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To the Honorable Chief Justice and Justices
of the Supreme Court:

I tender herewith the report of my administration as Director of the Courts of the State for the calendar year 1969, together with the statistical report for all courts of the state.

One of the important accomplishments in 1969 was the restructuring of the Administrative Office. Carl H. Rolewick and William M. Madden were elevated to the position of deputy directors, and Dennis M. Dohm and Jerry B. Gott were employed as assistant directors in the office. Mr. Dohm is a lawyer and is located in the Chicago office and Mr. Gott is a former circuit clerk who headquarters in Springfield, and is in charge of the installation of the uniform record keeping system in the downstate counties. The addition of these two professional positions gives us much more flexibility in the operation of the office. I hope to add a public information officer to the staff in 1970 and an additional lawyer in the Springfield office in 1971.

This is a factual report of how the Judicial System in Illinois operated in 1969.

Respectfully,

Roy O. Gulley

IN MEMORIAM

Supreme Court

Byron O. House

September 27, 1969

Appellate Court

Arthur A. Sullivan—Cook County

July 11, 1969

Circuit Judges

Walker Butler—Cook County

November 15, 1969

Erwin J. Hasten (Retired)—Cook County

August 30, 1969

Cassius Poust—16th Circuit

December 18, 1969

George L. Quilici—Cook County

May 6, 1969

Clement L. Smith—7th Circuit

June 1, 1969

Benjamin Wham—Cook County

November 27, 1969

Philip W. Yager—19th Circuit

May 15, 1969

Associate Circuit Judges

James M. Corcoran—Cook County

August 19, 1969

Carl W. McGehee—Cook County

May 23, 1969

Magistrate

Robert F. Small—20th Circuit

July 11, 1969

TO: The Honorable Chief Justice and Justices of the Supreme Court of Illinois

The Annual Report of the Administrative Office is a permanent record of judicial developments occurring during the year. Subject matter covered includes an account of the activities of this office, and other matters covering judicial developments in the State of Illinois for the year 1969.

Distribution of this report continues to increase every year. In addition to copies being sent to judges, clerks of the courts, legislators, lawyers and elected state officials, requests for this document arrive annually from court administrators nationwide. Law schools, citizens' groups, the news media and other interested parties also receive copies. Public libraries maintain files of judicial annual reports for research and study by students.

**LEGISLATION AFFECTING COURTS
1969**

The 76th General Assembly convened on January 8, 1969 and passed the following legislation affecting the courts.

SB 299. Amends Act concerning jurors. Provides for random selection of names for jury list. Removes juror qualifications relating to character, integrity, judgment and information. Provides for challenge as to compliance.

SB 300. Amends and adds to Act relating to jury commissioners and repeals section thereof. Provides for random selection of names for general jury list. Deletes recording of occupation and status as householder or freeholder. Provides for challenge as to compliance. Makes other nonsubstantive changes.

SB 491. Amends the Local Records Act. Provides that Court Records are to be destroyed in accordance with the Supreme Court's General Administrative Order on Recordkeeping in the Circuit Courts but allows Local Record Commission to copy or save records.

HB 223. Amends Act to establish appellate court. Provides for 3 additional appellate court judges in the first judicial district, to be elected in 1970.

HB 282. Amends Court Reporters Act by increasing from \$9,000 to \$11,500 per year the amount which may be paid to full-time court reporters and by increasing from \$18 to \$24 per half-day the maximum amount to part-time court reporters.

HB 785. Amends Code of Criminal Procedure. Deletes the provision that the case must be extraordinary in order that a defendant have counsel appointed for him. Requires only a verified statement of services be submitted for counsel to secure payment.

HB 786. Amends Code of Criminal Procedure. Deletes from the definition of an offense the provision that a penal ordinance of a political subdivision is an offense.

HB 1240. Amends the Pension Code. Provides pension credit in judges Retirement System for service rendered as a justice of the peace or police magistrate

prior to January 1, 1964, if no pension credit for such service has been provided in any other retirement system in the State. Prescribes contributions to be made for such service.

HB 1048. Amends the Court Reporters Act. The Supreme Court may permit the Chief Judge of a circuit embracing over 3,000,000 people to appoint certain specified administrators and staff for the court reporting service. A salary ceiling is set, and an appropriation is made.

