Certificates Section:-

During the year 1953-54 the Section prepared and issued 1299 certificates of good conduct for travelling purposes and others. An additional 14386 certificates free of charge (revenue stamps), were prepared for recruits of the National Guard and for laborers that

were going to work to the United States auspiced by the Department of Labor. Also, 3303 accident reports certificates, 503 licenses for hunting, and 1540 licenses for carrying a firearm, were prepared.

Revenue stamps amounting to \$ 10,756.50 were cancelled as a requisite for the issuance of the certificates.

Statistics Section:

The principal function of the Office is the compilation of statistical data to be used in the preparation of monthly and annual reports outlining the activities of the Puerto Rico Police. The data is presented in statistical tables and charts, including analysis. The Section also prepares additional reports and surveys dealing with specific police matters.

The Office is composed by one Statistical Officer and 5 civilian employees.

All the work was performed manually but on January 1954 a machine system was established to compile the datas using statistical master cards.

## CRIMES

## ESTADISTICAS

Crimes during the year 1953-54 totaled 125,382. The urban areas registered 89809 (71.6%) offenses for a reduction of 8.5% as compared with previous year. Rural areas accumulated 35573 (28.4%) offenses or 6.8% less than 1952-53. Of the total number of offenses, 60152 (48.0%) were committed during day hours and 65230 (52.0%) at night hours. In the year, crimes decreased 8.1% and 15.7% in respect to 1952-53 and to 1951-52, respectively. Crimes for 1952-53 amounted to 136,418 and for 1951-52, 148747, Table 7-9, Chart F.

August was the month of the year that registered the largest percentage of offenses committed (9.7%), followed by July with 9.3%. February obtained the lowest percentage with 7.2%, Table 6.

### Major Crime Trends:-

There was a general increase of 19.2% and 20.6% in the major crimes in comparison with 1952-53 and 1951-52, respectively. This type of crimes went up 22.0% in the urban areas and 11.6% in the rural areas in respect to 1952-53. Aggravated Assaults decreased 12.5%. There was an increase in the following crimes: Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter, 8.9%; Negligent Manslaughter 6.6%; Rape 13.5%; Robbery 8.5%; Larceny 14.9%; Auto Theft 38.2% and Burglary 37.8%, Table 5, Chart B.

### Crimes Against the Property:-

Crimes against property constituted 11.9% (14965) of the total number of offenses committed during the year. Property crimes for 1953-54 was distributed as follows: 141 Robberies; 3744 Burglaries; 7477 Larcenies; 141 Auto Theft; 187 Forgeries; 652 Embezzlements;

96 Stolen Property; 128 Arsons; 686 False Impersonations and 1713 Malicious Mischiefs. Property crimes were 16.6% more this year than last year. Table 9.

Crimes Against the Person:-

Serious crimes against the human person totaled 951 in 1953-54 or 4.4% less than last year. The distribution of these crimes was as follows: Murder 133, Nonnegligent Manslaughter 26; Negligent Manslaughter 130; Rape 118; Attack to Murder 129; Attempts to Commit Homicide 34; Attempts to Kill 133; and Mayhem 248, Table 9.

Crimes in the Police Zones:-

The Zone of San Juan registered the highest percentage of crimes during the year 1953-54 with 21.3%, followed by Ponce 14.7%, Arecibo 10.4%, Bayamon 9.9%, Rio Piedras 9.2%, Mayaguez 8.5%, Aguadilla 7.3%, Caguas 7.0%, Guayama 6.7% and Humacao 5.0%. The Zones of San Juan, Ponce and Arecibo reported (together) about 50% of the total crimes registered in the whole Island during the year, Tables 7-8.

All the Police Zones, except Rio Piedras and Aguadilla, registered a decrease in the number of crimes in comparison with the last year. San Juan was the zone where the percentage of decrease in crimes was highest (20.2). The percentage of decrease for the zones in descending order was: Humacao 11.8%, Caguas 8.6%, Mayaguez 8.4%, Ponce 7.4%, Guayama 2.7%, Bayamon 2.1% and Arecibo 1.3%. In the zones of Rio-Piedras and Aguadilla the number of crimes increased 2.6% and 2.6%, respectively. Tables 7-8.

### UNFOUNDED OFFENSES

In the total number of offenses known to the Police during the year, 872 resulted without ground to initiate formal accusation. Unfounded offenses for this year are 559 or 39% less than in 1952-53. Minor Larcenies, 198, was the type of serious offenses that had more cases of this nature. The distribution of the unfounded offenses is presented in Tables 7-9.

### OFFENSES CLEARED AND PERSONS CHARGED

During the year 1953-54, of the serious offenses committed against the person, 940 (98.8%) were cleared. Manslaughter by Negligence obtained the highest percentage of clearance with 100.0%, followed by Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter with 99.4%, Aggravated Assaults, 99.3% and Rape 94.9%.

Serious crimes against property amounted to 11503. The 33.9% (3899) of this total was cleared. The percentage of clearance for Robbery was the highest (46.0%), followed by Larceny 35.1%, Burglary 31.4% and Auto Theft 24.8%, Table 9, Chart F.

The general percentage of offenses cleared for 1953-54 was 92.4% or 3.6% less than 1952-53.

#### Female Offenders:-

About 9876 (7.3%) of the total number of persons arrested or denounced during the year by the Police, were female offenders. The number of women arrested or denounced this year is 11.9% less than last year. Of the females charged, (9876), a total of 1985 (20.1%) were under 20 years old; and 4223 (42.8%) under 25 years of age. The daily average

of female offenders for 1953-54 is 27 as against 31 for 1952-53 and 36 for 1951-52. The charges were for offenses equally common among male offenders, Table 10, Charts G-H.

Male Offenders:-

Of the total persons arrested or denounced during the year, (92.3%) 125,896 were male offenders. The highest percentage (17.4%) of the males arrested or denounced during the year have ages between 20 to 24 years. About 44% of the male violators were under 30 years of age, Table 10, Charts G-H.

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY**

During the year 1953-54 a total of 91047 persons were found guilty of the offenses charged, 906 of lesser offenses and 20555 were acquitted or the cases filed, Table 12 a.

**TRAFFIC**

Traffic violations in 1953-54 amounted to 41,152 or 9.9% less than previous year. The 59.4% (24425) of them were committed during the hours of the day and 40.6% (16727) during the night. The urban areas registered 67.9% of the violations and rural areas 32.1%. The Police cleared 98.9% (40728) of them and extended formal accusations against 38263 violators. Obviously, some of the violators were responsible for more than one traffic violation. The 32.8% of all the offenses committed in 1953-54 were traffic violations. Of the traffic violators accused, 505 (1.3%) were females and 37778 (98.7%) males. The 6.9% were under 20 years old and 26.7% under 25 years old.

## AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

During the fiscal year 1953-54, a total of 17176 automobile accidents were reported in which 232 persons resulted killed and 9347 injured. These figures as compared with last year represent an increase of 17.6% in the accidents, 14.9% in the injuries and 4.9% in the deaths. Urban zone registered 57.6% of the annual accidents and rural zone 42.4%, Table 13, Chart I.

### Trends in Automobile Accidents:-

Deaths and injuries per 1000 vehicles registered and 100,000 inhabitants in the last eleven years are shown in Table 18.

### Accidents Monthly Variation:-

Monthly distribution of accidents, deaths and persons injured are shown in Table 17. The month of May obtained the highest percentage of accidents with 9.5%, followed by December 9.3%. The highest percentages of persons injured corresponded to May and April with 9.7% and 8.9%, respectively. January and December were the months in which more persons resulted killed with 13.8% and 12.5%, respectively, Table 17, Chart J.

### Distribution of the Accidents:-

Collision of motor vehicles with other motor vehicles was the type of accident that occurred most frequently. In this year, 9977 (98.1%) of the accidents were of this kind and represent an increase of 21.2% in respect to last year.

Accidents against pedestrian amounted to 3083 or 17.9% of the total and increased 4.9% as compared with 1952-53.

The rest of the accidents and the percentages they represent, in a descendent order, were: automobile against fixed objects, 8.8% (1507);

other accidents, 6.3% (1081); with bicycles, 4.8% (829); overturned, 2.5% (435), with animals, 1.3% (222); with trains, 0.3% (42), Table 16.

Persons Killed and Injured by Age Groups:-

In the accidents of the year, 9347 persons were injured, 14.9% more than previous year. The distribution of the persons injured by age groups is as follows: Under 5 years old, 390 or 4.2%; 5 to 15 years, 1752 or 18.7%; 16 to 24 years, 2547 or 27.2%; 25 to 64 years, 4325 or 46.3% and 65 years and over, 333 or 3.6% of the total. Collision of automobile against pedestrian was the type of accident in which more persons resulted injured (2966) 31.7%, Table 14.

Deaths caused by automobile accidents for the year amounted to 232, 4.9% more than 1952-53. Of the persons who lost their lives in accidents, 9 or 3.9% were under 5 years of age; 57 or 24.6% between 5 to 15 years; 40 or 17.2% between 16 to 24 years; 107 or 46.1%, 25 to 64 years; and 19 or 8.2% were 65 years and over. Accidents of vehicles against pedestrian caused 54.7% of the total number of persons killed during the year, Table 15.

Accidents in the Police Zones:-

The Zones of San Juan (18.1%), Rio Piedras (16.8%) and Bayamón (12.1%) reported, together, 47% of the total number of the accidents registered in the whole Island. The percentages of accidents occurred in the rest of the zones were, in descendent order, as follows:- Ponce 11.9%, Mayaguez 10.7%, Arecibo 9.0%, Aguadilla 6.4%, Caguas 6.1%, Guayanilla 4.8% and Humacao 4.1%. Table 20, Chart L.

All the Police Zones registered an increase in accidents in comparison with previous year. Humacao obtained the largest percentage

of increase 35.7%, followed by Bayamón 31.0%, Río Piedras 29.5%, Caguas 23.4%, Ponce 19.8%, Arecibo 14.3%, Guayanilla 12.0%, Aguadilla 10.6%, San Juan 7.4% and Mayagüez 5.0%.

In the Zone of San Juan the number of persons injured went up 6.0% and deaths increased 57.1% when compared with 1952-53. The changes in the number of persons injured and killed registered in the zones are: Río Piedras, injuries went up 47.4% and deaths remained the same, Bayamón, injuries went up 3.7% and deaths reduced 9.5%, Arecibo, injuries went up 9.3% and deaths 18.2%, Ponce, injuries increased 22.2% and deaths decreased 13.0%, Mayagüez, injuries went up 8.1% and deaths decreased 35.3%, Humacao, injuries and deaths increased 40.2% and 16.7%, respectively; Guayanilla decreased 9.8% in injuries and deaths remain equal, Aguadilla, injuries increased 7.5% and deaths 57.1% and Caguas, injuries went up 16.1% and deaths dropped 8.7%, Table 20.

#### Accidents Motives:-

The causes that produce automobile accidents are many but those that occurred most frequently during the year are shown in Table 23.

Passing other vehicles negligently and speeding were the two specific causes that more contributed to produce the accidents of the year, with 18.0% and 11.3%, respectively. 16.0% of the persons injured and 42.2% of the deaths were due to accidents caused by speeding.

#### Sex, Age and Type of Licenses of the Drivers:-

In the accidents of the year, 27547 drivers were involved. Of this total, 97.6% (26873) were male drivers and 2.4% (674) female drivers.

Female drivers injured 168 (1.8%) persons and caused 2 (0.9%) fatalities during the year 1953-54, Table 24.

78.7% (21683) of the drivers involved in accidents hold licenses type "chauffeur". Drivers under this classification injured 74.9% (6918) persons and caused the death of 168 (7.4%). "Apprentice drivers" involved in accidents totaled 672 (2.4%). They injured 219 (2.3%) persons and caused 2 (0.9%) deaths. The "unauthorized" drivers amounted to 1870 (6.8%), injured 1089 (11.7%) persons and killed 34 (14.6%). Drivers holding licenses of "drivers" totaled 3322 (12.1%). They were responsible for 1121 (12.0%) persons injured and 26 (12.1%) deaths, Table 26.

#### Types of Vehicles:-

Private (46.6%) and Public (20.0%) tourings were the two types of vehicles that more frequently participated in the accidents. Private tourings contributed with 44.6% (4170) of the persons injured and 39.2% (91) of the deaths. 25.3% (2369) of the persons injured and 19.9% (46) of the deaths were caused by public tourings. The distribution of the persons injured and killed are shown in table 27.

#### OTHER KINDS OF ACCIDENTS

Accidents produced by drowning, electrocution, burns, labor, falls, bicycles (without motor) and others, resulted in 202 deaths and 761 injured persons. The highest number of deaths (99) were caused by drowning. In bicycle accidents 1 person resulted killed and 229 injured, Table 28. The Table excludes aviation accidents.

## JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

The Police reported 1644 cases of Juveniles during the year 1953-54. The number of cases reported in the year represents a decrease of 3.2% with respect to the year 1952-53, Table 29, Chart M.

Juvenile cases against the property amounted to 1258. Of all the cases of Juveniles reported, 66% (1080) were cases of minor larcenies and burglaries, Table 29.

Tables 30 and 31 show, by age groups, the total number of juveniles (1407) who committed the 1644 cases reported. It can be noted that 56.1% (818) of the juveniles reported were juveniles between 13 to 15 years of age. 37% (525) of the juveniles reported were repeaters. 54.9% (288) of the repeaters were between 13 to 15 years old and 22.6% (119) were between 10 to 12 years of age. At the time of commitment, 61% (857) of the juveniles were not attending any school.

## POLICE ATHLETIC LEAGUE

The Police Athletic League has helped to increase the Children's right to healthful recreational opportunities by exploring the community availability of resources and engaging its enthusiastic cooperation. The League does not always wait for Children to come to it but often goes after them. The League holds some of their programs in schools, hospitals and other places. But the League, because of its juvenile delinquency objectives, concentrates its efforts in the potentially delinquent group, without altogether ignoring the others.

Unfortunately many more programs can not be effected through

lack of community apathy or adequate personnel facilities. The League's activities are carried out mostly in the urban areas, where chapters are generally organized. Yet, it is prepared to extend its programs to the rural areas just as well. In fact several sub-chapters have been already established. Government agencies are often lending movie projectors and other equipments to give educational pictures. Plans are underway to establish recreational centers where children may assemble in larger numbers to engage freely in writing, studying, reading, playing music and hearing lectures from prominent community leaders.

Three additional communal centers have been established in Aguirre, Isabela and Yauco during the year 1953-54 making a total of 16 communal centers in the whole Island.

What has been done has not been obtained easily. Some Police Districts are unwilling to divert any part of its police personnel to these activities due to insufficient manpower. Some municipalities with high juvenile delinquency are not given enough attention to its preventive phase. In spite of these and many other difficulties, the League increased its children's membership considerable in comparison with previous years. In 1953-54 about 13,783 different activities in which 228,607 children throughout the Island participated were effected. The League's principal internal problem is the need of personnel freed from other police duties and trained in preventive work. The number of days dedicated by Police members to the Police Athletic League amounted to 11,113 days, 87 more than last year.

The following is the financial statement of the League attached  
to the Juvenile Aid Division:-

Incomes 1953-54

Annual Campaign	\$ 3262.58
Chewing Gum Machines	<u>2780.90</u>
Total	\$ 11043.48

Disbursements 1953-54

Athlete Equipment sent to different chapters	\$ 2364.93
Transportation, meals, etc.	2050.72
Central Office (Administration)	<u>3744.78</u>
Total	\$ 8160.43

Budget for the year 1954-55

Cash on bank	\$ 6516.81
Inventory (athletic equipment)	<u>2577.64</u>
Total	\$ 9088.45
Other equipment assets (movable)	\$ 4375.52
Estimate for chewing gum machines	\$ 3000.00
Estimate for annual campaign	<u>6000.00</u>
Total	\$ 18088.45

**STATISTICAL  
TABLES  
AND  
CHARTS**

## ESTADISTICAS

TABLE 1 - CHANGES IN THE POLICE FORCE  
1953-1-54

<u>CHANGES</u>	<u>:Capt.</u>	<u>:Lt.</u>	<u>:Sgt.</u>	<u>:Corpl.</u>	<u>:Dte.</u>	<u>:Guards</u>	<u>:F.P.E.</u>	<u>:Total</u>
Appointments						174		174
Reinstatements						14		14
Resignations					2	98	1	101
Physical Unfitness	1	3	3		4	29		40
Deceased						6		6
For the good of the service						5		5
Reenlistments Disapproved						5		5
Pensions	2	2			2	2	6	14
<u>OTHER CHANGES</u>								
Promotions		16			4		13	33
Reenlistments Approved		27	85	111	624		847	
Authorized Police Force Personnel for the year 1953-54							2739	
Civilian Personnel (Approx.)							189	

TABLE 2 - POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES, JUNE 30, 1954,  
DISTRIBUTED BY POLICE ZONES AND DISTRICTS.

Zones & Districts	POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES											
	1st. : 2nd. :		Total: Col.: Capt.: Lt. : Lt. : Sgt.: Corp.: Dtve.: Guards: FFE: Civilians									
	GRAND TOTAL	2910	1	21	45	89	82	177	236	2050	33	176
General Headquarters	674	1	10	7	10	13	23	73	338	26	171	
Zone I - San Juan												
Total	617	1	14	12	18	40	110	414	4	1		
San Juan	617	4	14	12	18	40	110	414	4	1		
Zone II - Rio Piedras												
Total	192	1	2	7	7	16						
Rio Piedras	139	1	1	4	5	12						
Trujillo Alto	11		1			1						9
Carolina	16		1		1	1						13
Loiza	16			1	1	1						13
Rio Grande	10			1		1						8
Zone III - Bayamón												
Total	161	1	3	9	3	14						
Bayamón	46	1	2	1	1	4						1
Catalão	20		1		1	1						17
Gusynabó	13			1		1						11
Toc Baja	14			1		2						11
Dorado	10			1			1					8
Toc Alta	8			1								7
Naranjito	9			1			1					7
Vega Baja	19		1		1	1						16
Vega Alta	11			1		2						8
Corozal	11			1		1						9
Zone IV - Arecibo												
Total	194	1	3	8	8	15	9					
Arecibo	79	1	1	2	5	5	9					
Camuy	11		1	1		1						9
Hatillo	11			1		1						9
Quebradillas	11			1		1						9
Utuado	30			1		2	3					24

POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES

Zones & Districts : : 1st.:2nd.:  
 Total:Col.:Capt.:Lt. :Lt. :Sgt.:Corpl.:Dtve.:Guards:PM: Civilians

**Zone IV - Arecibo (Cont.)**

Mamati	17	1	1	1	14
Barceloneta	13	1	1	1	11
Ciales	12	1	1	1	10
Morovis	10	1	1	1	8

**Zone V - Ponce**

Total	296	4	13	10	17	19	231	1	1
Ponce	136	2	5	5	5	19	98	1	1
Adjuntas	11		1		1		9		
Pefiuhuas	13		1	1	1		10		
Juana Diaz	21		1	1	2		17		
Villalba	9		1		1		7		
Ceamo	18			1	1		16		
Santa Isabel	14			1	1		12		
Orocovis	11			1	1		9		
Yauco	23		1	1	1		20		
Guayanilla	11			1	1		9		
Guánica	18			1	1		15		
Jayuya	11			1	1		9		

**Zone VI - Mayaguez**

Total	214	1	1	2	6	13	12	172
Mayaguez	105	1	1	2	4	6	12	79
Añasco	11			1		1		9
Hornigueros	12			1		1		10
Maricao	9			1		1		7
Las Marias	9			1		1		8
San German	21				1	2		18
Cabo Rojo	20			1	1			18
Lajas	12			1		1		10
Sabana Grande	15			1		1		13

**Zone VII - Humacao**

Total	158	1	3	6	5	10	2	131
Humacao	45	1	1	1	2	4	2	34
Yabucoa	17		1		1	1		14
Maunabo	9			1				8
Las Piedras	12			1		1		10
Fajardo	22			1		1		20
Vieques	16				1	1		13
Naguabo	15			1				14
Ceiba	10			1		1		8
Loquillo	12				1	1		10

POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES

Zones & Districts : 1st.:2nd.:  
                       : Total:Col.:Capt.:Lt. :Lt. :Sgt.:Corpl.:Dtvc.:Guards:PM: Civilians

**Zone VIII - GUAYAMA**

Total	132	3	6	5	10	1	106	1
Guayama	42		1	2	4	1	32	
Salinas	16		1	1	1		13	
Arroyo	13		1	1			11	
Patillas	12		1		1		10	
Cayey	22		2	1	2		17	
Aibonito	12			1	1		10	
Barranquitas	15			1	1		13	

**Zone IX - Aguadilla**

Total	143	1	3	3	4	9	5	118
Aguadilla	54	1	1		2	3	4	43
Moca	10					1		9
Aguada	13			1		1		11
Mincón	11			1		1		9
Isabela	19			1	1	1	1	15
Lares	15		1			1		13
San Sebastián	21		1		1	1		18

**Zone X - Caguas**

Total	129	1	2	6	3	10	5	101	1
Caguas	55	1	1	2	2	4	5	39	
Aguas Buenas	10			1		1		8	
Gurabo	11			1		1		9	
Juncos	17		1		1	1		14	
San Lorenzo	13			1		1		11	
Cidra	10					1		9	
Cerroíto	13				1	1		11	

TABLE 3 - POLICE DEPARTMENT SALARY SCALE  
1953-1954

CLASSIFICATION	ANNUAL BASIC SALARY
Chief of Police, Colonel	\$ 8,320
Assistant Chief of Police, Adjutant	5,940
Inspector General	5,280
Captains	4,620
Identification Superintendent	4,620
Physician	4,620
Legal Advisor	4,620
Pay Officer	4,620
Property Officer	4,620
Dean of the Academy	4,620
First Lieutenants	3,564
Identification Supervisor	3,564
Questioned Document Expert	3,564
Statistical Officer	3,564
Communication Officer	3,564
Second Lieutenant	2,904
Assistant Communication Officer	2,904
Secretary to the Chief of Police	2,904
Fingerprint Expert & Clerk	2,904
Sergeant	2,244
Fingerprint Expert & Scien. Photographer	1,920
Fingerprint Expert & Ballistic Mechanic	1,920
Corporals	1,648
Detectives	1,716
Fingerprint Experts	1,680
Policemen	1,584
Lawyer II	3,600
Accountant II	3,300
Clerk Steno. III	2,040
Clerk Typist III	1,920
Radio Technician	2,040
Clerk Steno. II	1,560
Aux. Radio Mechanic Technician	1,560
Clerk Typist II	1,440
Clerk Steno. I	1,140
Clerk I	1,080
Clerk Typist I	1,080
Storekeeper II	1,440
Storekeeper I	1,080
Automobile Mechanic	1,740
Cabinet Maker	1,380
Messenger	840
Executive I	3,360
Boat Operator, Supervisor	1,200
Boat Operator	960

TABLE 3 (Cont.)

CLASSIFICATION	ANNUAL BASIC SALARY
Steno. Reporter	\$ 2,640
Accountant Clerk	1,920
Executive II	5,100
Executive III	4,200
Armourer	1,380
Cook Assistant	720
First Cook	1,440
Second Cook	1,200
Third Cook	1,080
Inspector General Assistant	2,904
Assistant Communication Officer	2,904
Secretary to the Police Commission	2,904
Informational Writer I	3,360
Clerk IV	2,520
Clerk III	1,440
Duplication Machine Operator	1,200
Statistician II	3,120
Statistician Clerk	1,920
Clerk III	1,920
Janitor	900
Recreation Officer II	3,000
Chemist	2,280
Assistant Dean of the Academy	4,464
Administration Technician	2,952

PUERTO RICO POLICE ACCOUNTING DIVISION

TABLE 4 - STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES  
AS ON JUNE, 30, 1954

GENERAL BUDGET

TITLES	Budgetary	Total		
	Appropriations	Expenditures	Encumbrances	Unencumbered
<b>T O T A L S</b>	<b>\$ 7,004,781.00</b>	<b>\$ 6,869,386.22</b>	<b>\$ 189,053.17</b>	<b>\$ 25,541.61</b>
Salaries-Regular Employees	5,304,636.00	5,905,106.44	32,677.56	14,296.96
Additional Retribution-Law 69, 1953	647,445.00			
Wages	3,000.00	2,472.25		527.75
Professional & Cons. Services	2,000.00	1,418.00	182.00	400.00
Fees to Jury, Witness & Others	1,000.00	535.75	25.00	136.25
Advert. Print. & Binding	13,700.00	11,727.50	1,495.00	477.50
Traveling Expenses	102,600.00	97,261.04	1,872.04	3,446.92
Maint. & Repair of Bldgs.				
Equipment, etc.	143,000.00	97,077.11	45,494.91	427.98
Miscellaneous Services, Non Personal	163,000.00	242,460.99	13,702.11	1,836.90
Electricity, Water and Sewer Services, Insurance, Premiums	140,000.00	127,261.19	12,798.81	
Food	37,300.00	31,095.83	6,101.50	102.67
Materials, Supplies & Repair Parts	237,476.25	227,230.33	57,899.05	2,338.37
Purchase of Equipment	136,759.07	123,173.61	12,605.17	976.29
Grants, Subsidies & Awards	100.00	67.50		32.50
Confidential Services	3,000.00	2,459.00		541.00
Const. Erection of Flag Pole at Isla de Cabras	500.00	500.00		
Project with Civil Defense of P.R.:				
Materials, Supplies & Rep. Parts	17,523.75	17,523.75		
Purchase of Equipment	31,744.93	31,744.93		

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Totals	30,000.00	29,959.50	40.50
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TABLE 5 - CRIME TRENDS, URBAN AND RURAL, 1950-  
 (BASED ON MAJOR CRIMES)  
 YEARS 1952 - 53 AND 1953 - 54

NUMBER OF CAPITAL OFFENSES

Offenses : Total : 1952-53 : 1953-1954  
 : Urban : Rural ; total : Rural ; Urban ; Percent  
 Increase

2000 & 100 : 1046 : 7036 : 2012 : 1019 : 3238 : + 2006 : 1650 : + 306 : + 42% : + 400% : + 41.6%  
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Murder & Manslaughter

gentle Manslaughter 166, 58, 88, 159, 65, 94, + 13, + 1, + 6, + 9, + 10, 1, + 6.5

Larceny by  
Technician

Robbery 36, 36, 36, 130, 35, 35, 72, 4, 6, + 38, + 34, + 6.1, + 5.3

Rape

Aggravated Assaults 104, 39, 60, 110, 40, 76, + 14, + 3, + 11, + 13, + 7.7, + 6.5

Burglary

Robbery 36, 36, 100, 33, + 21, + 14, + 3, + 8.5

Larceny

Aggravated Assaults 622, 393, 329, 346, 366, 278, + 16, + 37, + 31, + 10.5, + 10.5

Auto Theft

Burglary 2716, 2034, 612, 3711, 3920, + 1008, + 868, + 460, + 37.0, + 30.9

Murder

Aggravated Assaults 6506, 4593, 1513, 2477, 5449, 4720, + 972, + 736, + 216, + 31.9, + 35.1, + 41.6, + 35.4

GROWTH

Offenses : Total : 1952-53 : 1953-1954  
 : Urban : Rural ; total : Rural ; Urban ; Percent  
 Increase

2000 & 100 : 1046 : 7036 : 2012 : 1019 : 3238 : + 2006 : 1650 : + 306 : + 42% : + 400% : + 41.6%  
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TABLE C - ACTUAL CRIMES MONTHLY VARIATIONS  
YEARS 1952 - 53 AND 1953 - 54

MONTHS	ACTUAL CRIMES			HOMICIDES ARRESTED OR DISMISSED				
	1952 - 53		1953 - 54		1952 - 53		1953 - 54	
	: Percent	: Percent	: Percent	: Percent	: Number	: Number	: Number	: Number
TOTALS	: 13411: 100.0%	: 12532: 100.0%	: 15512: 100.0%	: 15577: 100.0%				
July	11651	8.7	11626	9.3	13118	8.5	12892	9.5
August	11519	8.5	12131	9.7	13083	8.4	13318	9.3
September	10904	8.0	11329	9.0	12325	7.9	13019	9.6
October	10225	7.0	9139	7.5	11415	7.4	10431	7.7
November	10917	8.0	9971	7.9	12439	8.1	11259	8.3
December	10794	7.9	10301	8.2	12056	7.9	11303	8.3
January	9473	6.9	10322	8.3	10605	6.9	9853	7.3
February	9996	7.3	9075	7.2	11581	7.4	9466	7.0
March	12478	9.2	10393	8.3	14403	9.3	11057	8.1
April	13619	10.0	10698	8.2	15711	10.1	11220	8.3
May	12294	9.0	10625	8.5	14112	9.1	11307	8.3
June	12205	9.0	9343	7.9	13945	9.0	10931	7.2

TABLE 7 - NUMBER OF OFFENSES KNOWN OR REPORTED TO THE POLICE, ACTUAL,  
CLEARED AND PERSONS CHARGED, BY ZONES AND POLICE DISTRICTS

1953-1954

POLICE ZONES	Offenses:		Actual Known	Offenses: Unfounded	Cleared	Persons Charged: Male	Persons Charged: Female
	Reported	Arrested					
GRAND TOTAL	126254	872	122382	115831	125896	9876	
<b>Zone I - San Juan</b>							
Total	26977	119	26736	23438	24274	2258	
San Juan	26955	119	26736	23438	24274	2258	
<b>Zone II - Rio Piedras</b>							
Total	11603	56	11549	10108	11055	716	
Carolina	1239	1	1234	1231	1213	123	
Loiza	1414	16	1398	1328	1351	145	
Rio Grande	967		967	949	1028	36	
Rio Piedras	7444	39	7405	6120	6903	383	
Trujillo Alto	495		495	480	560	29	
<b>Zone III - Bayamon</b>							
Total	12458	46	12412	11966	12900	710	
Bayamon	2204	9	2195	4866	4957	195	
Cataño	1395		1395	1372	1489	196	
Corozal	882	23	859	866	1011	41	
Dorado	523		523	502	660	72	
Guaynabo	546	11	535	534	531	30	
Baranquillo	382		382	356	467	19	
Ton Alta	620	2	618	404	479	13	
Ton Baja	497		497	496	553	26	
Vega Alta	629	1	628	620	673	40	
Vega Baja	1980		1980	1890	2029	83	
<b>Zone IV - Arecibo</b>							
Total	13086	93	12993	12324	13729	1355	
Arecibo	4419	7	4412	4136	4060	390	
Barceloneta	974	10	956	897	962	49	
Camuy	1219	4	1215	1183	1205	81	
Ciales	968		968	956	955	45	
Hatillo	469	1	468	440	521	33	

POLICE ZONES	Offenses Known		Actual Offenses		Persons Charged	
	Unfounded	Offenses Cleared	Cleared	Male	Female	

**Zone IV - Arecibo (Cont.)**

Manati	1866	23	1843	1793	1903	65
Morovis	535		535	517	646	13
Quebradillas	563	4	564	527	596	49
Utuado	2068	35	2032	1875	2012	174

**Zone V - Ponce**

Total	18708	295	18493	16813	17094	1926
Adjuntas	680	1	679	668	688	22
Ccoamo	1199	2	1194	1159	1152	126
Cuánica	603	2	601	576	609	119
Gurianilla	713	5	708	701	702	91
Jayuya	375	1	374	361	510	16
Juana Díaz	2291	15	2276	2252	2235	266
Orocovis	442	6	436	416	464	14
Pefuelas	763	47	716	703	769	48
Ponce	5792	202	5590	5179	6857	948
Santa Isabel	1062		1062	991	1217	153
Villalba	436		436	424	483	27
Yauco	1432	11	1421	1383	1398	127

**Zone VI - Mayaguez**

Total	10782	176	10606	9630	11709	620
Añasco	640	21	619	595	642	23
Cabo Rojo	1330	104	1226	1130	1381	83
Hormigueros	568		568	558	614	26
Iajas	576		576	566	679	54
Las Marías	330		330	312	435	36
Maricao	253	4	249	231	312	36
Mayaguez	4907	47	4860	4183	5059	235
Sabana Grande	746		746	716	905	45
San Germán	1432		1432	1340	1632	97

**Zone VII - Humacao**

Total	6279	24	6255	5160	6704	563
Ceiba	344	10	334	327	310	14
Fajardo	1236	2	1234	1193	1079	121
Humacao	1393	1	1392	1338	1452	121
Las Piedras	387		387	387	602	31

POLICE ZONES	Offenses:		Actual Offenses Cleared	Persons Charged
	: Known	: Unfounded		

**Zone VII - Humacao (Cont.)**

Luquillo	380		380	359	410	30
Maunabo	493		493	492	532	59
Vieques	466	11	455	446	430	72
Higuerote	675		676	669	761	44
Yabucoa	904		904	889	1063	71

**Zone VIII - Guayanilla**

Total	8476	13	8463	8034	9443	902
Albonite	483	7	476	428	500	12
Arroyo	696		696	686	701	60
Barranquitas	620		620	590	743	31
Cayey	2128	1	2127	2100	2110	260
Guayanilla	2033	5	2028	1930	2690	262
Patillas	921		921	918	1177	71
Selmas	1595		1595	1554	1447	206

**Zone IX - Aguadilla**

Total	9197	38	9159	8825	9464	801
Aguadilla	3594	3	3591	3433	3426	494
Agrada	632		632	629	637	55
Isabela	792	6	789	722	840	79
Lares	1306		1306	1298	1527	97
Moca	542	2	540	531	646	16
Rincón	340	23	317	304	359	3
San Sebastián	1988	4	1984	1908	2029	100

**Zone X - Caguas**

Total	8723	12	8716	8513	9499	451
Aguas Buenas	678	1	677	656	790	17
Caguas	3723	1	3722	3630	3806	158
Cidra	721	2	719	716	939	46
Coamo	770	7	763	734	841	67
Gurabo	839	1	838	794	799	66
Juncos	942		942	933	1051	46
San Lorenzo	1055		1055	1050	1273	57

1952-53 - COMPARISON OF ACTUAL EXPENSES AND EXPENSES CLAIMED BY POLICE ACTIVITIES

TRANS 1952-53 WITH 1953-54

POLICE BONDS	No. of Actual : Offenses	PERCENTAGE : OR OCCURRENCE : OFFENSES CLEARED :	PERCENTAGE : Cleared : Change : 1952-53:1953-54:1952-53:1953-54:1952-53:1953-54:
POLICE DISTRICTS (16 Police Districts)	130418: 125342:-11036:- 9.1%: 100.0%: 130600: 115931: 95.4%: 92.4%: - 3.0%		
San Juan (4 Police Posts)	33510 26735 - 6732 - 20.2 21.3 31517 23430 94.0 97.7 - 6.3		
Rio Piedras (5 Pol. Districts)	11250 11549 + 299 + 2.6 9.2 10722 11161 95.3 97.7 - 7.0		
Leyden (10 Pol. Districts)	12624 12412 - 272 - 2.1 9.3 9.9 11893 11865 93.8 95.6 + 1.8		
Arecibo (9 Pol. Districts)	13163 12993 - 175 - 1.3 9.7 10.4 12863 12324 97.7 94.9 - 2.0		
Ponce (12 Pol. Districts)	19971 19193 - 1478 - 7.4 14.6 14.7 16525 16013 92.8 90.9 - 1.9		
Mayaguez (12 Pol. Districts)	11571 10606 - 953 - 9.4 9.5 9.5 10944 9620 94.6 90.8 - 3.3		
Fuerteventura (9 Pol. Districts)	7093 6235 - 838 - 11.8 5.2 5.0 7034 6100 99.5 97.5 - 2.0		
Guayanilla (9 Pol. Districts)	8624 8463 - 231 - 2.7 6.4 6.7 8591 8214 98.8 97.1 - 1.7		
Aguedilla (7 Pol. Districts)	8229 9159 + 230 + 2.6 6.5 7.3 8754 8825 98.0 96.4 - 1.6		
Paginas (7 Pol. Districts)	8537 8716 - 321 - 8.6 7.0 7.0 9319 9213 97.7 97.7 97.7		

