

In the matter of attack made by a policeman upon a boy on Baltimore street, witnessed by Congressman James M. Curley, an account of which appeared in the daily press, as referred to in the proceedings of July 17th., statement of Patrolman Andrew Kaufman, Central District, as follows, was handed the Board by the Marshal:-

"Central District, July 19th., 1912.

To Thomas F. Farnan, Marshal:

Sir:-

Seeing an article in the Morning Sun, about a Congressman Curley seeing a policeman strike a small boy on Baltimore street, between St. Paul and Charles streets, about 7:30 p.m., Tuesday. I was warning a faker who had ribbons which are objectionable. I notified him not to sell any. A lot of boys were standing around the faker and with a wave of my stick to make them move, the stick hit one of the boys on the rump while they were moving. A man and a woman, whom I did not know, wanted to know why I hit the boy and I explained that it was a mishap, as I had no intention of striking the boy who seemed to be a Hebrew, but they think I did it with malicious intent. The place he stated is wrong, as it was in front of the Baltimore Dairy Lunch room, adjoining the Emerson Hotel.

Above report from Officer Andrew Kaufman.

Respectfully,

GEORGE G. HENRY, Captain."

(All papers in the case filed as Exhibit No. 4025.)

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R.H. Eickner, - Complaint from.

Report, as follows, was received, read and ordered filed:

"Baltimore, Md., July 18th., 1912.

To The Honorable,

The Board of Police Commissioners.

Gentlemen:-

In returning, herewith, communication from R.H. Eickner, in which he complains of annoyance experienced by him from disorderly boys, Ashland avenue and Gay street, beg to say