HB 1618. Makes an appropriation of \$50,000 to the Secretary of State for microfilming records specified by the Supreme Court.

HB 1883. Amends Act concerning jurors. Provides that members of grand juries are to be selected at random from jury lists.

HB 1912. Amends Act relating to fees and salaries. Revises salary schedule for judges and magistrates. Salaries of Supreme Court increased from \$37,500 to \$40,000, Appellate Court \$35,000 to \$37,500, Circuit Court \$23,500 to \$27,500, Associate Circuit \$20,000 to \$25,000 and Magistrates \$15,000 to \$18,500. All judges from Cook County receive in addition a supplement of \$7,500 and \$4,500 to Magistrates.

HB 2064. Amends Act relating to the circuit courts. Increases population requirements from 20,000 to 25,000 in counties having a State Institution providing education or welfare facilities before additional circuit judge can be elected.

HB 2078. Creates a new Act requiring a "judicial note" on all bills changing the number of judges or magistrates. Sets forth procedure for securing judicial notes.

HB 2207. Amends Fees and Salaries Act and repeals a Section thereof. Revises schedule of fees of clerks of the circuit courts in counties of the first and second class.

HB 2209. Amends Fees and Salaries Act. Revises schedule of fees of clerks of the circuit court in counties of the third class.

HB 2753. Amends Act relating to circuit courts. Provides that in circuits other than Cook County with a population of 310,000 or more, in addition to the 4 circuit judges now provided for, one additional circuit judge shall be elected for each 40,000 population in excess of 270,000.

SB 096. Appropriates \$42,000 to the Supreme Court for the salary increases of administrative secretaries to chief judges of the circuit courts in accordance with Senate Bill 995 of the 75th General Assembly. Emergency.

SB 224. Amends Article of Illinois Pension Code relating to Judges Retirement. Gives the court administrator the status of a judge for purposes of the system.

SB 234. Amends Pension Code. Establishes eligibility of a widow without minor children to a widow's annuity

beginning at age 50 on a discounted basis; creates a post-retirement increase in retirement annuity for Judges retiring after the effective date of the bill; and increases from that may be acquired by the board.

HB 113. Adds section to Act relating to compensation of judges of Appellate Court during a period of vacancy. Provides that a circuit judge who is temporarily relieved of circuit court duties and assigned to the Appellate Court shall be paid for such temporary service an additional amount equal to the difference between the salary of an Appellate Court judge and his salary as a circuit judge. Amends title of Act to include content of new section.

JUDICIAL RETIREMENT AND CHANGES

Significant changes resulted in all levels of the state's judiciary during 1969 by reason of resignations, deaths, and new legislation resulting in an increase of 3 judges for the 1st District Appellate Court and additional judicial manpower authorized for 2 Circuits.

Supreme Court Justices Roy J. Solfisburg and Ray I. Klingbiel submitted their resignations on August 2, 1969 after a hearing was conducted by a special committee created by the Illinois Supreme Court. The court on its own motion appointed a Special Commission on June 17, 1969 to investigate the integrity of the court's decision in case 39797, *People vs. Isaacs*.

A third vacancy occurred on the court with the untimely death of Justice Byron O. House who died after a brief illness on September 27, 1969.

The resulting three vacancies left the court facing severe handicaps which threatened the court's performance of its duties and the possibility of a complete stoppage of its work.

In order to function effectively without any delay, the remaining four members of the court during October 1969 recalled to active duty three retired Illinois judges to serve on the court by assignment.

The new Justices, Caswell J. Crebs, John T. Culbertson, Jr. and Marvin Burt were to serve until following the next general election in November 1970 at which time the vacancies would be filled.

Resignations were accepted by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court from the following named judges during 1969:

Associate Judges

Lan Haney—1st Circuit, July 2, 1969
Dan B. Withers, Jr.—16th Circuit, April 30, 1969

Magistrates

Gilbert Ellsworth—17th Circuit, January 13, 1969
Charles C. McBrien—7th Circuit, February 28, 1969
Ben F. Railsback—10th Circuit, May 31, 1969
Henry W. Sakawich—Cook County, November 30, 1969
Peter F. Swier—12th Circuit, March 1, 1969
Ray E. Wesner—2nd Circuit, December 29, 1969

JUDICIARY ACTIVITIES

Supreme Court

The Honorable Robert C. Underwood began serving as Chief Justice on August 2, 1969, after the resignation of Justice Roy J. Solfisburg.