**TABLE 9 - NUMBER OF OFFENSES KNOWN OR REPORTED TO THE POLICE,  
ACTUAL AND CLEARED DURING THE YEAR 1953 - 1954**

OFFENSES	Offenses:		Actual Unknown	Occurrence Unfounded	Offenses: Day	Zone: Night	Urban: Rural	Offenses Cleared
	Total	Actual						
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>126294</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>125322</b>	<b>60152</b>	<b>65230</b>	<b>39809</b>	<b>35573</b>	<b>115831</b>
<b>Criminal Homicide:</b>								
(a) Murder	133		133	53	80	52	81	132
(b) Nonnegligent Manslaughter	26		26	11	15	13	13	26
(i) Manslaughter by Neg.	130		130	56	74	53	72	130
(ii) Manslaughter by Neg.	123	3	110	50	63	42	70	112
Robbery	150	9	141	63	73	107	83	65
<b>Aggravated Assaults:</b>								
Attack to Murder	129		129	44	35	71	58	129
Homicide Attempt to	34		34	11	23	14	20	33
Kill Attempt to	133		133	44	39	52	31	130
Mayhem	243		243	83	159	129	119	243
Burglary	3766	40	3744	1242	2502	2902	642	1377
<b>Larceny:</b>								
Larceny Grand	968	29	979	471	408	601	192	979
Larceny Petit	6341	193	6153	3345	2862	4767	1416	1993
Theft's Cattle	3		3		3		3	
Joy Riding	416	4	412	133	279	301	111	343
Auto Theft	144	3	141	55	86	126	15	35
<b>Other Assualts:</b>								
Aggr. Assualts & Bat. ✓	9349	47	9302	3453	5249	5407	3455	9127
Assualts & Bat. (Lesser)	4629	65	4564	1694	2910	2914	1690	4442
Assault	137		137	33	130	3	13	135
Bribe	667	15	652	549	103	250	102	565
Stolen Property	95		96	75	21	76	18	95
<b>Weapons:</b>								
Firearms Registration	142		142	64	76	87	55	142
Weapons Carrying	4035	7	4038	1406	2512	2522	1333	4031
Prestitution	127	3	124	46	73	75	49	113
<b>Other Sex Offenses:</b>								
Sodomy	43	1	41	14	33	29	13	43
Incest	13		13	6	7	3	10	12
Liquor Law	1151	53	1098	631	417	329	789	1068
Drunkenness	1294	1	12993	4609	8704	11360	1125	12940
Disorderly Conduct	17740	79	17673	5415	11251	12326	4747	17633
<b>Gambling:</b>								
Gambling	1397	1	1396	641	1255	1097	799	1396
Gambling Art. 300	872		872	35	187	204	35	872
Violation of Road & Driv. Laws	157		157	127	30	50	107	157
Traffic Violations	41186	171	40935	28293	16697	21875	13119	40971

O F F E N S E S	:Offenses:		: Actual : OCCURRENCE :		Z o n e :		:Offenses	
	:Known	:Unfounded	:Offenses:	Day	:Night:	Urban:	Rural:	Cleared
<b>All Other Offenses:</b>								
Arson	129	1	128	42	66	13	110	53
False Impersonation	689	3	686	484	202	583	103	571
Malicious Mischief	1760	47	1713	751	922	996	717	1410
Policy Slips	138	10	122	73	49	62	60	122
Unnecessary Noises	1481	2	1479	523	956	1398	81	1469
Internal Revenue	69		69	38	31	40	29	69
Exposure Indecent	296	7	289	125	164	195	94	286
Health Law	110		110	53	27	90	20	110
Health & Safety	109		109	51	50	26	63	109
Public Justice	161		161	67	94	125	36	160
Public Service Commission								
Rules & Regulations	2579	1	2573	2057	921	1463	1119	2573
Closing Law	749		749	626	123	568	181	747
Ordinances Municipal	5994	7	5987	2964	3023	5693	294	5985
Other Offenses	4538	59	4479	2719	1760	3341	1138	4057

TABLE 10 - DISSEMINATION BY THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PERSONS ARRESTED OR  
DETAINED BY THE PUERTO RICO POLICE

1953-1954

OPEN CASES:	14																								
: 6 below: 15 - 16 : 20 - 24 : 25 - 29 : 30 - 34 : 35 - 39 : 40 - 44 : 45 - 49 : over																									
: M : F : M : F : M : F : M : F : M : F : M : F : M : F : M : F :																									
TOTALS: 1959:4913271: 1936:23573: 2238:21760: 1520:19800: 1285:16133: 1061:12971: 772: 7623:495:1030:458																									

Criminal homicide:

(a) Murder	153	1	21	1	29	1	2	12	1	13	5	16	2
(b) Nonnegligent Manslaughter	2	5	6	6	16	1	22	1	13	2	1	15	1
(c) Manslaughter by Neg./3/	9	17	22	14	1	5	11	7	3	4	3	15	2
Robbery	24	36	29	24	1	20	1	20	15	8	14	13	3
Aggravated Assaults:													
Attack to Murder	1	1	24	1	22	5	24	1	25	3	25	13	3
Homicide Attempt to Kill	1	7	7	32	1	6	6	38	3	33	1	26	1
Kill Attempt to Mayhem	1	12	12	5	47	2	32	2	38	2	21	11	8
Burglary	24	515	5	186	5	186	2	17	128	4	96	67	1
Harassment:													
Larceny Credit	68	4	136	9	76	7	64	1	25	4	9	1	1
Larceny Petit	2689	309	20	562	27	299	19	190	17	5	67	6	53
Theft Cattle													
Joy Riding	7	106	2	111	15	49	25	1	13	2	8	12	1
Auto Theft	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	1
Other Assualts:													
Aggr. Assualts & Bat.	65	6	1026	95	1947	128	1493	118	1205	83	905	65	53
Assualts & Bat. Lesser	46	3	670	109	949	140	608	101	516	63	396	61	263
Forgery	7	9	1	20	15	1	17	5	11	50	30	8	23
Embezzlement	6	55	6	73	2	59	1	21	11	1	16	9	1
Stolen Property	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447	2447
Weapons:													
Firearms Registration	1	9	24	22	459	25	369	27	324	17	257	15	122
Weapons Carrying	14	282	22	459	25	369	27	324	17	257	15	122	14



**TABLE 11 - NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF PERSONS ARRESTED OR  
DENOUNCED BY THE P.R. POLICE UNDER 25 YEARS**

1953---1954

OFFENSES	PERSONS ARRESTED OR DENOUNCED						Percentage	
	Under 15 years		Under 20 years		Under 25 years			
	Total	15 years	Total	20 years	Total	25 years		
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>:135772</b>	<b>: 1108</b>	<b>: 16315</b>	<b>: 42126</b>	<b>: 0.8 %</b>	<b>: 12.0 %</b>	<b>: 31.0 %</b>	
Criminal Homicide:								
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	153		14	41		9.2	26.8	
(b) Manslaughter by Neg.	131		9	26		6.9	19.8	
Rape	129	1	25	61	0.8	19.4	47.3	
Robbery	163	1	20	49	0.5	10.9	26.0	
Aggravated Assaults	558	3	63	181	0.5	11.3	32.4	
Burglary	1263	365	885	1073	28.9	70.1	84.9	
Larceny	2688	408	1340	1852	15.2	49.9	68.9	
Auto Theft	31		12	27		38.7	87.1	
Other Assaults	13165	120	2013	5077	0.9	15.3	38.6	
Forgery	86	7	17	37	0.1	19.8	43.0	
Embezzlement	336	6	61	136	1.8	18.2	40.5	
Stolen Property	75		6	12		8.0	16.0	
Weapons	2447	15	338	946	0.6	13.8	34.6	
Prostitution	167		15	37		8.9	22.2	
Other Sex Offenses	56	4	15	26	7.1	26.8	46.4	
Liquor Laws	1107		56	159		5.1	14.4	
Drunkenness	13230	3	1293	3476	0.02	9.8	26.3	
Disorderly Conduct	21176	19	3148	7858	0.08	14.9	37.1	
Gambling	10170	6	975	2221	0.05	9.6	21.8	
Road & Driving Laws	152		5	18		3.3	11.8	
Traffic Violations	38131	10	2639	10184	0.03	6.9	26.7	
All Other Offenses	30344	140	3366	8729	0.5	11.1	28.8	

**TABLE 11-a- SIX YEARS COMPARISON**

Years

1953 - 54	135272	1108	16315	42126	0.8%	12.0%	31.0%
1952 - 53	155122	969	17598	46401	0.6	11.3	29.9
1951 - 52	168211	1077	19523	51258	0.6	11.6	30.5
1950 - 51	163659	776	18984	52450	0.5	11.6	32.0
1949 - 50	188231	530	20720	60191	0.3	11.0	32.0
1948 - 49	172097	399	17614	55360	0.2	10.4	32.2

**TABLE 12 - NUMBER OF PERSONS CHARGED AND RELEASED  
DURING THE YEAR 1953 - 1954**

OFFENSES	Released by :		ARRESTED		DENOUNCED		TOTAL	
	: Police		: Male : Female		Male : Female		Male : Female	
	TOTALS	781	38	56732	5634	69164	4242	125896
<b>Criminal Homicide:</b>								
(a) Murder				117	5	5	122	5
(b) Nonnegligent Manslaughter				23	2	1	24	2
(c) Manslaughter by Neg.				114		17	131	
Rape	3			120		9	129	
Robbery	3			70		12	82	1
<b>Aggravated Assaults:</b>								
Attack to Murder	1			120	3	8	128	3
Homicide Attempt to	1			34		3	37	
Hill Attempt to	1			128	4	10	138	4
Mayhem				211	20	14	225	23
Burglary	92	3		1156	16	89	1245	18
<b>Larceny:</b>								
Larceny Grand	9	2		381	22	30	411	23
Larceny Petit	121	6		1483	77	263	1746	93
Theft Cattle								
Jay Riding	4			355	3	57	412	3
Auto Theft	1			24		7	31	
<b>Other Assualts:</b>								
Aggr. Assualts & Bat.	34	1		5056	317	3204	8260	590
Assualts & Bat. (Lesser)	39			1817	227	1906	3723	592
Forgery	5			77	2	7	84	2
Embezzlement	12			212	3	118	330	6
Stolen Property				37	4	34	71	4
<b>Weapons:</b>								
Firearms Registration				72		11	83	
Weapons Carrying	6			1760	93	486	2246	118
Prostitution	1			39	18	75	114	53
<b>Other Sex Offenses:</b>								
Sodomy	2			40		2	42	
Incest	1			12	1	1	13	1
Liquor Law	1			818	138	134	952	155
Drunkenness	25			11178	1299	713	11891	1339
Disorderly Conduct	54	6		10033	1816	7178	2143	17211
<b>Gambling:</b>								
Gambling	9			3069	31	6743	9812	45
Gambling Art. 300				87		208	18	295
Violation of Road & Rv. Laws				8		142	2	156
Traffic Violations	198	6		3116	31	34512	472	37628
								503

OFFENSES	Released by :		ARRESTED	DENOUNCED	TOTAL	
	Police					
	Male	Female				
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female

All Other Offenses:

Arson	9	23	3	9	32	3
False Impersonation	15	3	258	10	217	16
Malicious Mischief	41		592	40	624	63
Policy Slips			119	12	1	1
Unnecessary Noises			48	2	1292	93
Internal Revenue			22	1	40	3
Exposure Indecent	5		180	36	76	4
Health Law			9	2	86	19
Health & Safety			66	1	44	110
Public Justice	1		122	6	23	7
Public Service Commission						
Rules & Regulations	3		257		2203	1
Closing Law	7		9		699	41
Ordinances Municipal	6	2	867	508	4652	359
Other Offenses	71	9	991	55	3199	204
Warrants of Arrest			11402	826		1
					11402	827

TABLE 12 e - NUMBER OF PERSONS FOUND GUILTY  
1953-1954

OFFENSES	Persons Found Guilty of :					
	Offense	Lesser	Acquitted or			
	Charged	Offense	Filed			
	Male : Female	Male : Female	Male : Female	Male : Female	Male : Female	Male : Female
TOTALS	85402 : 6445	845 : 61	19066 : 1489			
Criminal Homicide:						
(a) Murder	29	1	14	1	6	
(b) Nonnegligent Manslaughter	9		2		2	
(c) Manslaughter by Neg.	15				25	2
Rape	19		1		19	
Robbery	9	1	3		4	
Aggravated Assaults:						
Attack to Murder	25		2		6	1
Homicide Attempt to	8		3		2	
Kill Attempt to	23	2	6		6	
Mayhem	44	1	4	1	17	3
Burglary	413		12		96	2
Larceny:						
Larceny Grand	221	12	9		48	2
Larceny Petit	907	8	22	2	349	11
Theft Cattle						
Joy Riding	199		5		68	
Auto Theft	4				6	
Other Assaults:						
Aggr. Assaults & Bat.	3150	167	478	29	3298	189
Assaults & Bat. (Lesser)	2171	228	148	22	1076	112
Forgery	38				204	
Embezzlement	168	4	2	2	75	6
Stolen Property	50				58	2
Weapons:						
Firearms Registration	41	3			22	1
Weapons Carrying	1222	52	9	1	1389	108
Prostitution	59	26			26	31
Other Sex Offenses:						
Sodomy	11					
Incest	1				1	
Liquor Law	245	71	1		56	5
Drunkenness	11543	1489			391	62
Disorderly Conduct	12865	2414			3047	619
Gambling:						
Gambling	9032	14	6		492	3
Gambling Art. 300	350	3			52	3

O F F E N S E S	Persons Found Guilty of :					
	Offense	Lesser	Acquitted or			
	Charged	Offense	Filed			
	Male : Female	Male : Female	Male : Female			
Violation of Road & Driv. Laws	241	2		15	1	
Traffic Violations	27778	191		5412	90	
All Other Offenses:						
Arson	11			3		
False Impersonation	305	10		187	19	
Malicious Mischief	574	30	23	523	29	
Policy Slips	36	6		13	1	
Unnecessary Noises	968	38	1	140	3	
Internal Revenue	28	1		14	1	
Exposure Indecent	163	14	4	51	8	
Health Law	125	6		18	3	
Health & Safety	48			42		
Public Justice	51	6		28	8	
Public Service Commission						
Rules & Regulations	2753			119	1	
Closing Law	412	10		50	2	
Ordinances Municipal	5902	1145	54	743	69	
Other Offenses	3136	500	26	907	92	

**TABLE 13 - NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS, DISTRIBUTED BY TYPES  
JULY 1953 - JUNE 1954**

Collision with	: No. of	Zones	: No. of	:		
	: Accidents	Urban	Rural	Vehicles	Injured	Deaths
<b>T O T A L S</b>	<b>: 17176</b>	<b>: 9687</b>	<b>: 7289</b>	<b>: 27575</b>	<b>: 9347</b>	<b>: 232</b>
Pedestrians	3083	1916	1167	3108	2966	127
Other Vehicles	9977	6041	3936	20303	2915	40
Trains	42	19	23	54	25	2
Bicycles	829	663	166	846	608	4
Animals	222	86	196	223	51	
Fixed Objects	1507	632	875	1514	1330	29
Overturned	435	98	337	437	575	14
Other Accidents	2681	492	589	1090	877	16

TABLE 14 - DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS BY AGE GROUPS, JULY 1953 - JUNE 1954

Collision with		INJURED						Ages 65 & over				
		Total	Ages 0-4	Ages 5-15	Ages 16-24	Ages 25-64	& over	% of	% of	% of	% of	
		No.	Total	No.	Total	No.	Total	No.	Total	No.	Total	
TOTALS		9347	100.0%	390	100.0%	1752	100.0%	2547	100.0%	4325	100.0%	
Pedestrians	2966	31.7	270	69.2	1041	59.4	429	16.8	1010	23.4	216	64.9
Other Vehicles	2915	31.2	72	18.5	249	14.2	849	33.3	1687	39.0	58	17.4
Trains	25	0.3			4	0.2	1		20	0.5		
Bicycles	608	6.5	4	1.0	166	9.5	315	12.4	123	2.8		
Animals	51	0.5			8	0.5	9	0.4	34	0.8		
Fixed Objects	1330	14.2	15	3.8	93	5.3	521	20.5	690	15.9	11	3.3
Overturned	575	6.2	8	2.1	35	2.0	226	8.9	302	7.0	4	1.2
Other Accidents	877	9.4	21	5.4	156	8.9	197	7.7	459	10.6	44	13.2

TABLE 15 - DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS BY AGE GROUPS  
JULY 1953 - JUNE 1954

Collision with	KILLED										Ages 65 & Over	
	Total		Ages 0-4		Ages 5-15		Ages 16-24		Ages 25-64		Over	
	No.:	%	No.:	%	No.:	%	No.:	%	No.:	%	No.:	%
TOTALS	232	100.0	9	160.0%	57	100.0%	40	100.0%	107	100.0%	19	100.0%
Pedestrians	127	54.7	6	66.7	44	77.2	7	17.5	56	52.3	14	73.6
Other Vehicles	40	17.2	2	22.2	3	5.2	11	27.5	21	19.6	3	15.8
Trains	2	1.0					1	2.5	1	1.0		
Bicycles	4	1.7	1	11.1	1	1.8	2	5.0				
Animals												
Fixed Objects	29	12.5			1	1.8	12	30.0	16	14.9		
Overturned	14	6.0			4	7.0	4	10.0	5	4.7	1	5.3
Other Accidents	16	6.9			4	7.0	3	7.5	8	7.5	1	5.3

TABLE 16 - COMPARISON OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS FOR THE YEAR 1952-53 WITH 1953-54

	<u>Accidents</u>	<u>% of</u>	<u>1952-53</u>	<u>1953-54</u>	<u>% of</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Injured</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Killed</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Change</u>
Collision with												
Total: No. : Total:	No. : %		1952-53:1953-54:	No. : %		:1952-53:1953-54:	No. : %		:1952-53:1953-54:	No. : %		
TOTALS	:14607:100.0%	:17176:100.0%	+25691+ 27.6%	8133: 9347 :+1214:+ 14.9%	221: 232 :+11 :+ 4.9%							
Pedestrian	2940	20.1	3083	17.9	+ 143 + 4.9	2968	2966	- 2 - 0.1	97	127	+ 30 + 30.9	
Other vehicles	8231	56.3	9977	58.1	+1746 + 21.2	2249	2915	+ 666 + 29.6	38	40	+ 2 + 5.3	
Trains	24	0.2	42	0.3	+ 18 + 75.0	17	25	+ 8 + 47.1	1	2	+ 1 +100.0	
Bicycles	644	4.4	829	4.6	+ 185 + 28.7	497	608	+ 111 + 22.3	11	4	- 7 - 63.6	
Animals	214	1.5	222	1.3	+ 8 + 3.7	49	51	+ 2 + 4.1				
Fixed Objects	1236	8.5	1507	8.8	+ 271 + 21.9	989	1330	+ 341 + 34.5	16	29	+ 13 + 81.3	
Overturned	357	2.4	435	2.5	+ 78 + 21.6	570	575	+ 5 + 0.9	32	34	- 18 - 56.3	
Other accidents	961	6.6	1081	6.3	+ 120 + 12.5	794	877	+ 83 + 10.5	26	16	- 10 - 38.5	

TABLE 17 - AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS MONTHLY VARIATION  
YEARS 1952-53 AND 1953-54

MONTHS	<u>ACCIDENTS</u>				<u>PERSONS INJURED</u>				<u>PERSONS KILLED</u>			
	1952-53	1953-54	No. :	% :	1952-53	1953-54	No. :	% :	1952-53	1953-54	No. :	% :
<b>T O T A L S: 14607:100.0%:17176:100.0%: 8133:100.0%:9347:100.0%: 221:100.0%: 232: 100.0%</b>												
July	1123	7.7	1344	7.8	701	8.6	791	8.5	8	3.6	16	6.9
August	1139	7.9	1319	7.7	665	8.2	697	7.4	16	8.1	9	3.5
September	1091	7.5	1305	8.1	632	7.8	797	8.5	16	7.2	11	4.7
October	1173	8.0	1322	8.0	696	8.6	796	8.5	13	5.9	26	12.1
November	1137	7.8	1426	8.3	679	8.4	706	7.6	21	9.5	14	6.0
December	1308	8.9	1602	9.3	789	9.7	828	8.9	24	10.9	29	12.5
January	1090	7.5	1286	7.5	622	7.6	769	8.2	13	5.9	32	13.8
February	1192	8.2	1293	7.5	646	7.9	670	7.2	21	9.5	17	7.3
March	1261	8.6	1530	8.9	667	8.2	828	8.9	35	15.0	23	9.9
April	1275	8.7	1597	9.3	626	7.7	834	8.9	16	7.3	23	9.9
May	1464	10.0	1631	9.5	772	9.5	907	9.7	19	8.6	21	9.1
June	1354	9.3	1385	8.1	638	7.8	724	7.7	17	7.7	10	4.3

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**TABLE 10 - DISTRIBUTION OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS IN  
POLICE ZONES AND DISTRICTS**

1953 -- 1954

DISTRICTS	Number of Accidents		Number of Vehicles		Urban		Rural		Motorcycles		Bicycles		Children		Adults		Older Adults	
	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>17176</b>	<b>27075</b>	<b>9807</b>	<b>7289</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>1729</b>	<b>8118</b>										
<b>Zona I - San Juan</b>																		
Total	316	2320	196	60	21	8	26	16										
San Juan	316	2320	196	60	21	8	26	16										
<b>Zona II - Rio Piedras</b>																		
Total	270	1550	166	105	19	11	210	110										
Carolina	912	522	56	256	8	1	100	26										
Lajas	150	85	31	103		1	30	35										
Rio Grande	153	83	46	107	8	3	100	37										
Rio Piedras	2255	1370	1777	472	15	5	341	146										
San Juan Alto	90	13	14	70			32	13										
<b>Zona III - Bayamon</b>																		
Total	292	195	72	134	7	7	246	105										
Bayamon	1010	172	39	63	11		373	73										
Cabo Rojo	193	295	106	87	2	1	34	34										
Caguas	117	15	31	65	1	1	21	12										
Dominican	49	77	16	39	1	1	43	14										
Guayanilla	100	149	20	35	3	3	29	14										
Hato Rey	46	65	14	34			26	16										
Ponce Alta	22	17	24	31			19	19										
Ponce Baja	127	210	12	115	5	5	124	77										
Turrialba Alta	130	235	31	99	5	2	122	65										
Turrialba Baja	253	421	70	170	5	2	153	83										
<b>Zona IV - Caguas</b>																		
Total	153	235	619	296	2	1	60	25										
Arecibo	72	1140	373	263	10	8	263	52										
Barronete	131	175	23	103	2	1	97	25										
Cayey	75	115	25	50	1	1	56	12										
Ciales	71	107	21	30	1	1	52	11										
Fajardo	70	162	17	51	1	1	62	11										

DISTRICTS : Number of : Number of : ZONES : DEATHS : INJURIES  
 : Accidents : Vehicles : Urban : Rural : Adults : Children : Adults : Children

**Zone IV - Arecibo (Cont.)**

Manati	145	225	49	95	5	1	101	24
Morovis	73	111	33	40			19	12
Quebradillas	67	103	22	45	1		41	9
Utuado	179	263	76	103			60	37

**Zone V - Ponce**

Total	2047	3069	1017	1030	15	5	983	305
Adjuntas	80	133	30	50			29	7
Cosmo	75	104	41	34	1	1	47	14
Guánica	76	122	26	50			42	8
Guayanilla	108	155	32	76			68	15
Jayuya	43	62	20	23			29	8
Juana Diaz	132	246	51	131	3		129	29
Orocovis	51	77	19	32			26	9
Pefiuelas	100	142	19	81	1		70	6
Ponce	938	1443	616	322	2	3	385	156
Santa Isabel	151	215	43	108	2		75	19
Villalba	61	94	21	40			21	10
Yauco	122	275	99	83			62	22

**Zone VI - Mayaguez**

Total	1843	2920	991	852	4	7	720	196
Añasco	75	118	20	55			38	9
Cabo Rojo	193	303	52	141	1		108	22
Hormigueros	85	139	25	60			44	4
Is. Juncos	74	115	25	49			32	11
Las Marías	44	65	6	38			14	4
Maricao	22	34	3	19			15	1
Mayaguez	1053	1697	728	325	2	5	330	115
Sabana Grande	98	150	38	60	1	1	43	4
San Germán	199	299	94	105	1		96	26

**Zone VII - Humacao**

Total	710	1025	317	393	6	8	373	140
Ceiba	28	35	9	19	2		10	8
Fajardo	99	149	70	29		2	40	23
Humacao	164	267	103	81	3		120	31
Las Piedras	93	135	32	61			38	23
Luzillo	75	113	22	53	1		42	12
Maunabo	42	55	12	30		1	15	9

DISTRICTS	Number of Accidents		Number of Vehicles		ZONES		DEATHS		INJURIES	
	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Adults	Children	Adults	Children

**Zone VII - Humacao (Cont.)**

Vieques	10	14	4	6			1	1	4
Maguabo	89	131	27	62			2	60	21
Tebucán	90	125	36	52			1	47	9

**Zone VIII - Guayanilla**

Total	817	1252	300	517	12	5	351	117
Aibonito	44	67	23	21	1		18	6
Arroyo	46	68	28	18		1	17	12
Barranquitas	100	152	26	74			56	12
Cayey	254	397	77	177	4	3	168	35
Guayanilla	148	226	86	62			29	25
Patillas	64	99	13	51			36	7
Salinas	161	243	47	114	3	1	87	20

**Zone IX - Aguadilla**

Total	1093	1668	430	654	17	5	451	125
Aguadilla	392	638	178	214	3	1	153	32
Aguada	95	141	38	57	2		52	15
Isabela	113	165	44	69	5	3	43	18
Lares	112	175	39	73	2		38	15
Moca	91	125	20	71	1		62	16
Rincón	77	115	24	53		1	26	8
San Sebastián	213	319	96	117	4		83	21

**Zone X - Caguas**

Total	1054	1633	446	608	17	4	543	140
Aguas Buenas	63	101	21	42	3		25	4
Caguas	497	812	252	245	7	1	202	52
Cidra	97	132	29	68	1	1	60	21
Comerío	110	162	40	70		1	40	16
Gurabo	74	115	21	53	4		70	13
Juncos	124	187	50	74	1		75	20
San Lorenzo	89	124	33	56	1	1	71	23

TABLE 20 - COMPARISON OF AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS IN POLICE ZONES  
YEARS 1952-53 WITH 1953-54

POLICE ZONES	No. of Acces.	CHANCE	INCIDENCE OF ENCOUNTERS	PERSONS INJURED	CHANCE	PERSONS KILLED	CHANCE
T.O.T.A.L.S	14607	17.76 + 25.69 + 17.6%	100.0%	8133	9347 + 1214 + 14.9%	221	232 + 11 + 4.9%
(76 Pol. Districts)							
San Juan (4 Police Posts)	2900	3116 + 216 + 7.4	19.0	18.1	1265	1341 + 76 + 6.0	21
Mo Piedras (5 Pol. Districts)	2223	2879 + 656 + 29.5	15.2	16.8	1023	1508 + 485 + 47.4	30
Bayamon (10 Pol. Districts)	1589	2032 + 493 + 32.0	10.9	12.1	1089	1129 + 40 + 3.7	42
Arecibo (9 Pol. Districts)	1343	1535 + 192 + 24.3	9.2	9.0	938	916 + 73 + 9.3	22
Ponce (12 Pol. Districts)	1768	2047 + 339 + 19.8	11.7	11.9	1054	1203 + 234 + 22.2	23
Mayaguez (9 Pol. Districts)	1735	1843 + 88 + 5.0	12.0	10.7	847	916 + 69 + 8.1	17
Rincones (9 Pol. Districts)	923	710 + 187 + 35.7	3.6	4.1	366	513 + 247 + 40.2	12
Cayeyana (7 Pol. Districts)	724	817 + 93 + 12.8	5.0	4.8	519	468 - 51 - 9.8	17
Aguadilla (7 Pol. Districts)	960	1093 + 105 + 10.6	6.8	6.4	536	576 + 40 + 7.5	14
Caguas (7 Pol. Districts)	854	1054 + 200 + 23.4	5.8	6.1	596	692 + 96 + 16.1	23
							21 + 0 + 57.1
							- 2 - 6.7

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**TABLE 21 - NUMBER OF DEATHS, INJURIES AND NUMBER OF VEHICLES  
INVOLVED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED BY HOURS  
1953 - 1954**

DAY HOURS	Number of Accidents:		Zone:		Number of Vehicles:		<u>PERSONS</u>	
	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Injured	Killed	Injured	Killed
<b>T O T A L S</b>	<b>: 17176 : 9887 : 7289 : 27575 : 9347 : 232</b>							
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A. M.								
12:01 - 1:00	244	147	97	389	186	8		
1 :01 - 2:00	221	161	120	338	193	7		
2 :01 - 3:00	202	93	109	303	182	3		
3 :01 - 4:00	181	81	100	271	165	7		
4 :01 - 5:00	112	68	44	173	87	7		
5 :01 - 6:00	157	78	79	241	116	6		
6 :01 - 7:00	238	112	126	371	170	2		
7 :01 - 8:00	570	326	244	959	247	2		
8 :01 - 9:00	622	412	210	935	264	5		
9 :01 - 10:00	663	460	203	1053	296	3		
10:01 - 11:00	855	526	329	1371	410	5		
11:01 - 12:00	998	635	363	1601	507	10		
P. M.								
12:01 - 1:00	915	565	350	1473	462	11		
1 :01 - 2:00	927	542	385	1466	474	12		
2 :01 - 3 :00	1143	645	498	1868	575	13		
3 :01 - 4:00	1294	729	565	2086	649	16		
4 :01 - 5:00	1337	719	618	2150	731	17		
5 :01 - 6:00	1411	795	616	2324	739	13		
6 :01 - 7:00	1128	694	434	1778	682	18		
7 :01 - 8:00	1041	577	464	1686	612	16		
8 :01 - 9:00	969	539	430	1582	487	17		
9 :01 - 10:00	716	380	336	1170	395	10		
10:01 - 11:00	616	347	269	1006	363	13		
11:01 - 12:00	616	316	300	981	350	11		

TABLE 22 - AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED BY DAYS OF THE WEEK  
JULY 1953 - JUNE 1954

DAY HOURS	:Number of: Accidents	DAYS OF THE WEEK						
		Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
<b>T O T A L S</b>	<b>: 17176 : 3179 : 2302 : 2033 : 2093 : 2165 : 2399 : 3005</b>							
A. M.								
12:01 - 1:00	244	72	40	18	24	30	29	31
1 :01 - 2:00	221	63	29	16	18	16	35	44
2 :01 - 3:00	202	64	32	7	18	17	25	39
3 :01 - 4:00	181	55	27	16	7	15	26	35
4 :01 - 5:00	112	30	17	8	12	12	16	17
5 :01 - 6:00	157	38	22	13	13	25	22	24
6 :01 - 7:00	238	33	44	39	23	31	35	33
7 :01 - 8:00	570	48	83	93	101	84	98	63
8 :01 - 9:00	622	62	114	100	95	99	86	66
9 :01 - 10:00	663	65	98	89	89	92	107	123
10:01 - 11:00	855	111	135	124	115	113	117	140
11:01 - 12:00	998	110	155	134	146	150	138	165
P. M.								
12:01 - 1:00	915	115	146	124	119	128	133	150
1 :01 - 2:00	927	163	130	126	118	132	112	146
2 :01 - 3:00	1143	229	159	133	130	153	143	196
3 :01 - 4:00	1294	205	191	170	161	170	180	217
4 :01 - 5:00	1337	235	169	152	181	152	215	233
5 :01 - 6 :00	1411	262	184	172	175	176	204	238
6 :01 - 7:00	1128	288	131	118	111	138	146	196
7 :01 - 8:00	1041	277	112	108	111	121	121	191
8 :01 - 9:00	969	226	95	103	101	109	123	212
9 :01 - 10:00	716	168	60	61	89	78	103	157
10:01 - 11:00	616	140	50	53	79	54	91	144
11:01 - 12:00	616	120	79	51	57	70	94	145

**TABLE 23 - AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS, IN PERCENTAGE, DISTRIBUTED BY MOTIVES, JULY 1953 - JUNE 1954**

MOTIVES OR CAUSES	Number of Accidents	Percent of Total	Zones :			Percent Injured	Percent Killed	Percent Percent
			Urban	Mural	Injured			
<b>T O T A L S</b>	<b>17176</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>9887</b>	<b>7289</b>	<b>9347</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Speeding	1949	11.3	1046	903	1497	16.0	98	42.2
Passing other vehicles	3098	18.0	1762	1336	531	5.7	2	0.9
Responsibility of pedestrian	1277	7.4	920	357	1235	13.2	32	13.8
... claxon	301	1.8	125	176	187	2.0		
Mechanical defects	443	2.6	199	244	363	3.9	4	1.7
Lack of experience	503	3.0	247	261	398	4.3	5	2.2
Distance	1108	6.5	671	437	303	3.2	1	0.4
Reverse	1055	6.1	827	228	228	2.4	3	1.3
Driving left	226	1.3	91	135	150	1.6	1	0.4
Animals	192	1.1	21	171	35	0.4		
Drunkenness	174	1.0	92	82	117	1.2	5	2.2
at road	513	3.0	96	417	391	4.2	1	0.4
Improper load	58	0.3	24	34	20	0.2		
Disobeying signal	98	0.6	77	21	81	0.9	1	0.4
Other causes	6176	36.0	3689	2487	3811	40.8	79	34.1

TABLE 24 - SEX OF DRIVERS IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS, YEAR  
1953 - 1954

SEX	Number of:		Persons :		Persons :	
	Drivers	Percent	Injured	Percent	Killed	Percent
TOTALS	: 27547	: 100.0%	9347	: 100.0%	232	: 100.0%
Male	26873	97.6	9179	98.2	230	99.1
Female	674	2.4	168	1.8	2	0.9

TABLE 25 - AGE GROUPS OF DRIVERS IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS, YEAR  
1953 - 1954

AGE GROUPS	Number of Drivers : Percentage	
TOTALS	: 27547	: 100.0%
Under 21 years	1467	5.3
21 - 24 years	8699	31.6
30 - 39 years	9742	35.4
40 - 49 years	5224	18.9
50 & over	2415	8.8

