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Curley by communicating with him, but it will be noted from the attached correspondence that I failed in this also as Congressman Curley declines further to press the matter.

I have since learned that the officer referred to is Andrew Kaufman, Central District, one of our oldest officers in point of service, having been appointed on November 12th., 1879, and during that time has been before the Board of Police Commissioners on two occasions, namely:

May 9th., 1890, Not being properly equipped - Excused.

October 29, 1898, Late for roll-call, fined \$1.00

To my mind Patrolman Kaufman is a most modest and polite officer and I can hardly think that he would be guilty of treating a boy in the manner described in the newspaper article.

Very respectfully,

THOMAS F. FARNAN, Marshal.

It was ordered that Patrolman Andrew Kaufman be called upon to make a statement in the matter before the Marshal, for transmission to the Board. (See Exhibit No. 4021.)

Alfred Jenkins Shriver, - Complaint from.

In the matter of complaint from Mr. Alfred Jenkins Shriver, as referred to in the proceedings of July 12, 1912, reports, as follows, were received:-

"Baltimore, Md., July 16th., 1912.

To The Honorable,

The Board of Police Commissioners.

Gentlemen:-

Returning, herewith, communication from Mr. Alfred Jenkins Shriver, upon the subject of the theft of a dress-suit case and contents from the University Club last April, beg to say that I referred this matter to the Detective Bureau for a further investigation, and a report thereon, from Detective Pohler, is as follows, (see report attached).

From this report it appears that everything possible was done at the time Mr. Shriver reported his loss and I cannot see that there was any laxity on the part of the department in endeavoring to recover the missing property or ascertain the