In 1969 the Supreme Court rendered full opinions on 232 cases, disposed of 70 petitions for rehearing, 348 petitions for leave to appeal and 972 motions of various other types; motions presented to individual justices not included.

The court continued to carry an ever-increasing caseload in addition to its administrative responsibility and duties. Constitutional responsibility for the administration of all Illinois Courts is charged to the Supreme Court and to be exercised through the Chief Justice. He is aided in supervisory control by the Administrative Director and staff.

Members of the court in addition to carrying out their opinion writing duties and the hearing of emergency motions, continued to give of their valuable time addressing civic groups, bar associations and law schools.

Budgetary responsibilities for the year 1969 were shifted to the Director of the Administrative Office to handle on behalf of the court. The Director presented the proposed budget to the legislature after conferences with the court.

A new code of ethics and regulations for Illinois judges was submitted to the Supreme Court for adoption on December 4, 1969 by the Committee on Judicial Ethics appointed by the court in early September.

After the committee's appointment it began holding regular weekly meetings, and by conscientious efforts were able to complete their important work in less than three months.

Chairmanship of the seven man committee was delegated to the dean of the University of Illinois Law School. Membership consisted of representatives of the judiciary and the Chicago and Illinois bar associations.

The committee recommendations were described by its members as the most comprehensive and stringent proposed for any judicial system in the United States.

Under the proposed rules, violations of standards of judicial conduct shall be subject to disciplinary action by the Illinois Courts Commission. The commission power was broadened to include the issuance of reprimands, in addition to its present authority to suspend, retire or remove from office.

For the first time in Illinois, judges would be prohibited from:

- (1) Engaging in the active management of any business or serving as an officer or director of a for-profit corporation.
- (2) Accepting any duties or obligations that would interfere with the performance of their judicial duties.

- (3) Allowing the use of their names or the prestige of their office to contribute to the success of any business or charitable cause.
- (4) Accepting compensation for any services other than for their judicial duties.

The proposed rules continue the requirement of a sealed declaration of economic interest, and add the requirement of an unsealed verified written list of corporations or business in which a judge or member of his immediate family have a financial interest.

The Appellate Court

The Illinois Appellate Court is composed of judges elected from the five Judicial Districts from which members of the Supreme Court are also elected. Each district embraces one or more Judicial Circuits; cases appealed from the circuit courts to the Appellate Court are filed in the Appellate Court of the Judicial District in which the Circuit Court is situated.

The five Judicial Districts consist of the following Judicial Circuits:

First Judicial District: Cook County Judicial Circuit;

Second Judicial District: 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, and 19th Judicial Circuits;

Third Judicial District: 9th, 10th, 12th, 13th, and 14th Judicial Circuits;

Fourth Judicial District: 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, and 11th Judicial Circuits;

Fifth Judicial District: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 20th Judicial Circuits.

The Appellate Court sits in divisions of three judges. In the First District, there are four divisions which sit in the City of Chicago; in the Second District, one division, which sits in the City of Elgin; in the Third District, one division, which sits in the City of Ottawa; in the Fourth District, one division, which sits in the City of Springfield; and in the Fifth District, one division, which sits in the City of Mount Vernon.

The Appellate Court judges continue to dispose of more cases. Caseloads continue to be heavier, since filings continue to increase. The Appellate Court in the First District disposed of about 10% more cases in 1969 than in 1968, yet the number of cases filed in 1969 was up more than 10% the number filed in 1968.

Cognizant of the need for more judges, the General Assembly authorized another division in the First District, to be elected at the general election in November 1970. The Supreme Court, through its Chief Justice, assigned circuit judges Daniel J. McNamara and Glenn K. Seidenfeld to the First District and Second District Appellate Courts, respectively, to assist with the workload. In July 1969, circuit judge George N. Leighton was additionally assigned to the First District when Judge McNamara was reassigned to fill the vacancy

caused by the death of Justice Arthur A. Sullivan.