TABLE 26 - CLASSIFICATION OF DRIVERS BY KIND OF LICENSES, YEAR  
1953- 1954

KIND OF LICENSES	Number of:		Persons :		Persons :	
	Drivers	Percent	Injured	Percent	Killed	Percent
TOTALS	: 27547	: 100.0%	9347	: 100.0%	232	: 100.0%
Drivers	3322	12.1	1121	12.0	28	12.1
Chauffeur	21683	78.7	6918	74.0	168	72.4
Apprentice	672	2.4	219	2.3	2	0.9
Unauthorized	1870	6.8	1089	11.7	34	14.6

TABLE 27 - NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES INVOLVED IN  
ACCIDENTS DISTRIBUTED BY TYPES  
1953 - 1954

TYPES OF VEHICLES	:Number of	:Percent	:Persons	:Percent	:Persons	:Percent
	:Vehicles	:of total:	Injured	:of total:	Killed	:of total:
TOTALS	: 27575	: 100.0%	9347	: 100.0%	232	: 100.0%
Federal Government	194	0.7	49	0.5		
Public Tourings	5516	20.0	2369	25.3	46	19.9
Public Busses	1156	4.2	411	4.4	7	3.0
Public Trucks	974	3.5	206	2.2	13	5.6
Private Tourings	12859	46.6	4170	44.6	91	39.2
Private Heavy Trucks	2257	8.2	462	5.0	27	11.6
Private Light Trucks	3282	11.9	1191	12.7	31	13.4
State Government	541	2.0	123	1.3	3	1.3
Others	796	2.9	366	4.0	14	6.0

TABLE 28 - OTHER KINDS OF ACCIDENTS  
1953-1954

K I N D	Number of:      INJURIES :      DEATHS										
	Accidents: Men:Women:Boys:Girls			Total: Men:Women:Boys:Girls							
T O T A L S	854	310	126	234	81	761	108	12	61	21	202
Firearms	3	2			2				1	1	
Drowning	97		2			2	43	9	31	11	99
Electrocution	19	4		2		6	12	1	2		15
Burning	40	11	5	27	1	44	2		5	3	10
Labor	30	19	4	1		24	12				12
Falls	142	64	19	33	10	126	10		6	2	18
Bicycles	240	57	26	101	45	229			1		1
Others	283	153	70	70	35	328	24	2	16	4	46

TABLE 29 - JUVENILE DELINQUENCY  
JULY 1953 - JUNE 1954

OFFENSES	Reported during:		Sentenced : Boys	Sentenced : Girls	Acquitted : Boys	Acquitted : Girls
	the year	Boys : Girls				
TOTALS	: 1596	: 48	: 680	: 13	: 230	: 10
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Criminal Homicide:						
(a) Murder & Nonnegligent Manslaughter	2				1	
(b) Manslaughter by Neg.	1					
Rape	9				1	
Robbery	4					
Aggravated Assaults:						
Attack to Murder	1					
Homicide Attempt to Kill	1				1	
Attempt to Kill	2					
Mayhem	2					
Burglary	589	5	308	3	50	
Larceny:						
Larceny Grand	37	5	19	1	7	2
Larceny Petit	468	18	220	4	77	2
Joy Riding	41		16		3	
Other Assualts	166	16	47	1	32	5
Forgery	8		5			
Embezzlement	8		3		1	
Weapons:						
Firearms Registration	3		1			
Weapons Carrying	21		7		6	
Other Sex Offenses:						
Sodomy	3		5			
Liquor Law	4					
Disorderly Conduct	17	3	4	3	12	
Gambling						
Drunkenness	1		1			
All Other Offenses:						
Arson	13		2		5	
False Impersonation			2		1	
Malicious Mischief	75		15	1	19	
Indecent Exposure	1					
Ordinances Municipal	4					
Other Offenses	110	1	22		17	1
Auto Theft	1					

TABLE 30 - NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF JUVENILES REPORTED,  
DISTRIBUTED BY AGE GROUPS  
1953-1954

AGE GROUPS	No. of	Per	Chilas	Percent	Non Reporters	Scholars	Percent	Non Scholars	Percent	
	Reported:of Total:Number	Total:of Total:Number	Reported:of Total:Number							
<b>TOTALS : 1497 : 100.0% : 325 : 100.0% : 892 : 100.0% : 550 : 100.0% : 857 : 100.0%</b>										
Under 7 years	4	0.4	-	-	4	0.5	-	4	0.5	
7 - 9 years	68	4.8	12	2.3	56	6.3	37	6.7	31	3.6
10 - 12 years	391	27.8	119	22.6	272	30.8	205	37.3	166	21.7
13 - 15 years	803	56.1	238	54.9	530	60.1	300	54.5	528	60.4
16 - 18 years	103	7.3	84	16.0	19	2.2	6	1.1	97	11.3
19 - 21 years	23	1.6	22	4.2	1	0.1	2	0.4	21	2.5

TABLE 31 - DISTRIBUTION OF JUVENILES BY GRADES OF SCHOOL REACHED  
1953-1954

AGE GROUPS	G R A D E S		G R A D E S		G R A D E S		G R A D E S		G R A D E S	
	Total	1st.	4th.	7th.	1st.	4th.	7th.	1st.	4th.	7th.
Children: None	None	to	&	Not	to	to	to	to	to	to
TOTALS	1407	134	395	325	178	175	100	100	100	100
Under 7 years	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	2.2	0.2	0.2
7 - 9 years	68	20	38	4	1	5	15.0	9.6	0.6	2.9
10 - 12 years	391	35	165	158	9	21	26.1	42.5	30.1	5.1
13 - 15 years	318	63	181	334	153	87	47.0	45.8	63.6	49.7
16 - 18 years	103	12	8	24	11	48	9.0	2.1	4.6	6.2
19 - 21 years	23	1	4	4	4	14	0.7	0.7	2.2	8.0

TABLE 32 - ALLEGED PROSTITUTES REPORTED, SENTENCED  
AND ACQUITTED DURING THE YEAR 1953-1954

O F F E N S E S	Reported during:		
	: the year	: Sentenced	: Acquitted
T O T A L S	: 2952	: 3425	: 247
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Aggravated Assaults:			
Attack to Murder	1		
Homicide Attempt to			
Kill Attempt to	1	1	
Mayhem	5	1	1
Larceny:			
Larceny Grand	5	2	
Larceny Petit	12	17	3
Joy Riding	1		
Other Assaults	180	147	32
Embezzlement		1	
Stolen Property	1		
Weapons:			
Weapons Carrying	71	51	41
Prostitution	25	8	23
Liquor Law	1	1	
Drunkenness	969	1188	32
Disorderly Conduct	1140	1354	65
Other Offenses:			
Health Law	2	4	
Arson			
False Impersonation	1		
Malicious Mischief	8	9	2
Unnecessary Noises	3	2	
Indecent Exposure	20	18	7
Public Justice	2	2	2
Ordinances Municipal	474	587	37
Other Offenses	30	32	2

TABLE 33 - SUICIDES AND ATTEMPTS TO COMMIT SUICIDES  
DISTRIBUTED BY SEX, AGES, ZONES AND MOTIVES  
1953--1954

DESCRIPTION	SUICIDES						ATTEMPTS			:SUICIDES			
	SUICIDES			ATTEMPTS			:ATTEMPTS						
	Men	Women	Boys	Girls	Total	Men	Women	Boys	Girls	Total	Urban	Rural	
TOTALS	182	66			248	171	234			2	407	327	328
Hanging	85	21			106	12	8			20	52	74	
firearms	24	4			28	8	1			9	22	15	
Poisoning	52	18			70	101	202			2	305	193	182
Browning	8	1			9	2	4			6	6	9	
Decollation	3	1			4	19				19	9	14	
Others	10	21			31	29	19			48	45	34	
<u>MOTIVES</u>													
TOTALS	182	66			248	171	234			2	407	327	328
Sickness	36	5			41	23	17			40	38	45	
Family Troubles	20	10			30	27	59			86	64	52	
Jealousy	5	7			12	3	18			21	19	14	
Insanity	29	11			40	17	14			31	28	43	
Love Affairs	1				1	5	15			20	10	11	
Others	92	32			124	96	111			2	209	166	165
<u>AGES</u>													
TOTALS	182	66			248	171	234			2	407	327	328
10 - 15 years								2			2		2
16 - 20 years	8	17			25	24	72			2	98	70	53
21 - 30 years	47	19			66	52	108			160	112	114	
31 - 40 years	44	12			56	44	35			79	69	66	
41 - 50 years	29	7			36	28	11			39	37	30	
51 - 60 years	53	11			64	21	6			27	38	53	
61 - 70 years							1			1	1	1	
71 years & over	1				1	1				1		2	

**TABLE 3 - MISSING AND FOUND PROPERTY  
1963-1964**

TYPES OF PROPERTY	Missing or Stolen		Recovered		Percentage Recovered
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6,136,116</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5,064,411</b>	<b>81%</b>	
Automobiles	5,707,744	93%	5,377,822	91%	
Bicycles	217,611	4%	160,936	21%	
Boats	324,122	6%	187,916	58%	
Bicycles	217,611	4%	160,936	21%	
Cattle	707,822	12%	560,111	30%	
Others	426,343	7%	343,271	80%	

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TABLE 35 - WEAPONS SEIZED BY THE POLICE  
1953---1954

TYPES OF WEAPONS	: NUMBER SEIZED
<b>T O T A L</b>	<b>2310</b>
Revolvers (1)	212
Pistols (1)	47
Rifles	3
Bdaggers	82
Machetes	580
Razors	514
Knives	561
Shotguns	8
Others	303

(1) Of the 259 firearms seized by the Police, (revolvers and pistols), 131 were registered and 128 were not registered.

TABLE 36 - POLICE SERVICES RENDERED TO OTHER GOVERNMENT'S  
AGENCIES

1953---1954

GOVERNMENT'S AGENCIES	:AVERAGE NUMBER OF POLICEMEN ASSIGNED PER DAY
T O T A L	<u>112.46</u>
Department of Justice	70.68
Department of Health	1.34
Department of Labor	8.55
Department of Interior	0.56
State Fund	2.96
Industrial Commission	7.16
Federal Government	1.89
Department of Finance	1.14
Others	17.98

TABLE 37 - SERVICES RENDERED BY THE MOTORCYCLE SQUAD  
1953--1954

DISTRICT									SENTENCED	
	No. of cyclists	Miles Traveled	:Gas.	Offender Used	With fines	With jail	Acquit	No. : \$	No. : days	File : ted
TOTALS	: 75	: 693735	: 25628	: 15884	: 6479	: 63352	: 83	: 3287	: 1087	: 124
Aguadilla	3	45687	1939	715	141	568		13		1
Arecibo	3	32579	1012	301	268	1422	7	30	24	4
P. de San Juan	2	24411	1104	1063	705	3761	2	153	73	5
Caguas	4	37103	1517	1121	795	2518		47	7	7
Cayey	1	6432	244	447	318	1538	4	56	6	1
Fajardo	1	9341	313	205	109	449		4		
Guayanilla	3	35772	1183	1035	271	1294	10	786	55	
Humacao	2	26230	961	261	179	1089	17	605	25	
Juana Diaz	1	9980	303	366	247	1381	7	284	54	
Manatí	1	10176	332	295	244	1060	1	25	9	1
Mayaguez	3	15667	641	163	79	315		6		
Ponce	3	29665	1177	527	387	2678	0	755	34	3
Río Piedras	2	25972	919	331	201	970	2	150	56	23
San Germán	1	5708	315	390	257	1187	15	102	32	4
Utuado	1	9144	326	234	183	699	4	246	10	2
Vega Baja	1	7859	283	341	312	1311	2	15	33	5
San Juan	48	360030	12979	8039	3754	40970	4	80	547	67
	1	1979	75	96	96	302				

TABLE 38 - NUMBER OF QUARTS OF ILLICIT LIQUOR  
SEIZED BY THE PUERTO RICO POLICE  
1953---1954

M O N T H S	: Number of	: Number of	: Number of
	: Quarts Seized	: Stills Destroyed	: Stills Seized
T O T A L S	8011	380	204
July	763	24	13
August	731	28	14
September	1062	37	25
October	537	34	20
November	702	39	23
December	300	18	18
January	281	42	11
February	723	40	10
March	312	17	19
April	825	26	17
May	705	24	17
June	1070	51	17

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Commission

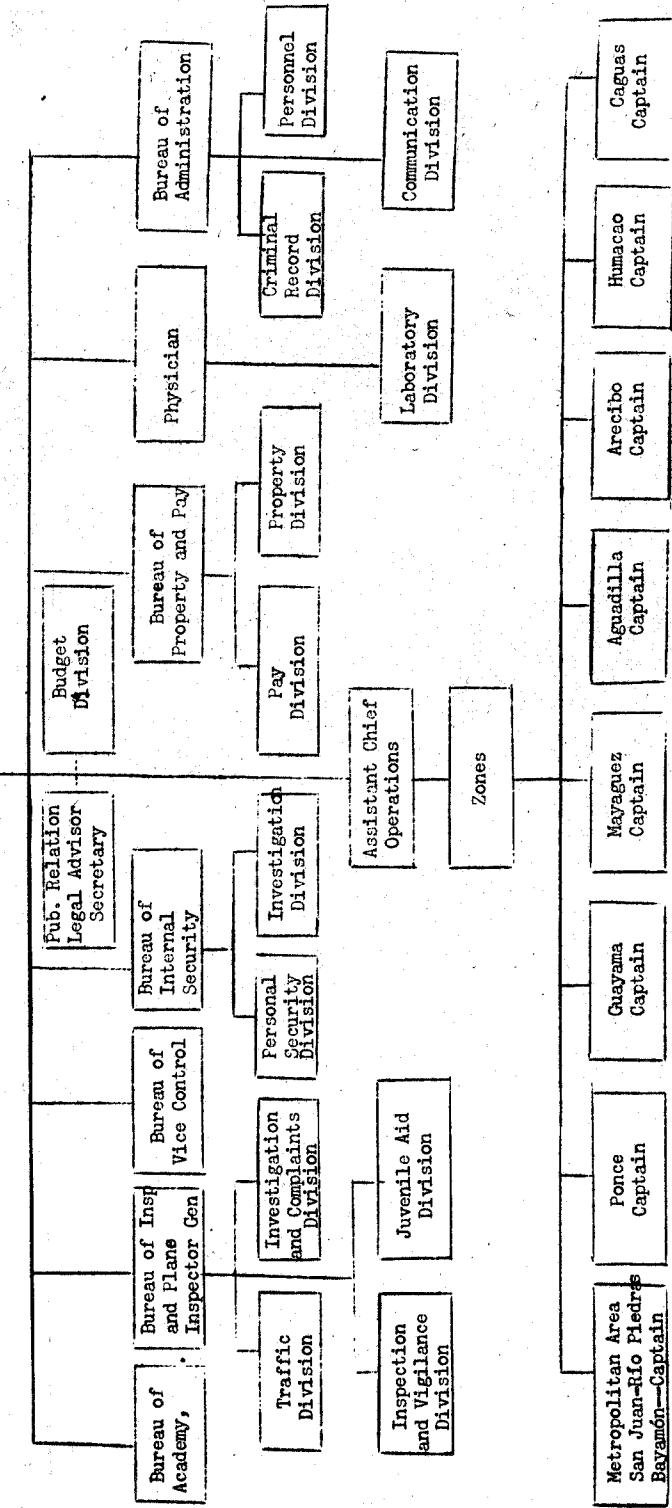
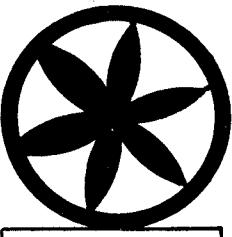


CHART A



**CRIME TRENDS**  
Based on major Crimes  
in Puerto Rico  
1953-54 PERCENT CHANGE



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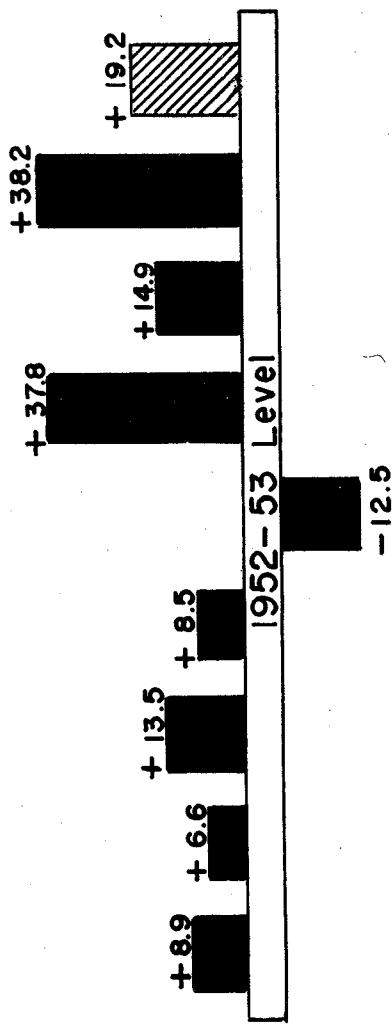
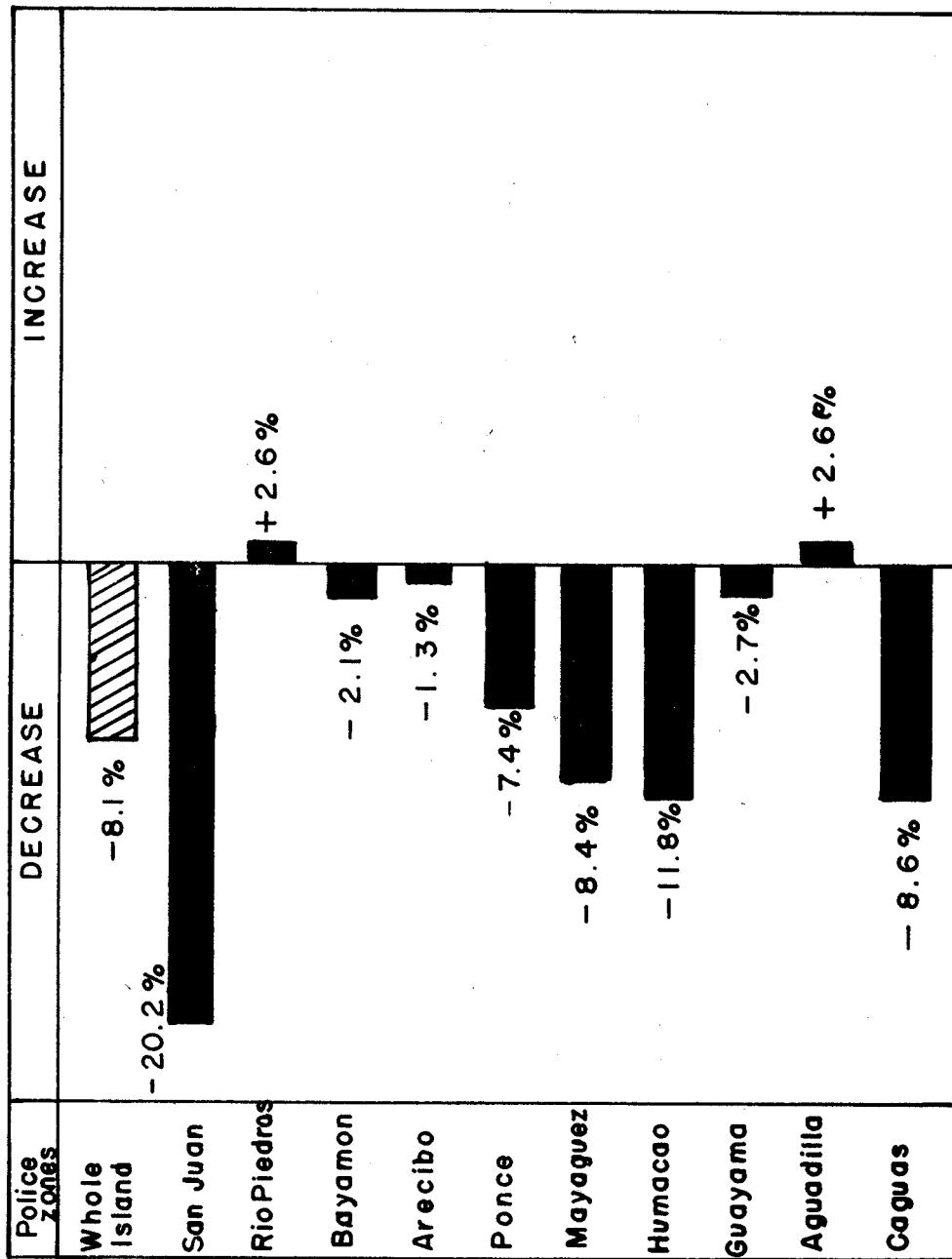


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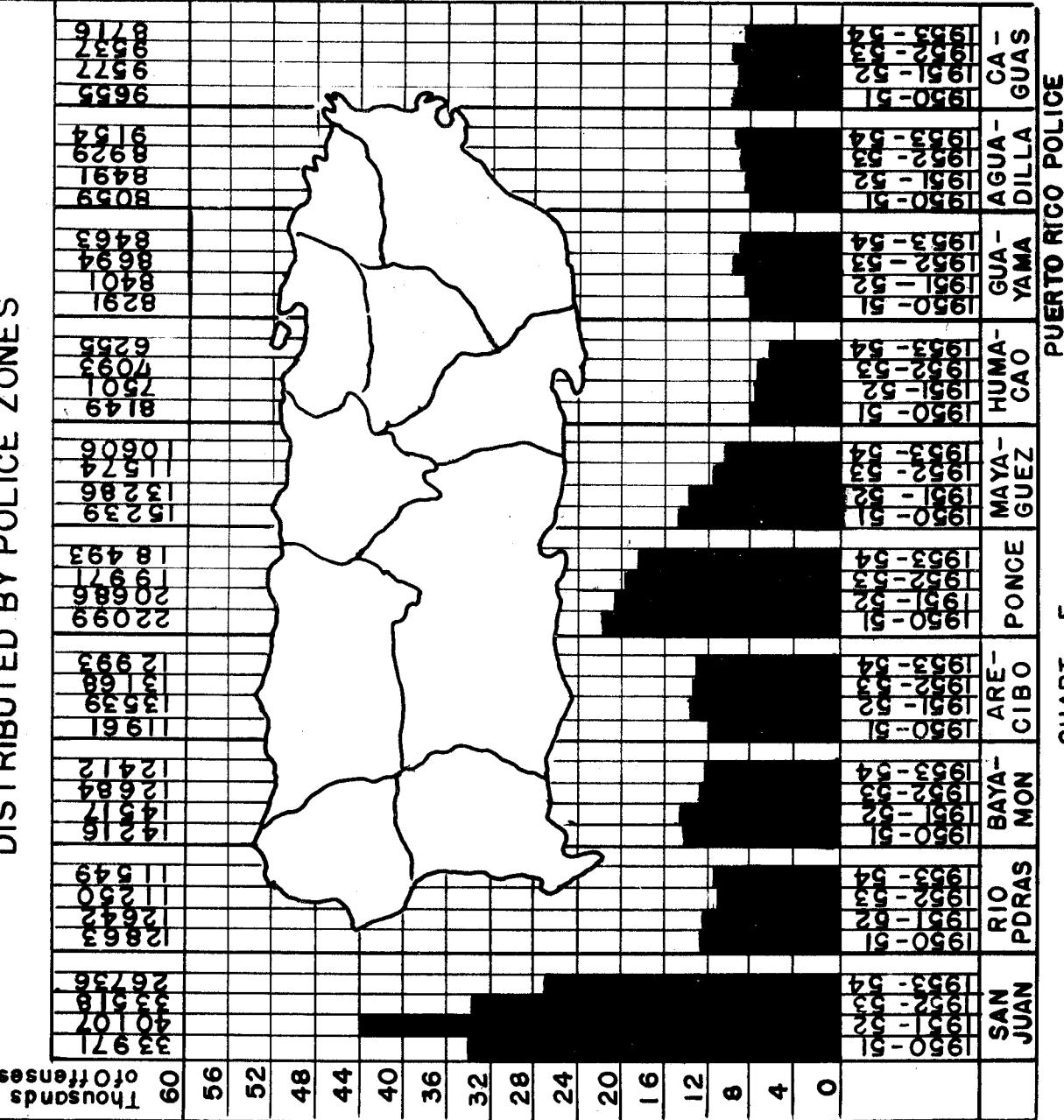
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year - 1953-54**



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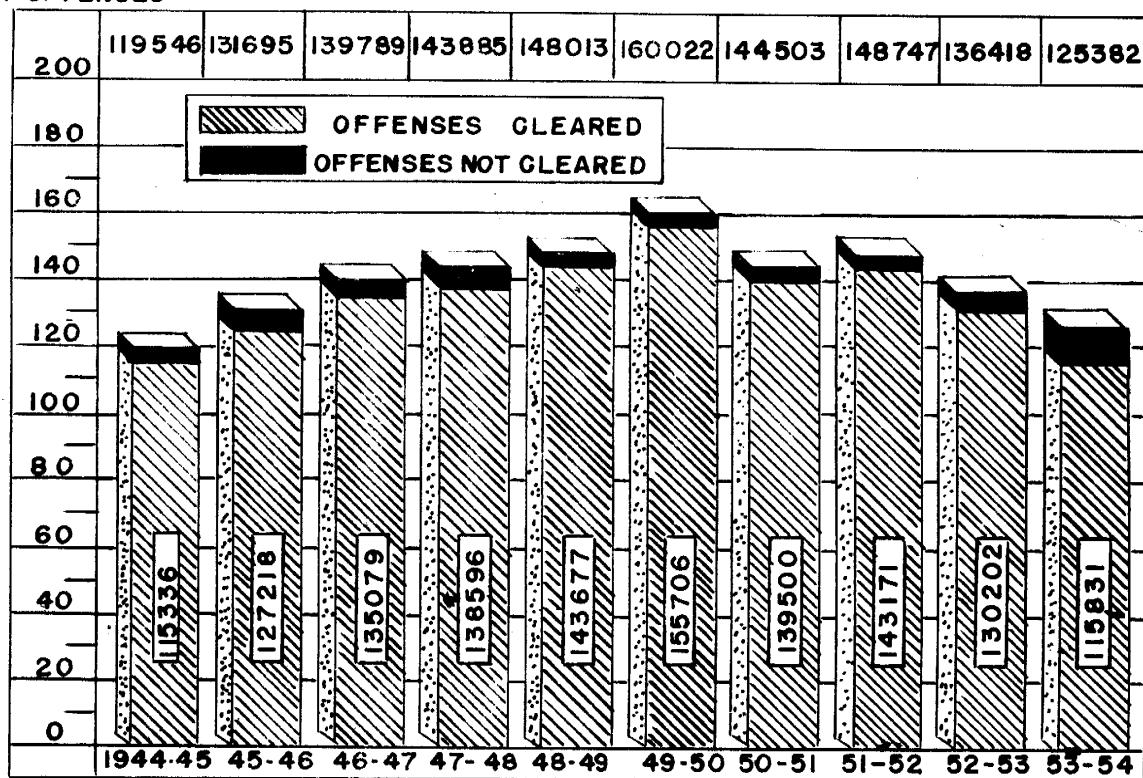
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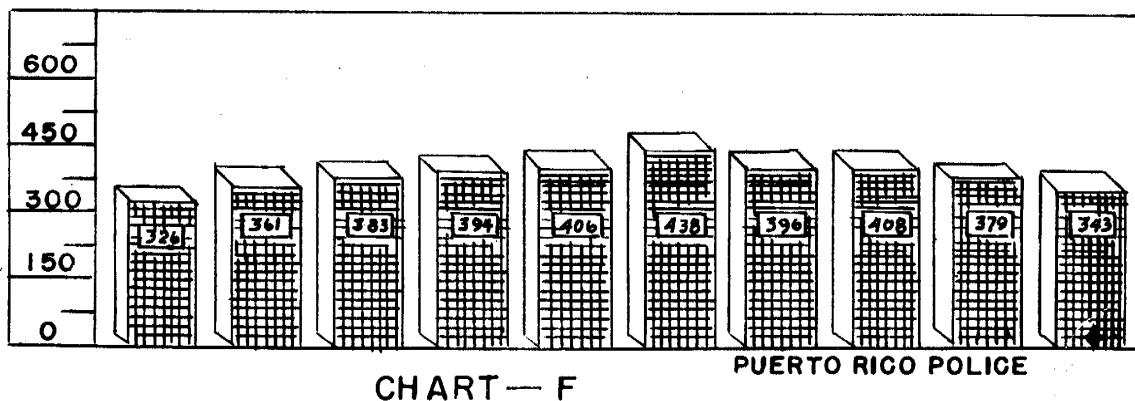
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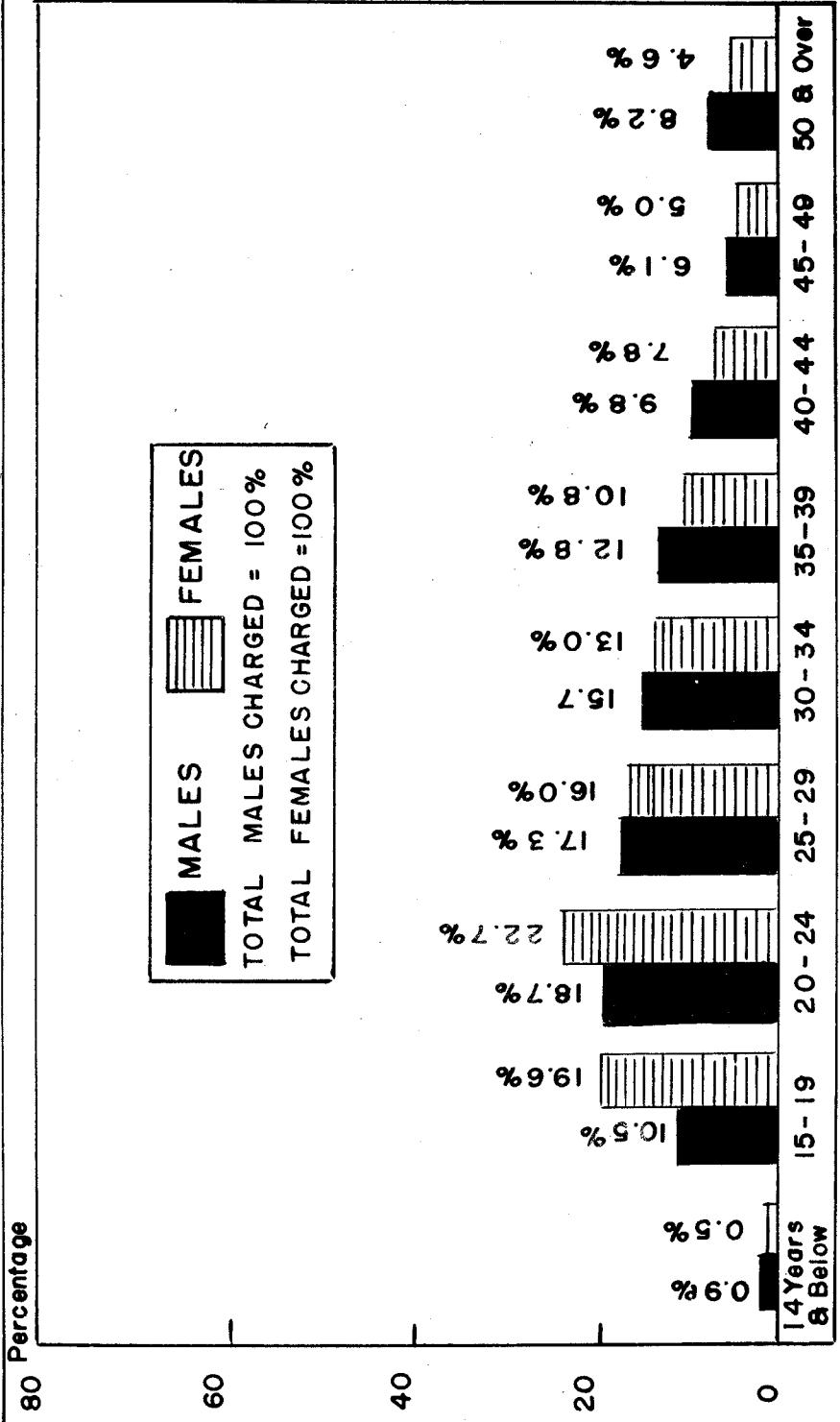
NUMBER OF ACTUAL OFFENSES AND OFFENSES  
CLEARED BY THE PUERTO RICO POLICE  
THOUSANDS  
OF OFFENSES      years 1944- 45 - TO - 1953- 54



