

Patrolman Wm. H. Hardesty.
Suit of George W. Dorry, - Against.

In the matter of suit brought by George W. Dorry against Patrolman William H. Hardesty, Northwestern District, for damages for alleged unjustifiable assault, as referred to in the proceedings of July 25, 1910, a report, as follows, was received:-

"Baltimore, Md., July 27th., 1910.

To The Honorable,

The Board of Police Commissioners.

Gentlemen:-

In connection with notice of suit brought by George W. Dory, colored, for \$1,000. damages for alleged assault by Patrolman William H. Hardesty on the said Dory, July 14th., 1910, I beg, respectfully, to state that I placed this matter in the hands of Detective Armstrong for a full investigation and his report is herewith.

After carefully going over this report it is my judgment that the assault upon Dory by Patrolman Hardesty was uncalled for and I would therefore respectfully recommend that Patrolman Hardesty be cited before your Honorable Body upon charges.

A statement from Patrolman Hardesty is also herewith.

Very respectfully,

THOMAS F. FARNAN, Marshal."

The recommendation as above made by the Marshal was ordered held under advisement pending the determination of the suit brought by George W. Dorry against Patrolman Hardesty.

And in this connection it was ordered that Alonzo L. Miles, Counsel, be instructed to appear for and defend Patrolman Hardesty in the action referred to. (Exhibit No. 3023.)

Maryland Telephones, - Service Discontinued.

A report, as follows, was received:- (See Exhibit No. 3023-1/2)

"Baltimore, Md., July 27th., 1910.

To The Honorable,

The Board of Police Commissioners.

Gentlemen:-

As to the necessity of a Maryland Telephone at the several station-houses and Detective Bureau, I beg, respectfully, to