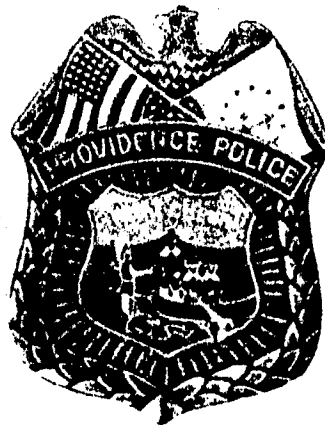


# PROVIDENCE POLICE



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CHIEF OF POLICE

# *Providence Police Department*

*Headquarters*  
*209 Fountain Street*  
*Providence, Rhode Island 02903*  
*Col. Angelo P. Ricci*

May 1, 1979

Miss Rose Mendonca  
City Clerk  
City of Providence  
City Hall  
Providence, RI

Dear Miss Mendonca:

I am herewith submitting thirty copies of the 1978 Annual Report of the Providence Police Department, with the request that they be submitted to the City Council.

Additional copies are available through this office.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Angelo P. Ricci".

ANGELO P. RICCI  
Colonel  
Chief of Police

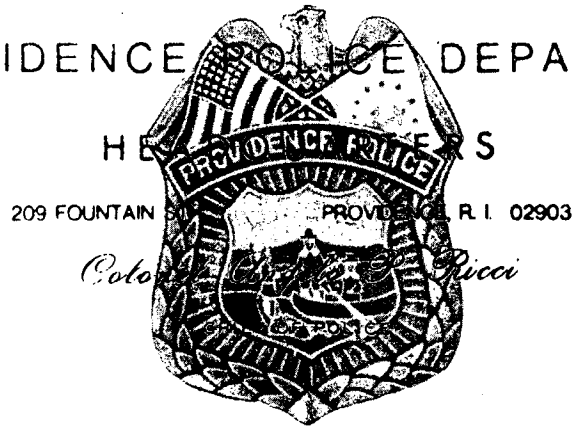
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PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND**

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# PROVIDENCE POLICE DEPARTMENT



Leo P. Trambukis  
Commissioner of Public Safety  
209 Fountain Street  
Providence, R.I.


Dear Commissioner Trambukis:

The following pages represent the formal presentation of the one hundred and fourteenth annual report of the Providence Police Department, covering the calendar year 1978.

I find it particularly notable that the trend of decrease in crime that has been established over the past few years has continued in our city for the year 1978.

While I feel that statistics are limited in their ability to reflect a total picture of our society, I firmly believe that the information shown in this publication indicates that our efforts are fruitful.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
ANGELO P. RICCI  
Colonel  
Chief of Police



The Honorable Vincent A. Cianci, Jr.  
MAYOR OF PROVIDENCE



THE HONORABLE LEO P. TRAMBUKIS  
POLICE COMMISSIONER



COLONEL ANGELO P. RICCI  
CHIEF OF POLICE



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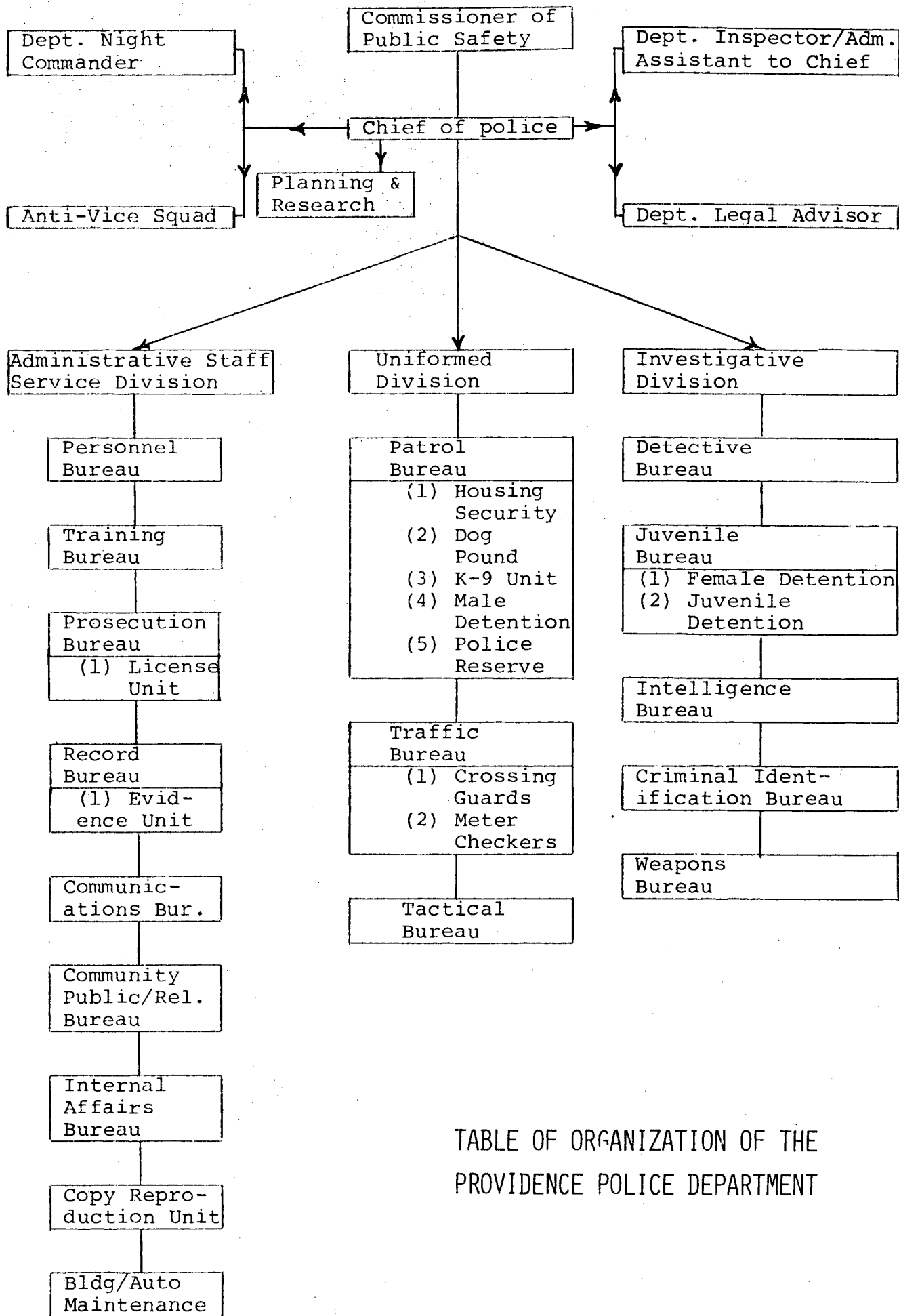
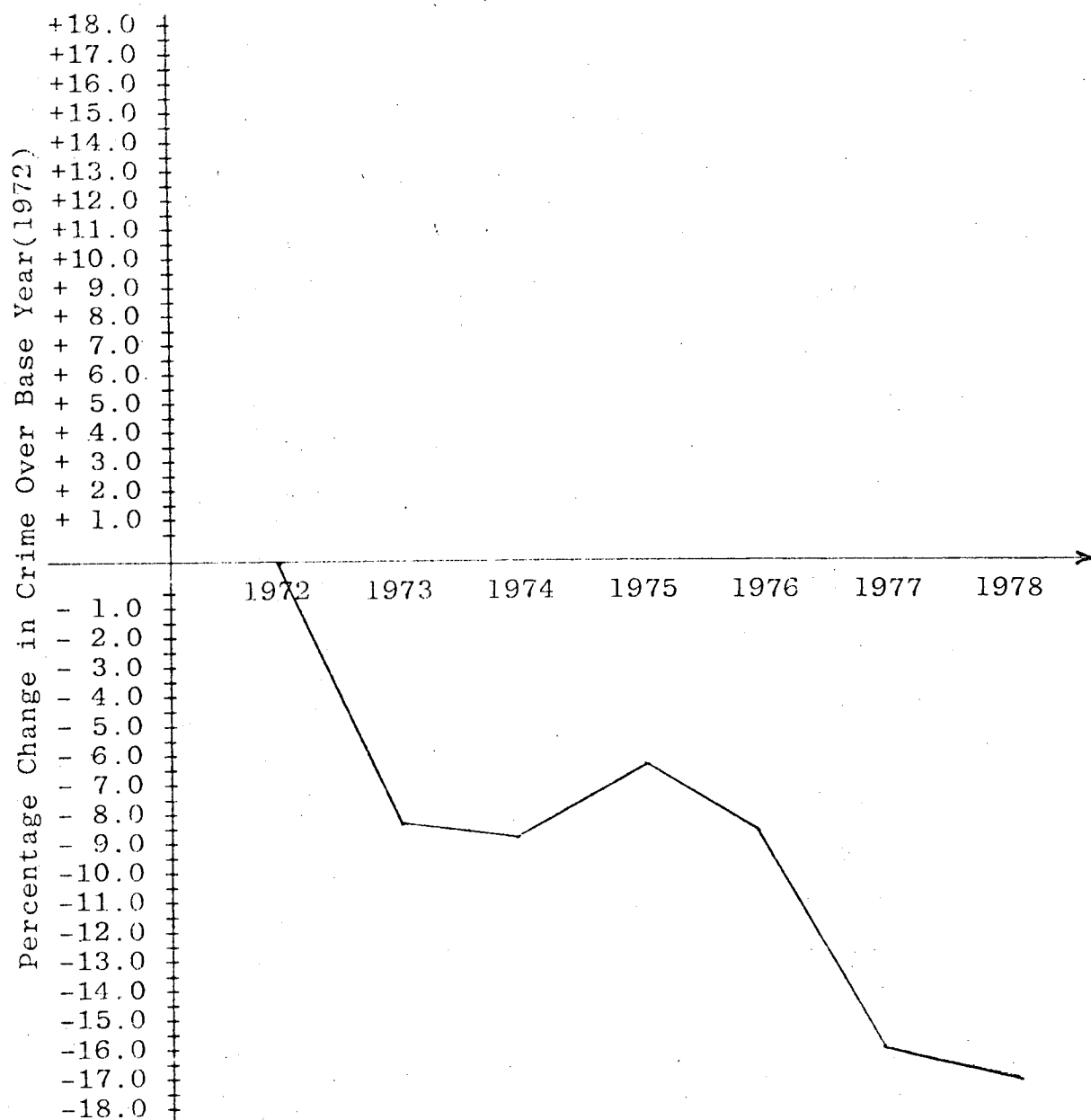