AVERAGE PER DAY OF ACTUAL OFFENSES  
AVERAGES



PERSONS DENOUNCED OR ARRESTED BY THE P.R. POLICE  
PERCENTAGE BY AGE GROUPS AND SEX  
YEAR - 1953 - 54



NUMBER OF PERSONS DENOUNCED OR ARRESTED  
BY THE PUERTO RICO POLICE  
years- 1944-45 - 1953-54

Thousands  
Of persons

250

225

200

175

150

125

100

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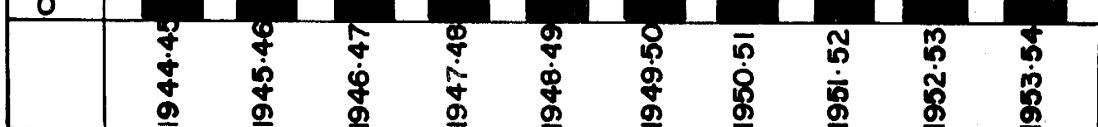
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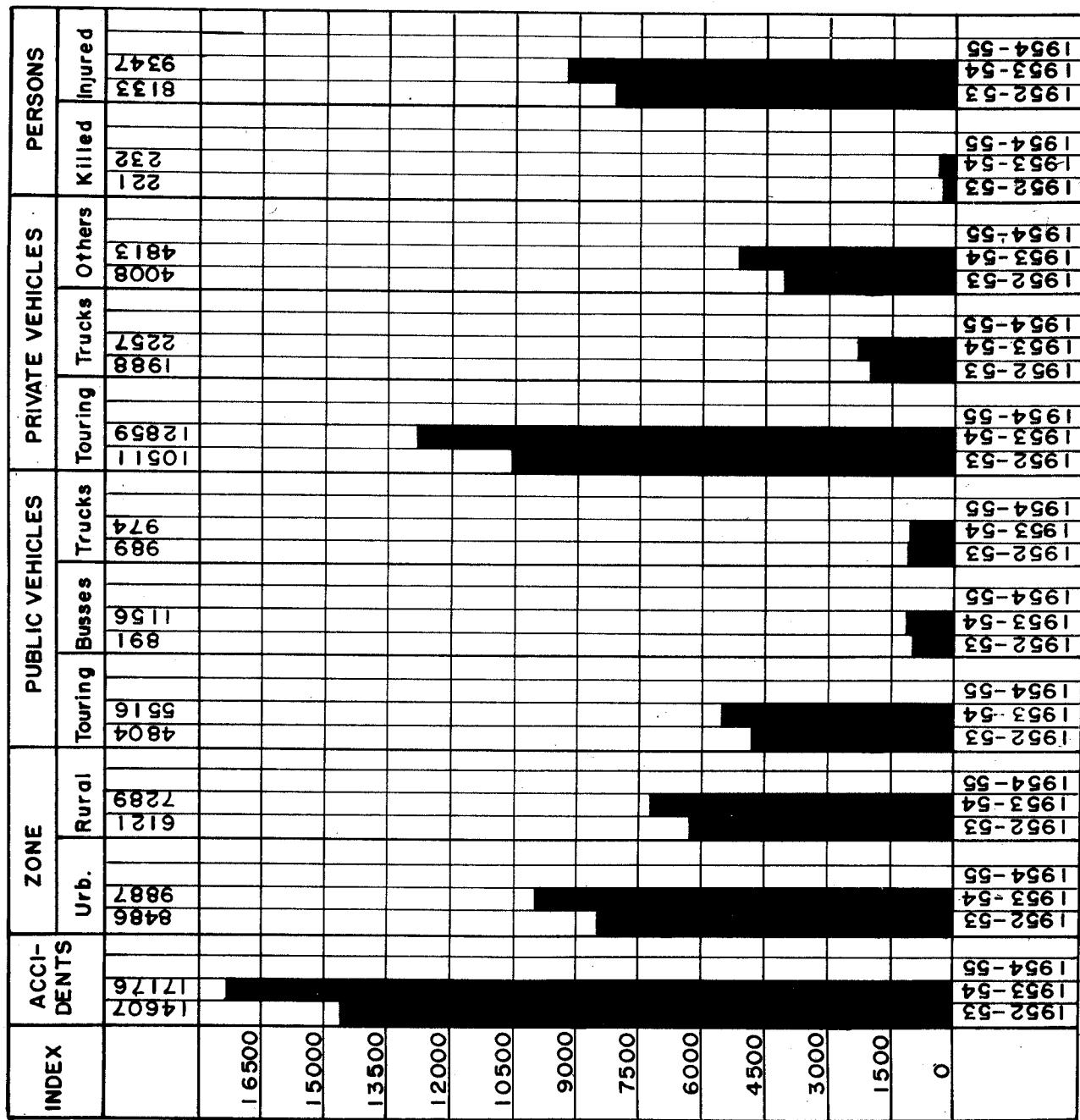
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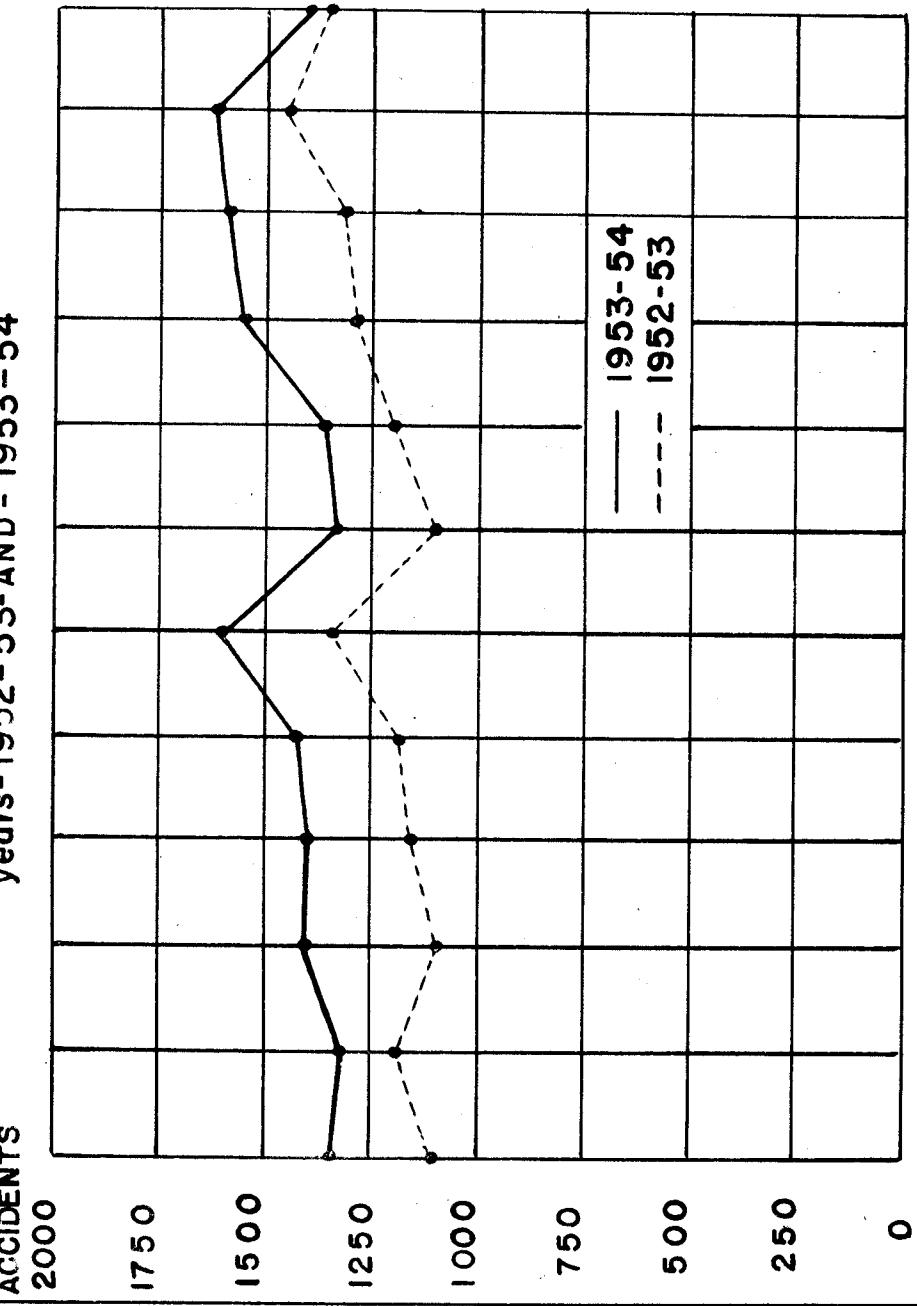
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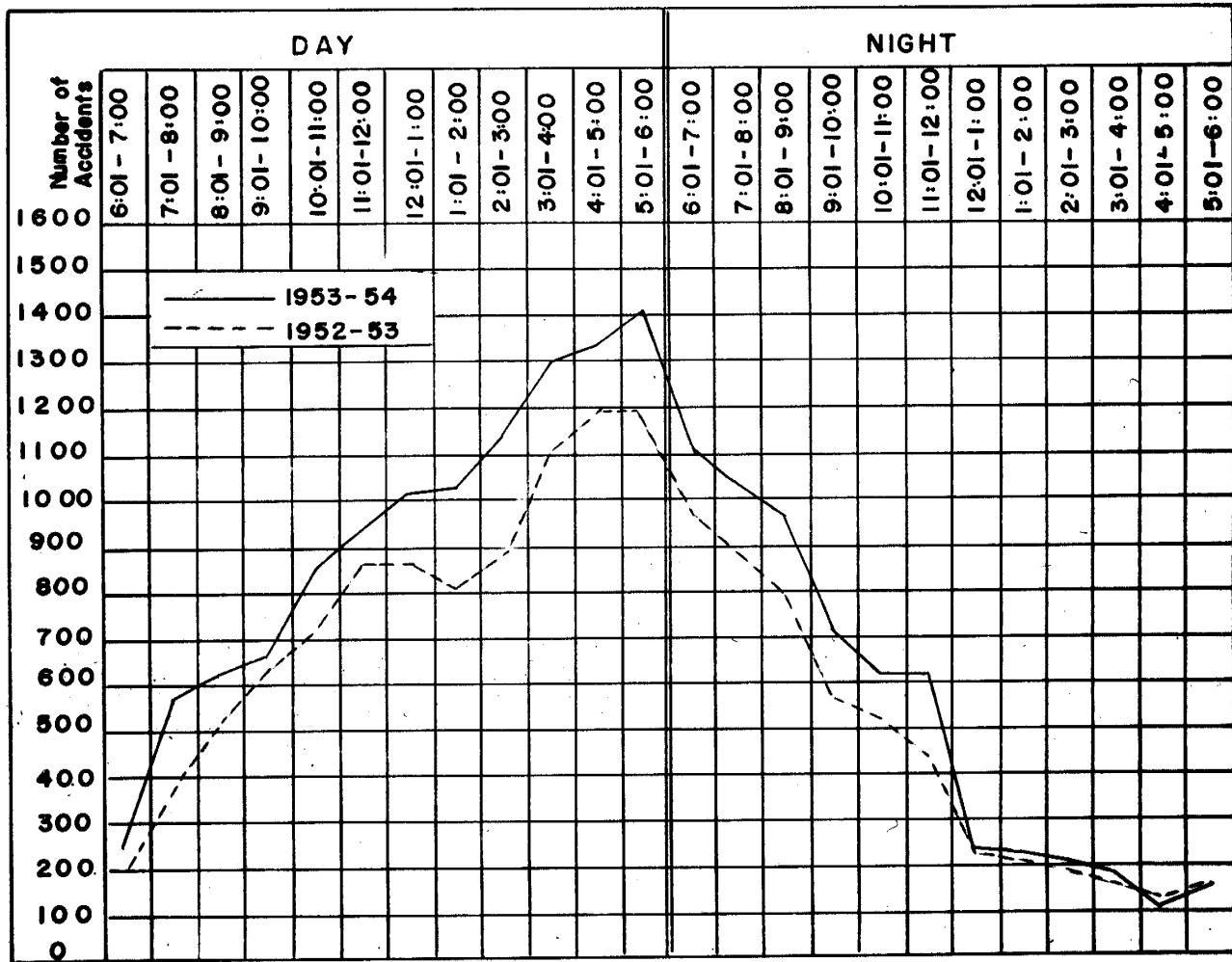


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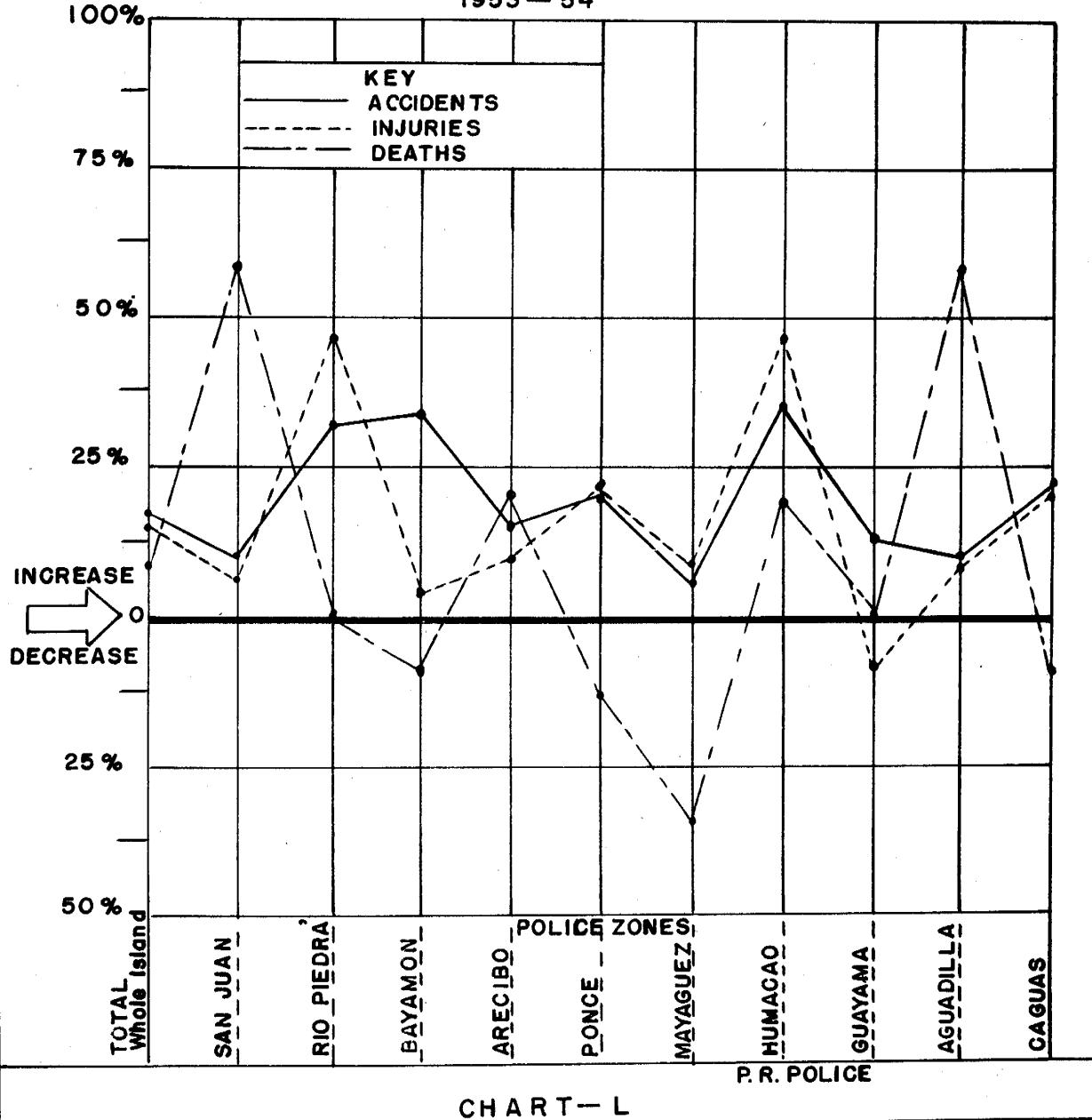


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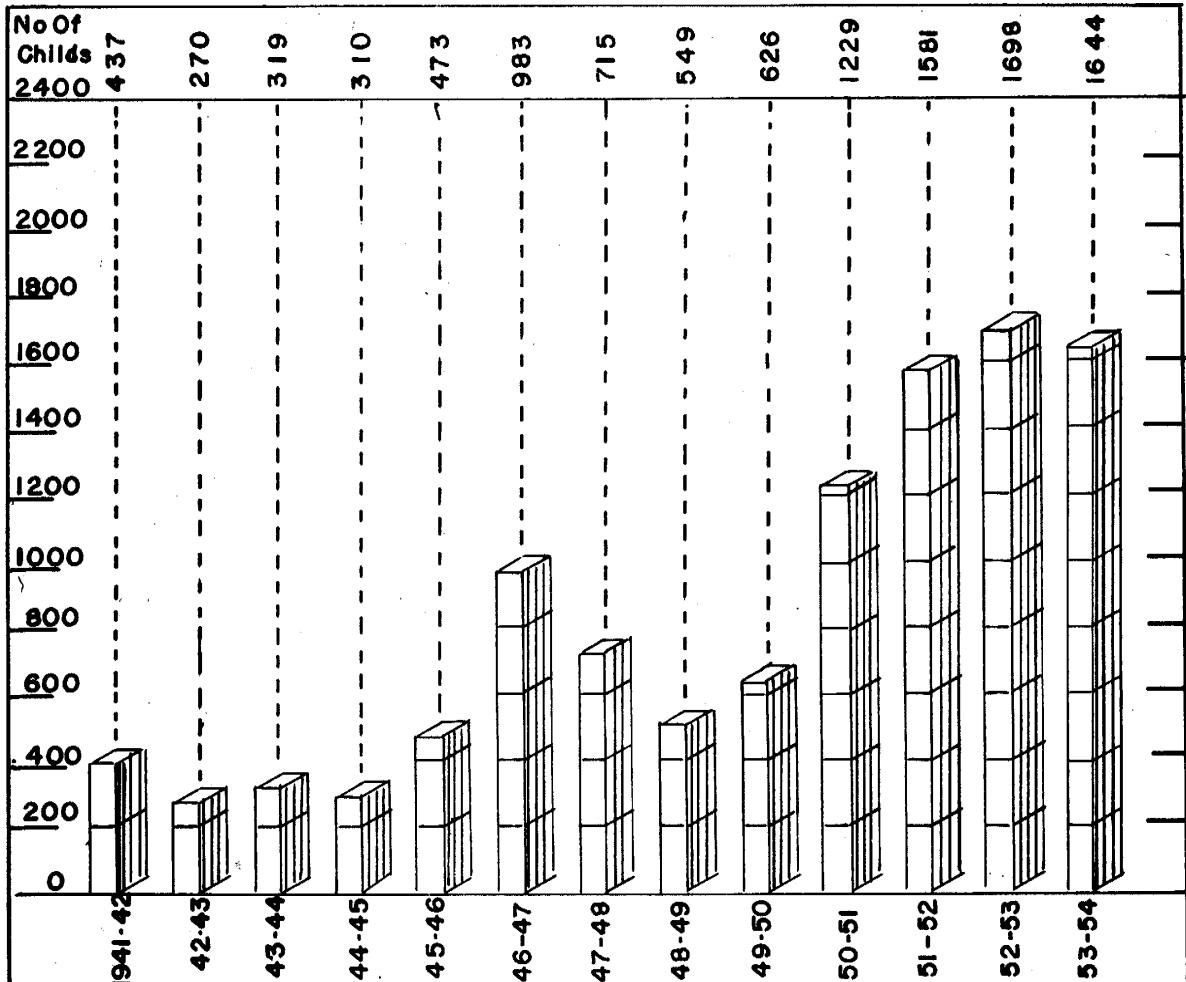


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PUERTO RICO POLICE



*Año 1954-1955*

Cargos → Hon Luis Muñoz Marin  
Gobernador Libre Estado Libre  
Asociado de Puerto Rico  
La Fortaleza  
San Juan, Puerto Rico  
Estimados Señores Gobernadores:

20 de septiembre de 1955

Honorable Gobernador  
Estado Libre Asociado de Puerto Rico  
La Fortaleza  
San Juan, Puerto Rico

Señor Gobernador:

De acuerdo con la Ley, tengo el honor de enviarle,<sup>(1)</sup>  
adjunto<sup>(2)</sup> el Informe Anual de la Policía de Puerto Rico.

Este Informe cubre todas las actividades llevadas a  
cabo por la Policía durante el año fiscal 1954-55.

Respetuosamente,

SALVADOR T. ROIG  
Jefe de la Policía de Puerto Rico

I N F O R M E — A N U A L

POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO

1954 - 1955

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Preparado por:-  
Negociado de Servicios  
Sección de Estadísticas  
Policía de Puerto Rico

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### PERSONAL DE LA POLICIA

La Fuerza autorizada de la Policía para el año fiscal 1954-55 era de 2,759 miembros. Alrededor de 195 empleados civiles trabajaban en las oficinas del Cuartel General y en las zonas policiacas, un civil en cada zona.

### COMISION DE LA POLICIA

La Comisión de la Policía se compone de tres miembros, nombrados ad honorem por el Gobernador de Puerto Rico, y con poderes establecidos por Ley.

En el año 1954-55 la Comisión celebró 46 sesiones, vió 105 casos de formulación de cargos a policías, resolvió 13 casos en apelación y aprobó 12 pensiones para policías o sus viudas. Además, la Comisión examinó 943 solicitudes de ingreso a la Policía, 83 solicitudes de reposición y consideró 96 renuncias.

### NEGOCIADO DE INSPECCION Y PLANES

El Negociado de Inspección y Planes de la Policía de Puerto Rico se compone del siguiente personal:

- 1 Capitán - Inspector General
- 1 Capitán - División de Inspección y Quejas
- 1 Capitán - División de Vigilancia e Investigación
- 1 Director - División de Ayuda Juvenil
- 1 Teniente - División de Tránsito (Vacante)
- 3 Tenientes - At large
- 1 Oficial Administrativo
- 2 Guardias
- 4 Taquigrafos

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El Inspector General es el Jefe del Negociado. Está a cargo de la tramitación e investigación de todos los asuntos oficiales y de velar porque se investiguen los cargos y quejas contra miembros de la Policía, tomando la acción administrativa de lugar de acuerdo con la naturaleza de cada caso. Analiza métodos, suministra supervisión técnica y plantea programas para cubrir actividades futuras a desarrollarse por la Academia y División de Planes y Entrenamiento de la Policía para el mejor funcionamiento y mayor eficiencia del Negociado. Bajo sus órdenes funcionan las siguientes Divisiones:

(a) Inspección y Quejas:

Esta División lleva a cabo inspecciones periódicas en los distritos de la Policía, así como en las distintas dependencias del Cuartel General y en la División de Detectives, a los fines de determinar la forma en que se están desempeñando sus funciones, con el propósito de mejorar las condiciones prevalecientes para rendir un servicio adecuado y, además, aconseja y orienta debidamente el personal en el ejercicio de sus deberes oficiales y hacia la solución de cualquier problema creado.

(b) Vigilancia e Investigación:

Esta División conduce investigaciones de quejas contra miembros de la Policía y de paisanos y rinde informe sobre los mismos, recomendando la acción administrativa a tomarse por el Inspector General, de acuerdo con la naturaleza de cada caso. Investiga asimismo la conducta moral y eficiencia del personal y el cumplimiento de las reglas y reglamentos que gobiernan la Organización.

(c) Ayuda Juvenil:

El propósito primordial de la División de Ayuda Juvenil es combatir y evitar por todos los medios la delincuencia juvenil en Puerto Rico. A tales fines, el Jefe de dicha división está a cargo de la instrumentación de programas completos. La Liga Atlética Policial forma parte de esta división y está bajo la supervisión de oficiales juveniles. Se celebran actividades atléticas y de recreación, abarcando guia, supervisión e investigación en los casos de menores y de adultos conectados con aquellas.

(d) División de Tránsito:

Esta División trata planes de orientación para la clase choferil y conductores de vehículos, respecto de la Ley de Automóviles y Tránsito y señales en las vías públicas, para evitar accidentes. También da instrucciones a los Comandantes de Zona y de Distrito, tendientes a reducir los ruidos innecesarios (uso indebidamente de claxon) en las zonas urbanas. El oficial a cargo de esta División asiste a vistas celebradas por entidades como:

- 1- Departamento de Obras Públicas
- 2- Fuerzas Armadas
- 3- Legislatura Estatal

para tratar sobre el problema del tránsito en la Isla. Dicta conferencias por la radio sobre el particular y participa en la redacción de cartas circulares de este Departamento en relación con la Ley de Automóviles y Tránsito.

(e) Defensa Civil:

Un oficial sirve de contacto entre el Cuartel General

y el Director de la Defensa Civil de Puerto Rico, y como tal, está a cargo de todos los asuntos relacionados con dicha agencia. La Oficina del Inspector General coopera en las prácticas de oscurecimiento e incursiones aéreas simuladas que periódicamente lleva a efecto la Defensa Civil, e informa al Director sobre el resultado de tales actividades. Por conducto de esta Oficina se transmiten a los Distritos de la Policía las instrucciones recibidas de la Defensa Civil, y cumplimiento del público en general.

Oficiales de la Oficina del Inspector General asisten a todas las conferencias dictadas por el Comité Puertorriqueño de Casa Blanca, en representación del Jefe de la Policía, sindicando los informes correspondientes.

La División de Inspección y Quejas recibió durante el año, 1062 quejas contra policías. La investigación de las mismas reveló que en 290 de los casos había base suficiente para una investigación ulterior. Esta trajo por resultado la formulación de cargos administrativos a 158 policías.

#### OFICINA DEL MEDICO

En términos generales, el trabajo agobiador de la Policía podría medirse por el número de miembros que recibe atención médica. Durante el año, 4588 policías recibieron atención médica por enfermedad o accidentes; a 2462 se les hizo un examen general para fines de reclutamiento, reposición, reingreso, ascenso, etc. Treinta y nueve miembros fueron licenciados del servicio por incapacidad física. Se registraron 7 muertes en el año.

Los trabajos realizados durante el año en la Sección del Laboratorio fueron los siguientes:

Fotográfico:

Ampliaciones	22237
Copias a contacto	<u>29402</u>
Total	44639

Balística:

Armas de fuego examinadas para determinar el número de serie	37
Armas de fuego sospechosas	20
Plomos y casquillos recibidos de la escena del crimen	6
Casquillo recibido	13
Armas de fuego reparadas	3
Balas sin disparar	25
Ánálisis de parafina	21
Fotografías	29
Misceláneas	<u>128</u>
Total	282

Documentos Dudosos:

Falsificación	642
Anónimos	73
Misceláneos	<u>49</u>
Total	764

La Sección de Química realizó 302 análisis químicos de manchas de sangre, venenos, pinturas, etc.

ACADEMIA DE LA POLICIA

El crecimiento del aspecto tanto técnico como científico de las leyes en vigor, hacen imprescindible que los reclutas reciban un intenso adiestramiento antes de asumir sus deberes como policías regulares.

La Academia cumple su cometido cabalmente para beneficio de toda la Fuerza Policiaca. Sus oficinas principales (administración) radican en el Cuartel General de la Policía, San Juan, pero el adiestramiento de los reclutas se lleva a cabo en la Isla de Cabras, Palo Seco, a la entrada de la bahía de San Juan, frente al Castillo de El Morro.

A la terminación de un intenso curso de adiestramiento en la Ciencia Policiaca, Criminología, Leyes, Procedimiento Policiaco, Relaciones Públicas, Disciplina y Cortesía, Primera Ayuda, Calistenia, Juicio, Relaciones Humanas, Modus Operandi de Toda Clase de Criminal, Uso de Armas de Fuego, Reglamentos de Tránsito, los policías y mujeres policías que sirven en la Fuerza por un periodo probatorio, son asignados a trabajo policiaco regular por un periodo adicional de prueba de tres meses; y durante dicho periodo practican todo lo que en la Academia han aprendido técnicamente, antes de recibir su nombramiento definitivo como tal miembro de la Fuerza.

Durante el año 1954-55 fueron nombrados por la Comisión de la Policía 137 policías y 9 mujeres policías para asistir a la Academia. Se le dió énfasis adicional a los aspectos sociológicos que abarcen las distintas leyes, tales como ética, relaciones humanas y otros por el estilo.

Se ha insistido en el adiestramiento del personal policiaco mientras sirve como tal, de manera que pueda estar al corriente de los distintos asuntos relacionados con el Cuerpo de la Policía. Para poder lograr este objetivo la Academia está llevando a efecto el adiestramiento

en cursos más avanzados de instrucción, así como cursos especiales para aquellos que así lo deseen. El adiestramiento parcial se lleva a efecto sin interrupción en todos los distritos policiales de la Isla. Este adiestramiento se lleva a cabo bajo la supervisión de los comandantes de los distintos distritos policiales de la Isla. Durante el año 1954-55 la Academia llevó a cabo las siguientes actividades:

(a) Tuvo bajo adiestramiento un total de 2,330 policías.

Esto incluye el adiestramiento de tiro al blanco.

(b) Un total de 64 miembros de distintos rangos tuvieron la oportunidad de tomar un curso en "lectura rápida".

(c) La Academia tiene bajo su dirección la Policía de Reserva. Esta consiste de 75 policías regulares bien seleccionados, quienes han sido sometidos a un intenso y continuo adiestramiento, no solamente en lo que respecta a asuntos relacionados con el Cuerpo, sino también en lo que se relaciona con armas de fuego. La Reserva está en todo momento alerta para prestar sus inmediatos servicios en casos de emergencia.

(d) Un total de 39 hombres están en la actualidad asistiendo a un curso de repaso en la Academia de la Policía, el cual se extenderá por un periodo de diez semanas.

(e) Veinte policías tomaron un curso para actuar como instructores en primeros auxilios y con la cooperación de estos veinte policías contamos en la actualidad con un total de 251 agentes que han completado satisfactoriamente el curso regular de primera ayuda en varios pueblos de la Isla.

(f) El adiestramiento en armas de fuego ha sido intensificado, llevado sin interrupción a la práctica, en toda la Isla durante el año 1954-55. Un total de 2,271 miembros incluyendo oficiales, clases y policías han recibido los beneficios de este adiestramiento en armas de fuego. Esto ha significado el uso de 337,304 balas Cal. .38. Además de lo anteriormente indicado, tanto estos miembros como los de nuevo ingreso reciben adiestramiento adicional en el uso de otras armas de fuego, tales como sub-ametralladoras Cal. .45, escopetas Cal. .12, bombas lacrimógenas, etc.

La Academia está en proceso de la organización de la banda de la Policía, y ya en la actualidad cuenta con veintiún músicos profesionales quienes sirven bajo nombramientos extendidos por la Comisión de la Policía, como miembros regulares del Cuerpo. Estos miembros han estado y aún están recibiendo adiestramiento en la Academia y se les asignan obligaciones que estén en consonancia con su misión especial de músicos.

La cooperación recibida de esta banda de la Policía ha concedido al Cuerpo la oportunidad de llevar a cabo actos sociales como de reconocimiento para los miembros de la Policía y sus familiares.

#### DIVISIÓN DE ESTADÍSTICAS Y RÉCORD CRIMINAL:

La División de Estadísticas y Récord Criminal es una de las divisiones del Negociado de Administración. Uno de los deberes más importantes de la División es el mantener los registros en tal forma que puedan ser usados rápidamente. La División se compone de las siguientes secciones: Huellas Digitales, Registro de Armas, Certifi-

ados Sobre Conducta, Sistema Monodactilar, Estadísticas y Sección de Administración.

Las actividades llevadas a cabo por estas Secciones en el 1954-55 son las siguientes:

Sección de Huellas Digitales:

	Criminales
Huellas Digitales tomadas en la Sección	--
Huellas Digitales recibidas de Distritos de la Policía y otras agencias	13,135
Total recibidas	13,135
Huellas Digitales clasificadas, constatadas y archivadas	13,135
Huellas Digitales archivadas hasta julio 1ro., 1954	355,785
Huellas Digitales archivadas durante el año 1954-55	13,135
Total de huellas digitales archivadas hasta junio 30, 1955	366,920
Huellas Digitales enviadas a:	
Negociado Federal de Investigaciones en Washington D. C.	396
Al Sistema Monodactilar de Huellas Digitales	140
Total de tarjetas de huellas digitales enviadas	1,036

Sección Registro Armas de Fuego:

En esta Sección se prepara y archiva toda la documentación relacionada con el registro de armas de fuego, a tenor con las Leyes Núm. 14 de 1936 y Núm. 17 de 1951.

Hasta el 30 de junio de 1955, la Sección había recibido 37,430 solicitudes de licencia para tener y poseer armas de fuego. Durante el año, la Sección expidió 945 licencias, canceló 54 y confiscó 266 armas.

Al finalizar el año, el número total de solicitudes de licencias tramitadas en la Oficina ascendió a 36,932. De todas las solicitudes de licencias recibidas, sólo alrededor de 500 están pendientes de resolverse. Estas están ya bajo investigación. Durante el año se inscribieron 1,775 armas de fuego de distintas clases. Alrededor de 45 certificados de armas han sido preparados y expedidos para funcionarios judiciales y de la Policía.

#### Sección de Certificados de Buena Conducta:

En el año 1954-55 la Sección preparó y expidió 2,628 certificados de buena conducta para viajantes y otros fines. Además, preparó 18,261 certificados, libre de derechos, (sellos de rentas internas) para reclutas de la Guardia Nacional y para obreros que iban a trabajar a los Estados Unidos bajo el auspicio de la Secretaría del Trabajo. También se prepararon 3,624 certificados sobre informes de accidentes, 502 licencias de caza y 1,592 licencias para portar armas.

Como requisito para la expedición de certificados, se cancelaron sellos de Rentas Internas ascendentes a \$ 16,296.

#### Sección de Estadísticas:

La función principal de la Oficina es ocuparse de datos estadísticos para la preparación de los informes mensuales y anuales que describen las actividades de la Policía de Puerto Rico. Los datos se presentan en tablas y gráficas estadísticas, incluyendo un análisis de los mismos. La Sección prepara también otros informes y estudios sobre materias específicas de la Policía.

DIVISIÓN LEGAL:

El siguiente es un resumen de las actividades de la División Legal:

La División Legal fue consultada en numerosas ocasiones tanto verbalmente como por escrito. Atendiendo dichas consultas y solicitudes de opiniones, La División Legal rindió un total de sesenta y cinco (65) opiniones escritas, la mayoría de las cuales tenían relación con asuntos de carácter policiaco y otras, las menos, eran consultas u opiniones solicitadas por agencias de gobierno o ciudadanos particulares, interesados en conocer la opinión de la Policía de Puerto Rico en cuanto a determinado asunto de carácter legal.

El Departamento de la Policía de Puerto Rico estuvo representado ante la Honorable Comisión de la Policía de Puerto Rico en los casos en que se formularon cargos contra miembros de la Fuerza. Hubo un total de cuarenta (40) convicciones, dieciocho (18) no culpables y veintidós (22) casos archivados.

Trabajando de común acuerdo con la División de Estadísticas y Récord Criminal la División Legal entendió en innumerables casos de solicitudes de licencias de tenencia y posesión de armas de fuego, a tenor con las disposiciones de la Ley de Armas vigente.

El trabajo relacionado con este asunto puede desglosarse en la forma siguiente:

- (a) Se aprobaron setenta y una (71) solicitudes de licencia de armas de fuego y se denegaron ochenta y una (81) solicitudes.

A esta oficina le fueron sometidas cincuenta y siete (57) Ordenanzas Municipales para el correspondiente estudio y la determinación

de si se ajustaban a las disposiciones legales pertinentes relacionadas con el establecimiento y operación de picas durante la celebración de fiestas patronales en los diferentes municipios.

La División Legal intervino en el estudio y opinión de veintiseis (26) proyectos de leyes sometidos a esta División para estudio por el Honorable Gobernador de Puerto Rico. La mayoría de las medidas legislativas propuestas en los proyectos que fueron sometidos fueron recomendados por esta División Legal después de un estudio agotador de las mismas y el Gobernador aprobó la mayoría de los proyectos recomendados por nosotros.

La División Legal a través de sus dos Asesores dió instrucción en materia de derecho penal, arrestos y ley de evidencia a las dos academias últimas, a saber; la que terminó en diciembre de 1954 y la que terminó en mayo de este año. A la última academia se le dieron cuestiones prácticas y una vista como si fuera en un Tribunal propiamente sobre un caso de bolita.

Se despacharon un total de trescientos ochenta y siete (387) comunicaciones escritas, independientemente de estudios, consultas y opiniones a que hemos hecho referencia anteriormente.

#### NEGOCIADO DE PROPIEDAD Y CUENTAS:

El presupuesto total aprobado para la Policía de Puerto Rico para el año económico de 1954-55 ascendió a \$7,272,690. De esta cantidad, \$17,500 correspondieron a una asignación especial destinada al pago de armas entregadas de acuerdo con las disposiciones de la Ley Núm. 17 de 1951.

El remanente de \$7,255,190 correspondió a los gastos corrientes de operación de esta organización. De éstos, \$6,063,790 se dedicaron al pago de Servicios Personales y \$1,186,400 para Gastos Generales.

De la cantidad asignada para Servicios Personales, \$5,366,081 se dedicaron para el pago de sueldos a miembros de la fuerza cuyo número asciende a 2,759 hombres y \$653,992 para sueldos a 197 empleados civiles.

#### Mejoras Administrativas:

Durante el año mencionado se estableció en la Policía una División de Presupuesto para atender la importante fase de análisis y planificación de la cuestión presupuestal.

También se realizó un estudio con el propósito de aumentar los servicios de la Policía en Puerto Rico a base de una aportación parcial entre los municipios y el Estado.

Este informe fué sometido al Honorable Gobernador de Puerto Rico. También se realizó el estudio de las necesidades policiales en la Isla de Puerto Rico siguiendo el patrón que estableciera el Servicio de Administración Pública de Chicago en el informe que ellos prepararon en el 1951.

El informe referido fué completado y será sometido al Ejecutivo próximamente.

#### Personal:

Con relación a la actividad en la parte correspondiente a personal, informamos que durante ese año se concedieron aumentos de sueldo dentro del grado a 50 empleados civiles y la cantidad envuelta en estos aumentos

ascendió a \$4,872.

