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Captain J. J. Santry, Northwestern District, for investigation, and his report in connection therewith is hereto attached.

It will be noted from the report of Captain Santry that the 500 block is considered a white block and I therefore approve of the recommendation of Captain Santry that the permit granting them the privilege of holding religious services be not granted.

Very respectfully,

THOMAS F. FARNAN, Marshal."

Cable, - Purchase of.

In response to invitations sent out August 16th., 1911, bids, as follows, were received to furnish the department with 2,500 feet combination cable in accordance with specifications:

Standard Underground Cable Co.....	\$151.00	per M. feet,
National India Rubber Co.....	164.00	do
Safety Insulated Wire & Cable Co.....	179.00	do
Bishop Gutta-Percha Co.....	201.00	do

The bid of the Standard Underground Cable Company, being the lowest, was accepted by the following vote:

President Whelple.....Yea,

Commissioner Tome.....Yea.

(See correspondence and bids filed as Exhibit No. 3516.)

Police Boat, "Farnan", Repairs.

In answer to invitations sent out on August 15th., 1911, bids, as follows, were received to repair the Police Boat "Farnan", in accordance with specifications:-

Wood Work and Painting.

Marine Ry. Machine & Boiler Works.....	\$163.50	✓
Spedden Shipbuilding Co.....	195.00	
William E. Woodall & Co.....	295.00	

The bid of the Marine Ry. Machine & Boiler Works, being the lowest, was accepted by the following vote:

President Whelple.....Yea,

Commissioner Tome.....Yea.

Machinery.