TABLE OF ORGANIZATION OF THE  
PROVIDENCE POLICE DEPARTMENT

# DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL

	\$24,076	\$19,500	\$18,456	\$17,155	\$16,122	\$14,477	Totals
Chief of Police	1						1
Department Inspector			1				1
Night Commander		1					1
Anti-Vice Squad					2	10	12
Planning & Research					1	2	3
Administrative Staff							
Service Division							
		1					1
Personnel Bureau			1	1	1		3
Training Bureau					1	1	2
Prosecution Bureau				1	5	8	14
Record Bureau				1		2	3
Communications Bureau			1		2	4	7
Community & Public Relations						2	2
Office of Chief of Police						1	1
Copy Center						2	2
Uniformed							
Division							
		1					1
Patrol Bureau			3	9	26	183	221
Traffic Bureau				3	7	36	46
Tactical Bureau					2	10	12
Investigative							
Division							
		1					1
Detective Bureau			1	2	9	32	44
Juvenile Bureau			1	1	3	19	24
Intelligence Bureau					1	1	2
Criminal Identification				1		6	7
Weapons Bureau					1	1	2
	1	4	8	19	61	320	413
	Colonel	Major	Capt.	Lieut.	Sgt.	Ptln.	Total

Fluctuations in the Crime Rate; 1972-1978\*



\*1972 is taken as the base year for comparison purposes as prior to this year, only larcenies of \$50 or more were included in the computation of total Part I Offenses under the F.B.I.'s Uniform Crime Reporting System.

# COMPARISON OF CRIMINAL OFFENSES IN PROVIDENCE: 1977 - 1978

## F.B.I. UNIFORM REPORTING SYSTEM

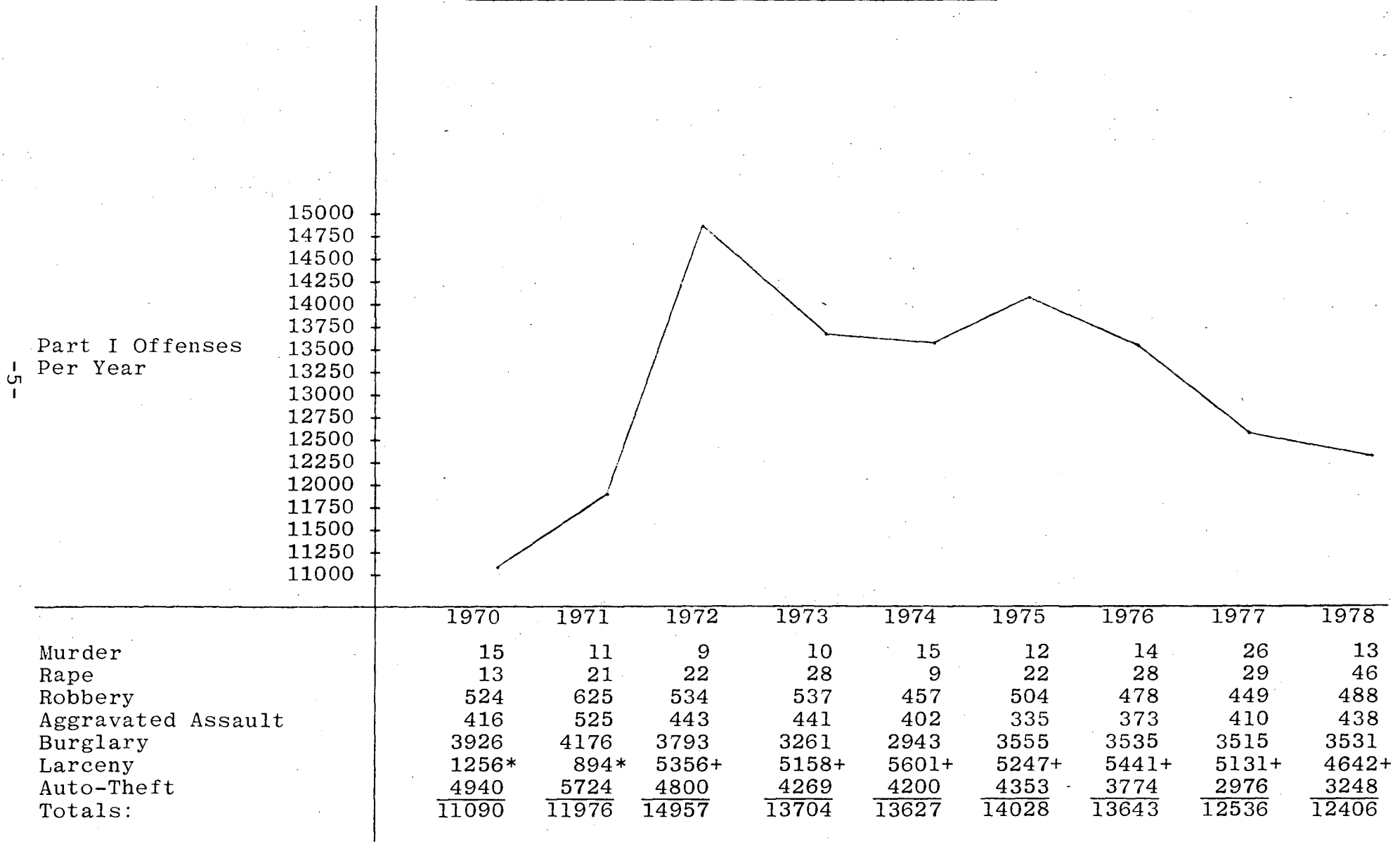
	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>	--Percent Change-- Decrease    Increase
Murder	26	13	50.00
Rape	29	46	58.62
Robbery	449	488	8.69
Aggravated Assault	410	438	6.38
Burglary	3515	3531	0.46
Larceny	5131	4642	9.53
Auto-Theft	<u>2976</u>	<u>3249</u>	9.14
	12536	12406	

# COMPARISON OF CLEARANCES IN PROVIDENCE: 1977 - 1978

## F.B.I. UNIFORM REPORTING SYSTEM

	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>
Murder	80.77%	61.53%
Rape	44.83%	73.91%
Robbery	57.24%	47.74%
Aggravated Assault	54.63%	47.26%
Burglary	60.91%	66.04%
Larceny	24.46%	20.09%
Auto Theft	10.99%	7.97%