También se preparó el reglamento que establece las normas y procedimientos que regirán para conceder aumentos a la Policía de acuerdo con el sistema de méritos.

La legislación que se preparó para dar curso al referido programa (P. del S. 487) quedó pendiente en las Cámaras Legislativas y se espera que sea aprobado en el transcurso de la próxima sesión.

Aprovechando las facilidades y la cooperación que prestó el Departamento de Hacienda se logró enviar un gran número de agentes a cursos de adiestramiento que estuvo ofreciendo la Oficina de Investigadores Especiales de ese Departamento.

Hemos creído siempre en la necesidad de programas de adiestramiento y becas para los miembros de la fuerza con el propósito de hacer de ellos una clase más profesionalizada.

A este respecto, sugerimos que la Oficina de Personal abra sus puertas a programas de adiestramiento que vaya dirigido a adiestrar los hombres dedicados a la protección de la vida y propiedad de los ciudadanos.

Creemos en la posibilidad de que todos los empleados civiles de esta organización sean puestos bajo el Servicio por Oposición de la Oficina de Personal.

OFICINA DE RELACIONES PÚBLICAS:

La Oficina de Relaciones Públicas, creada en noviembre de 1953, trabaja bajo la supervisión directa del Jefe de la Policía. Consta de tres personas - dos civiles y un policia: Un Redactor de Información I (jefe), un redactor de noticias deportivas (policia) y una secretaria (tequigrafe I).

Esta Oficina tiene a cargo, principalmente, suministrar información sobre la Policía a los periódicos y agencias interesadas y realizar trabajo de traducción.

En el año fiscal 1954-55, la Oficina de Relaciones Públicas tradujo para la legislatura un folleto sobre las actividades de la Policía, el Informe Anual de la Policía, año 1952-53 y el Informe Anual de la Policía, año 1953-54. Se publicó en los periódicos metropolitanos un directorio telefónico de la Policía. También inició las gestiones para imprimir mapas del Área Metropolitana y otros pueblos mostrando la rotulación de las calles. Asimismo está imprimiendo 11,000 tarjetas con el directorio telefónico de la Policía para repartirse en las casas de familia de la Zona Metropolitana.

La Oficina de Relaciones Públicas emitió 91 comunicados para los periódicos, radioperiódicos y radio sobre diferentes actividades de la Policía: graduaciones de policías, competencias de tiro, actos heroicos de policías, autos (hurtados) recuperados, requisitorias de delincuentes y personas desaparecidas, campañas sobre el tránsito, inauguración de nuevos servicios, etc.

El Oficial de Relaciones Públicas representó al Jefe la Policía en 18 reuniones. Estas giraron sobre campañas cívicas, v.g. contra el

cáncer, etc.; problemas de tránsito, v. g. exceso de velocidad, etc.; problemas de diversas indoles, v. g. ruidos innecesarios, prostitución, ordenanzas municipales sobre limpieza, ornato público, etc. También dictó conferencias sobre relaciones públicas a los policías de nuevo ingreso. Las clases fueron en la Academia de la Policía.

Otras actividades misceláneas que la Oficina de Relaciones Públicas realizó fueron atender visitantes extranjeros y del país, someter sugerencias al Jefe de la Policía, visitar cuarteles de la Policía, conseguir películas para otras agencias del gobierno, etc. La correspondencia interdepartamental ascendió a 101 comunicaciones y la general a 329. Total 430 comunicaciones.

#### OFICINA DE COMUNICACIONES:

El siguiente es un resumen del trabajo realizado por la Oficina de Comunicaciones:

##### Radiogramas Transmitidos:

Control Cuartel General	5,177
Zona de Ponce	1,145
Zona de Mayagüez	1,156
Zona de Aguadilla	357
Zona de Arecibo	740
Zona de Caguas	278
Zona de Humacao	302
Zona de Guayanilla	335
Área Metropolitana	3,506

##### Nuevas Instalaciones:

Zona de Guayanilla	4
Zona de Caguas	6

Zona de Humacao	5
Zona de Ponce	3
Zona de Mayaguez	2
Area Metropolitana	4

NEGOCIADO DE SERVICIOS ESPECIALES:

Relación de las actividades llevadas a cabo en este Negociado durante el año.

A- Armoria:

Revólveres y Pistolas, reparación de	188
Carabinas " "	12
Ametralladoras " "	5

B- Balaística:

Balas cal. 38, recargadas	322,680
Balas cal. 45, " "	10,150

C- Carpintería, Taller de:  
(Muebles Construidos)

Mesas	3
Armarios Archivos	7
Armario Armas	2
Rótulos (Cuartellos y Destacamentos)	154
Otros rótulos	13
Bandas Banderas	2
Sillas	42
Taburetes	2
Puertas y ventanas	15
Bancos	9
Escaleras para dormitorios	9
Marcos cuadros	42
Otros muebles	6

Reparación en general de la caseta del des-tacamento "TRES DIAS" en Villalba, P. R.

D- Fábrica de Platillos:

Fabricados	19,500
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E- Tiro al Blanco: (Polígono Pistola y Ametralladora)

Facilidades para entrenamiento de	700 (Mientras Fuerza)
(Cochas de Escopeta)	"
Facilidades para entrenamiento de	275 "

#### LIGA ATLÉTICA POLICÍACA

En el 1954-55 se llevaron a cabo alrededor de 13,524 actividades distintas en las que participaron 234,656 niños de toda la Isla. El principal problema interno de la Liga es la necesidad de personal que esté libre de otros deberes policiacos y adiestrado en el trabajo de prevención. Los miembros de la Policía le dedicaron a la Liga Atlética Policial un total de 6,291 días.

El estado financiero de la Liga, adscrita a la División de Ayuda Juvenil, es el siguiente:

##### Ingresos 1954-55

Campaña Anual	\$ 8,594.34
Máquinas de chiclete	<u>2,956.54</u>
Total	\$11,550.88

##### Desembolsos 1954-55

Equipo atlético enviado a diferentes capitales	\$ 6,455.32
Transportación, comidas, etc.	189.54
Gastos administrativos de la Oficina Central	<u>3,273.04</u>
Total	\$10,217.90

##### Presupuesto para el año 1955-56

Dinero en el banco	\$ 9,034.13
Inventario (equipo atlético)	<u>2,095.55</u>
Total	\$11,129.68
Otro Equipo (Activo en bienes muebles)	\$15,129.19
Estimado de la máquinas de chiclete	\$ 3,400.00
Estimado de la Campaña Anual	<u>6,500.00</u>
Total	\$21,029.68

### CRIMINALIDAD

En el año 1954-55 ocurrieron en la Isla 124,239 delitos. De éstos, el 73.1% (90,812) ocurrió en la zona urbana, o sea una disminución de 1.1% comparado con el año anterior. La zona rural registró el 26.9% (33,427) de los delitos o sea 6.0% menos que en el año 1953-54. El 35.4% (43,962) del total de delitos ocurrió durante las horas del día y el 64.6% (80,277) durante las horas de la noche. En el año, los delitos disminuyeron 0.9% y 8.9% en comparación con los años 1953-54 y 1952-53, respectivamente. En el año 1953-54 los delitos ascendieron a 125,382 y en el año 1952-53 a 136,418. Vedase las Tablas 7-9 y la Gráfica F.

El por ciento mayor de delitos ocurrió en junio (10.1%) seguido por marzo con 10.0%. En enero se registró el menor porcentaje (6.4%). Veáse Tabla 6.

#### Tendencias en los delitos Graves:

En los delitos graves se registró un aumento general de 3.6% sobre el año 1953-54. Hubo aumento de 5.0% en la zona urbana y una disminución de 0.5% en la zona rural comparado con las cifras del año 1953-54. Se registró un aumento en los siguientes delitos: Asesinato-Homicidio Voluntario, 5.7%; Violación, 11.0%; Robo, 25.5%; Escalamiento, 9.3% y Hurtos 1.3%. Hubo disminución en los delitos siguientes: Homicidio Involuntario, 14.6%; Agresiones Graves, 0.9% y Hurto de Auto, 19.1%. Vedase Tabla 5 y Gráfica B.

#### Delitos Contra la Propiedad:

Los delitos contra la propiedad constituyeron el 12.4% (15,450) del total de delitos cometidos en el año 1954-55. Se distribuyeron en la

siguiente forma: 177 robos, 4,091 escalamientos, 7,577 hurtos, 114 hurtos de automóviles, 148 falsificaciones, 413 abusos de confianza, 61 hurtos de propiedad, 335 incendios maliciosos, 665 de falsa representación y 1,869 daños maliciosos. Los delitos contra la propiedad fueron 3.2% más que los del año anterior. Véase Tabla 9.

#### Delitos Contra la Persona:

Los delitos graves contra la persona ascendieron a 949 en el año 1954-55 o sea 0.2% menos que en el año anterior. Se distribuyeron así: 137 asesinatos, 31 homicidios voluntarios, 111 homicidios involuntarios, 131 violaciones, 99 ataques con intención de cometer asesinato, 31 ataques para cometer homicidio, 159 atentados contra la vida y 250 mutilaciones. Véase Tabla 9.

#### Delitos Ocurridos en las Zonas Policiacas:

En el año 1954-55, la Zona de San Juan fué la que tuvo el por ciento más alto de delitos, 21.0%. Le siguieron, en orden descendente; Ponce con 14.8%; Río Piedras, 11.6%; Arecibo, 10.2%; Bayamón, 8.3%; Mayagüez, 8.2%; Guayama, 7.2%; Caguas, 6.9%; Aguadilla, 6.8% y Humacao 5.0%. Las Zonas de San Juan, Ponce y Río Piedras informaron, conjuntamente, alrededor del 47% del total de delitos ocurridos en toda la Isla durante el año. Véase Tablas 7-8.

En todas las zonas policiacas, excepto en las de Río Piedras, Humacao y Guayama, los delitos disminuyeron comparados con el año anterior. La Zona de Bayamón fué la que registró el mayor descenso en los delitos, 17.3%. Le siguen en orden descendente, Aguadilla, 7.9%; Mayagüez, 4.3%; Arecibo, 2.8%; Caguas, 2.2%; San Juan 2.1% y Ponce, 0.2%. En las zonas

de Rio Piedras, Humacao y Guayaná los delitos aumentaron, 24.7%, 0.7% y 5.3%, respectivamente. Véase Tablas 7-8.

#### DELITOS INFUNDADOS

Hubo un total de delitos que después de investigados resultaron ser infundados. Estos ascendieron a 524 durante el año 1954-55, resultando ser un 40% menos que los registrados durante el pasado año 1953-54. De los delitos graves, Hurto Menor fué el delito que registro más casos infundados (163). La relación de estos delitos infundados aparece en las Tablas 7-9.

#### DELITOS ESCLARECIDOS Y PERSONAS ACUSADAS

En el año 1954-55 se esclarecieron 928 (97.8%) de los delitos graves contra la persona. Las Agresiones Graves obtuvieron el mayor porcentaje de delitos esclarecidos, 99.6%. Le siguieron los asesinatos y homicidios voluntarios con 98.8%; homicidio involuntario 98.2% y violación, 88.5%.

Los delitos graves contra la propiedad ascendieron a 11,959. De éstos el 27.8% (3325) fué esclarecido. El porcentaje más alto de delitos esclarecidos le correspondió a los robos con 43.5%. Le siguieron los hurtos con 31.5%; escalamientos, 20.8% y hurtos de automóviles, 7.9%. Véase Tabla 9, Gráfica F.

El por ciento general de los delitos esclarecidos en el año 1954-55 fué 91.3% o sea 1.1% menos que en el 1953-54.

#### Mujeres Delincuentes:

Alrededor de 9188 (7.3%) del total de personas arrestadas o denunciadas por la Policía durante el año fueron mujeres. El número de

mujeres arrestadas o denunciadas este año fué 6.9% menos que el año pasado. Se acusaron 9,138 mujeres, de las cuales 1,502 (16.3%) tenían menos de 20 años de edad y 3,569 (38.8) menos de 25 años. En el 1954-55, el promedio diario de mujeres que delinquieron fué de 25, en contraste con 27 en el 1953-54 y 31 en el 1952-53. Las acusaciones fueron por los mismos delitos que cometen los hombres. Véase Tabla 10, Gráficas G-II.

#### Varones Delincuentes:

Del total de personas arrestadas o denunciadas durante el año, el 92.7% (117,358) fueron hombres. El porcentaje más alto (18.6%), en los hombres arrestados o denunciados durante el año, tenía entre 20 y 24 años de edad. Alrededor de 46% de los transgresores tenía menos de 30 años de edad. Véase Tabla 10 y las Gráficas G-II.

#### PERSONAS CONVICTAS

En el año 1954-55, un total de 96,556 personas fueron convictas del delito que se les imputaba, 234 por delitos menores y 25,873 salieron absueltas o sus casos fueron archivados. Véase Tabla 12 a.

#### TRANSPITO

Las violaciones a las leyes de tránsito ascendieron a 40,374 o sea 1.9% menos que en el año anterior. El 40.3% (16,266) de esos delitos ocurrieron de día y el 59.7% (24,108) de noche. Las zonas urbanas fueron responsables del 72.5% de dichos delitos y las zonas rurales del 27.5%. La Policía esclareció 99.6% (40,215) violaciones de tránsito y denunció a 37,975 personas. Es obvio que contra algunas personas se radicó más de una denuncia. El 32.5% del total de los delitos ocurridos en el 1954-55 fué contra las leyes de tránsito. De las personas denunciadas, 697 (1.8%) fueron mujeres y 37,278 (98.2%) fueron hombres. El 5.4% tenía menos de 20 años de edad y el 24.2% menos de 25.

## ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMÓVILES

En el año fiscal 1954-55 se registraron 16,253 accidentes de automóviles en los que perecieron 235 personas y 9,377 resultaron heridas. Estas cifras representan un aumento sobre el año anterior de 6.3% en los accidentes, 0.3% en los heridos y 1.3% en las muertes. El 57.8% de los accidentes ocurrió en la zona urbana y el 42.2% en la zona rural. Véase Tabla 20 y la Gráfica I.

### Tendencias en los Accidentes de Automóviles:

El número de muertos y lesionados en los últimos once años, por cada 1,000 vehículos registrados y cada 100,000 habitantes, aparece en la Tabla 18.

### Variación Mensual de Accidentes:

La distribución mensual de los accidentes, muertos y lesionados aparece en la Tabla 17. El mes de diciembre registró el porcentaje más alto de accidentes, 9.7%, seguido por mayo con 9.3%. El porcentaje más alto de lesionados ocurrió en diciembre y mayo con 9.8% y 9.3% respectivamente. En abril y diciembre se registró el mayor número de muertos, 13.2% y 10.6%, respectivamente. Véase Tabla 17 y la Gráfica J.

### Distribución de los Accidentes:

El choque entre automóviles causó el mayor número de accidentes. Este año hubo 10,714 (58.7%) accidentes de este tipo, lo que representa un aumento de 7.4% sobre el año anterior.

Los accidentes con peatones ascendieron a 3,135 o 17.2% del total y un aumento de 1.7% sobre el año 1953-54.

El resto de los accidentes y el por ciento que representan, en orden descendente, son: choques de autos con objetos fijos, 8.7% (1,586); con bicicleta, 5.7% (1,040); otros accidentes, 5.4% (987); autos volcados, 2.5% (459); choque con animales, 1.7% (308); con trenes, 0.1% (24). Véase Tabla 16.

#### Muertos y Lesionados por Grupos de Edades:

En los accidentes ocurridos durante el año, 9,377 personas resultaron heridas, 0.3% más que en el año anterior. La distribución de las personas lesionadas, por grupo de edades, es la siguiente: menores de 5 años de edad, 417 ó 4.4%; entre 5 y 14 años de edad, 1,471 ó 15.7%; de 15 a 24 años de edad, 2,517 ó 26.9%; de 25 a 64 años de edad, 4,623 ó 49.3%; y de 65 años de edad en adelante, 349 ó 3.7% del total. Accidentes de automóviles con peatones fué la clase de accidente que ocasionó el mayor número de heridos (3,125), 33.3%. Tabla 14.

Las muertes ocasionadas por accidentes de automóviles durante el año ascendieron a 235, 1.3% más que en el 1953-54. Entre los muertos en accidentes, 14 ó 6.0% tenían menos de 5 años de edad; 33 ó 14.0% tenían de 5 a 14 años de edad; 29 ó 12.3% entre los 15 y 24; 137 ó 58.3% entre los 25 y 64; y 22 ó 9.4% tenían 65 o más años de edad. Accidentes de Automóviles con peatones ocasionaron el 51.0% del total de muertes durante el año. Véase Tabla 15.

#### Accidentes en las Zonas Policiacas:

Las Zonas de San Juan (18.8%), Río Piedras (19.4%) y Ponce (12.3%) informaron conjuntamente, el 50% de todos los accidentes ocurridos en la Isla. El por ciento de accidentes en las otras zonas, en orden descendente

dente, fué el siguiente: Bayamón 10.8%; Mayagüez, 9.5%; Arecibo, 9.0%; Aguadilla, 6.1%; Caguas, 5.5%; Guayanilla, 4.9% y Humacao 3.7%. Véase Tabla 20 y la Gráfica L.

En 6 de las Zonas Policiacas aumentaron los accidentes en comparación con el año anterior. Río Piedras registró el mayor por ciento de aumento en los accidentes, con 22.9%; seguido por San Juan con 10.2%; Ponce, 9.4%; Guayanilla, 8.8%; Arecibo, 7.6% y Aguadilla, 2.7%.

En la Zona de San Juan los lesionados aumentaron 7.2% y las muertes descendieron 66.7% comparados con el año 1953-54. Las variaciones en el número de lesionados y muertes en las distintas zonas son: en Río Piedras los lesionados aumentaron 7.7% y las muertes, 40.0%. En Bayamón los lesionados descendieron 0.2% y las muertes descendieron 5.3%; en Arecibo los lesionados aumentaron 1.9% y las muertes 53.8%; en Ponce los lesionados aumentaron 1.6% y las muertes 40.0%; en Mayagüez descendieron los lesionados 16.6% y las muertes aumentaron un 36.4%; en Humacao los lesionados y las muertes descendieron 9.7% y 42.9%, respectivamente; en Guayanilla aumentaron los lesionados 3.8% y las muertes 17.6%; en Aguadilla aumentaron los lesionados 13.2% y las muertes descendieron 36.4%; y en Caguas los lesionados disminuyeron 16.0% y las muertes no variaron. Véase Tabla 20.

#### Causas de los Accidentes:

Las causas de los accidentes son múltiples, pero las que aparecieron con más frecuencia durante el año se indican en la Tabla 23.

El pasarle a otro vehículo negligentemente y el exceso de velocidad fueron las dos causas específicas que produjeron el mayor número

de accidentes en el año, 27.4% y 14.7%, respectivamente. El 18.0% de los lesionados y el 40.0% de las muertes se debieron a accidentes causados por exceso de velocidad.

#### Sexo, Edad y Clase de Licencia de los Conductores:

En los accidentes del año, 29,514 conductores estuvieron envueltos. De éstos, el 94.8% (27,963) eran varones y el 2.6% (774) mujeres y el 2.6% (777) no fué informado. Estos lesionaron a 214 (2.3%) personas y ocasionaron 2 (0.9%) muertes en el año 1954-55. Véase Tabla 24.

El 77.7% (22,945) de los conductores envueltos en accidentes tenían licencia de chofer. Estos fueron responsables del 76.1% (7,135) de las personas lesionadas y del 66.0% (155) de las muertes. Los conductores con licencia de aprendizaje envueltos en accidentes ascendieron a 549 (1.9%). Estos lesionaron a 211 (2.2%) personas y ocasionaron 9 (3.0%) muertes. Los conductores sin licencia ascendieron a 1,175 (4.0%). Estos lesionaron a 632 (7.3%) personas y ocasionaron 16 (6.8%) muertes. Las personas con licencia de conductor ascendieron a 2,987 (10.1%). Estas lesionaron a 963 (10.3%) personas y ocasionaron 27 (11.5%). Véase Tabla 26.

#### Tipo de Automóviles:

Los autos de turismo privados (48.5%) y de turismo públicos (19.5%) fueron lo que más estuvieron envueltos en accidentes. Los del tipo turismo privado fueron responsables del 47.0% (4,412) de los lesionados y del 41.7% (98) de las muertes. Los del tipo turismo público ocasionaron el 25.2% (2,361) de los lesionados y el 19.1% (45) de las muertes.

La distribución de las personas lesionadas y de las muertes aparece en la Tabla 27.

#### OTRAS CLASES DE ACCIDENTES

Los accidentes ocasionados por inmersión, electrocución, quemaduras, trabajo, caídas, bicicletas (sin motor) y otros más, ocasionaron 197 muertes y 634 heridos. El mayor número de muertes (110) fué por inmersión. En accidentes de bicicletas tres (3) personas resultaron muertas y 246 lesionadas. Véase Tabla 28. La Tabla no incluye accidentes aéreos.

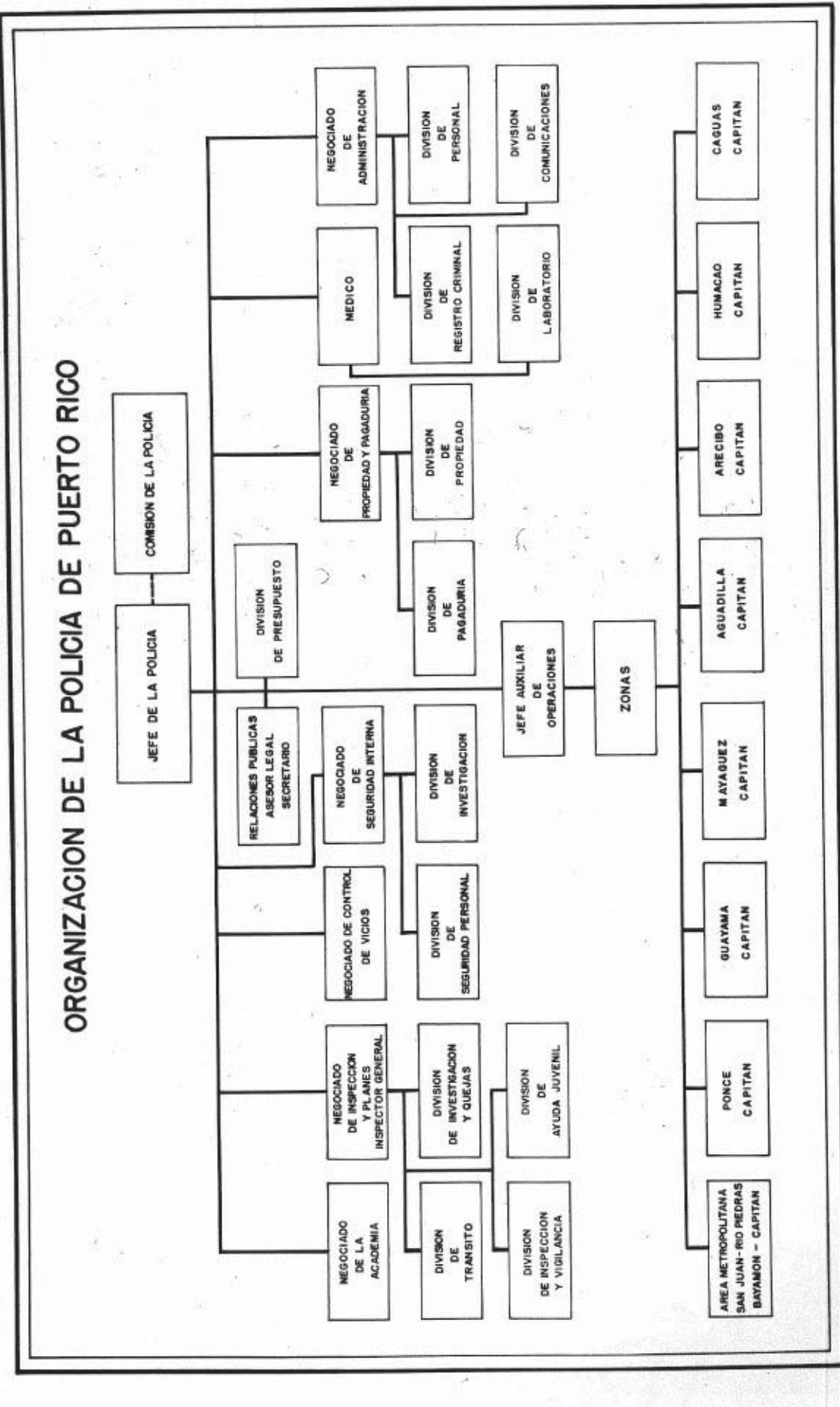
#### DELINCUENCIA JUVENIL

La Policía informó 1,629 casos de menores delincuentes durante el año 1954-55. Esto representa una disminución de 0.9% comparado con el año 1953-54. Véase Tabla 29 y la Gráfica M.

Los delitos contra la propiedad cometidos por menores delincuentes ascendieron a 1,192. El 62% (1003) del total de delitos cometidos por menores delincuentes fueron hurtos de menor cuantía y escalazamientos. Véase Tabla 29.

Las Tablas 30 y 31 muestran, por grupos de edades, el total de menores delincuentes (1,483) responsables de los 1,629 casos informados. Como podrá verse, el 55.7% (826) de dichos menores delincuentes tenían de 13 a 15 años de edad. El 40% (597) eran reincidentes. El 58.5% (349) de los reincidentes tenían de 13 a 15 años de edad y el 23.3% (139) tenían de 10 a 12 años de edad. Para la fecha que cometieron el delito, el 59% (874) de los menores delincuentes no eran escolares.

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**CAMBIOS EN LA FUERZA POLICIACA**  
**AÑO 1954 - 55**

CAMBIOS	:Capt.:Tnte.:Sgto.:Cabo:Dtves.:Gdias.:END.:						TOTAL
Nombramientos						163	1 164
Reingresos						22	22
Renuncias	1	1	6	46	1	55	
<u>Incapacidad Física</u>							
Con Derecho a Pensión	2	1	3	3	20	29	
Sin Derecho a Pensión				10		10	
Muertes			2	4		6	
Por el bien del Servicio		2		4		6	
Reenganches Desaprobados	1		1	6		8	
No interesaron Reenganchar				2		2	
No radicaron solicitud de Reenganche			1	8		9	
<u>OTROS CAMBIOS</u>							
Asensos				1	8	1	10
Reenganches Aprobados	40	86	105	1057			1288

**Fuente de Información:**

Ordenes Generales de la Policía de Puerto Rico

**TABLA 2 - DISTRIBUCION DEL PERSONAL ACTIVO DE LA POLICIA  
A JUNIO 30, 1955**

Zonas y Distritos	:1er. :2do.										
	Total	Col.	Capt.	Tnte.	Sgto.	Cabos	Dtve.	Gdias.	EHD.	Civiles	
GRAN TOTAL	2806	1	20	44	80	70	173	201	1987	37	193
Cuartel General	561	1	9	5	6	10	18	80	210	35	187
Zona I - San Juan											
Total	495		5	13	11	16	36	76	333	2	3
San Juan	495		5	13	11	16	36	76	333	2	3
Zona II - Rio Piedras											
Total	203		1	7	6	15			174		
Rio Piedras	140		1	4	4	11			120		
Trujillo Alto	12			1			1			10	
Carolina	22				1		1			20	
Loíza	17				1	1	1			14	
Rio Grande	12				1		1			10	
Zona III - Bayamón											
Total	182		2	9	2	14			155		
Bayamón	44		1	1	1	4			37		
Cataño	20			1			1			18	
Guaynabo	14			1			1			12	
Toa Baja	15			1			2			12	
Dorado	15			1			1			13	
Toa Alta	15			1			1			13	
Naranjito	12			1			1			10	
Vega Baja	21		1		1		1			18	
Vega Alta	13			1			1			11	
Corozal	13			1			1			11	
Zona IV - Arecibo											
Total	218	1	4	6	7	16	8		176		
Arecibo	87	1	2	1	5	5	8		65		
Camuy	13			1		1			11		
Hatillo	11			1		1			9		
Quebradillas	11			1		1			9		
Utuado	37		1		1	3			32		
Manatí	20			1		1	1		17		

:1er. :2do.

Zonas y Distritos : Total : Col. : Capt. : Tnte. : Sgto. : Cabos : Dtve. : Gdias. : EHD. : Civiles

Zona IV - Arecibo (Cont.)

Barceloneta	15		1		2		12	
Ciales	12		1		1		10	
Morovis	12				1		11	

Zona V - Ponce

Total	324	1	5	9	10	15	16	267	1
Ponce	160	1	2	1	6	6	16	127	1
Adjuntas	13			1		1		11	
Pefiuelas	13			1		1		11	
Juana Diaz	22		1		1			20	
Villalba	10			1		1		8	
Coamo	16		1		1			14	
Santa Isabel	12			1		1		10	
Orocovis	12			1		1		10	
Yauco	21		1		1	1		18	
Guayanilla	11			1		1		9	
Guánica	19			1	1	1		16	
Jayuya	15			1		1		13	

Zona VI - Mayaguez

Total	222	1	2	9	6	15	8	181
Mayaguez	111	1	1	2	4	6	8	89
Añasco	13			1		1		11
Hormigueros	10			1		1		8
Maricao	10			1		1		8
Las Marias	10			1		1		8
San German	23		1		1	2		19
Cabo Rojo	20			1	1	1		17
Lajas	12			1		1		10
Sabana Grande	13			1		1		11

Zona VII - Humacao

Total	165	1	4	6	2	13	1	138
Humacao	45	1	2		1	4	1	36
Iabucoa	19		1			2		16
Maunabo	12			1	1	1		9
Las Piedras	12			1		1		10

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Zonas y Distritos : Total:Col.:Capt.:Tnte.:Sgte.:Cabos:Dtve.;Gdias.;EHD.;Civiles

Zona VII - Humacao (Cont.)

Fajardo	24	1			1		22
Vieques	15		1		1		13
Naguabo	13		1		1		11
Ceiba	11		1		1		9
Luquillo	14		1		1		12

Zona VIII - Guayanilla

Total	141	1	2	6	4	11	2	114	1
Guayanilla	46	1	1	1	2	4	2	34	1
Salinas	21		1	1	1	1		18	
Arroyo	12			1		1		10	
Patillas	12			1		1		10	
Cayey	26		1		1	2		22	
Aibonito	12			1		1		10	
Barranquitas	12			1		1		10	

Zona IX - Aguadilla

Total	151	4	4	4	9	6	124		
Aguadilla	61		2	3	3	2	5	49	
Moca	12			1		1		10	
Aguada	13			1		1		11	
Rincón	12			1		1		10	
Isabela	18			1	1	1	1	14	
Lares	16		1			1		14	
San Sebastián	19		1			2		16	

Zona X - Caguas

Total	144	1	2	7	3	11	4	115	1
Caguas	67	1	1	2	2	5	4	51	1
Aguas Buenas	11			1		1		9	
Gurabo	11			1		1		9	
Juncos	18		1		1	1		15	
San Lorenzo	13			1		1		11	
Cidra	12			1		1		10	
Comerío	12			1		1		10	

**TABLA 3 - ESCALA DE SALARIOS DE LA POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO  
AÑO 1954 - 55**

<b>CLASIFICACION</b>	<b>SALARIO BASICO ANUAL</b>
Jefe de la Policía	\$ 16,800
Jefe Auxiliar y Ayudante	6,300
Inspector General	6,000
Capitanes	4,920
Superintendente de Identificación	4,920
Médico	4,920
Asesor Legal	4,920
Oficial Pagador	4,920
Oficial de la Propiedad	4,920
Decano de la Academia	4,920
Teniente Primero	3,840
Supte. Auxiliar de Identificación	3,840
Experto en Documentos Dudosos	3,840
Oficial de Estadísticas	3,840
Oficial de Comunicaciones	3,840
Teniente Segundo	3,120
Oficial Auxiliar de Comunicaciones	3,120
Secretario del Jefe de la Policía	3,120
Experto en Huellas Digitales y Oficinista	3,120
Sargentos	2,460
Experto en Huellas Digitales y Fotografía	2,100
Experto en Huellas Digitales y Balística	2,100
Cabos	2,040
Detectives	1,980
Experto en Huellas Digitales	1,920
Guardias	1,800
Abogado II	5,700
Abogado I	4,800
Contador III	4,100
Oficinista Taquigrafo III	2,400
Oficinista Dactilografo III	2,040
Técnico de Comunicación II	3,060
Técnico de Comunicación I	2,700
Técnico de Radio	2,280
Oficinista Taquigrafo II	1,800
Técnico Auxiliar de Radio	1,800
Oficinista Dactilografo II	1,632
Oficinista Taquigrafo I	1,392
Oficinista I	1,344
Oficinista Dactilografo I	1,344
Guardalmacen II	1,324
Guardalmacen I	1,632
Mecánico de Equipo Automotriz	1,800

CLASIFICACION	BALARIO BASICO ANUAL
Ebanista	\$ 1,680
Mensajero	1,080
Funcionario Ejecutivo I	3,600
Supervisor de Lanchas	1,392
Operador de Lanchas	1,080
Taquígrafo de Récord	3,060
Oficinista de Contabilidad	2,040
Funcionario Ejecutivo III	5,100
Funcionario Ejecutivo II	4,500
Armero	1,560
Ayudante de Cocina	900
Cocinero I	1,656
Cocinero II	1,380
Cocinero III	1,020
Ayudante del Inspector General	3,120
Oficial Auxiliar de Comunicaciones	3,120
Funcionario Ejecutivo I	3,960
Representante de Información I	3,600
Oficinista IV	2,808
Oficinista II	1,632
Operador de Máquina Duplicadora	1,344
Estadístico II	3,420
Oficinista de Estadística	2,040
Oficinista III	2,040
Conserje	900
Supervisor de Recreación II	3,240
Químico	3,240
Decano Auxiliar de la Academia	4,404
Técnico de Administración III	4,200

TABLA 4

POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO  
DIVISION DE CONTABILIDAD

ESTADO DE ASIGNACIONES Y GASTOS  
A JUNIO 30, 1955

<u>Asignaciones</u>	<u>Presupuestales</u>	<u>Cestado</u>	<u>Desembolso</u>	<u>Bal. Libre</u>
Sumulos, Empleados E gallos	\$ 6,020,033.00	\$ 5,972,030.77	\$ 15,207.83	\$ 32,714.40
Provision para aumento de sueldos a Miembros de la Fuerza Policial en Segun Sistema de Meriticos diariamente	25,007.00	1,745.75	100.00	25,007.00
Serv. Profesionales y Consultivos	3,000.00	299.00	230.00	1,104.25
Honorarios a Jurados, testigos y otras Cestas de Viaje	3,000.00	880.70	144.30	2,221.00
2,000.00	105,275.19	7,723.36	975.00	116,000.00
116,000.00			145	
Servicios no profesionales, excepto gastos de viaje	454,360.00	394,490.25	39,794.32	25.80
Combustibles	90,500.00	67,729.11	12,005.34	735.75
Materiales, Suministros y Piezas	350,560.00	193,662.40	151,463.28	5,674.32
Compra de Equipo	189,900.00	165,120.83	23,267.25	1,511.91
Perdidas, subsidios, alquiler. Y contribuciones, becas y premios	250.00	125.00	—	25.00
Servicios consulenciales	7,000.00	6,295.90	125.00	265.90
Pago por gastos de viaje y distas a policías y para gastos de viaje, servicios, informaciones o consulta- ciones e particulares	3,200.00	—	—	3,500.00
	\$ 7,225,190.00	\$ 6,910,838.53	\$ 270,150.69	\$ 74,350.75
<u>ASIGNACIONES ESTACIAS</u>				
	17,548.50	5,934.43	11,613.07	
	500.00	747.30	52.70	