In addition to the assignments of Judges McNamara, Seidenfeld and Leighton, forty-six circuit judges were assigned to the Appellate Court and/or Appellate Court judges were assigned to another district. Many of the Appellate Court Judges in the Second, Third, Fourth, and Fifth Districts heard and wrote opinions on cases arising in the First District, to help relieve that district of its pressing pending caseload.

Circuit Courts

The authority of judicial assignability between circuits materially aided in combating manpower shortages during the past year. This function is performed by the Administrative Director acting on behalf of the Chief Justice. The increasing use of assignment power granted under the Judicial Article has resulted in a more efficient utilization of the judiciary in Illinois. In addition to alleviating temporary shortages of judges, caused by increased caseloads or vacancies, it provides an opportunity for judges to broaden their judicial experience in various specialized trial calls.

During 1969, 52 circuit and associate judges were assigned to Cook County for a total of 905 days. In addition, 29 magistrates were assigned for a total of 342 days. Assignments in the 20 circuits outside of Cook County totaled 661 days for 45 circuit or associate judges and 4 days involving 2 magistrates.

The continuing need for a method of filling judicial vacancies was again experienced during the year. Vacancies may exist for almost as long as 2 years before being filled at partisan elections.

Judges assigned from downstate conducted jury trials during the summer of 1969 to allow Cook County judges to again carry on their massive summer pretrial program. This program executed by the court with the cooperation of insurance companies and members of the plaintiff and defense bar has proven to be an effective method of case disposition during the summer months. It has consistently enabled the Circuit Court of Cook County to make inroads on the personal injury backlog of cases during a normally non-productive time of the year.

On January 11, 1969 Gov. Samuel H. Shapiro announced he would fill by appointment, under authority granted by the legislature, eleven existing judicial vacancies. With 2 days left in his term, the Governor administered the oath of office to the eleven as one of his last official acts. The newly elected Attorney General after assuming office on January 13, 1969 filed suit in the Supreme Court challenging the constitutionality of the appointments. A preliminary order was entered on January 15 by the court preventing the appointees from performing judicial duties until the case was decided. On January 28, 15 days after the complaint was filed, the Illinois Supreme Court ruled the statute and appointments were unconstitutional.

COURTS COMMISSION

Subjected to continuing unwarranted criticism, the Illinois Courts Commission during 1969 nevertheless proved to be an effective method of investigating complaints and disciplining judges. A rule change in mid-year made the commission a continuing body, permanently convened to consider all problems regarding judicial officers.

The following report is tendered on the Commission's activities for the year as detailed as possible within the confines of the requirement of confidentiality.

Complaints self-initiated or from 166 citizens were processed concerning the conduct or disability of judicial officers. Investigations were commenced on all complaints, the extent being governed by the seriousness and validity of the charges.

A full investigative report was made to the Illinois Supreme Court on seven complaints during the first six months of 1969.

Beginning July 1, 1969 the Illinois Courts Commission began holding regular monthly meetings to consider discipline and disability problems in the judiciary.

A complete review of all pending investigations is made by the secretary at each meeting. The Commission takes the appropriate action on investigative reports after their being reviewed by the members. As a result of investigations, 13 complaints were assigned Courts Commission numbers and placed on the Commission's docket.

The majority of complaints are filed by disgruntled litigants, dissatisfied with the outcome of their individual lawsuit. They originate from both plaintiff and defendant, depending on which side prevailed in the trial court.

Regardless of the complaint's merit, a reply from the secretary of the Courts Commission is sent to all. Only a small number merit consideration by the Commission.

No formal complaints were filed against a member of the Illinois judiciary during 1969.

THE ILLINOIS JUDICIAL CONFERENCE

The Illinois Judicial Conference and its Executive Committee conducted one general educational program during 1969. The Judge Seminar was held on September 3, 4 and 5 at the University of Chicago, Center for Continuing Education. Appellate Court Justice Mel Abrahamson, the chairman of the Executive Committee, was unable to preside over the Seminar due to illness; and, the vice-chairman of the Committee, Circuit Court Judge George Fiedler, acted as the presiding officer.

