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company, and failed to deposit the said money with the Board of Police Commissioners, as required by Rule 34, of the Rules and Regulations of the Police Department, and by the provisions of Section 750, Public Local Laws, Article 4, (Charter).

And in that he on August 13, 1912, made false statements to the Board of Police Commissioners, Court House, in relation thereto.

Detective William Lancaster was dismissed from the force, the
vote thereupon was:-

President Soper.....Yea,

Commissioner Niles.....Yea.

And in connection with the matter the Board issued statement, as follows, and directed that the same be published in the daily lookout sheet:

The charges against Detective Lancaster, to which he has pleaded guilty, are of such a character as to require his dismissal from the force. By an Act of the Legislature any member of the force who receives any payment in the nature of a reward and fails to report it to the Board, must be dismissed and be thereafter ineligible to become a member of the force: the Board having no discretion in the matter.

Mr. Lancaster not only admits that he violated this law, but that he had formed a plan to deceive the Board in case the matter should ever be discovered and he should be questioned about it. He attempted to pass off on the Board this concocted story and when he was first questioned, under oath, he made a number of false statements in regard to the money received. In the judgment of the Board this attempted deception was of itself sufficient to require dismissal.

The Board recognizes the good service which Mr. Lancaster has done in the past, and it is with the utmost regret that in view of Mr. Lancaster's action, above set forth, it finds that there is no course open to it but to dismiss him from the force.

Raids.
Sunday Liquor Selling.

Report, as follows, was received, read and ordered filed, see
Exhibit No. 4101:-

"Baltimore, Md., August 12th., 1912.