# History of Part I Offenses: 1970 - 1978



\*Denotes Larcenies of \$50 or more; + Denotes all Larcenies

Percentage Decomposition of Part I Offenses\*

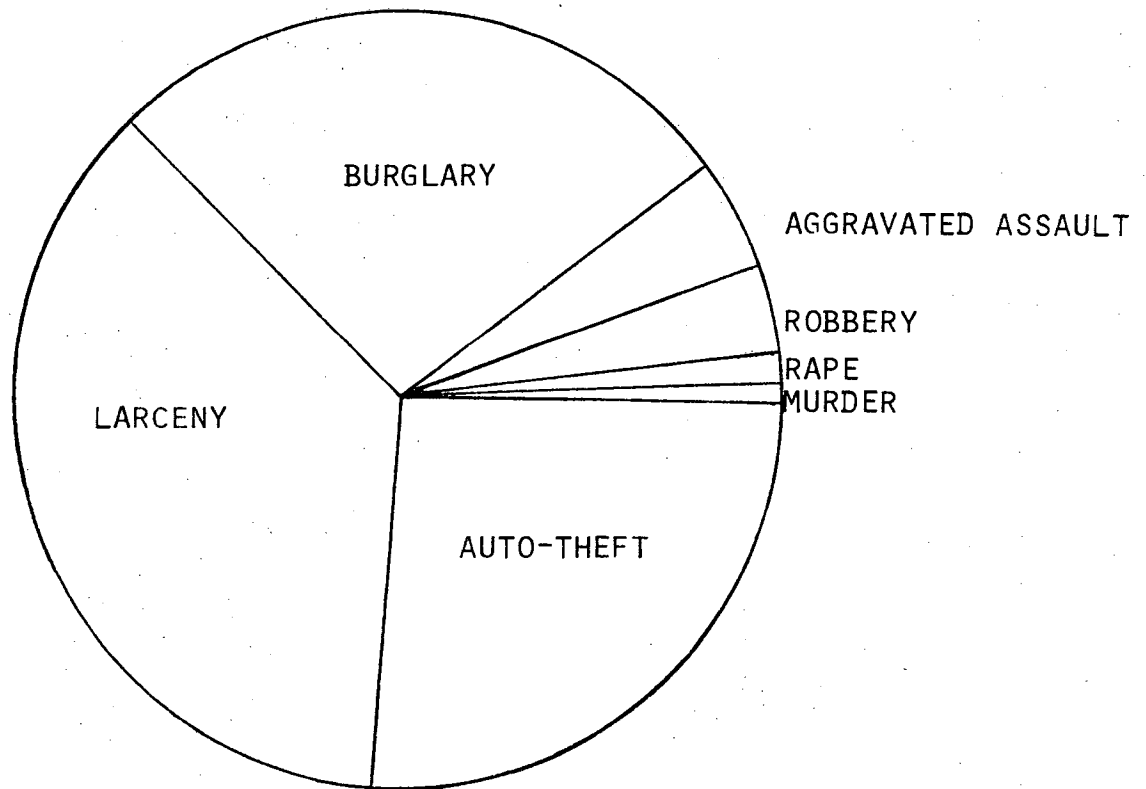
1970 - 1978

Part I Offenses	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
Murder	0.14	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.11	0.09	0.10	0.21	0.10
Rape	0.11	0.18	0.15	0.20	0.07	0.16	0.21	0.23	0.37
Robbery	4.72	5.22	3.57	3.92	3.35	3.59	3.50	3.58	3.93
Aggravated Aslt.	3.75	4.38	2.96	3.22	2.95	2.39	2.73	3.27	3.53
Burglary	35.40	34.87	25.35	23.79	21.59	25.34	25.91	28.04	28.46
Larceny	11.33	7.46	35.81	37.64	41.10	37.40	39.88	40.93	37.42
Auto-Theft	44.54	47.79	32.09	31.15	30.82	31.03	27.66	23.74	26.18

\* Column entries may not sum to 100.00 % due to rounding.

# PERCENTAGE DECOMPOSITION OF PART I OFFENSES

## UNIFORM CRIME CLASSIFICATION

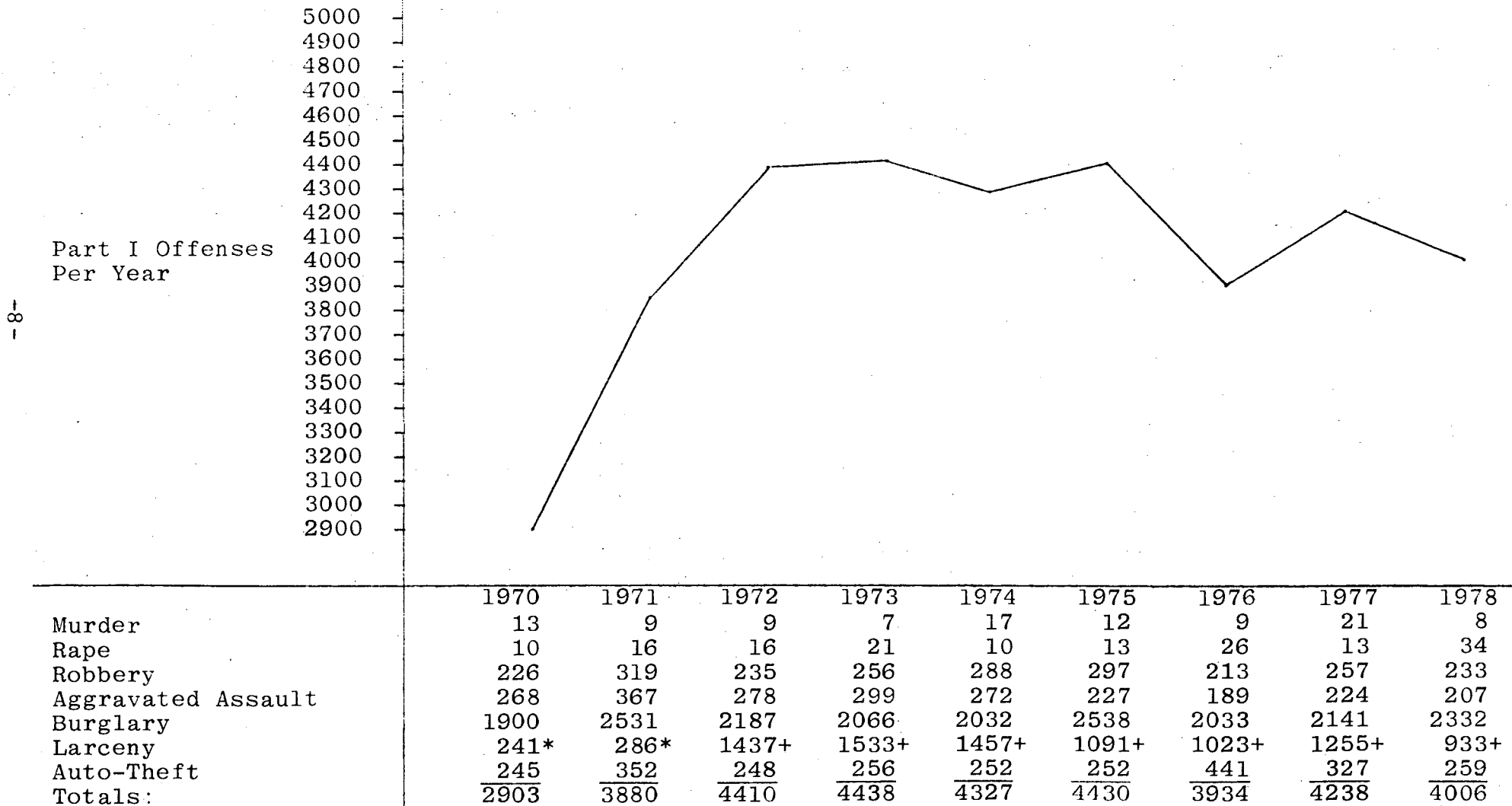


OFFENSES:	PERCENTAGE*
MURDER.....	0.10 %
RAPE.....	0.37 %
ROBBERY.....	3.93 %
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT.....	3.53 %
BURGLARY.....	28.5 %
LARCENY.....	37.4 %
AUTO-THEFT.....	26.2 %

\*PERCENTAGES DO NOT ADD TO 100 % DUE TO ROUNDING.



# History of Clearances of Part I Offenses: 1970 - 1978



\* Denotes Larcenies of \$50 or more; + Denotes all Larcenies.

Percentage of Clearances of Part I Offenses\*

1970 - 1978

Part I Offenses	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
Murder	86.66	100.0	100.0	70.00	88.24	100.0	64.29	80.77	61.54
Rape	76.92	76.19	72.73	75.00	100.0	59.09	92.86	44.83	73.91
Robbery	43.13	51.04	44.01	47.67	63.02	58.93	44.56	57.24	47.75
Aggravated Aslt.	64.42	69.90	62.75	67.80	81.19	67.76	50.67	54.63	47.26
Burglary	48.39	60.61	66.73	67.07	69.05	71.39	57.51	60.91	66.04
Larceny	19.19	31.99	26.83	29.72	26.01	20.79	18.80	24.46	20.10
Auto-Theft	4.96	6.15	5.17	5.99	6.00	5.79	11.69	10.99	7.97

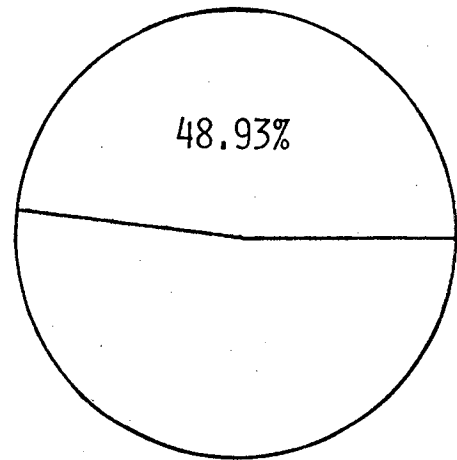
\* Row entries represent the percentage of clearances of a specific offense for the successive years listed. For example, during the year 1970, approximately 86.66 % of reported murders were cleared by the police.

