

Commissioner Ammidon.....Yea,
 Commissioner Niles.....Yea.

The Board said to Sergeant Hoyle when he was brought before it to hear the Board's decision:

"The Board regrets that it has to dispose of your case in the absence of the President of the Board, and we would not so dispose of it unless the full Board had had a consultation before the President left the city. We are unanimously of the same opinion in the matter."

Sergeant George J. Hoyle was acquitted of charge, as follows, upon which he was tried July 10, 1912.

C h a r g e :

CONDUCT UNBECOMING AN OFFICER AND NEGLECT OF DUTY.

Specifications.

In that he about 2:30 a.m., July 7, 1912, in the vicinity of the Middle Section Club, Lexington street between Forrest and East streets, neglected or failed to assist Patrolman John A. Cooney, James T. Cain, Jr., Henry C. Otto and Frederick Korn, in effecting the arrest of Eddie Meyers, colored, who was resisting arrest, and also failed to assist, at the time and place mentioned, in dispersing a crowd of negroes who had congregated in that neighborhood.

(See Exhibit No. 4008.)

Patrolman William Neslein, Central District, was found guilty of charge, as follows, upon which he was tried July 10, 1912, and reprimanded:

C h a r g e :

CONDUCT UNBECOMING AN OFFICER AND NEGLECT OF DUTY.

Specifications.

"In that he about 2:30 a.m., July 7th., 1912, in the vicinity of the Middle Section Club, Lexington street, between Forrest and East streets, neglected or failed to assist Patrolmen John A. Cooney, James T. Cain, Jr., Henry C. Otto and Frederick Korn, in effecting the arrest of one Eddie Meyers, colored, who was resisting arrest, and also failed to assist at the time and place mentioned, in dispersing a crowd of negroes who had congregated in that neighborhood."

(See Exhibit No. 4008.)

Patrolmen advanced to First Grade.

Second grade Patrolman Conrad Bodenbender, Southwestern District, appointed in the force July 14, 1910, having been examined