Illinois Supreme Court Chief Justice, Robert C. Underwood, who also serves as Liaison Officer to the Executive Committee, addressed the Conference. Chief Justice Underwood stated that in his opinion the judges

of this state should take an active interest in the forthcoming constitutional convention, by proposing suggestions and recommendations through the Conference.

The Conference was addressed by Governor Richard B. Ogilvie. In his comments, the Governor suggested that although the vast majority of Illinois' judges are hardworking and capable jurists, he favored merit selection of judges, rather than election of judges by the people. The Governor also urged that a judicial code of ethics be drafted by a commission of laymen and that modern methods of court management be explored, with a view to justly and fairly expedite law suits.

He also pledges his support to budgetary requests in the General Assembly to undertake experimental projects in judicial administration, to increase the number of judges and magistrates in those circuits where there is a large amount of pending litigation, to permit judges of a suitable age to retire at full pay as they do from the federal bench, to establish a commission to report on the usefulness and the feasibility of a variety of automobile insurance basic protection plans with a view to reducing the number of personal injury suits, and to create a commission on law reform.

The Seminar conducted five discussion topics and one lecture:

1. Miscellaneous Remedies
2. Recent Developments in Criminal Law
3. Review of New Legislation
4. Third Party Practice
5. Problems in Chancery Practice—Public Employee Strikes
6. Lecture on Evidence—Hearsay

Total attendance at the 1969 Judge Seminar was 330 Supreme, Appellate, Circuit and Associate judges.

In addition to appointing committees to make preliminary preparations for the 1970 Magistrate, Judge and New Judge Seminars, the Executive Committee received reports from committees appointed prior to or during 1969:

1. Committee on Probation in Illinois
2. Committee on the Status of Magistrates
3. Committee on Juvenile Problems
4. Committee on the Efficient Utilization of Jurors
5. Constitutional Convention Committee
6. Subcommittee on Right to Jury Trial

The various committees studied particular problems facing the courts and recommended appropriate legislation or Supreme Court rules to improve the administration of justice. It is anticipated that the Conference will devote a considerable amount of its time and energy to the Constitutional Convention, especially where the Judicial Article is concerned.

CONFERENCE OF CHIEF CIRCUIT JUDGES

The Conference of Chief Circuit Judges met three times during calendar year 1969. The Conference meetings offer an opportunity for an informal exchange of information and ideas between circuit administrators and assist the Administrative Director to remain well informed on administrative problems in each circuit. During 1969, the Conference of Chief Circuit Judges adopted policy recommendations in several areas. Among the more significant were:

(1) State's Attorney must file with the Juvenile Division a petition alleging the commission of an offense which constitutes a crime under the laws of the State, before attempting to try the juvenile as an adult. The State's Attorney may not take action against a juvenile without first filing the petition required by the Juvenile Court Act. The State's Attorney may not, by subterfuge, avoid the statutory power of the Juvenile Court Judge to object to a transfer.

(2) Fees for an attorney appointed to represent an incompetent indigent at restoration hearings which are held in the county in which the hospital is located (rather than in the county of which the indigent is a resident) should be paid by the State. The cost of counsel in such cases is an unfair burden on the county in which a mental hospital happens to be located.

(3) Approved for use, and filed with the Clerk of the Supreme Court, a Uniform Ticket and Complaint form for use in hunting and fishing violation cases and other violations under the jurisdiction of the Department of Conservation.

(4) Approved in principal a study to determine the feasibility and desirability of collecting statistical reports relating to sentencing in criminal cases.

(5) Rejected a proposal which would have allowed variations from its uniform minimum standards for juvenile probation personnel in cases in which the county alleged that it was impossible to hire someone who met the minimum standards.

(6) The Conference, in a split vote, opposed legislation which would have removed from the circuit court the power to appoint certain officials of local governmental units.

(7) The Conference firmly opposed a proposal to allow television news photography in courtrooms.

(8) Urged wider use by police officers of notices to appear in lieu of seeking a warrant in domestic disputes, etc., particularly on weekends or at night.

The Chief Judges reviewed all legislation introduced in the 76th General Assembly which would affect the administration of the circuit courts. In some cases, the Conference expressed an opinion regarding such legislation, and the recommendations were forwarded to the appropriate legislative committees.