# CLEARANCES OF PART I OFFENSES REPORTED TO THE POLICE

## OFFENSES AGAINST PERSONS

985 REPORTED

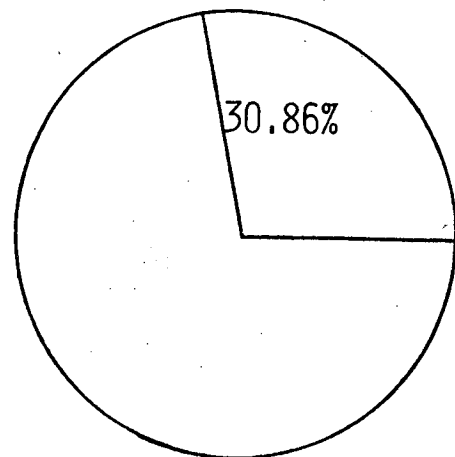
482 CLEARED



## OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY

11,421 REPORTED

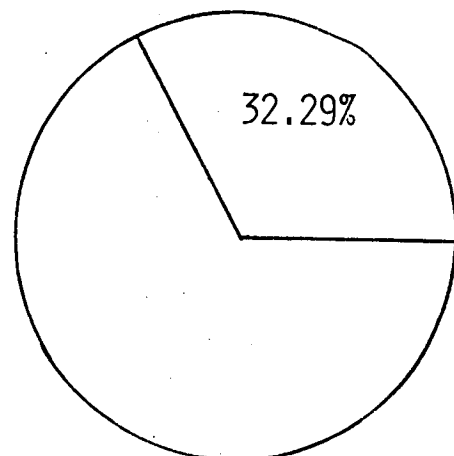
3,524 CLEARED



## TOTAL PART I OFFENSES

12,406 REPORTED

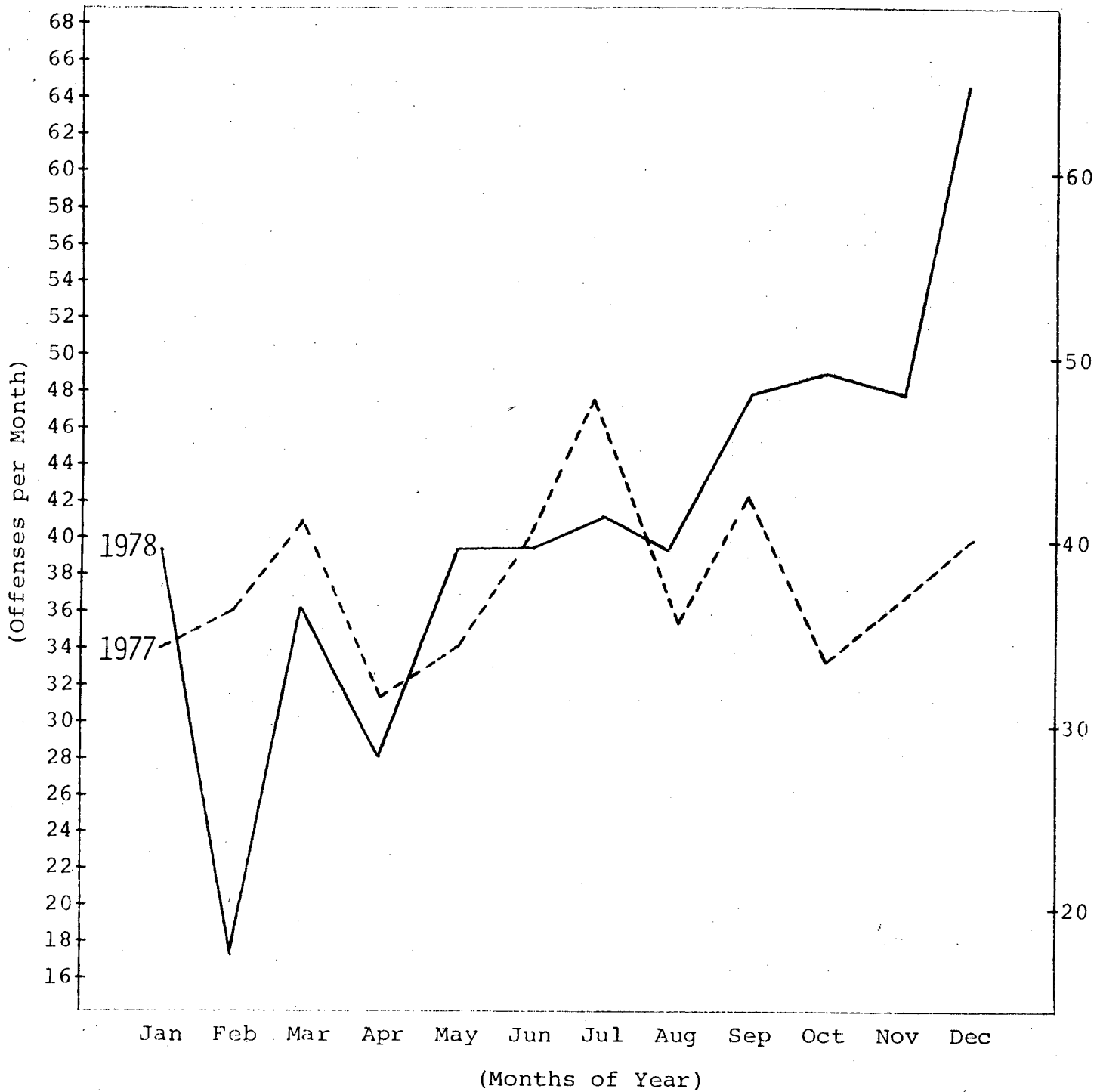
4,006 CLEARED



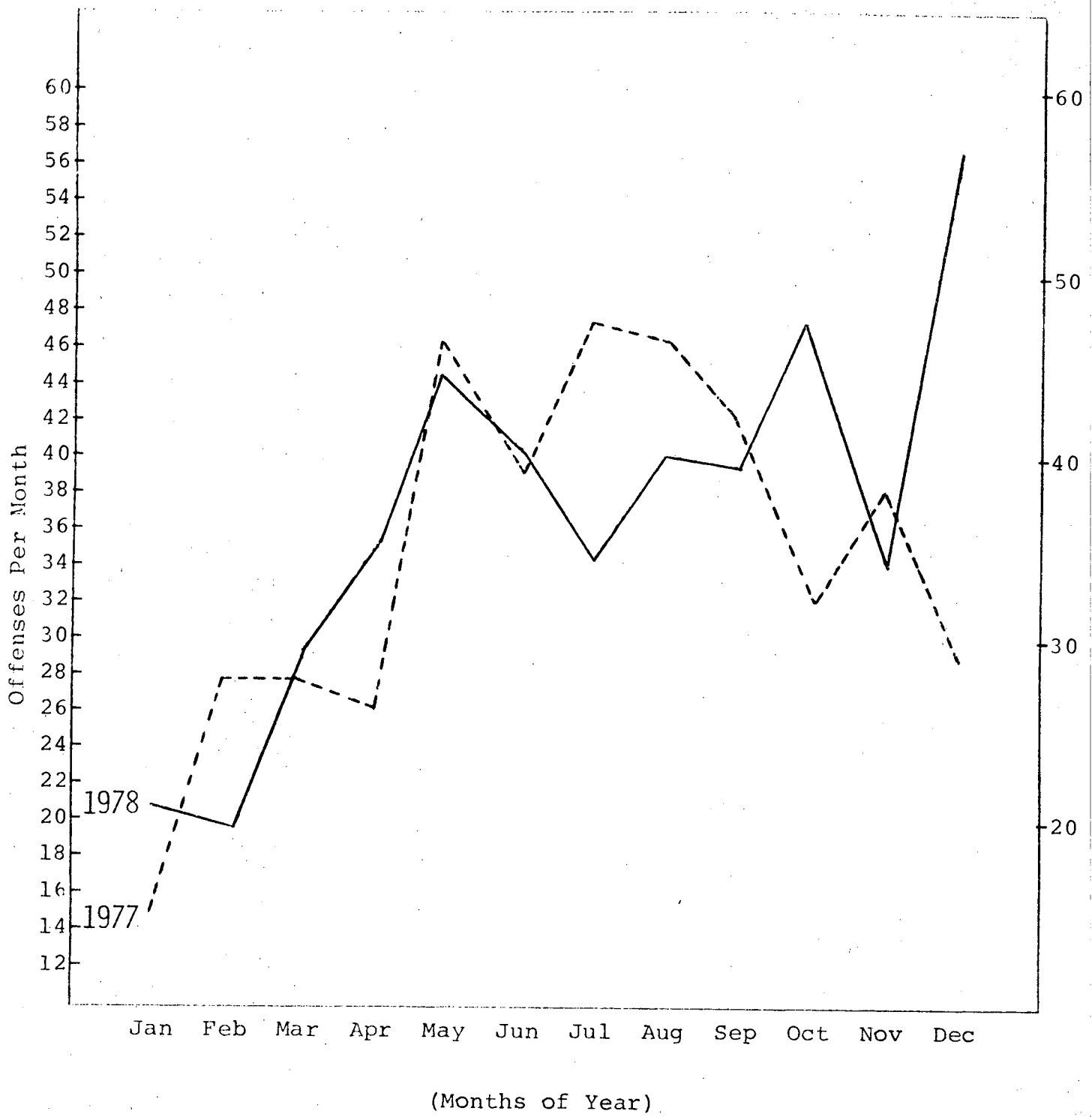
Value of Property Reported Stolen in Providence: 1977 - 1978

