

STATEMENT "Y"
YEARLY REPORT OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF
STATE LICENSES

October 1st, 1933, to September 30, 1934

Baltimore, Md.
 October 1st, 1934.

HONORABLE WILLIAM S. GORDY, JR.,
 Comptroller of the Treasury,
 Annapolis, Maryland.
Honorable Sir:

I herewith submit the following report of the License Inspectors of the State of Maryland for the fiscal year beginning October 1st, 1933, and ending October 1st, 1934.

The total result of the inspection of licenses over the State of Maryland for the year 1933-34 amounted to \$71,206.65. Of this amount \$36,171.42 was reported in Baltimore City, which included a penalty of \$8,109.37. In the counties \$35,035.23 was reported, which included a penalty of \$6,433.75, and the total amount of penalty collected over the State was \$14,543.12.

Previous to 1929 the annual license fee for a garage containing "Not more than 1600 square feet" was \$15.00. In amending the garage license law at that time to include individual garages, (which law was later found to be unconstitutional by the Court) this particular license fee was in error left at \$5.00 per annum. I recommend that this particular license fee be again placed at \$15.00 per annum, and also a change be made in the present Hawkers' and Peddlers' license law. I also feel that if all holders of State licenses were compelled to post them in a conspicuous place it would greatly facilitate the work of the License Inspectors.

Every county in the State has been visited by an Inspector during the past fiscal year. The following is a list of the different kind of licenses found to be necessary by the State License Inspectors in Baltimore City and the Counties, and which had not been secured:

BALTIMORE CITY		COUNTIES	
Kind of License	Number	Kind of License	Number
Traders	443	Traders	877
Cigarette	128	Cigarette	242
Restaurant	52	Restaurant	88
Soda Fountain	21	Soda Fountain	53
Garage	48	Garage	22
Laundry	18	Laundry	17
Plumbers and Gas Fitters.....	128	Plumbers and Gas Fitters.....	19
Moving Picture Parlors.....	16	Moving Picture Parlors.....	38
Cleaners and Pressers.....	40	Cleaners and Pressers.....	41
Billiard Tables	53	Billiard Tables	68
Bowling Alleys	76	Bowling Alleys.....	56
Construction Firms, (Resident and Non-Resident)	28	Construction Firms, (Resident and Non-Resident)	38
Miscellaneous Licenses	92	Miscellaneous Licenses.....	79
Total	1,143	Total	1,638

NOTE—Miscellaneous licenses consist of the following licenses: Bill Brokers, Horse Brokers, Merchandise Brokers, Real Estate Brokers, Carnivals, Cash Registers and Adding Machines, Check Rooms, Circus, Commercial, Mercantile and Protective Agencies, Hawkers and Peddlers, Intelligence Office and Employment Agencies, Junk Dealers, Livery Stables, Non-Resident and Wholesale Tobacco Dealers, Pawnbrokers, Shoe Shining Parlors and Hat Cleaning Establishments, Shows, Stevedores, Storage Warehouses, Theatre, Trading Stamp Companies, Typewriting Machines, Wholesale Dealers in Farm Machinery, Wholesale Liquor Druggist and Chain Stores.