In December of 1969, the Conference of Chief Circuit

Judges selected a new Chairman, Hon. Gale A. Mathers (Galesburg), Chief Judge of the 9th Judicial Circuit. In expressing its gratitude to Hon. John T. Reardon, its outgoing Chairman, the Conference noted that Judge Reardon has served as chief judge of his circuit since 1963 and has, therefore, been a member of this Conference since its inception. Judge Reardon served as Vice-Chairman of the Conference between 1963 and 1967 and as Chairman of the Conference since January 1, 1968.

COURT REPORTERS

During 1969 the Administrative Office continued its program of recruiting and testing qualified official shorthand reporters. A total of 131 individual proficiency examinations were offered in two locations and, as a result, 45 additional Class "A" court reporters were certified.

On July 15, 1969, Public Act 76-410 was approved, increasing from \$9,000 to \$11,500 per year the amount which may now be paid to full-time court reporters. Under the Schedule adopted by the Director and approved by the Court, only official reporters assigned to general reporting duties, having a Class "A" proficiency rating and more than four years of experience were raised to \$11,500 per year. However, court reporters in every other category received some increases.

The pay schedule was also amended to credit reporting experience prior to the date on which a reporter is appointed to an official position. Experienced reporters from private practice can be attracted to official positions on the promise that they shall receive credit for their prior experience in calculating their beginning pay.

The Supreme Court authorized the Circuit Court of Cook County to appoint 20 additional official court reporters, bringing the total complement of reporters in that Circuit to 117. In recognition of the obvious administrative burdens of operating a reporting pool of that size, the 76th General Assembly provided for an administrator, a deputy administrator, and a supervisor of each of the divisions of the Circuit Court of Cook County. (Public Act 76-1817, October 9, 1969) The administrative personnel must be Class "A" reporters, by examination, and each receives a stipend (over and above his base salary) to defray the lost income resulting from the fact that administrative responsibilities keep him from earning as much transcript money.

RECORDKEEPING

The Supreme Court's General Administrative Order on Recordkeeping in the Circuit Courts was adopted on May 20, 1968. It provides for a uniform system of keeping case records, financial records and statistical records in all the circuit courts of the State.

At the beginning of 1969 only Logan County was operating under the new system but plans were in progress to establish the system in Jefferson County at

Mt. Vernon. During 1969 the system became operational in 3 counties and an order was issued under which the system was to begin in 12 additional counties on January 1, 1970.

On June 1, 1969, Jefferson County was ordered to keep records in compliance with the order on record-keeping. On August 1, 1969, Warren County was also ordered to begin to keep its records in accordance with the order. On October 1, Adams County was also included.

Each of these counties has been used as a model for the clerks of surrounding counties who come to be instructed in the use of the new system and to observe it in operation. All the clerks of the 2nd Judicial Circuit gathered at Mt. Vernon during 1969 and were trained to use the system as it is used in Jefferson County. The Clerk of Macon County (Decatur) observed the system operating at Logan County. Effective January 1, 1970 these 12 counties will be under the new system.

FISCAL

Expenditures of all money appropriated by the General Assembly to the Supreme Court are supervised by the Administrative Office. An accounting department, under a supervisor of accounts, prepares all payrolls, vouchers, and handles the details involved with the expenditure of funds. By court direction, the Director submits budgetary requirements for both the Administrative Office, Judicial Conference, and the other functions of the Supreme Court to be incorporated in the appropriations submitted to the legislature. The Director prepares the necessary legislation and appears before the Appropriations Committees of the General Assembly to obtain passage of the necessary bills to provide funds for operating the Court.

IMPARTIAL MEDICAL EXPERT RULE

HISTORY. The genesis of the Illinois Supreme Court Rule governing the use of impartial medical examinations can be traced back to an experimental project conducted by the trial court of New York City in cooperation with two local medical societies. In December 1952, the two year Medical Expert Testimony Project commenced operation; its objective was to determine whether it was feasible and desirable to establish a permanent panel of medical experts whose impartial reports and testimony would negate confusing and conflicting medical opinion evidence of partisan doctors. A further goal of the Project was to reduce court congestion by encouraging at the pre-trial state acceptance of an impartial expert's findings where the major hindrance to settlement was the nature and extent of the plaintiff's injuries.