TYPE OF OFFENSE:	NUMBER OF OFFENSES:		VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN:	
	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>
<u>Robbery</u>				
Highway	215	247	\$22,094	\$18,899
Commercial House	65	66	10,986	22,223
Oil Station	25	17	1,897	3,902
Chain Store	48	41	3,461	2,678
Residence	69	78	10,477	6,028
Bank	1	11	0	7,405
Micellaneous	<u>26</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>4,003</u>	<u>6,053</u>
Totals:	449	488	\$52,918	\$67,188
<u>Burglary</u>				
Residence	2,530	2,576	\$416,661	\$460,795
Non-Residence	<u>985</u>	<u>956</u>	<u>139,294</u>	<u>283,493</u>
Totals:	3,515	3,532	\$555,955	\$744,288
<u>Larceny</u>				
\$50 & Above	1,452	1,392	\$272,883	\$318,578
Below \$50	<u>3,679</u>	<u>3,250</u>	<u>37,140</u>	<u>40,191</u>
Totals:	5,131	4,642	\$310,023	\$358,769
<u>Nature of Larcenies</u>				
Pocket Picking	6	15	\$ 323	\$ 1,939
Purse Snatching	174	141	12,127	8,906
Shoplifting	247	217	6,971	8,337
Thefts from Auto	681	665	62,075	79,631
Auto Accessories	2,085	1,819	73,039	76,347
Bicycles	770	736	20,590	20,823
From Buildings	819	783	115,859	123,629
Coin Machines	12	3	2,262	8
All Others	<u>337</u>	<u>263</u>	<u>18,777</u>	<u>39,149</u>
Totals:	5,131	4,642	\$310,023	\$358,769
<u>Auto-Theft</u>				
Totals:	2,976	3,248	\$2,949,830	\$3,214,869

Graphical History of the  
Various Part I Offenses  
1978 vs. 1977

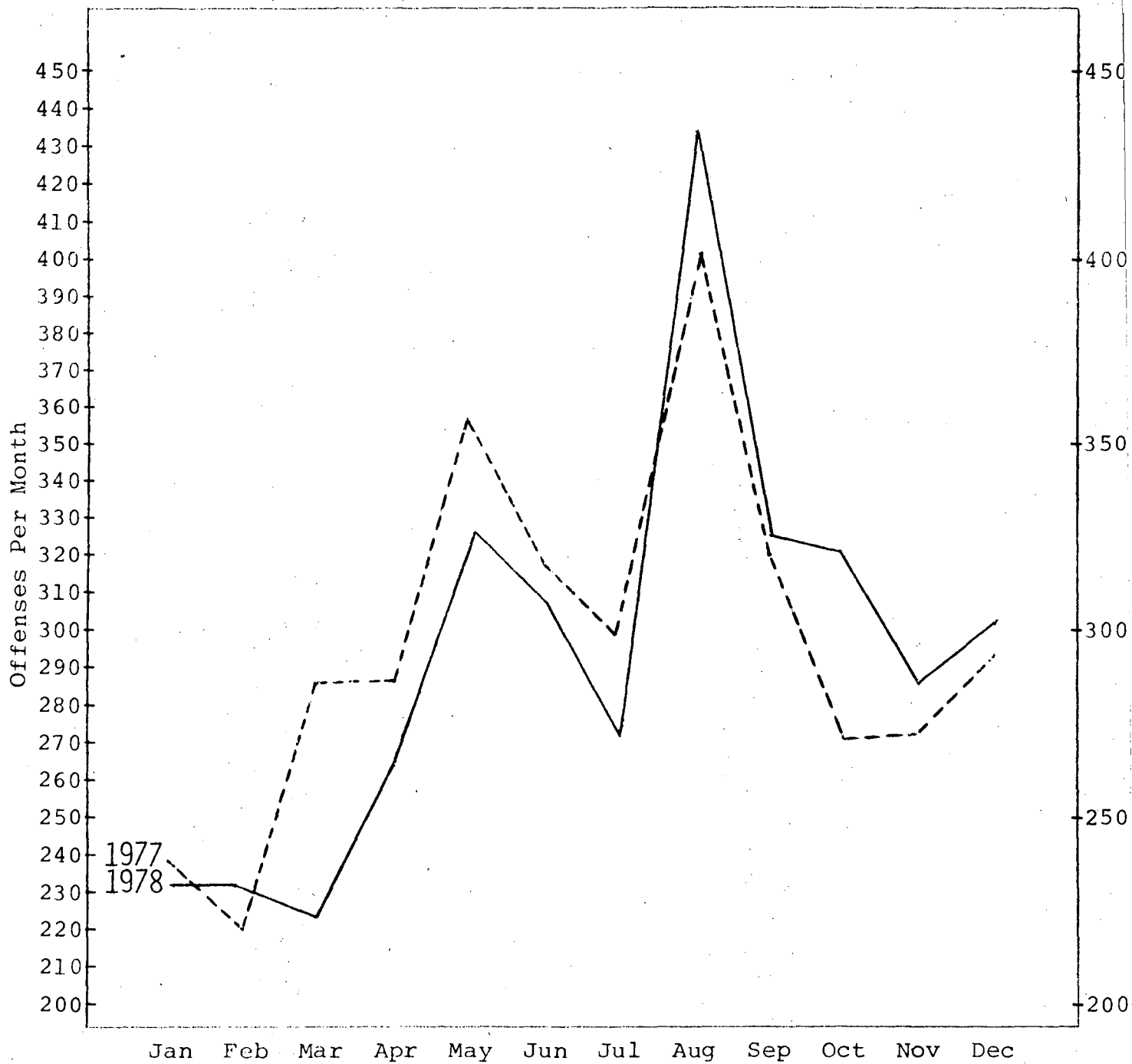


COMPARATIVE HISTORY OF ROBBERY  
(1978 vs. 1977)