JUN 27, 1955 - Dpto. Arzac  
Fundo de la Policia

TABLA 9 - DELITOS CONOCIDOS O INFORMADOS A LA POLICIA  
OCURRIDOS Y ESCLARECIDOS  
AÑO 1954 - 55

DELITOS	:Delitos	:Delitos	: Total	Ocurrencia:		Q N A S		:Delitos
	:Conocidos	:Infundados	:Ocurridos	Día	Noche	Urbana	Rural	:Esclarecidos
T O T A L E S	: 124763	: 524	: 124239	: 43962	: 80277	: 90812	: 33427	: 113480
<b>Homicidios Criminales:</b>								
Asesinato	137		137	36	101	59	78	135
Homicidio Voluntario	31		31	11	20	14	17	31
Homicidio Involuntario	111		111	30	81	30	81	107
Violación	133	2	131	43	88	58	73	116
<b>Agresiones Graves:</b>								
Ataque p/c Asesinato	99		99	29	70	55	44	99
Ataque p/c Homicidio	31		31	10	21	18	13	31
Tentado a la Vida	159	(539)	159	38	121	65	94	158
Violación	250		250	50	200	121	129	249
Abuso	181	4	177	71	106	134	43	77
Escalamiento	4116	25	4091	1408	2683	3201	890	851
<b>Hurtos:</b>								
Hurto Mayor	865	18	847 <sup>180</sup>	350	497	709	138	213
Hurto Menor	6494	168	6326	2871	3455	4916	1410	1871
Hurto de Ganado	7		7	1	6	1	6	
Hurto de Uso	406	11	397	146	251	300	97	304
Hurto de Auto	115	1	114	34	80	104	10	9
<b>Otras Agresiones:</b>								
Agresión Grave	9266	22	9244	2208	7036	5721	3523	9108
Agresión Simple	4468	27	4441	1037	3404	2921	1520	4247
Falsificación	149	1	148	101	47	143	5	86
Abuse de Confianza	423	10	413	258	155	341	72	305
Hurto Art. 438	62	1	61	39	22	39	22	58
<b>Armas:</b>								
Armas, Registro	98		98	22	76	56	42	98
Armas, Ley de	4024	2	4022	1009	3013	2278	1744	3999
Prostitución	135		135	58	77	99	36	135
<b>Otros Delitos del Sexo:</b>								
Delito Contra Natura	62		62	21	41	36	26	60
Incesto	20		20	14	6	6	14	19
Bebidas, Ley de	1187	13	1174	413	761	318	856	1161
Embriaguez	11150	2	11148	3061	8067	9888	1260	11146
Turbar la Paz	17395	18	17377	5399	11978	12629	4748	17331
<b>Juegos Prohibidos:</b>								
Juegos Art. 300	448		448	69	379	269	179	448
Juegos Prohibidos	1548	1	1547	268	1279	837	720	1547
Carretera, Ley de	317		317	153	164	137	180	315
Tránsito	40483	109	40374	16266	24108	29260	11114	40215
<b>Otros Delitos:</b>								
Incendio	339	4	335	95	240	61	274	86
Falsa Representación	670	5	665	340	325	528	137	534

TABLA 5 - TENDENCIAS DE LOS DELITOS GRAVES  
EN LAS ZONAS URBANAS Y RURALES  
AÑO 1954 - 55

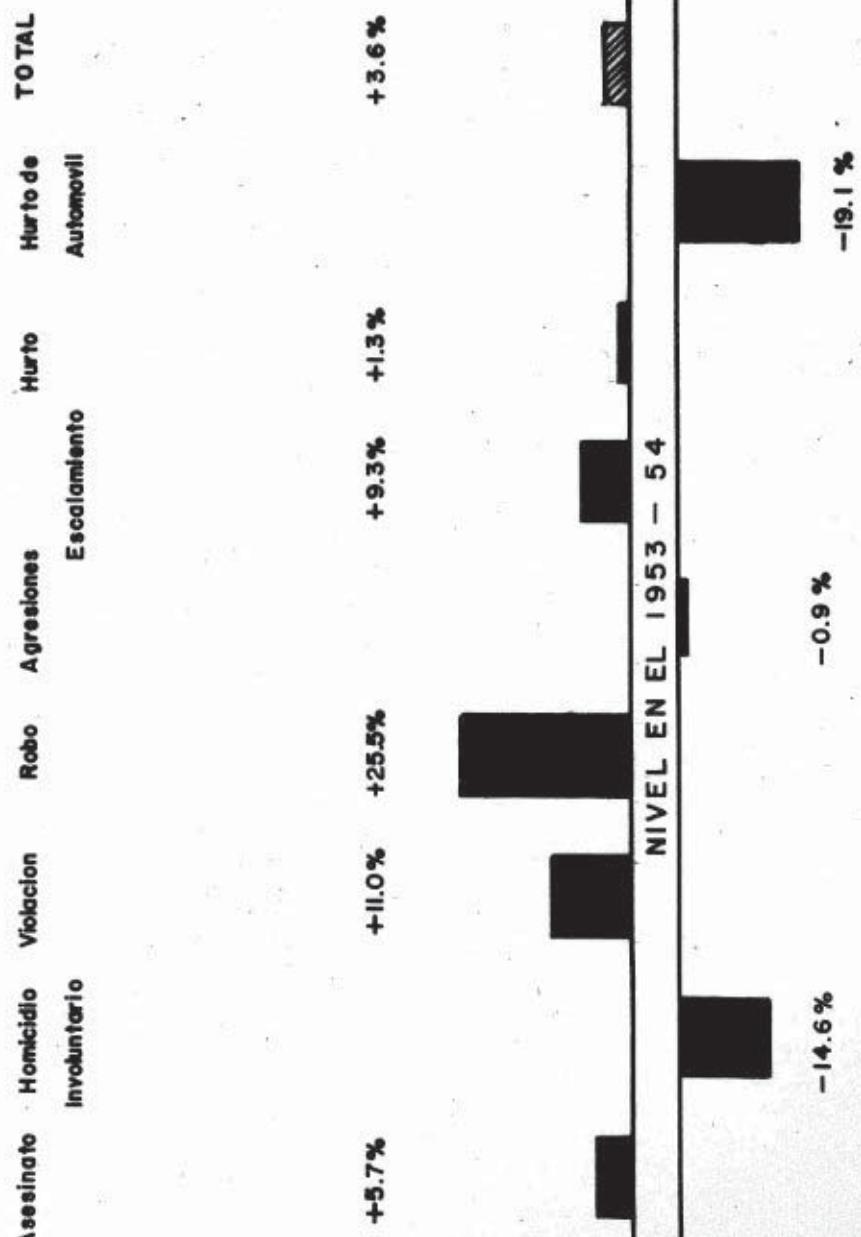
DELITOS	1953		1954		1955		CANTIDAD	
	Total : Urbana:Rural:	Total : Urbana:Rural:	Total : Urbana:Rural:	Total : Urbana:Rural:	Total : Urbana:Rural:	Total : Urbana:Rural:	Total : Urbana:Rural:	Total : Urbana:Rural:
TOTALES	12454 : 9316 : 3136 : 12903 : 9785 : 3123 : 4454 : 1469 : -25 : +3.6% : +5.0% : +0.5%							
Asesinato y Hon. Vol.	159	65	94	168	73	95	+ 9	+ 1
Homicidio Involuntario	130	58	72	111	30	81	- 19	- 28
Violencia	118	42	76	131	58	73	+ 13	+ 16
Robo	141	108	33	177	134	43	+ 36	+ 26
Agresiones Graves	544	266	278	539	259	260	- 5	- 7
Escalamiento	3744	2902	842	4091	3201	890	+347	+299
Hurtos	7477	5749	1728	7577	5926	1651	+100	+177
Hurto de Auto	141	126	15	114	104	10	- 27	- 22

TABLA 6 - VARIACION MENSUAL EN LOS DELITOS OCURRIDOS  
AÑO 1954 - 55

MES	DELITOS OCURRIDOS :			PERSONAS ARRESTADAS O DENUNCIADAS :		
	1953 - 54 :		1954 - 55 :	1953 - 54 :		1954 - 55 :
	Por Ciento:	Número : del Total :	Por Ciento:	Número : del Total :	Por Ciento:	Número : del Total :
TOTALES	125382	100.0%	124239	100.0%	135772	100.0%
Julio	11696	9.3	9735	7.0	12692	8.5
Agosto	12131	9.7	10197	8.2	13318	8.4
Septiembre	11328	9.0	8892	7.1	13019	7.9
Octubre	9439	7.5	9070	7.3	10481	7.4
Noviembre	9971	7.9	10147	8.2	11255	8.1
Diciembre	10301	8.2	8920	7.2	11303	7.9
Enero	10352	8.3	7959	6.4	9853	6.9
Febrero	9075	7.2	11236	9.0	9186	7.4
Marzo	10393	8.3	12332	10.0	11057	9.3
Abril	10298	8.2	11469	9.2	11220	10.1
Mayo	10625	8.5	11793	9.5	11307	9.1
Junio	9343	7.9	12594	10.1	10981	9.0
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						10.3

## CAMBIOS EN LOS DELITOS PRINCIPALES EN PUERTO RICO

### CAMBIOS EN POR CIENTOS EN 1954 - 55



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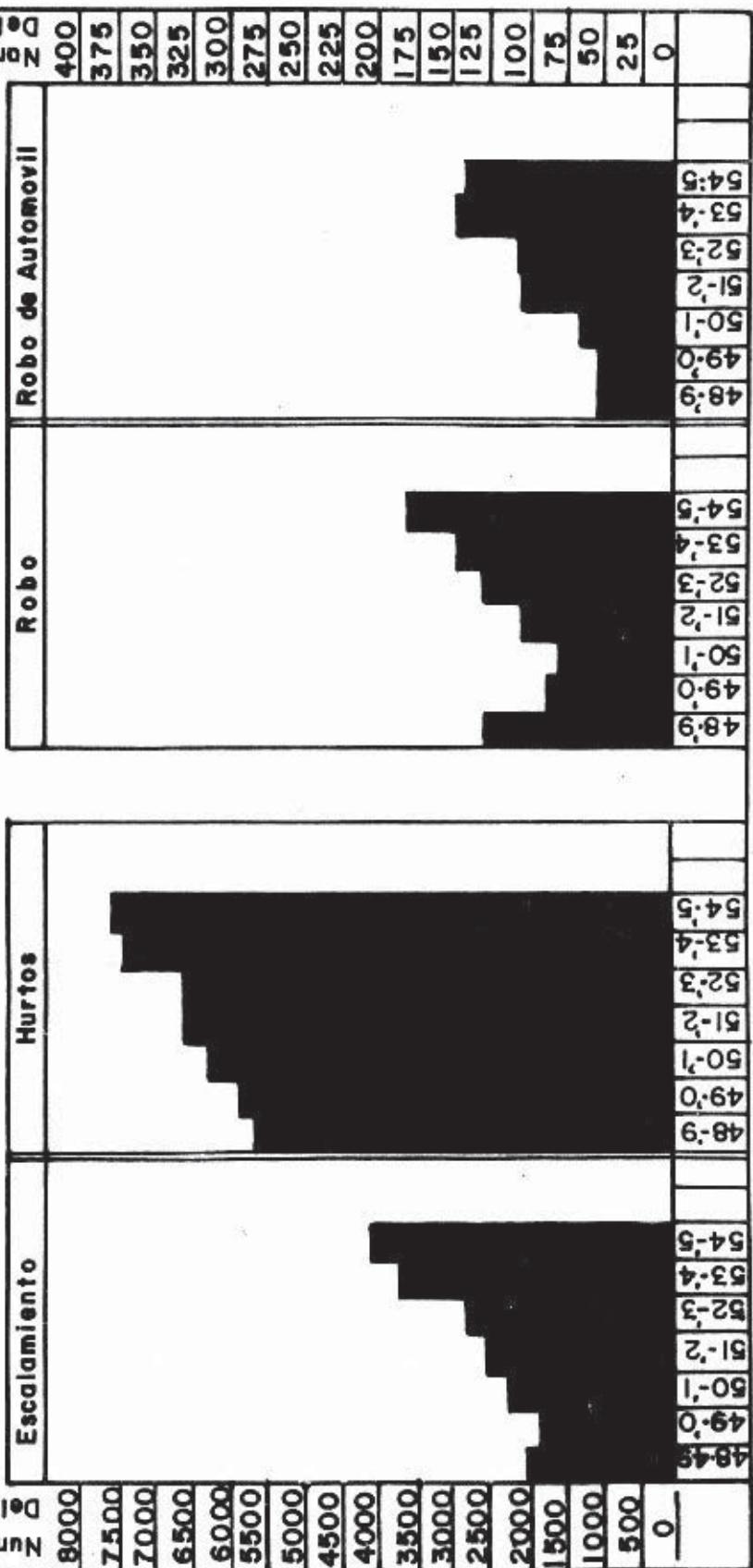
**TABLA 7 - DELITOS CONOCIDOS O INFORMADOS A LA POLICIA, OCURRIDOS, ESCLARECIDOS Y PERSONAS ACUSADAS, POR ZONAS Y DISTRITOS POLICIAZOS**  
**AÑO 1954 - 55**

ZONAS POLICIAZOS	DELITOS				Personas Acusadas	
	Conocidos	Ocurridos	Esclarecidos		Hombres	Mujeres
<b>T O T A L E S</b>	<b>: 124763 :</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>: 124239 :</b>	<b>113480</b>	<b>: 117358 :</b>	<b>9188</b>
Zona I - San Juan						
Total	26180	3	26177	22759	21965	2044
San Juan	26180	3	26177	22759	21965	2044
Zona II - Rio Piedras						
Total	14458	60	14398	12469	12492	949
Carolina	1459		1459	1459	1542	169
Loiza	1824	46	1778	1675	1607	169
Rio Grande	1039	1	1038	1002	1005	51
Rio Piedras	9490	12	9478	7715	7708	519
Trujillo Alto	646	1	645	618	630	41
Zona III - Bayamón						
Total	10271	4	10267	9851	10209	817
Bayamón	3028	1	3027	2835	2814	137
Catálio	1483		1483	1446	1215	208
Cerrozal	901	3	898	840	1013	63
Dorado	530		530	530	693	79
Guaynabo	431		431	431	431	34
Naranjito	530		530	522	561	19
Toa Alta	241		241	241	289	16
Toa Baja	535		535	535	654	45
Vega Alta	701		701	672	707	70
Vega Baja	1891		1891	1749	1812	146
Zona IV - Arecibo						
Total	12653	30	12623	11901	12468	729
Arecibo	5201	10	5191	4779	5069	228
Barceloneta	843		843	820	940	36
Camuy	888		888	862	925	57
Ciales	893		893	869	762	46
Hatillo	507		507	474	676	57
Manati	1446		1446	1445	1426	89
Morovis	587		587	562	572	10
Quebradillas	638	17	621	553	694	51
Utuado	1650	3	1647	1537	1572	153

ZONAS POLICIACAS	D E L I T O S				Personas acusadas	
	:Conocidos:	:Infundados:	:Ocurridos:	:Esclarecidos:	Hombres	Mujeres
<b>Zona V - Ponce</b>						
Total	18618	170	18448	16662	17310	1609
Adjuntas	551	3	548	542	604	5
Coamo	1193	1	1192	1177	1149	131
Guánica	638	1	637	591	638	108
Guayanilla	612		612	611	592	47
Jayuya	545		545	512	710	23
Juana Diaz	1914	2	1912	1852	1949	274
Orocovis	428		428	416	441	10
Peñuelas	733	12	721	695	769	49
Ponce	9460	151	9309	7867	7784	703
Santa Isabel	791		791	748	872	115
Villalba	417		417	383	542	23
Yauco	1336		1336	1268	1260	121
<b>Zona VI - Mayaguez</b>						
Total	10284	132	10152	9014	10070	515
Añasco	598		598	582	680	33
Cabo Rojo	1165	112	1053	997	1057	83
Hormigueros	347		347	347	380	13
Lajas	631		631	574	617	54
Las Marias	298	4	294	268	378	26
Maricao	234		234	228	343	17
Mayaguez	4452	9	4443	3600	3850	161
Sabana Grande	840	7	833	751	825	28
San German	1719		1719	1667	1940	100
<b>Zona VII - Humacao</b>						
Total	6346	45	6301	6132	6469	486
Ceiba	291	10	281	252	290	12
Fajardo	1440	35	1405	1310	1200	160
Humacao	1220		1220	1220	1330	80
Las Piedras	502		502	502	704	29
Luquillo	448		448	425	479	24
Maunabo	453		453	452	540	43
Vieques	536		536	524	507	79
Naguabo	546		546	539	567	15
Iabucoa	910		910	908	852	44
<b>Zona VIII - Guayama</b>						
Total	8918	8	8910	8642	9323	987
Albonito	506		506	504	491	24
Arroyo	646	1	645	627	712	43
Barranquitas	542		542	509	707	21
Cayey	2212		2212	2182	2133	217
Guayama	2867	7	2860	2706	2818	373
Patillas	863		863	861	1153	118
Salinas	1282		1282	1253	1309	191

ZONAS POLICIACAS	D E L I T O S				Personas acusadas	
	:Conocidos:	:Infundados:	:Ocurridos:	:Esclarecidos:	Hombres	Mujeres
<b>Zona IX - Aguadilla</b>						
Total	8487	48	8439	7907	8471	722
Aguadilla	3250	24	3226	2996	2979	383
Aguada	534		534	532	692	55
Isabela	926	9	917	821	902	83
Lares	1084		1084	1082	1310	56
Moca	761	10	751	653	770	60
Rincón	319		319	310	311	6
San Sebastián	1613	5	1608	1513	1507	79
<b>Zona X - Caguas</b>						
Total	8548	24	8524	8143	8581	330
Aguas Buenas	461		461	461	549	20
Caguas	4072	4	4068	3857	3798	106
Cidra	484	1	483	464	675	31
Comerío	855	19	836	756	759	25
Curabo	734		734	666	653	33
Juncos	871		871	871	907	56
San Lorenzo	1071		1071	1068	1240	59

**DELITOS PRINCIPALES CONTRA LA PROPIEDAD**  
**(BASADOS EN DELITOS OCURRIDOS)**

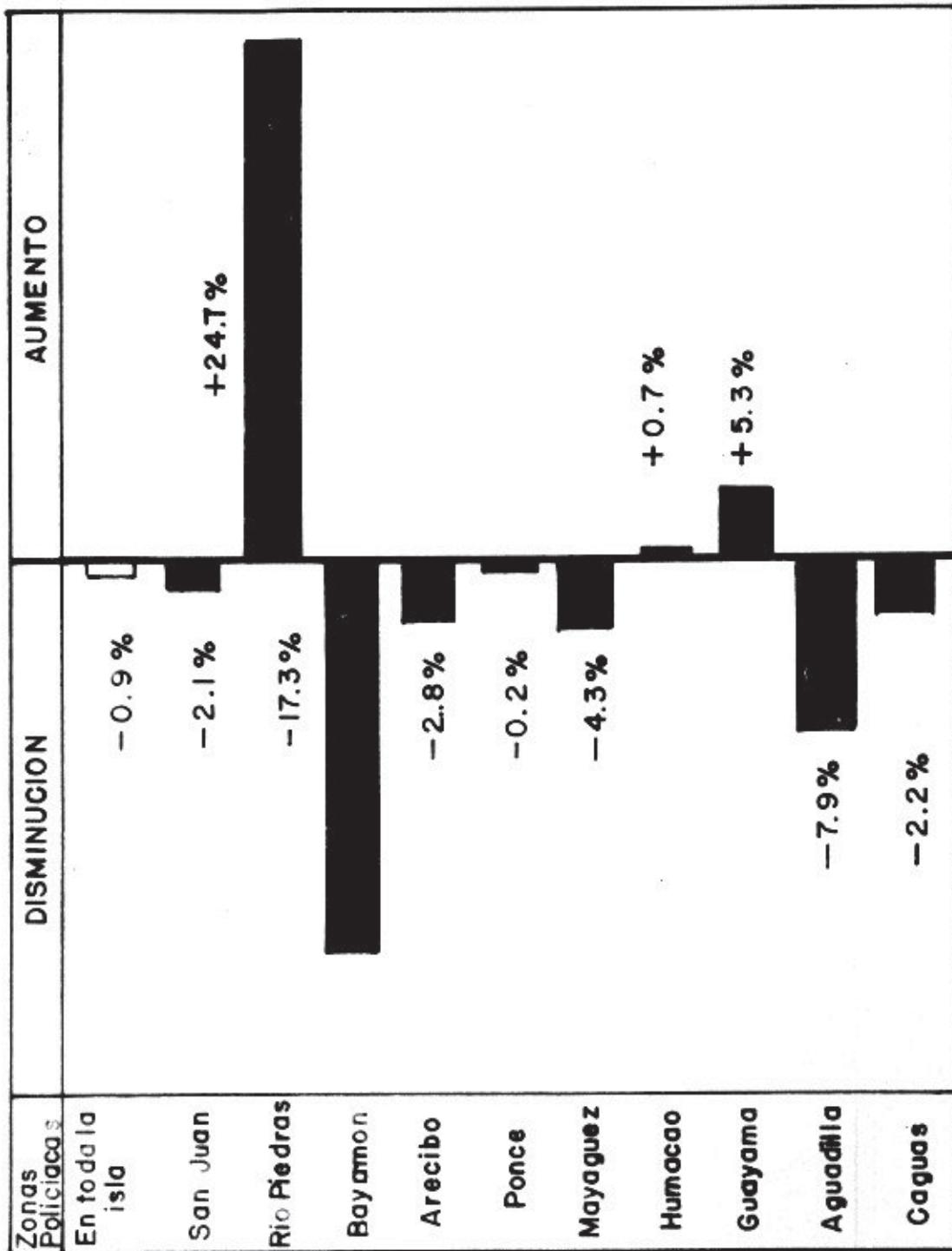


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TAHLE 8 - COMPARACION DE LOS DELITOS OCURRIDOS Y ESCLARECIDOS EN LAS ZONAS POLICIAZAS  
AÑO 1954 - 55

ZONAS POLICIAZAS	Mfm. de Delitos: Ocurridos : 1953-54: 1954-55;	Cambios Núm. : Ciento : 1953-54: 1954-55;	Delitos Ocurridos: Por Ciento : en 1953-54: 1954-55;	Delitos Esclarecidos : Esclarecidos : 1953-54: 1954-55;	Por Ciento Cambio : 1953-54: 1954-55;
TOTALES	125382 : 124239 : -1143 : -0.9% : 100.0% : 115831 : 113460 : 92.4% : 91.3% : -1.1%				
San Juan	26736	26177	-559 -2.1	21.3	21.0
Río Piedras	11549	14398	+2849 +24.9	9.2	11.6
Bayamon	12412	10267	-2145 -17.3	9.9	8.3
Arecibo	12993	12623	-370 -2.8	10.4	10.2
Ponce	18493	18448	-45 -0.2	14.7	14.8
Higuey	10606	10152	-454 -4.3	8.5	8.2
Humacao	6255	6301	+46 +0.7	5.0	5.0
Guayanilla	8463	8910	+447 +5.3	6.7	7.2
Aguadilla	9159	8439	-720 -7.9	7.3	6.8
Caguas	8716	8524	-192 -2.2	7.0	6.9

**CAMBIOS, EN POR CIENTOS, DE LOS DELITOS  
OCURRIDOS EN LAS ZONAS POLICIACAS  
AÑO 1954 - 55**

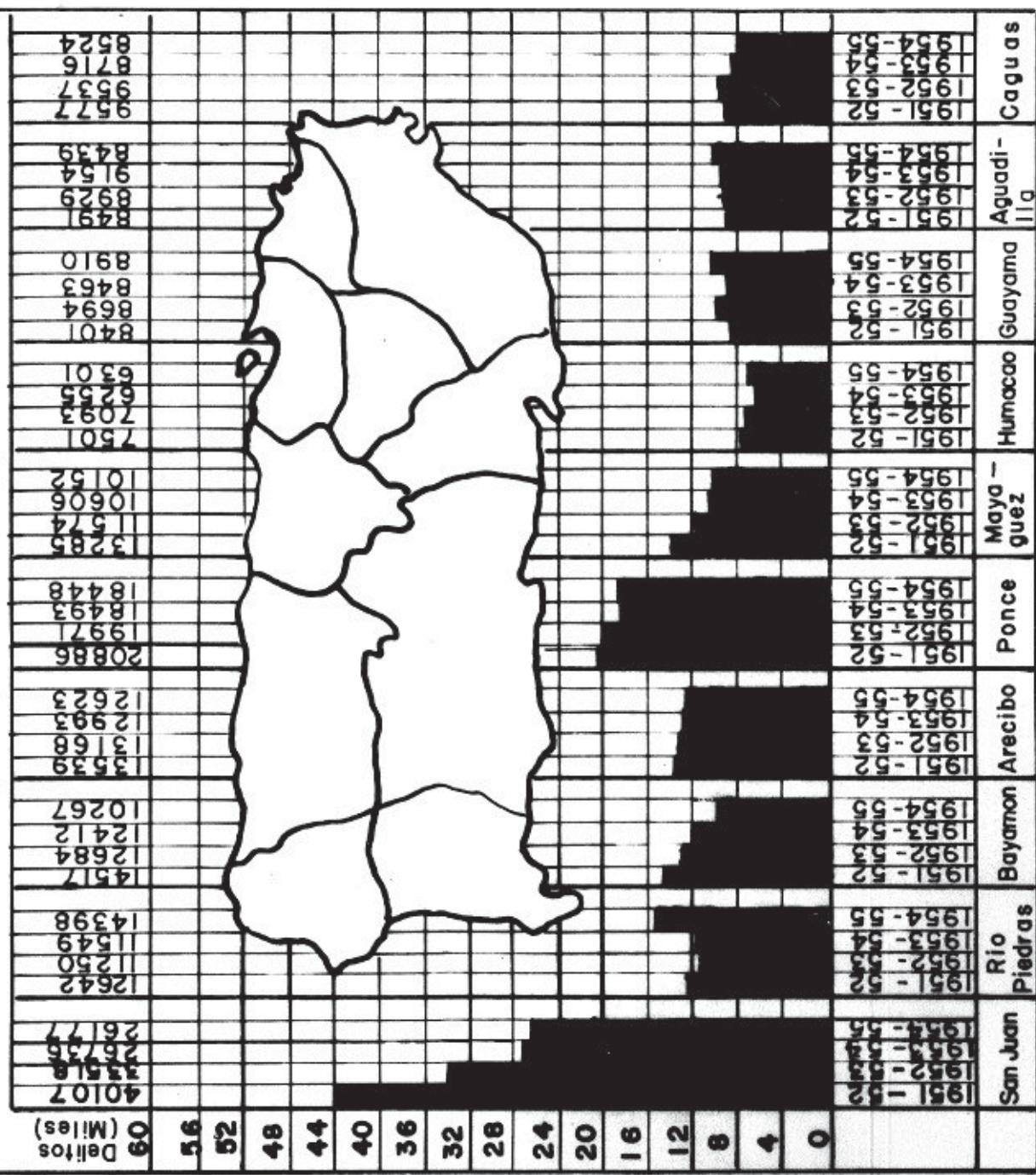


POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO

GRAFICA - D

DELITOS	:Delitos :Delitos : Total : Ocurrencia: ZONA S :Delitos	
	:Conocidos:Infundados:Ocurridos: Día :Noche:Urbana:Rural:Esclarecidos	
<b>Otros Delitos (cont.)</b>		
Daños Maliciosos	1892	23
Dolita, Ley de	300	8
Ruidos Innecesarios	1836	
Arbitrios	80	
Exposiciones Desh.	282	
Sanidad, Ley de	161	
Salud y Seguridad	110	
Justicia Pública	179	
lamento C.S.P.	1706	
Cierre, Ley de	900	
Narcóticos	2	
Ordenanzas Miales.	7540	2
Otros Delitos	4392	47
1869	599	1270
292	111	181
1836	596	1242
80	28	52
282	96	186
161	24	137
110	49	61
179	64	115
1706	897	809
900	468	432
2	2	2
7538	2930	4608
4345	2121	2224
1115	7244	294
1678	3111	1234
160		
1840		
80		
281		
160		
110		
177		
1705		
899		
2		
7413		
3898		

**DELITOS OCURRIDOS EN LA ISLA  
DISTRIBUIDOS POR ZONAS POLICIALES  
1951—52—1954—55**



**GRAFICA – E**      **Policia de Puerto Rico**

**TABLA 10 - DISTRICCIÓN POR GRUPOS DE EDADES DE LAS PERSONAS ARRESTADAS O DENUNCIADAS POR LA POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO**

**D E L I T O S**  
146 mesos: 15 - 19 : 20 - 24 :  $\frac{5}{25} - \frac{4}{29}$ ;  $\frac{2}{30} - \frac{3}{36}$ : 35 - 39 : 40 - 44 : 45 - 49: 50 - 6 mes.  
Var.: Hen.; Ver.: Hen.; Var.: Hen.; Ver.: Hen.; Ver.: Hen.; Ver.: Hen.

T O T A L E S : 1998 : 36 : 1172; : 1466; 21823; 2067; 19923; 1438; 18267; 1274; 14595; 1082; 11610; 715; 7464; 497; 1084; 613

Homicidios Criminales:															
Asesinato	1	14	5	21	1	15	3	16	2	20	3	6	1	14	1
Homicidio Voluntario	1	7	17	4	27	2	20	15	8	8	6	2	2	2	1
Homicidio Involuntario	1	22	1	31	25	1	24	8	5	10	3	4	4	10	1
Violación	4	28	2	30	19	2	15	13	2	12	2	3	3	8	1
Robo	4	11	1	18	5	15	2	13	1	12	2	13	10	4	1
Agresiones Graves:		Ataque p/c Asesinato		Ataque p/c Homicidio		Atentado a la Vida		Latilicencia		Escalamiento		Hurtos:		Hurtos Mayor	
		Ataque p/c Asesinato		Ataque p/c Homicidio		Atentado a la Vida		Latilicencia		Escalamiento					
		1		1		1		1		1		26		1	
		1		1		1		1		1		6		59	
		1		1		1		1		1		647		27	
		1		1		1		1		1		116		102	
		1		1		1		1		1		6		6	
		1		1		1		1		1		1025		72	
		1		1		1		1		1		728		103	
		1		1		1		1		1		6		2	
		1		1		1		1		1		38		57	
		1		1		1		1		1		6		6	
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		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
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		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
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		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
		1		1		1		1		1		5		5	
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**DELITOS**

:246 menos: 15 - 19 : 20 - 24 :  $\frac{E}{25} - \frac{D}{29} : \frac{A}{30-34} : \frac{S}{35 - 39 : 40-44 : 45 - 49 : 50-54$  más  
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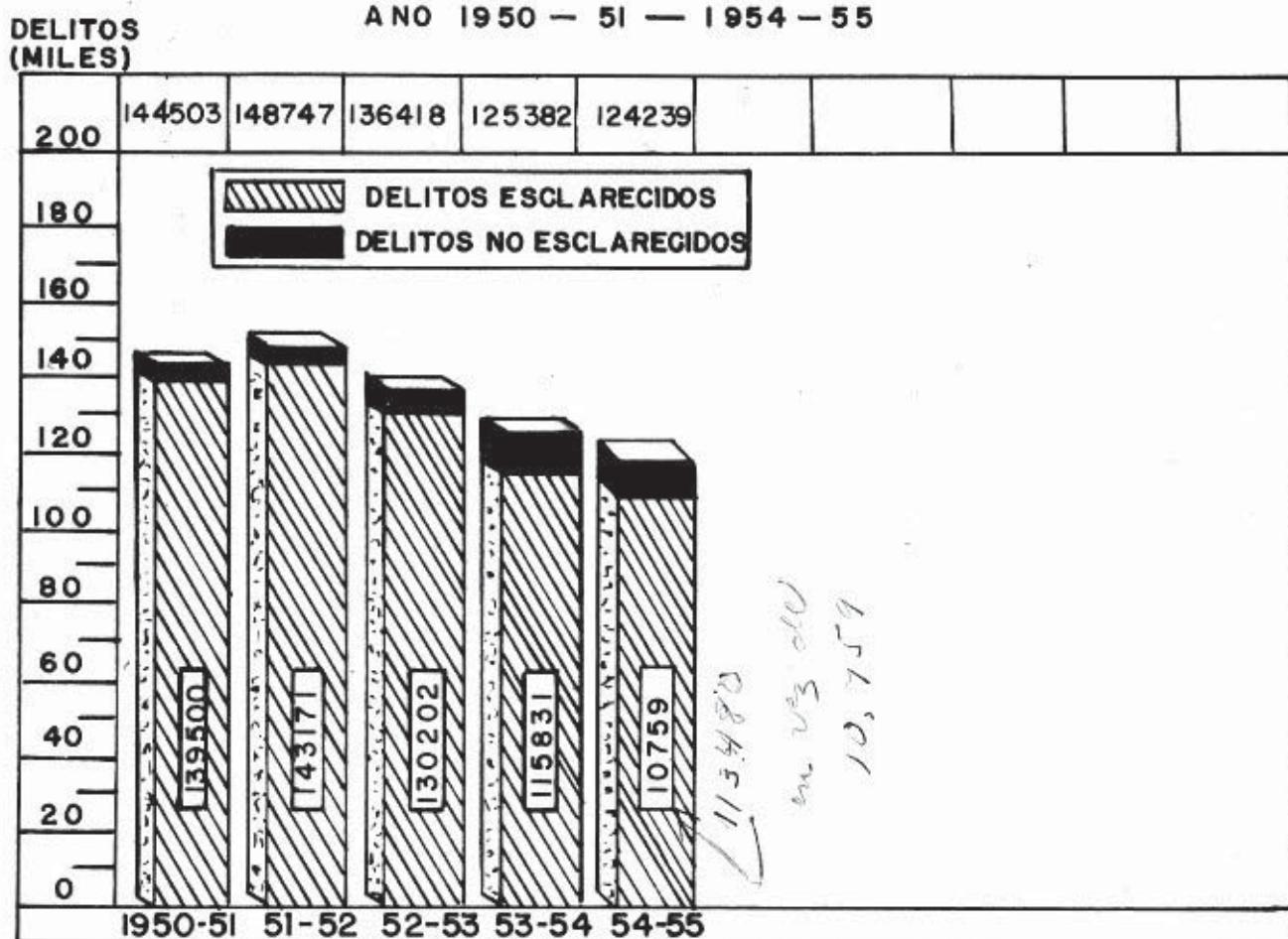
		2	19	11	10	8	6	12	2	13	2	14	4	14	1	32	6			
Prestitución																				
Otros Delitos del Sexo:																				
Delito Contra Natura	9	21		10		7		6		7		1		3			6			
Incesto				1				1		3			3		5		5			
Bebidas, Ley de	1	52	5	84	6	110	17	129	17	158	26	138	24	109	19	186	40			
Embriaguez	1	401	109	1270	190	1302	119	1324	116	1471	129	1238	75	972	51	1387	51			
Turbar La Paz	15	10	2313	655	3543	883	2449	563	1916	479	1663	415	1335	273	887	189	1421	235		
Juegos Prohibidos:																				
Juegos Art. 300	2	969	6	1215	7	1106	6	1203	4	1137	7	1037	7	747	6	1661	12			
Juegos Prohibidos				46		56		55		44		35		26	1	26	2			
Carretera, Ley de																				
Tránsito	12	1	1977	47	7050	112	7409	183	7282	153	5038	81	3850	64	2125	29	2386	27		
Otros Delitos:																				
Incendio	8	19		15				?	1	9	1	4	1	4	1	10	1			
Falsa Representación	1	39	5	92	6	103	2	91	2	51	1	38	1	12	2	39	2			
Daños Maliciosos	54	194	18	251	20	157	8	114	15	106	18	83	12	57	5	111	9			
Bolita, Ley de				1	9	2	19	2	32	3	38	10	37	7	29	12	91	23		
Muidos Innecesarios				2	242	9	236	19	254	15	256	21	199	22	138	12	264	29		
Arbitrios				2	6	1	6	6	7	2	11	2	6	1	10	1	12	4		
Exposiciones Desh.				33	6	66	6	40	6	31	1	26	1	23	4	8	1	17	5	
Seridad, Ley de				26	36	11	42	11	13	6	5	15	5	18	2	10	2	13	5	
Salud y Seguridad				7	17			17	13	6		6	1	2						
Justicia Pública					1	35	4	26	4	14	3	10	2	5	1	14	1	7		
Reglamento C.S.P.					48	263		317	1	241	1	243	1	201	1	142	1	94	1	
Cierre, Ley de					15	23	5	61	5	95	8	154	5	142	8	133	6	234	4	
Marcóticos				1	983	179	1111	199	1034	111	1070	97	799	91	778	41	467	34	690	20
Ordenanzas Mplas.				1	692	110	1749	159	1774	106	1423	106	1125	71	783	46	508	39	642	39
Mandamientos de Arresto	3	1	383	29	635	91	680	52	606	52	475	48	379	31	241	12	321	26		