### COMPARATIVE HISTORY OF ASSAULT

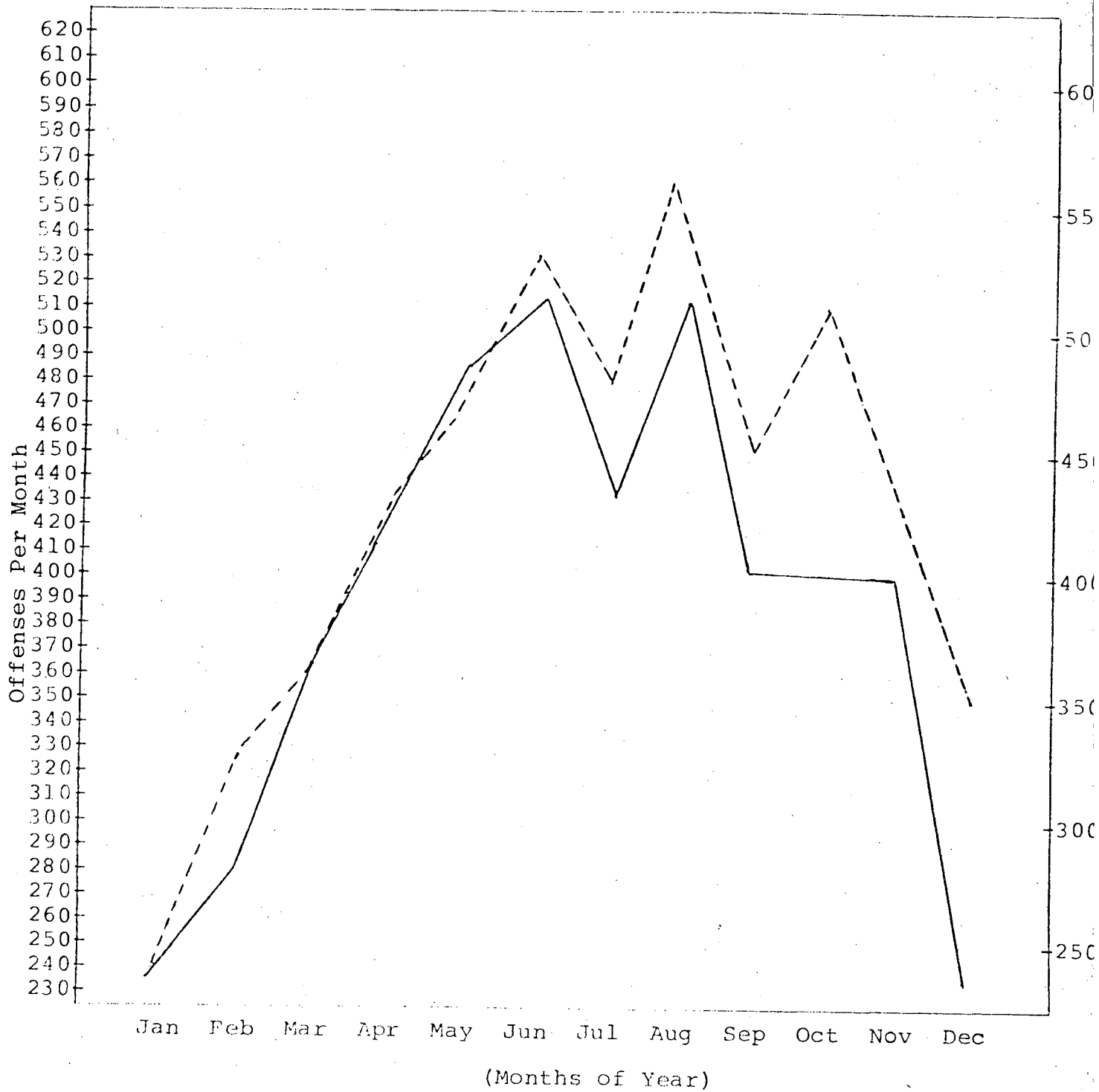
(1978 vs. 1977)



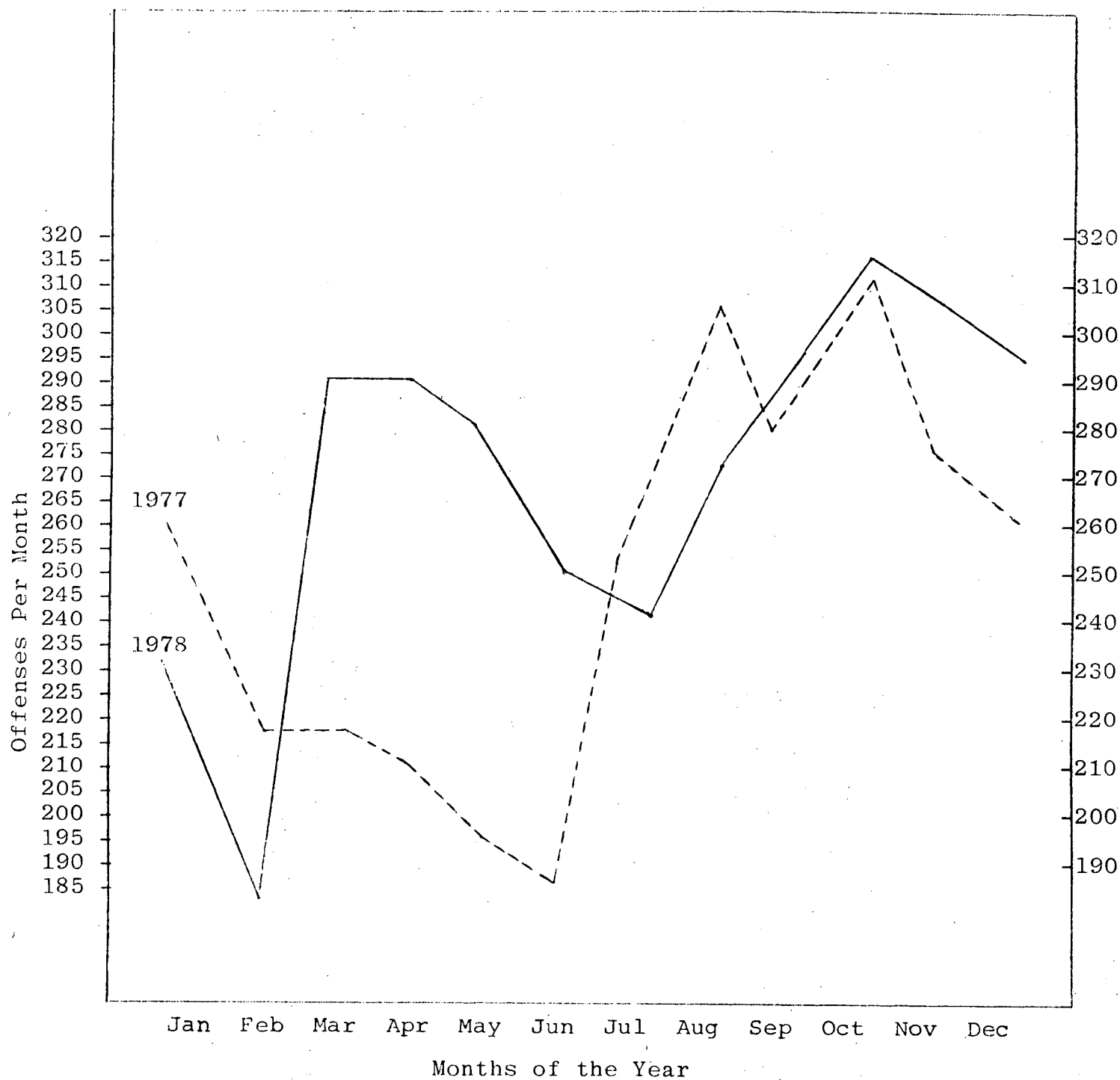
(Months of Year)

COMPARATIVE HISTORY OF BURGLARY  
(1978 vs. 1977)





COMPARATIVE HISTORY OF LARCENY  
(1978 vs. 1977)



COMPARATIVE HISTORY OF AUTO THEFT  
(1978 vs. 1977)

Summary of Information Relative to  
Total Arrests for Both Part I and  
Part II Offenses

Comparison of Total Arrests: 1977 - 1978

Uniform Classification of Offenses

Part I Offenses	1977	1978
Murder	23	9
Manslaughter	5	1
Rape	14	19
Robbery	133	118
Aggravated Assault	173	183
Burglary	377	351
Larceny	418	458
Auto-Theft	23	64
Totals:	1166	1203

Part II Offenses	1977	1978
Other Assaults	456	447
Forgery & Counterfeiting	37	27
Arson	21	18
Fraud	62	18

Comparison of Total Arrests: 1977 - 1978

Uniform Classification of Offenses

(Continued)

Part II Offenses	1977	1978
Embezzlement	6	6
Receiving Stolen Property	190	132
Vandalism	181	302
Illegal Possession of Weapons	86	132
Prostitution & Commercial Vice	351	384
Sex Offenses	48	42
Narcotic Drug Laws	259	277
Gambling	39	14
Offenses Against Family & Children	0	0
Driving Under the Influence	114	101
Liquor Laws	21	14
Disorderly Conduct	170	176
All Other Offenses(Except Traffic)	801	620
Totals:	2842	2710
Grand Totals:	2842	3913

Comparison of Adult and Juvenile Arrests

Part I Offenses	Adults Arrested (a)	Percent Adult (a/t)x100	Juveniles Arrested (j)	Percent Juvenile (j/t)x100	Total Arrests (t)	Arrest Ratio (a/j)
Murder	7	77.78	2	22.22	9	3.50
Manslaughter	1	100.00	0	00.00	1	*
Rape	16	84.21	3	15.79	19	5.33
Robbery	82	69.49	36	30.51	118	2.28
Aggravated Aslt.	142	77.60	41	22.40	183	3.46
Burglary	174	49.57	177	50.43	351	0.98
Larceny	268	58.52	190	41.48	458	1.41
Auto-Theft	27	42.19	37	57.81	64	0.73

\* Division by zero is an undefined mathematical operation.

Comparison of Adult and Juvenile Arrests

(Continued)

Part II Offenses	Adults Arrested (a)	Percent Adult (a/t)x100	Juveniles Arrested (j)	Percent Juvenile (j/t)x100	Total Arrests (t)	Arrest Ratio (a/j)
Other Assaults	345	77.18	102	22.82	447	3.38
Forgery & Counterfeiting	26	96.30	1	3.70	27	26.00
Fraud	17	94.44	1	5.56	18	17.00
Embezzlement	6	100.00	0	00.00	6	*
Receiving Stolen Property	116	87.88	16	12.12	132	7.25
Vandalism	179	59.27	123	40.73	302	1.46
Illegal Possession of Weapons	117	88.64	15	11.36	132	7.80
Prostitution & Commercial Vice	350	91.15	34	8.85	384	10.29
Sex Offenses	38	90.48	4	9.52	42	9.50

\* Division by zero is an undefined mathematical operation.