No dice Edades:

Tránsito, Leyes de - 149  
Ordenanzas Mplas. - 106

**DELITOS OCURRIDOS Y ESCLARECIDOS  
POR LA POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO**

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## PROMEDIO DIARIO DE DELITOS OCURRIDOS

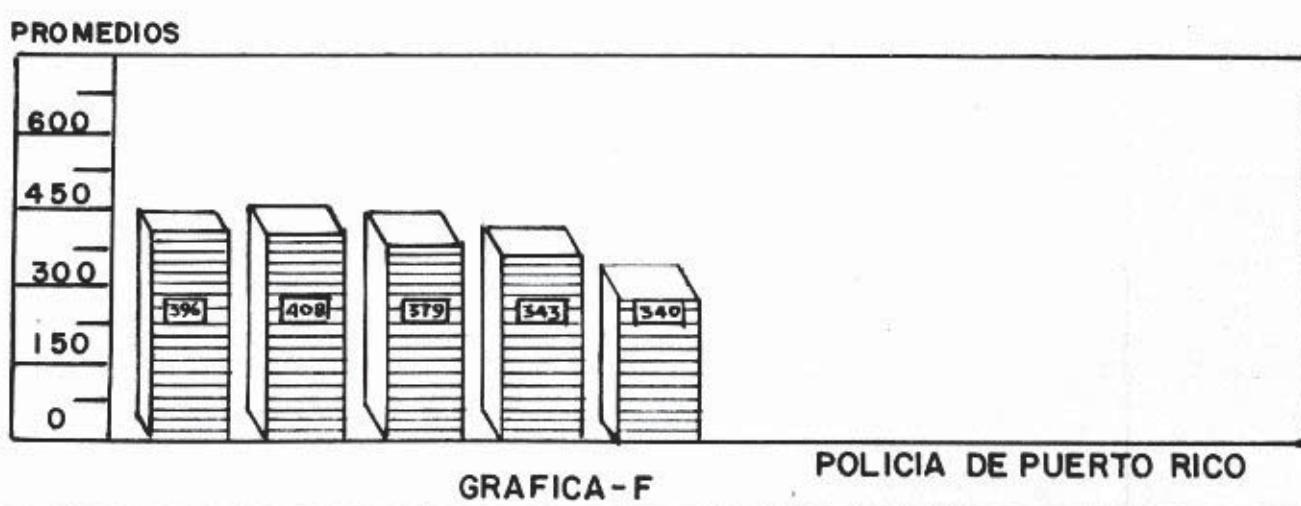


TABLA 11 - NÚMERO Y POR CIENTO DE PERSONAS MENORES DE 25 AÑOS DE EDAD  
ARRESTADAS O DENUNCIADAS POR LA POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO

DELITOS	<u>PERSONAS ARRESTADAS O DENUNCIADAS:</u>				<u>P. O. R. C. I. E. N. T. O.</u>		
	: Menos : Menos : Menos :	: de 15 : de 20 : de 25 :	: Total : años : años : años :	Menos : Menos : Menos	de 15 : de 20 : de 25	anos : años : años	
	126546	844	14034	37929	0.7%	11.1% : 29.9%	
<b>Homicidios Criminales:</b>							
Asesinato	141	1	15	37	0.7	10.6	26.2
Homicidio Voluntario	29	1	6	13	3.4	20.7	44.8
Homicidio Involuntario	106		7	24		6.6	22.6
Violación	125	1	24	55	0.8	19.2	44.0
Robo	99	4	34	64	4.0	34.3	64.6
Agresiones Graves	510	7	73	177	1.4	14.3	34.7
Abandono	1032	226	676	876	21.9	65.5	84.9
Hurtos	2436	323	1176	1676	13.3	48.3	68.8
Hurto de Auto	10		6	6		60.0	60.0
Otras Agresiones	12691	98	2016	4967	0.7	15.9	39.1
Falsificación	82		9	32		10.9	39.0
Abuso de Confianza	267	5	43	103	1.7	14.9	35.9
Hurto Art. 438	64		6	12		9.4	18.6
Armas, Ley de	1764	6	241	650	0.3	13.7	36.8
Prostitución	156		21	42		13.5	26.9
Otras Ofensas del Sexo	89	9	30	41	10.1	33.7	46.1
Bebidas, Ley de	1121	1	58	148	0.1	5.2	13.2
Embriaguez	10206	1	511	1971		5.0	19.3
Turbar la Paz	19244	25	2993	7419	1.3	15.6	38.6
Juegos Prohibidos	9132	2	977	2199	0.2	10.7	24.1
Carretera, Ley de	297		6	59		2.0	19.9
Tránsito, Leyes de	37975	13	2037	9199	0.1	5.4	24.2
Otros Delitos	28950	121	3069	8159	0.4	10.6	28.2

TABLA 11 (a) ESTUDIO COMPARATIVO DE SEIS AÑOS

<u>AÑOS</u>							
1954 - 55	126546	844	14034	37929	0.7	11.1	29.9
1953 - 54	135772	1108	16315	42126	0.8%	12.0%	31.0%
1952 - 53	155122	969	17598	46401	0.6	11.3	29.9
1951 - 52	168211	1077	19523	51258	0.6	11.6	30.5
1950 - 51	163659	776	18984	52450	0.5	11.6	32.0
1949 - 50	188231	530	20720	60191	0.3	11.0	32.0

**PERSONAS DENUNCIADAS O ARRESTADAS  
POR LA POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO  
POR CIENTOS POR GRUPOS DE EDADES Y SEXOS  
AÑO 1953 - 54**

80 Por Ciento

**HOMBRES**      **MUJERES**  
**TOTAL DE HOMBRES ACUSADOS-100%**  
**TOTAL DE MUJERES ACUSADAS-100%**

Edad	Hombres (%)	Mujeres (%)
14 Años o Menos	0.4%	0.7%
15 - 19	10.0%	15.9%
20 - 24	18.6%	22.5%
25 - 29	16.9%	15.6%
30 - 34	13.9%	12.4%
35 - 39	11.8%	10.0%
40 - 44	9.3%	7.8%
45 - 49	6.4%	5.4%
50 o Mas	6.7%	9.3%

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**TABLA 12 - NÚMERO DE PERSONAS ACUSADAS Y NÚMERO DE PERSONAS  
PUESTAS EN LIBERTAD**  
**AÑO 1954-55**

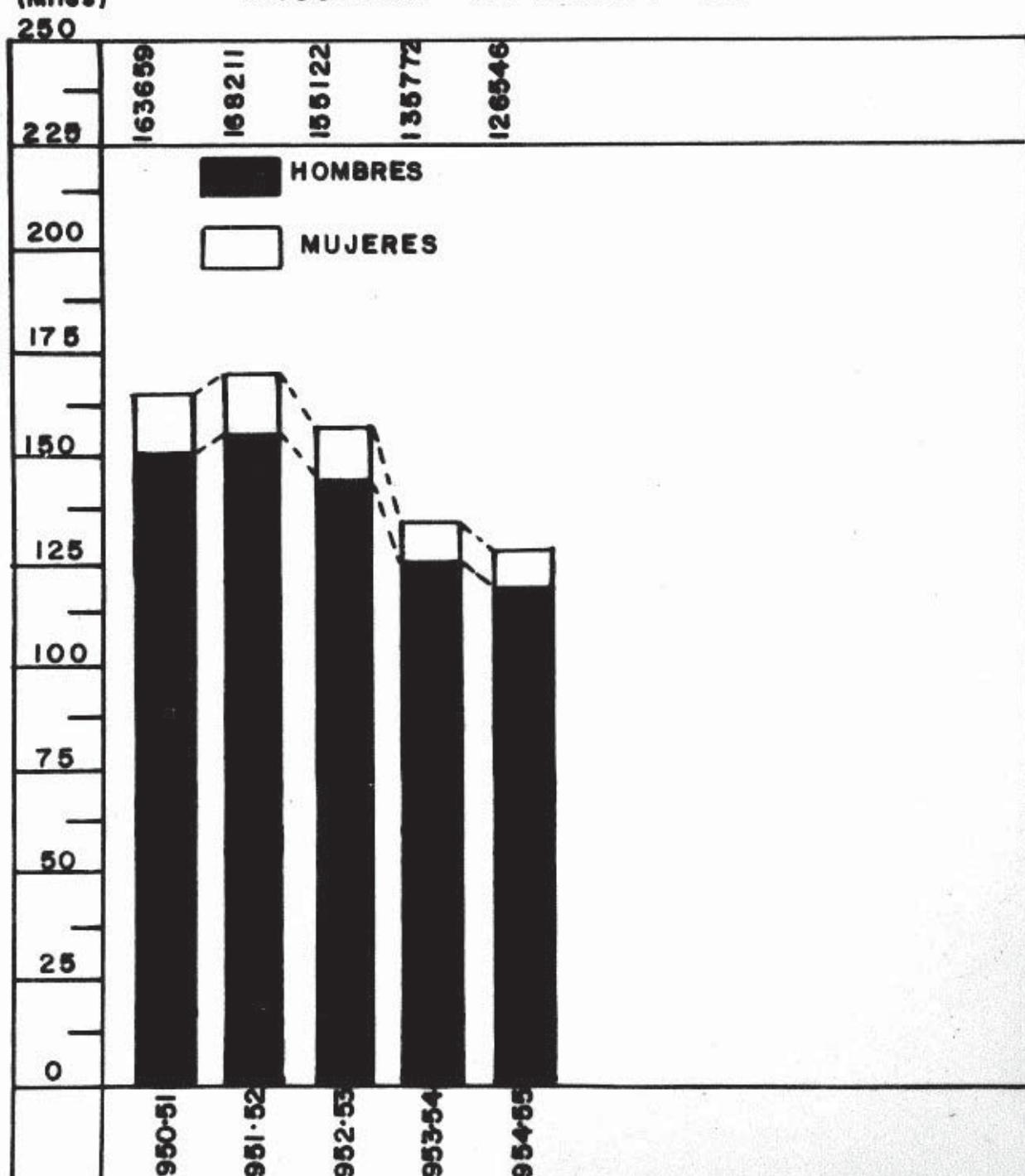
DELITOS	En Libertad		Arrestadas		Denunciadas		Total	
	Varones	Mujeres	Varones	Mujeres	Varones	Mujeres	Varones	Mujeres
<b>TOTALES</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>49189</b>	<b>4640</b>	<b>66169</b>	<b>4548</b>	<b>117358</b>	<b>9188</b>
<b>Homicidios Criminales:</b>								
Asesinato			126	7	8		134	7
Homicidio Voluntario	1		26		1		29	
Homicidio Involuntario			92	2	12		104	2
Violación	3		114	1	10		124	1
Robo	2		86	3	6		96	3
<b>Agresiones Graves:</b>								
Ataque p/c Asesinato			82	2	11		93	2
Ataque p/c Homicidio			26		1		27	
intado a la Vida			138	3	9		147	3
utilización	1	1	188	23	24	3	212	26
Escalamiento	95	2	949	16	64	3	1013	19
<b>Hurtos:</b>								
Hurto Mayor	14	2	195	9	12	1	207	10
Hurto Menor	140	21	1560	74	263	19	1823	93
Hurto de Ganado								
Hurto de Uso	4		234	3	66		300	3
Hurto de Auto			7		3		10	
<b>Otras Agresiones:</b>								
Agresión Grave	55	2	4855	243	3208	222	8063	465
Agresión Simple	62	6	1736	212	1813	400	3551	612
Falsificación	5		67	5	10		77	5
Abuso de Confianza	9	1	181	3	98	5	279	8
Hurto Art. 438			39	1	21	3	60	4
<b>Armas:</b>								
mas, Registro			27	1	6	1	33	2
mas, Ley de	12		1265	73	401	25	1666	98
Prostitución			43	27	63	23	106	50
<b>Otros Delitos del Sexo:</b>								
Delito Contra Natura	1		68		2		70	
Incesto			17		2		19	
Bebidas, Ley de	2	1	853	140	114	14	967	154
Embriaguez	3		8382	796	984	44	9366	843
Turbar la Paz	61	4	8663	1614	6879	2088	15542	3702
<b>Juegos Prohibidos:</b>								
Juegos Art. 300			98		253	6	361	6
Juegos Prohibidos	9		2502	15	6575	40	9077	55
Carretera, Ley de			14		280	3	294	3
Tránsito	90	2	3916	42	33362	655	37278	697
<b>Otros Delitos:</b>								
Incendio	10	1	45	3	32	1	77	4
Falsa Representación	11		232	11	234	8	466	19

D E L I T O S	<u>En libertad</u>		<u>Arrestadas</u>		<u>Denunciadas</u>		<u>Total</u>	
	:Varones	:Mujeres	:Varones	:Mujeres	:Varones	:Mujeres	:Varones	:Mujeres
<b>Otros Delitos (cont.)</b>								
Daños Maliciosos	46		572	30	555	75	1127	105
Bolita, Ley de	1		257	60	14		271	60
Ruidos Innecesarios	1		53	3	1610	126	1663	129
Arbitrios	1		13	2	47	8	60	10
Exposiciones Desh.			165	13	81	12	246	25
Sanidad, Ley de			6	1	104	109	110	110
Salud y Seguridad			40		36	1	76	1
Justicia Pública			89	8	40	8	129	16
Reglamento C.S.P.			133		1516	5	1649	5
Arre, Ley de			89		768	43	857	43
Ordenanzas Mpls.	2	2	1152	443	5877	329	7029	772
Mandamientos de Arresto	2	1	8682	677	17		8699	677
Marcóticos				1				1
Otros Delitos	21	3	1105	74	2665	268	3770	342

**PERSONAS DENUNCIADAS O ARRESTADAS  
POR LA POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO**

Personas  
(Miles)

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TABLA 12 (a) - PERSONAS CONVICTAS  
AÑO 1954 - 55

DELITOS	Culpables del		Culpables del		Absueltos o	
	Delito Imputado		Delito Menor		Archivados	
	Varones	Mujeres	Varones	Mujeres	Varones	Mujeres
TOTALES	: 90901	: 5655	: 226	: 8	: 23905	: 1968
Homicidios Criminales:						
Asesinato	29	1	4		8	1
Homicidio Voluntario	24				15	1
Homicidio Involuntario	20				52	1
Violación	31				48	
Robo	20	2			12	
Agresiones Graves:						
Ataque p/c Asesinato	42	3	1		26	
Ataque p/c Homicidio	24	1	2		7	
Tentado a la Vida	9		6		4	
Mutilación	83	7	2		27	1
Escalamiento	358	1	2		117	3
Hurtos:						
Hurto Mayor	74	2	1		25	1
Hurto Menor	1009	19			415	27
Hurto de Ganado						
Hurto de Uso	251				110	
Hurto de Auto	7				1	
Otras Agresiones:						
Agresión Grave	3242	211	191	5	4043	246
Agresión Simple	2621	296	12	2	1434	168
Falsificación	51	1			7	1
Abuso de Confianza	290	2			162	4
Hurto Art. 438	37				40	1
Armas:						
Armas, Registro	7				4	
Armas, Ley de	1289	78	1		2015	94
Prostitución	62	7			26	19
Otros Delitos del Sexo:						
Delito Contra Natura	20	5			10	
Incesto	11				5	
Bebidas, Ley de	607	72			209	33
Embriaguez	6518	757			293	27
Turbar la Paz	13390	2441			3678	807
Juegos Prohibidos:						
Juegos Art. 300	136				16	2
Juegos Prohibidos	8638	53			411	1
Carretera, Ley de	52				15	
Tránsito, Leyes de	30362	435			5556	113
Otros Delitos:						
Incendio		1			8	
Falsa Representación	254	5			248	18

D E L I T O S	Culpables del		Culpables del		Absueltos o	
	Delito Imputado		Delito Menor		Archivados	
	Varones	Mujeres	Varones	Mujeres	Varones	Mujeres

Otros Delitos (cont.)

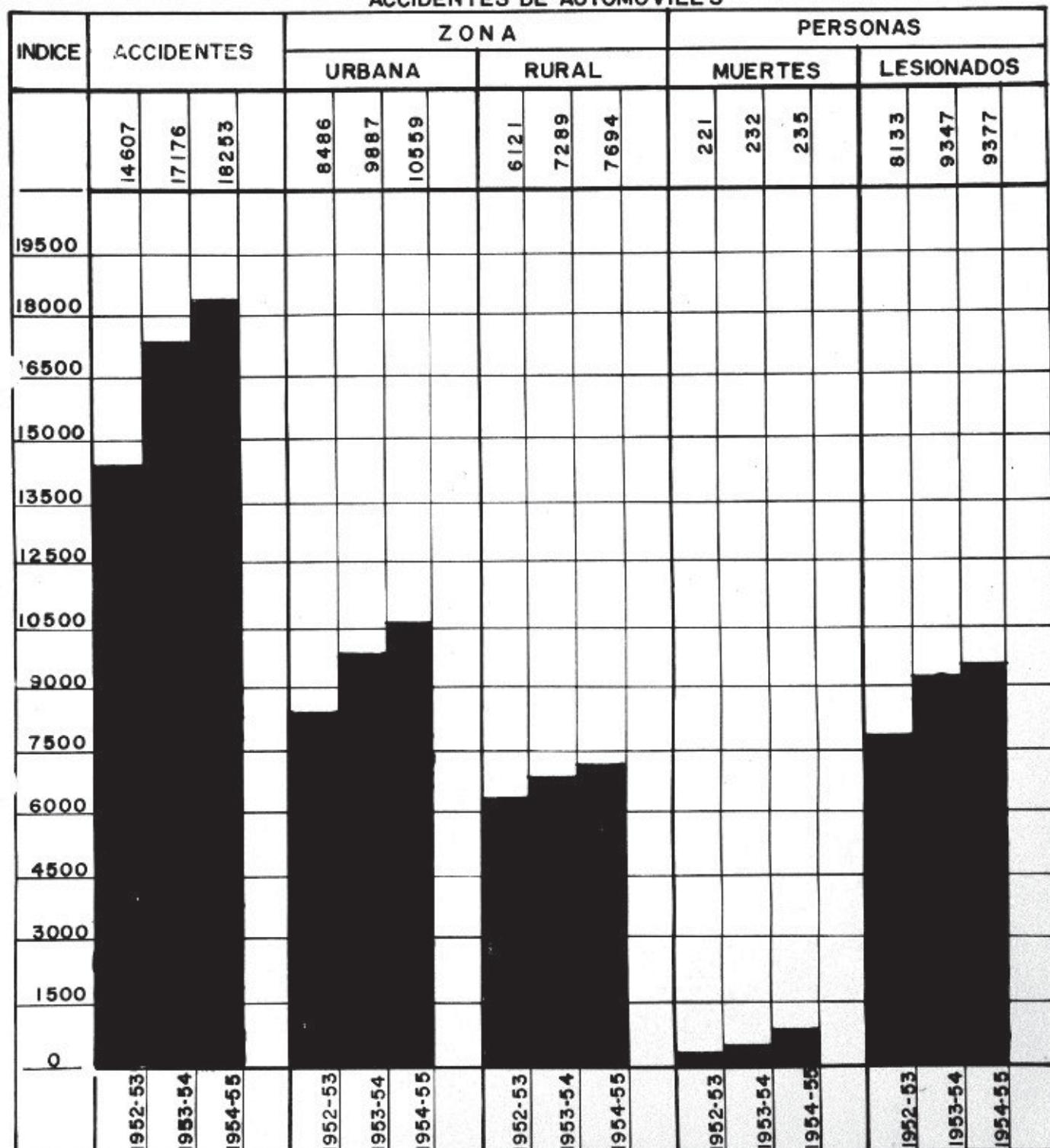
Daños Maliciosos	639	50	1	765	60
Bolita, Ley de	29	4		29	3
Ruidos Innecesarios	1037	52		207	12
Arbitrios	109	8		126	6
Exposiciones Desh.	185	24		63	2
Sanidad, Ley de	312	95		167	43
Salud y Seguridad	64			59	
Justicia Pública	79	11		118	6
Méjilamiento C.S.P.	1094			58	
Cierre, Ley de	741	17		67	2
Ordenanzas Miales.	13844	783		1323	84
Otros Delitos	3200	211	3	1686	181

TABLA 13 - DISTRIBUCION DE LAS CLASES DE ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES

AÑO 1954 - 55

CHOQUE CON	: Núm. de Accidentes:	Zonas Urbana : Rural	Mñ. de Vehiculos	Lesionados	Muertos		
						TOTAL S	: 18253 : 10559 : 7694 : 2954 : 9377 : 235
Pedestres	3135	1922	1213	3135	3125		
Otros Vehiculos	10714	6673	4041	21852	2876	26	
Ferrocarril	24	5	19	24	14		
Bicicletas	1040	796	244	1048	705	14	
Animales	308	47	261	308	45	2	
Objetos Fijos	1586	647	939	1586	1333	36	
Volcados	459	33	426	459	514	23	
Otros	987	436	551	1102	765	14	

**ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES**



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TABLA 14 - DISTRIBUCIÓN POR GRUPOS DE EDADES DE LOS LESIONADOS  
EN ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMÓVILES

AÑO 1954 - 55

CHOQUE CON	Total	L E S I O N A D O S					Edad 25-64 : % del Total : Núm.	Edad 15-24 : % del Total : Núm.	Menos de 5 años : % del Total : Núm.	Edad 5-14 : % del Total : Núm.	Edad 65 años ó más : % del Total : Núm.					
		% del Total : Núm.	% del Total : Núm.	% del Total : Núm.	% del Total : Núm.	% del Total : Núm.										
TOTAL X.S	9377	100.0%	417	100.0%	1471	100.0%	2517	100.0%	4623	100.0%	349	100.0%				
Pedestres	3125	33.3	295	70.7	967	65.7	474	16.8	1162	25.1	227	65.0				
Otros Vehículos	2876	30.7	72	17.3	161	11.0	759	30.2	1822	39.4	62	17.8				
Ferrocarril	14	0.1			1	0.1	3	0.1	9	0.2	1	0.3				
Bicicletas	705	7.5	5	1.2	139	9.4	395	15.7	163	3.5	3	0.9				
Animales	45	0.5			4	0.3	9	0.4	30	0.7	2	0.6				
Objetos Fijos	1333	14.2	15	3.6	68	4.6	501	19.9	743	16.1	6	1.7				
Volcados	534	5.5	3	0.7	27	1.6	185	7.3	293	6.3	6	1.7				
Otros Accidentes	765	8.2	27	6.5	104	7.1	191	7.6	401	8.7	42	12.0				

TABLA 15 - DISTRIBUCIÓN POR GRUPOS DE EDADES DE LAS PERSONAS MUERTAS  
EN ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMÓVILES  
AÑO 1954 - 55

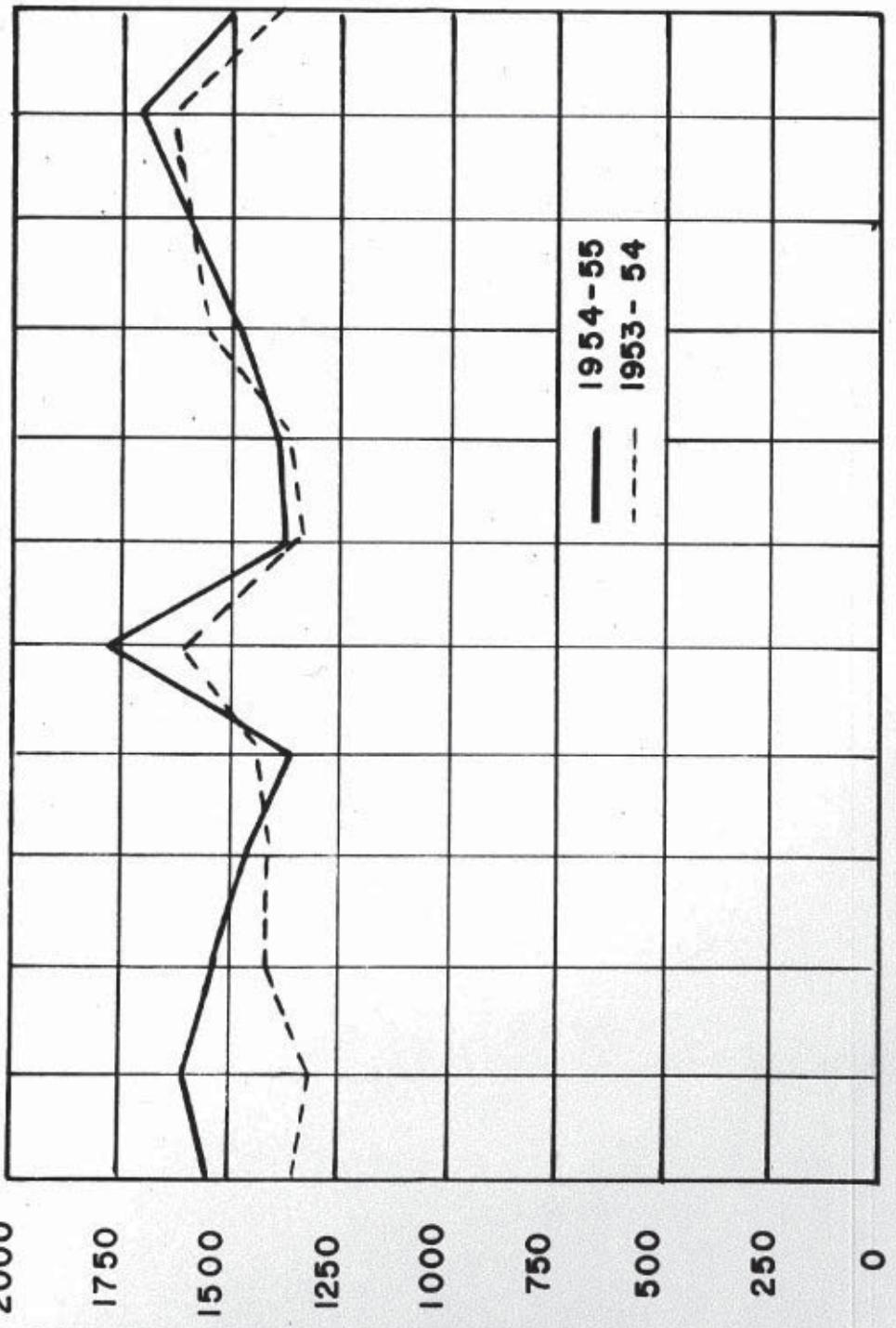
CHOQUE CON	Total		Menos de 5 años:		Edad 5-14 :		Edad 15-24 :		Edad 25-64:		65 años ó más	
	Núm.	%	Núm.	%	Núm.	%	Núm.	%	Núm.	%	Núm.	%
TOTALES	235	100.0%	24	100.0%	33	100.0%	29	100.0%	137	100.0%	22	100.0%
Peatones	120	51.0	10	71.4	28	84.9	12	41.4	53	38.7	17	77.4
Otros Vehículos	26	11.1			1	3.0	4	13.8	20	14.6	1	4.5
Ferrocarril												
Motocicletas	14	6.0			1	3.0	7	24.1	6	4.4		
Animales	2	0.8					1	3.4	1	0.7		
Objetos Fijos	36	15.3	2	14.3			2	7.0	29	21.2	3	13.6
Volantes	23	9.8			1	3.0			21	15.3	1	4.5
Otros Accidentes	14	6.0	2	14.3	2	6.1	3	10.3	7	5.1		

TABLA 16 — COMPARACION DE LOS ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES OCURRIDOS  
EN LOS AÑOS 1953-54 Y 1954-55

CHOQUE CON	ACCIDENTES			Lesionados			Cambio			Muertos			Cambio		
	1953-54	% del	% del	1953-54	Nº.	%	1953-54	Nº.	%	1953-54	Nº.	%	1953-54	Nº.	%
Nºm. : Total	Nºm. : Total			Nºm. : Total	Nºm. : Total		Nºm. : Total	Nºm. : Total		Nºm. : Total	Nºm. : Total		Nºm. : Total	Nºm. : Total	
TOTALES	17176	100.0%	18253	100.0%	2077	+ 6.3%	9347	9377	+ 3.0%	232	235	+ 3%	7	7	+ 1.3%
Peatones	3063	17.9	3135	17.2	+ 52	+ 1.7	2956	3125	+ 37	127	120	- 3%	—	—	—
Otros Vehiculos	9977	58.1	10714	58.7	+ 737	+ 7.4	2915	2876	- 39	40	26	- 35.0	—	—	—
Ferrocarril	42	0.3	24	0.1	- 18	- 42.9	25	14	- 11	—	—	- 100.0	—	—	—
Bicicletas	829	4.8	1040	5.7	+ 211	+ 25.5	608	705	+ 97	45.9	4	+ 10	+ 250.0	—	—
Animales	222	1.3	308	1.7	+ 86	+ 38.7	51	45	- 6	- 11.8	2	+ 2	+ 200.0	—	—
Objetos Fijos	1507	8.8	1586	8.7	+ 79	+ 5.2	1330	1333	+ 3	+ 0.2	29	36	+ 7	+ 24.1	—
Volcanes	435	2.5	459	2.5	+ 24	+ 5.5	575	514	- 61	- 10.6	24	23	- 9	+ 64.3	—
Otros Accidentes	1081	6.3	987	5.4	- 94	- 8.7	877	765	- 112	- 12.8	16	14	- 2	- 12.5	—

VARIACION MENSUAL DE LOS ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES

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TABLA 17 - VARIACION MENSUAL DE LOS ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES  
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MESSES	ACCIDENTES			LESIONADOS			MUERTOS		
	1953-54	%	Núm.	1954-55	%	Núm.	1953-54	%	Núm.
TOTALES : 17176 : 100.0%	18253 : 100.0%			9347 : 100.0%			9377 : 100.0%		232 : 100.0%
Julio	1344	7.8	1546	8.5	791	8.5	803	8.6	16
Agosto	1315	7.7	1602	8.8	697	7.4	782	8.3	8
Septiembre	1385	8.1	1538	8.4	797	8.5	738	7.9	11
Octubre	1382	8.0	1454	7.9	796	8.5	733	7.8	28
Noviembre	1426	8.3	1360	7.5	706	7.6	763	8.1	14
Diciembre	1602	9.3	1781	9.7	828	8.9	921	9.8	29
Enero	1286	7.5	1326	7.3	769	8.2	765	8.2	32
Febrero	1293	7.5	1393	7.6	670	7.2	702	7.5	17
Marzo	1530	8.9	1471	8.1	828	8.9	761	8.1	23
Abril	1597	9.3	1595	8.7	834	8.9	800	8.5	23
Mayo	1631	9.5	1693	9.3	907	9.7	868	9.3	21
Junio	1385	8.1	1494	8.2	724	7.7	741	7.9	10

TABLA 18 - NÚMERO Y PROPORCIÓN DE MUERTOS Y LESIONADOS  
EN ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMÓVILES

DEL 1943-44 AL 1954-55

AÑO	Núm. de: Acces.	Muertos : Lesionados : trados : Estimada	Veh. de: Motor : Regis. Población: 1000	Lesiones : Muertes por cada 1000 cada 1000:	Lesiones : Muertes por cada 1000 cada 1000:	Lesiones : Muertes por cada 1000 cada 1000:	Habitantes Reg.: Veh. Reg.: Habitantes
1943-44	4072	137	2588	27648	1989625	147.5	93.8 4.9 130.0 7.0
1944-45	4898	137	3129	28233	2051407	173.7	111.0 4.9 152.6 6.7
1945-46	7652	164	4915	32531	2093461	235.4	151.2 5.0 235.1 8.0
1946-47	10183	215	6159	42367	2143461	240.1	145.2 5.1 287.8 10.0
1947-48	11625	257	7089	46157	2178023	251.6	153.4 4.9 325.2 10.4
1948-49	13088	226	7450	57258	2200266	228.4	130.0 4.0 339.0 10.3
1949-50	14058	239	7682	60564	2206214	232.0	126.8 3.9 348.0 10.9
1950-51	12798	208	7470	70755	2212562	190.1	105.5 2.9 338.0 9.4
1951-52	13727	209	7864	76750	2234877	178.7	102.5 2.7 352.6 9.4
1952-53	14607	221	8133	86750	2264058	168.3	93.7 2.5 359.9 9.8
1953-54	17176	232	9347	95048	2295389	180.8	98.4 2.4 406.4 10.1
1954-55	18253	235	9377	105413	2276000	173.2	88.9 2.2 413.1 10.3