Comparison of Adult and Juvenile Arrests

(Continued)

Part II Offenses	Adults Arrested (a)	Percent Adult (a/t)x100	Juveniles Arrested (j)	Percent Juvenile (j/t)x100	Total Arrests (t)	Arrest Ratio (a/j)
Arson	11	61.11	7	38.89	18	1.57
Narcotic Drug Laws	251	90.61	26	9.39	277	9.65
Gambling	14	100.00	0	00.00	14	*
Offenses Against Family & Children	0	00.00	0	00.00	0	*
Driving Under the Influence	101	100.00	0	00.00	101	*
Liquor Laws	12	85.71	2	14.29	14	6.00
Disorderly Conduct	158	89.77	18	10.23	176	8.78
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	394	63.55	226	36.45	620	1.74
Totals:	2852	72.89	1061	27.11	3913	2.69

\* Division by zero is an undefined mathematical operation.



Age and Sex of Persons Arrested Under 18 Years of Age

<u>Offenses</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Under 10</u>	<u>11-12</u>	<u>13-14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Prostitution	M	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
& Comm. Vice	F	1	0	3	2	18	9	33
Other Sex	M	0	0	1	0	1	2	4
Offenses*	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Narcotic	M	0	0	1	2	8	8	19
Drugs Laws	F	0	0	1	0	3	3	7
Gambling	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offenses Against	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Family & Children	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Driving Under the	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Influence	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liquor	M	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Laws	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disorderly	M	0	0	1	1	5	5	12
Conduct	F	0	1	1	0	2	2	6
All Other Offenses	M	7	15	30	31	19	24	126
Except Traffic	F	0	7	25	6	19	5	62
Curfew &	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loitering	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Runaways	M	4	0	5	9	3	4	25
	F	0	1	4	3	2	2	12
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Totals:	M	48	73	188	152	169	193	823
	F	3	27	66	29	70	43	238
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Grand Totals:**		51	100	254	181	239	236	1061
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\* This category excludes both forcible rape and prostitution.

\*\*Includes those persons released without having been formally charged.

Age and Sex of Persons Arrested Under 18 Years of Age

<u>Offenses</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Under 10</u>	<u>11-12</u>	<u>13-14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Murder & Non-	M	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Negligent Mansl.	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter by	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Negligence	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape	M	0	1	0	0	0	2	3
(Forcible)	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	M	2	1	6	5	7	15	36
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated	M	0	2	6	6	10	12	36
Assault	F	0	3	0	0	0	2	5
Breaking &	M	14	14	38	36	37	31	170
Entering	F	0	2	2	0	0	3	7
Larceny	M	8	18	38	20	24	16	124
	F	2	5	23	15	16	5	66
Auto-	M	0	0	5	5	15	10	35
Theft	F	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Other	M	6	5	15	13	17	21	77
Assaults	F	0	4	6	2	5	8	25
Arson	M	0	0	5	1	0	0	6
	F	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Forgery &	M	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Counterfeiting	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud	M	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Embezzlement	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stolen	M	1	1	2	2	3	5	14
Property	F	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
Vandalism	M	6	16	32	19	12	29	114
	F	0	3	0	1	4	1	9
Weapons	M	0	0	3	2	3	7	15
(Possess.etc.)	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Age and Sex of Persons Arrested - 18 Years of Age and Older

<u>Offenses</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>24</u>
Murder & Non-Negligent Mansl.	M	0	1	2	0	1	1	1
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter by Negligence	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rape (Forcible)	M	0	0	1	2	1	3	1
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	M	12	12	7	5	6	7	5
	F	0	0	1	0	2	1	0
Aggravated Assault	M	8	5	10	6	10	5	10
	F	2	1	1	2	0	0	1
Breaking & Entering	M	35	16	25	17	10	6	14
	F	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Larceny	M	18	15	19	13	8	11	3
	F	16	11	16	4	9	6	7
Auto-Theft	M	6	5	4	2	3	0	1
	F	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other-Assaults	M	21	19	20	21	23	19	9
	F	4	6	6	2	2	1	6
Arson	M	0	0	0	2	1	2	1
	F	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Forgery & Counterfeiting	M	0	4	2	2	1	0	3
	F	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
Fraud	M	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
	F	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
Embezzlement	M	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Stolen Property (Possess, etc.)	M	18	9	19	8	7	8	10
	F	1	1	1	1	0	2	0
Vandalism	M	23	25	18	12	5	10	14
	F	3	1	1	0	2	2	1
Weapons (Possess, etc.)	M	5	10	6	10	12	4	12
	F	0	1	2	1	2	1	0
Prostitution & Comm. Vice	M	3	3	1	4	1	3	1
	F	58	58	45	36	22	18	19

Age and Sex of Persons Arrested - 18 Years of Age and Older

<u>Offenses</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>24</u>
Sex Offenses (Except Rape & Prostitution)	M	1	2	3	3	2	1	2
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Narcotic Drug Laws	M	31	20	12	22	16	14	15
	F	5	4	3	4	4	1	3
Gambling	M	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offenses Against Family & Children	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Driving Under the Influence	M	1	3	5	3	1	5	3
	F	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
Liquor Laws	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	M	17	18	13	7	10	5	10
	F	3	3	3	0	2	1	1
Vagrancy	M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	M	30	34	29	32	17	23	21
	F	12	12	8	6	4	5	4
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Totals:	M	230	202	197	172	135	129	136
	F	105	98	90	59	51	40	44
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Grand Totals:*		335	300	287	231	186	169	280

\* Includes those persons released without having been formally charged.

Age and Sex of Persons Arrested - 18 Years of Age and Older

<u>Offenses</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>25-29</u>	<u>30-34</u>	<u>35-39</u>	<u>40-44</u>	<u>45-49</u>
Prostitution & Comm. Vice	M	12	9	3	2	0
	F	37	10	2	1	1
Sex Offenses (Except Rape & Prostitution)	M	7	6	1	7	2
	F	0	0	0	0	0
Narcotic, Drug Laws	M	65	12	8	2	3
	F	4	0	1	0	1
Gambling	M	1	2	2	1	1
	F	0	0	1	0	0
Offenses Against Family & Children	M	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0
Driving Under the Influence	M	18	10	6	12	9
	F	1	2	0	2	0
Liquor Laws	M	1	4	3	0	0
	F	0	0	1	1	0
Disorderly Conduct	M	22	16	6	2	5
	F	3	4	1	1	0
Vagrancy	M	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	M	54	27	15	12	13
	F	7	2	4	2	4
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Totals:	M	405	206	116	86	58
	F	87	42	20	17	11
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Grand Totals:*		492	248	136	103	69
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Age and Sex of Persons Arrested - 18 Years of Age and Older

<u>Offenses</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>25-29</u>	<u>30-34</u>	<u>35-39</u>	<u>40-44</u>	<u>45-49</u>
Murder & Non-Negligent Mansl.	M	0	0	0	1	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter by Negligence	M	1	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0
Rape (Forcible)	M	0	5	2	1	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	M	8	5	5	1	0
	F	1	2	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	M	37	17	11	4	1
	F	1	0	2	2	0
Breaking & Entering	M	31	10	3	2	1
	F	2	0	0	0	0
Larceny	M	21	11	2	7	7
	F	11	13	7	5	2
Auto-Theft	M	2	0	2	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0
Other-Assaults	M	63	38	28	18	10
	F	8	6	0	1	2
Arson	M	0	1	0	1	0
	F	1	1	0	0	0
Forgery & Counterfeiting	M	3	2	2	1	0
	F	2	0	0	0	0
Fraud	M	0	4	3	0	2
	F	1	0	0	0	0
Embezzlement	M	0	0	0	0	0
	F	1	0	0	1	0
Stolen Property (Possess, etc.)	M	13	3	4	5	1
	F	2	1	0	0	0
Vandalism	M	23	9	8	2	2
	F	3	1	1	1	1
Weapons (Possess, etc.)	M	23	15	2	5	1
	F	2	0	0	0	0