TABLA 19 - DISTRIBUCION DE LOS ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES  
POR ZONAS Y DISTRITOS POLICIAZOS  
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DISTRITOS	: Núm. de : Núm. de :		Zona : : Acctes. : Vehiculos: Urbana: Rural	Muertos : Adultos: Niños	Heridos : Adultos: Niños				
TOTAL GENERAL	: 18253 :	29514	: 10559 :	7694 :	186	: 49 :	7456	: 1921	
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Zona I San Juan									
Total	3433	5965	3173	260	6	5	1117	321	
San Juan	3433	5965	3173	260	6	5	1117	321	
Zona II Rio Piedras									
Total	3539	6025	2540	999	35	7	1319	305	
Carolina	282	467	89	193	7	2	165	29	
Loiza	115	184	31	84	2		69	13	
Rio Grande	181	247	42	139	1	1	103	17	
Rio Piedras	2862	4971	2369	493	23	3	940	237	
Trujillo Alto	99	156	9	90	2	1	42	9	
Zona III Bayamón									
Total	1965	3222	596	1369	31	5	924	203	
Bayamón	836	1455	314	522	8	2	331	78	
Cataño	200	303	95	105	2		64	40	
Corozal	110	169	35	75		1	54	11	
Dorado	86	131	21	65	1		31	12	
Guaynabo	136	231	14	122	2	1	73	14	
Naranjito	33	46	13	20	9		31	4	
Toa Alta	64	98	22	42	1		33	8	
Toa Baja	142	230	8	134	3		99	9	
Vega Alta	103	163	27	76	2		71	10	
Vega Baja	255	396	47	208	3	1	137	17	
Zona IV Arecibo									
Total	1651	2586	664	987	33	7	762	172	
Arecibo	754	1230	382	372	12	3	341	89	
Barceloneta	130	182	19	111	3	1	62	15	
Camuy	96	146	29	67	3	2	55	13	
Ciales	72	100	16	56	1		30	14	
Hatillo	74	120	16	58	4		31	5	
Manatí	175	284	64	111	5		82	22	
Quebradillas	66	102	20	46	1		38	7	
Utuado	211	320	23	112	2	1	54	23	
Morovis	73	104	25	48	2		49	4	

ESTRIOTOS	Min. de : Núm. de :		Zona : Urbana:Rural	Muertos :		Heridos	
	:Acctos.	:Vehiculos		:Adultos	:Niños	:Adultos	:Niños
<b>Zona V Ponce</b>							
Total	2240	3356	1136	1104	22	6	1034
Adjuntas	102	160	30	72	2	1	47
Cosmo	90	122	49	41	2		50
Guánica	94	147	50	44	2		26
Jagüey	75	111	23	52			45
Guayanilla	91	134	18	73	2		64
Juana Diaz	210	291	41	169	2	3	158
Grocovis	65	89	18	47			25
Pefuelas	80	122	24	56			46
Ponce	1096	1690	747	349	7	2	393
Santa Isabel	113	155	26	87	5		65
Villalba	36	54	10	26			19
Iauco	186	261	100	88			96
<b>Zona VI Mayaguez</b>							
Total	1236	2729	991	745	11	4	609
Añasco	80	121	18	62	1		32
Cabo Rojo	219	330	61	158	2		100
Hormigueros	61	99	10	51	1		35
Lajas	75	126	25	50	1		20
Las Marías	44	63	9	35			24
Maricao	17	26	4	13			7
Mayaguez	935	1506	717	218	5	4	263
Sabana Grande	122	181	59	63			36
San Germán	183	287	66	95	1		92
<b>Zona VII Humacao</b>							
Total	678	1012	326	322	7	1	355
Ceiba	25	38	8	17	1		14
Fajardo	115	182	75	40	3		64
Humacao	155	247	81	74			115
Las Piedras	92	131	29	63	1		51
Luquillo	69	131	23	66			36
Maunabo	27	38	11	16		1	9
Vieques	19	25	7	12			13
Naguabo	53	79	13	40	1		17
Yabucoa	103	148	39	64	1		38
<b>Zona VIII Guayaná</b>							
Total	889	1329	332	250	17	3	362
Aibonito	55	79	15	37	1		19
Arroyo	57	88	30	27	1		22
Barranquitas	114	171	25	89	2		49
Cayey	253	386	117	136	3	1	93
Guayaná	170	254	90	80	5	2	73
Patillas	58	82	15	43	1		30
Salinas	182	267	44	136	3		84

**DISTRITOS** : Núm. de : Min. de : Zona : Muertos : Heridos  
 : Acctes. : Vehículos: Urbana:Rural : Adultos:Niños: Adultos:Niños

Zona IX Aguadilla

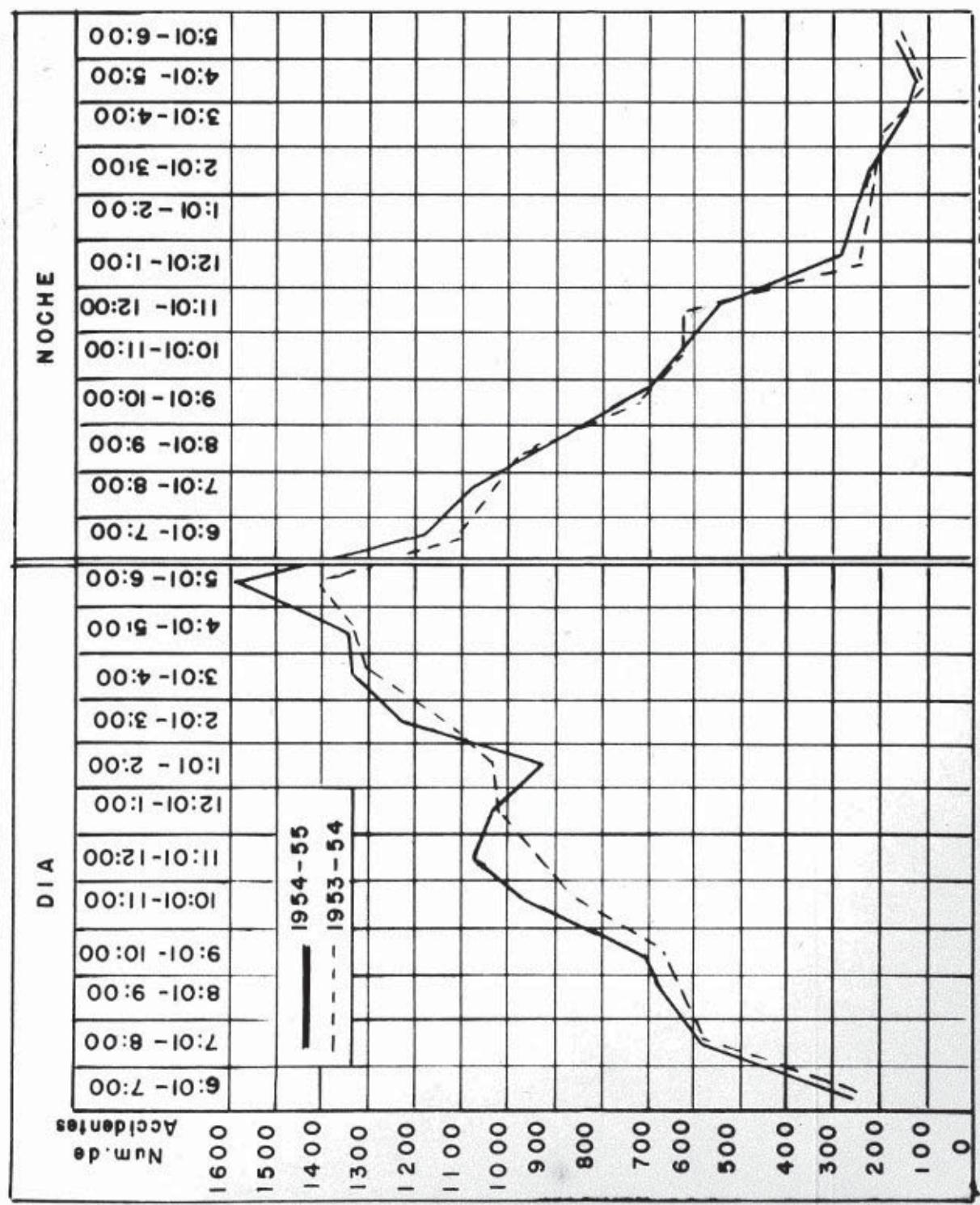
	Total	1122	1716	434	688	7	7	503	149
Aguadilla	357	557	168	189	4	2	131	54	
Aguada	88	129	34	54			40	16	
Isabela	115	168	32	83	2	1	75	13	
Lares	116	180	42	74		1	45	18	
Moca	104	149	27	77			63	9	
Rincón	78	123	10	68			31	11	
San Sebastián	264	410	121	143	1	3	118	28	

Zona X Caguas

	Total	1000	1555	400	600	17	4	467	114
Aguas Buenas	49	82	14	35			21	4	
Caguas	462	729	232	230	11	1	209	53	
Cidra	82	127	23	59		2	27	17	
Comerío	101	151	22	79	1		35	12	
Gurabo	103	154	28	75	3		59	11	
Juncos	116	179	43	73	1	1	53	9	
San Lorenzo	87	133	38	49	1		63	8	

TABLA 20 - COMPARACION DE LOS ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES  
POR ZONAS POLITICAS  
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TABLA 24.- DISTRIBUCIÓN, POR HORAS, DE LAS MUERTES, LOS LESIONADOS  
Y LOS VEHÍCULOS ENVUeltos EN ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMÓvILES

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H O R A S	TOTALS	A. H.	Zona	Muertes de Acantes.	Urbanas : Rural	Vehículos	Lesionados	Personas Muertas	Personas	
									Muertes	Lesionados
12:01 - 1:00	295			147		469		224		
1:01 - 2:00	259			111		411		177		
2:01 - 3:00	288			116		321		158		
3:01 - 4:00	162			73		244		143		
4:01 - 5:00	120			51		69		100		
5:01 - 6:00	154			52		102		239		
6:01 - 7:00	248			115		133		399		
7:01 - 8:00	573			351		222		981		
8:01 - 9:00	667			399		268		1110		
9:01 - 10:00	705			437		266		323		
10:01 - 11:00	962			648		314		299		
11:01 - 12:00	1083			690		393		1567		
								301		
								522		
								1730		
P. H.										
12:01 - 1:00	1039			692		347		1624		
1:01 - 2:00	927			576		351		1525		
2:01 - 3:00	1215			757		458		457		
3:01 - 4:00	1320			745		575		2010		
4:01 - 5:00	1322			740		562		2152		
5:01 - 6:00	1589			924		665		2584		
6:01 - 7:00	1176			651		525		1899		
7:01 - 8:00	1087			573		324		1744		
8:01 - 9:00	933			532		401		1510		
9:01 - 10:00	738			423		315		1221		
10:01 - 11:00	640			330		310		1060		
11:01 - 12:00	569			284		285		910		
No especifica hora				262		134		128		
								116		

TABLA 22 - DISTRIBUCIÓN DE LOS ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMÓVILES  
POR DIAS DE LA SEMANA  
AÑO 1954 - 55

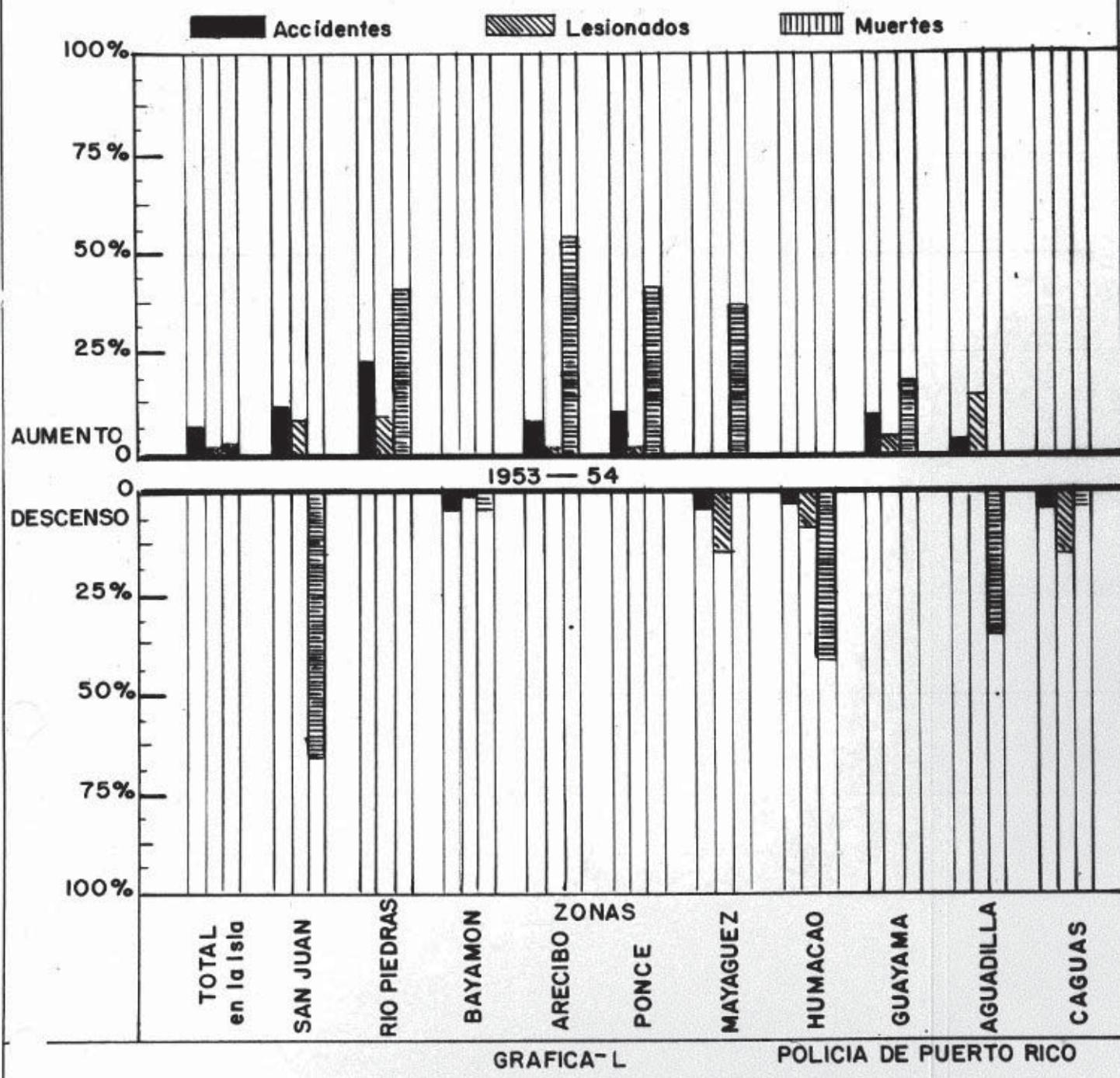
HORA	DIAS DE LA SEMANA						
	: Mín. de : Acctos.	: Domingo :	Lunes :	Martes :	Miércoles :	Jueves :	Viernes :
TOTAL S	: 16253	: 3286	: 2388	: 2136	: 2311	: 2254	: 2614
A. H.							
12:01 - 1:00	295	82	44	24	34	40	53
1 :01 - 2:00	259	72	43	23	18	24	53
2 :01 - 3:00	208	67	23	13	12	27	47
3 :01 - 4:00	162	52	21	7	9	19	43
4 :01 - 5:00	120	36	12	24	14	12	19
5 :01 - 6:00	154	37	25	21	15	19	24
6 :01 - 7:00	248	24	51	30	36	40	37
7 :01 - 8:00	573	36	108	78	92	86	52
8 :01 - 9:00	667	49	102	88	100	105	112
9 :01 - 10:00	705	83	109	90	106	91	98
10:01 - 11:00	962	118	130	139	126	131	128
11:01 - 12:00	1083	136	165	145	162	142	150
P. H.							
12:01 - 1:00	1639	138	145	149	149	155	148
1 :01 - 2:00	927	160	114	131	127	112	136
2 :01 - 3:00	1215	186	171	138	170	140	147
3 :01 - 4:00	1320	224	200	154	189	164	229
4 :01 - 5:00	1322	217	191	175	177	176	196
5 :01 - 6:00	1589	325	202	193	203	197	202
6 :01 - 7:00	1176	272	122	133	123	154	246
7 :01 - 8:00	1087	257	111	117	112	121	223
8 :01 - 9:00	933	232	99	76	92	97	213
9 :01 - 10:00	738	183	55	83	83	67	106
10:01 - 11:00	640	147	71	49	72	89	174
11:01 - 12:00	569	106	46	55	53	58	146
No específica hora		262	45	36	34	46	42

TABLEA 23 - ESTADÍSTICA DE LOS ACCIDENTES DE AL. J.R. LES SUEÑAN SUS CAUSAS  
AÑO 1954 - 55

CAUSAS	Zonas		Lesionados		Muertos		Por Ciento de los accidentes
	Urbana	Rural	Por Ciento	Por Ciento	Por Ciento	Por Ciento	
TOTALES	10559	7694	9377	100.0%	235	100.0%	100.0%
Velocidad	2638	1447	1884	60.4	18.0	94	40.0
Pasarse a otro vehículo	5007	2744	3009	19.3	16.3	33	14.0
Despensabilidad del Postón	1317	72	835	4.27	12.98	13.8	5.5
No tocar locina	245	1.2	29	1.06	1.06	1.1	1.7
Defectos mecánicos	464	2.5	171	29.3	44.8	4.8	5
Falta de experiencia	470	2.6	306	26.4	337	3.6	3.4
Distancia	1287	7.1	635	45.2	294	3.1	
1240	6.8	966	272	221	24		
Retroceder	202	1.1	47	15.5	122	1.3	
Datar por la Izquierda							0.4
Animales	275	3.5	37	23.6	35	0.4	1
Sobrinos	316	1.7	158	15.8	216	2.3	4.7
Carreras trivales	542	3.0	118	4.24	376	4.0	2
Carga indeizada	8	0.4	32	32	23	0.3	1
Desobedecer señales	99	0.5	55	33	58	0.6	
Otras causas	6078	22.3	220	19.8	2630	28.0	63
							26.8

CAMBIOS, EN POR CIENTOS, DE LOS ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES,  
LESIONADOS Y MUERTES EN LAS ZONAS POLICIACAS

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TABLA 24 - SEXO DE LOS CONDUCTORES ENVUELTOS  
EN ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES

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SEXO	: Núm. de : Conductores	: Por : Ciento	: Núm. de : Lesionados	: Por : Ciento	: Núm. de : Muertos	: Por : Ciento
TOTALES	: 29514	: 100.0%	: 9377	: 100.0%	: 235	: 100.0%
Hombres	27963	94.8	9066	96.7	225	95.7
Mujeres	774	2.6	214	2.3	2	0.9
No dice	777	2.6	97	1.0	8	3.4

TABLA 25 - CLASIFICACION DE LOS CONDUCTORES  
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CLASE DE LICENCIA	: Núm. de : Conductores	: Por : Ciento	: Núm. de : Lesionados	: Por : Ciento	: Núm. de : Muertos	: Por : Ciento
TOTALES	: 29514	: 100.0%	: 9377	: 100.0%	: 235	: 100.0%
Conductor	2987	10.1	963	10.3	27	11.5
Chófer	22945	77.7	7135	76.1	155	66.0
Aprendizaje	549	1.9	211	2.2	9	3.8
Sin licencia	1175	4.0	682	7.3	16	6.8
No dice	1858	6.3	386	4.1	28	11.9

**TABLA 26 - GRUPOS DE EDADES DE LOS CONDUCTORES  
ENVUELTOS EN ACCIDENTES DE AUTOMOVILES**

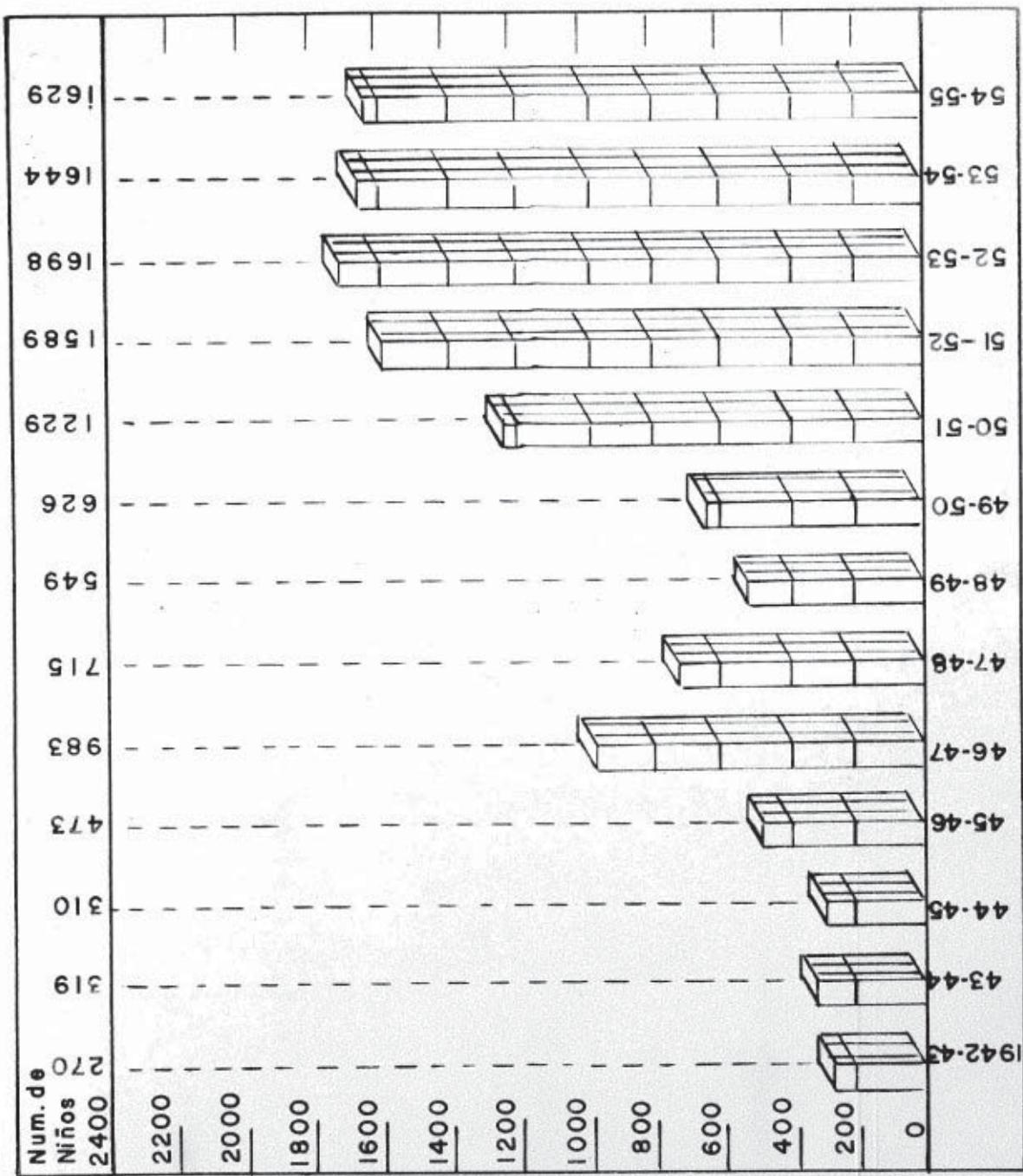
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GRUPOS DE EDADES	: Núm. de	:	%	: Núm. de	:	%	: Núm. de	:	%
	: Conductores	Total		: Heridos	Total		: Muertos	Total	
<b>T O T A L E S</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>29514</b>	<b>:</b> 100.0%	<b>9377</b>	<b>:</b> 100.0%	<b></b>	<b>235</b>	<b>:</b> 100.0%	<b></b>
Menores de 16 años	51		0.2	13		0.1			
De 16 - 20 años	1470		5.0	626		6.7	15		6.4
De 21 - 24 años	3535		11.9	1377		14.7	23		9.8
De 25 - 29 años	5056		17.1	1701		18.1	53		22.6
De 30 - 34 años	5407		18.3	1782		19.0	48		20.4
De 35 - 39 años	4159		14.1	1235		13.2	29		12.3
De 40 - 44 años	3302		11.2	990		10.6	24		10.2
De 45 - 49 años	2111		7.2	644		6.9	17		7.2
50 años ó más	2634		8.9	699		7.4	11		4.7
No dice edad	1789		6.1	310		3.3	15		6.4

TABLA 27 - TIPOS DE AUTOMOVILES ENVUELTOS EN ACCIDENTES  
AÑO 1954 - 55

TIPOS DE VEHICULOS	Máx. de Vehículos:	Por Ciento: del Total :	Lesionados :	Por Ciento: del Total :	Muertos :	Por Ciento del Total
<b>TOTALES</b>	<b>29514 :</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>9377</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Federal	166	0.6	39	0.4		
Turismo Piblicos	5754	19.5	2361	25.2	45	19.1
Guaguas Piblicas	1100	3.7	453	4.8	6	2.6
Camiones Piblicos	1366	4.6	224	2.4	14	6.0
Turismo Privado	14299	48.5	4412	47.0	98	41.7
Camiones Pesados Pibos.	1956	6.6	339	3.6	28	11.9
Camiones Liviano Pibos.	3622	12.3	1056	11.3	22	9.4
Gobierno Estatal	585	1.9	147	1.6	5	2.1
Otros	666	2.3	346	3.7	17	7.2

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TABLA 29 • OTRAS CLASES DE ACCIDENTES  
AÑO 1954 - 55

CLASE	Niños de : LESIONADOS			MUERTOS		
	Hombres	Mujeres	Niños	Niñas	Total	Hombres:Niñas
TOTALES	838	320	94	193	77	684
Armas de fuego	2		1		1	1
Ahogándose	108	2	2	4	53	8
Electrocutado	8	1		1	5	1
Quemaduras	37	14	3	9	5	31
Trabajo	52	36			36	19
Caidas	148	75	16	32	4	127
Bicicletas	253	67	27	106	48	248
Otros	230	125	48	43	20	236

TABLA 29 - DELINCUENCIA JUVENIL  
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DELITOS	Reportados		Sentenciados		Absueltos	
	Niños	Niñas	Niños	Niñas	Niños	Niñas
TOTALES	: 1592 :	37	: 575 :	9	: 546 :	24
<b>Homicidios Criminales:</b>						
Asesinato y Hom. Vol.				1		
Homicidio Involuntario						
Violación	4		1			
Robo	8		8			
<b>Agresiones Graves:</b>						
Ataque p/c Asesinato	1		1			
Atentado a la Vida	1		1			
Mutilación	6		2			
Escalamiento	461	4	207	3	39	1
<b>Hurtos:</b>						
Hurto Mayor	49	61	2	20	1	3
Hurto Menor	520	535	18	118	1	96
Hurto de Uso	36			30		2
Hurto de Auto						
Otras Agresiones	212	916	4	68	3	75
Falsificación	1			5		
Abuso de Confianza	4			1		
<b>Armas:</b>						
Armas, Registro						
Armas, Ley de	32			12		1
Delito Contra Natura	14			13		1
Bebidas, Ley de	3					
Turbar la Paz	33	38	5	20	1	36
Juegos Prohibidos					3	2
Otros Delitos:						
Incendio	11			2		2
Daños Maliciosos	74			29		49
Falsa Representación	4					
Arbitrios						
Exposiciones Desh.						1
Ordenanzas Mpls.	4			4		2
Bolita, Ley de	1					
Otros Delitos	112	117	1	32		233
Ataque p/c Homicidio	1					
Prostitución			3			

TABLA 30 - NÚMERO Y POR CIENTO DE MENORES REPORTADOS  
DISTRIBUIDOS EN GRUPOS DE EDADES

*1954-55*

GRUPOS DE EDADES	Nº Min. de Menores:Por Ciento: Reportados :del Total :Min. :del Total	Menores Reincidentes:No Reincidentes :		Por Ciento : del Total :Min. :del Total	Por Ciento : del Total :Min. :del Total	Por Ciento : del Total :Min. :del Total
		Reportados	No Reportados			
TOTALES	1483 : 100.0% : 597 : 100.0%	1483 : 100.0% : 597 : 100.0%	886 : 100.0% : 609 : 100.0% : 874 : 100.0%			
Menores de 7 años	9	0.6	9	1.0	4	0.7
7 a 9 años de edad	105	7.1	18	3.0	67	9.8
10 a 12 años de edad	411	27.7	139	23.3	272	30.7
13 a 15 años de edad	826	55.7	349	58.5	677	53.8
16 a 18 años de edad	117	7.9	78	13.0	39	4.4
19 a 21 años de edad	15	1.0	13	2.2	2	0.3
				1	0.1	14
					1.6	

TABLA 31 - DISTRIBUCIÓN DE LOS MENORES Sobre LOS GRADOS  
DE ESCUELA ALCANZADOS  
AÑO 1954 - 55

GRUPOS DE EDADES	GRUPOS DE GRADOS			POR CIENTO DE LOS TOTALES		
	Total de: Sin	1 ro. : 4 to.	7 mo.	1 ro. : 4 to. : 7 mo.	No	1 ro. : 4 to. : 7 mo.
	Menores : Escuela: 3 ro. : 6 to. : más	1 a	o	sin	Informados: Escuela: 3 ro. : 6 to. : más	No informados
TOTALES	1483	216	443	530	150	144
					100.0%	100.0%
Menores de 7 años	9	3	3	1	2	1.4
7 a 9 años de edad	105	9	79	6	9	4.2
10 a 12 años de edad	411	47	176	151	9	23
13 a 15 años de edad	826	110	164	346	130	76
16 a 18 años de edad	117	38	20	23	8	28
19 a 21 años de edad	15	9	1	1	3	1

**TABLA 32 - SUPUESTAS PROSTITUTAS, INFORMADAS,  
SENTENCIADAS Y ABSUELTAS**  
**AÑO 1954 - 55**

D E L I T O S	Reportados	Sentenciados	Absueltos
<b>T O T A L E S</b>	<b>1206</b>	<b>2574</b>	<b>278</b>
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Homicidios Criminales:			
Asesinato			
Homicidio Involuntario	1		
Robo	2		
Agresiones Graves:			
Ataque p/c Asesinato			
Ataque p/c Homicidio			
Atentado a la Vida	2		
Mutilación	3	2	
Hurtos:			
Hurto de Uso			
Hurto Mayor	1		
Hurto Menor	30	3	5
Otras Agresiones	105	222	76
Hurto Art. 438			
Armas:			
Armas, Registro			
Armas, Ley de	19	40	24
Prestitución	25	12	11
Bebidas, Ley de	4		
Embarquez	255	893	21
Escalamiento	5	1	1
Turbar la Paz	493	794	116
Juegos Prohibidos	1	3	
Tránsito, Ley de	2		
Otros Delitos:			
Incendio			
Falsa Representación	1	1	1
Baños Maliciosos	3	10	3
Bolita, Ley de			
Exposiciones Deshonestas	9	9	
Justicia Pública	2		1
Ruidos Innecesarios	4	5	1
Ordenanzas Mpls.	195	554	15
Sanidad, Ley de	17	17	
Otros Delitos	27	8	3

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TABLA 33 - SUICIDIOS Y TENTATIVAS DISTRIBUIDAS POR GRUPOS DE EDADES, SEXO,  
MOTIVOS Y ZONAS  
AÑO 1954 - 55

MEDIOS	SUICIDIOS		SUICIDIOS		TENTATIVAS		TENTATIVAS	
	Hombres	Mujeres	Y	Y	Total	Urbanas	Rurales	Mujeres
TOTALES	168	56	2	-	226	271	281	135
Ahorcándose	85	16	1	-	102	43	74	10
Armas de fuego	17	4	-	-	22	17	8	5
Envenenándose	59	23	-	-	82	161	163	2
Ahogándose	1	3	1	-	5	3	5	1
Degollándose	3	1	-	-	4	21	15	8
Otros	3	9	-	-	12	26	16	20
MOTIVOS								
Enfermedades	32	6	-	-	38	27	34	13
Disgustos familiares	9	9	1	-	19	46	52	20
Celos	3	5	-	-	8	15	20	2
Locura	13	7	-	-	20	15	23	15
Amores Contrariados	7	2	-	-	9	13	13	5
Otros	10	27	1	-	132	155	139	80
EDADES								
16 - 20 años					19	52	56	20
21 - 30 años	8	9	2	-	51	96	73	63
31 - 40 años	32	19	-	-	55	64	62	51
41 - 50 años	36	19	-	-	38	26	37	15
51 - 60 años ó más	36	2	-	-	63	33	53	18

TABLA 34 - PROPIEDAD DESAPARECIDA Y HURTADA  
AÑO 1954 - 55

CLASE DE PROPIEDAD	: \$	Desaparecida :		: Por Ciento
		o Hurtada	: Recuperada	: Recuperado
T O T A L E S	: \$	1333616	: \$	527903 : 40%
Ganado		39774		17668 44
Prendas		286241		39430 14
Ropa		40831		8116 20
Automóviles		433939		379655 87
Bicicletas		33947		13752 41
Otra Propiedad		498824		69282 14

TABLA 35 - ARMAS OCUPADAS POR LA POLICIA  
1954 - 1955

CLASES DE ARMAS	NUMERO OCUPADO
T O T A L	3434
Revólveres (1)	307
Pistolas (1)	64
Escopetas	4
Rifles	8
Puñales	179
Machetos	849
Navajas	1172
Cuchillos	718
Otros	183

(1) De las 371 armas de fuego ocupadas por la Policía, 118 estaban registradas y 253 sin registrar.

TABLA 36 - SERVICIO DE MOTOCICLETAS  
AÑO 1954 - 55

DISTRITOS			:Gal.			Sentenciados				
	:Núm. de ciclistas	:Millas re- corridas	:Gas.	:Total de- usada:	Multas	Cárcel	Absuel-	:Archiv-		
TOTALES	: 872	: 688634	: 25193:	23477	: 6961:	43011:	82:	2054:	742:	43
Aguadilla	40	45860	1628	461	59	528			12	
Arecibo	36	29282	909	243	202	1268			15	3
Bayamon	25	20309	821	871	659	4648	7	170	43	2
Caguas	36	34679	1235	861	449	2266			26	
Carcelero	12	6350	257	466	204	1386	6	276	12	2
Guayanilla	11	11222	361	186	102	965			14	
Guayama	36	34100	1169	934	196	1330	3	10	75	
Humacao	14	19816	772	254	115	704	10	377	18	1
Juana Diaz	4	2565	80	126	88	827	6	50	16	
Manati	8	7557	249	222	103	807			3	
Mayaguez	45	40263	1505	1415	545	1975			45	1
Ponce	44	51381	1991	1273	642	3511	1	30	47	6
Rio Piedras	47	39231	1369	1473	316	1836	4	250	41	
San German	12	7182	418	371	252	962	12	91	64	2
Utuado	9	6330	246	119	68	516			5	2
Vega Baja	9	5641	206	242	194	1132	2	40	21	
Yauco	7	7676	282	144	54	344			10	
San Juan	477	319188	11695	13816	2713	18006	31	760	275	24

TABLA 37 - SERVICIOS RENDIDOS POR LA POLICIA  
A OTRAS AGENCIAS DEL GOBIERNO

AÑO 1954 - 55

AGENCIAS DEL GOBIERNO	PROMEDIO DE POLICIAS ASIGNADOS DIARIAMENTE
T O T A L	103.69
Departamento de Justicia	66.92
Departamento de Hacienda	0.83
Departamento de Salud	1.42
Departamento del Trabajo	10.42
Departamento de Obras Públicas	1.92
Fondo del Seguro del Estado	4.42
Comisión Industrial	6.67
Gobierno Federal	2.92
Otros	8.17

TABLA 38 - LITROS DE RON CLANDESTINO OCUPADOS  
POR LA POLICIA DE PUERTO RICO

M E S E S	Litros : Alambiques : Alambiques		
	Ocupados	Destruídos	Ocupados
T O T A L E S	7955	305	228
Julio	851	40	19
Agosto	638	28	14
Septiembre	768	39	12
Octubre	507	29	12
Noviembre	572	21	15
Diciembre	1587	29	12
Enero			
Febrero	747	19	21
Marzo	691	23	28
Abril	424	21	42
Mayo	613	27	20
Junio	557	29	33