Age and Sex of Persons Arrested - 18 Years of Age and Older

<u>Offenses</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>50-54</u>	<u>55-59</u>	<u>60-64</u>	<u>65 &amp; Over</u>	<u>18 &amp; Over Totals</u>
Murder & Non-	M	0	0	0	0	7
Negligent Mansl.	F	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter by	M	0	0	0	0	1
Negligence	F	0	0	0	0	0
Rape	M	0	0	0	0	16
(Forcible)	F	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	M	0	2	0	0	75
	F	0	0	0	0	7
Aggravated	M	2	2	0	2	130
Assault	F	0	0	0	0	12
Breaking &	M	0	1	0	0	171
Entering	F	0	0	0	0	3
Larceny	M	9	4	5	1	154
	F	3	2	0	2	114
Auto-	M	1	0	0	0	26
Theft	F	0	0	0	0	1
Other-	M	7	1	1	1	299
Assaults	F	2	0	0	0	46
Arson	M	0	0	0	0	8
	F	0	0	0	0	3
Forgery &	M	0	0	1	0	21
Counterfeiting	F	0	0	0	0	5
Fraud	M	0	1	0	0	12
	F	0	1	0	0	5
Embezzlement	M	1	0	0	0	3
	F	0	0	0	0	3
Stolen Property	M	1	0	0	0	106
(Possess, etc.)	F	0	1	0	0	10
Vandalism	M	4	3	0	2	160
	F	0	1	0	1	19
Weapons	M	1	1	0	0	107
(Possess, etc.)	F	1	0	0	0	10

Age and Sex of Persons Arrested - 18 Years of Age and Older

<u>Offenses</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>50-54</u>	<u>55-59</u>	<u>60-64</u>	<u>65 &amp; Over</u>	<u>18 &amp; Over Totals</u>
Prostitution & Comm. Vice	M	0	0	0	1	43
	F	0	0	0	0	307
Sex Offenses (Except Rape & Prostitution)	M	0	0	0	1	38
	F	0	0	0	0	0
Narcotic Drug Laws	M	1	0	0	0	221
	F	0	0	0	0	30
Gambling	M	2	0	1	1	13
	F	0	0	0	0	1
Offenses Against Family & Children	M	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0
Driving Under the Influence	M	4	8	2	1	91
	F	2	0	0	0	10
Liquor Laws	M	0	0	0	1	9
	F	1	0	0	0	3
Disorderly Conduct	M	3	0	1	0	135
	F	1	0	0	0	23
Vagrancy	M	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	M	3	3	4	5	322
	F	1	0	1	0	72
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Totals:	M	39	26	15	16	2168
	F	11	5	1	3	684
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Grand Totals:*		50	31	16	19	2852
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\* Includes those persons released without having been formally charged:



Summary of Information Relative to  
Traffic Accidents Reported to the  
Providence Police Department.

Summary of Traffic Accidents Reported to the Police

(1975 - 1978)

<u>Years:</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>1976</u>	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>
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<u>Total Accidents</u>	<u>7106</u>	<u>6896</u>	<u>6697</u>	<u>6354</u>
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(Injury, Fatality,  
and Property Damage)

<u>Persons Killed</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>8</u>
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Adult Pedestrians	5	4	6	4
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Child Pedestrians	1	1	6	0
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Operators	5	8	4	4
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Passengers	4	2	2	0
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<u>Injury Accidents</u>	<u>1938</u>	<u>1810</u>	<u>1669</u>	<u>1619</u>
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(Investigated at  
Scene)

Pedestrians	388	350	300	316
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Persons Injured	2604	2400	2227	1828
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<u>Property Damage</u>	<u>5153</u>	<u>5071</u>	<u>5010</u>	<u>4727</u>
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Accidents

Prosecution of Hazardous Traffic Violations

Month of Yr.	1975	1976	1977	1978
January	608	739	104	405
February	605	894	851	256
March	935	712	1132	799
April	1039	804	943	1015
May	965	813	838	708
June	703	611	775	1096
July	572	630	737	740
August	635	508	722	823
September	634	638	713	758
October	793	600	864	1025
November	780	534	776	737
December	552	598	422	683
Totals:	8821	8081	8877	9045

Personal Injury Accidents Investigated at the Scene

Month of Yr.	1975	1976	1977	1978
January	156	146	105	109
February	142	132	123	99
March	141	143	108	103
April	138	153	119	125
May	172	148	148	153
June	179	164	141	146
July	153	139	141	147
August	187	144	151	141
September	177	193	157	161
October	174	157	175	178
November	177	139	163	122
December	142	152	138	135
Totals:	1938	1810	1669	1619

Traffic Fatalities by Month and Year : 1970 - 1978

<u>Month of Yr.</u>	<u>1970</u>	<u>1971</u>	<u>1972</u>	<u>1973</u>	<u>1974</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>1976</u>	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>
<u>January</u>	2	0	2	3	0	3	0	1	0
<u>February</u>	3	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	0
<u>March</u>	4	2	1	5	0	2	0	2	0
<u>April</u>	3	1	0	3	2	1	1	4	0
<u>May</u>	0	2	0	0	2	1	3	3	0
<u>June</u>	3	1	3	1	2	0	1	2	1
<u>July</u>	0	2	2	2	1	1	2	1	2
<u>August</u>	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	1	0
<u>September</u>	1	4	2	1	4	3	3	1	1
<u>October</u>	1	2	3	4	2	0	2	1	1
<u>November</u>	2	1	3	1	3	0	0	0	2
<u>December</u>	3	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	1
<u>Totals:</u>	23	17	17	22	19	15	15	18	8

# Relative Frequency Histogram for Traffic Fatalities

1970 - 1978

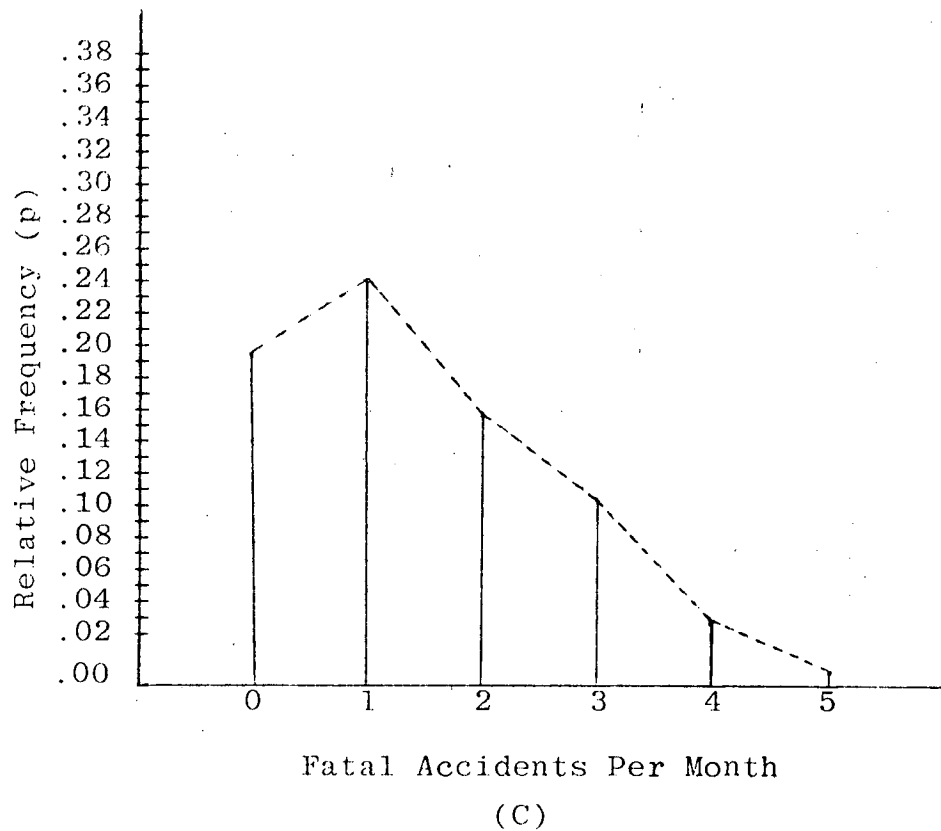


Table of Data

( t = 154 total(fatal)accidents)

Class (C)	Reported Frequency (f)	Relative Frequency (p = f/t)	Decimal Equivalent (p)
0	29	29/154	0.188
1	35	35/154	0.228
2	23	23/154	0.149
3	16	16/154	0.104
4	5	5/154	0.032
5	1	1/154	0.006

Traffic Fatalities by Age Group

Age Group	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
0 -- 4 yrs.	1	0	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
5 -- 9 yrs.	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	2	0
10 -- 14 yrs.	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	3	0
15 -- 19 yrs.	0	5	3	3	1	3	2	1	1
20 -- 24 yrs.	3	1	2	3	3	2	1	3	1
25 -- 34 yrs.	3	4	1	1	4	2	3	2	2
35 -- 44 yrs.	3	0	1	3	0	0	1	1	0
45 -- 54 yrs.	3	0	1	3	5	0	2	0	2
55 -- 64 yrs.	2	2	2	0	1	4	0	1	0
65 -- 74 yrs.	5	2	2	4	1	1	1	2	1
75 -- ++ yrs.	3	1	2	3	3	2	3	2	1
Totals:	23	17	17	22	19	15	15	18	8

Total Number of Accident-Related Injuries

<u>Various Years</u>	<u>Total Number of Persons Injured</u>
1973	2,611
1974	2,574
1975	2,604
1976	2,400
1977	2,227
1978	1,828
Totals:	14,244



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