In December 1954, the Project Committee found the experiment to be a success, and the Project was adopted on a permanent basis. The Committee noted that the continued success of the Project was premised on the quality of the doctors participating in the Project. For an in depth study of the experiment, see Association

of the Bar of the City of New York, Impartial Medical Testimony (1956).

THE ILLINOIS EXPERIENCE. Illinois' first encounter with a medical expert rule in civil cases was on the federal level. In late 1959, the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois adopted Civil Rule 20 which was modeled on the New York rule.

Although the interest of the Illinois Supreme Court in considering adoption of a medical expert rule in civil cases antedated the District Court's rule, an address before the 1959 Illinois Judicial Conference by the Presiding Appellate Justice of the New York Supreme Court, in which he discussed the operation of the New York medical expert rule, so stimulated the conferees that an Impartial Medical Committee was appointed to investigate the various medical plans in effect in other jurisdictions. The Committee reported thereon in 1960 and set out the pro and con arguments for adoption of such a rule by the Supreme Court. The Illinois State Medical Society vigorously recommended the adoption, and offered its full cooperation.

In June 1961, the Supreme Court announced that it had adopted on an experimental basis Rule 17-2 (Impartial Medical Experts), effective September 5, 1961. The implementation and subsequent operation of the Rule was funded by several foundation grants received by the State Medical Society for which the Illinois State Bar Association acted as receiving and disbursing fiscal agent.

In its essence, Rule 17-2 closely resembled the New York and Northern District Court rules: (a) the Rule may be invoked by the trial judge when it appears that an impartial medical examination will materially aid in the just determination of a personal injury case, (b) the examining physician is selected by the State Medical Society, (c) the examination is made without cost to the litigants, and (d) the court administrator is charged with the administration of the Rule. The notable difference being that the Illinois Rule did not tax the cost of the examination to the parties as did the district court rule.

The task of publicizing the new Rule fell to the court administrator's office, the State and County Medical Societies, and the State and County Bar Associations, and selected judges who invoked it. The countless speeches throughout the State and the many articles appearing in periodicals and newspapers produced the expected result; i. e., promulgation and acceptance of the Rule by lawyers, doctors and judges. From its meager utilization in 1961 of being invoked in 6 cases, invocation of the Rule increased to a total of 111 personal injury cases in the next five years.

THE PRESENT RULE. Except for a minor amendment to conform to the wording of the 1964 Judicial Article of the Illinois Constitution (The Administrative Directors is now charged with the administration of the Rule), Rule 17-2 remained unchanged. Then, effective January 1, 1967, the Rule was renumbered 215(d), and its scope broadened to apply to other cases in addition

to personal injury. Also in 1967, the funding of the Rule's operation became a State obligation, and physicians' fees are now paid out of the Supreme Court appropriation.

The Rule continues to be invoked on a selective basis, that is, in those cases where the examination of a party will materially aid in a just determination of the case. The State Medical Society maintains a roster of over 200 physicians who are especially qualified in one of more than twenty medical specialties; this pool of experts generally is sufficient to meet the needs of the State trial court system, although at times it is difficult to obtain the services of a medical expert in the non-metropolitan areas, especially in the field of psychiatry.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES. Supreme Court Rule 215(d) is administered by the Administrative Office in Chicago, and its operation has been streamlined by the use of four forms: a variable form letter, a judge's memorandum form, an order form appointing the medical expert, and an order form directing payment of the examiner's fee.

After the judge decides to appoint an impartial medical expert, the administrative procedures are as follows:

(1) Moving counsel prepares, for the signature of the judge, a memorandum specifying the nature of the claimed disability and the type of specialty required, and transmits the signed memorandum to the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts, Chicago.

(2) The Administrative Office obtains the name of a physician in the required specialty from the Illinois State Medical Society, arranges the time and place of the examination, and notifies the physician, the judge, and counsel.

(3) Moving counsel prepares for the signature of the judge an order appointing the impartial medical panelist. The order also lists the medical data to be submitted to the physician through the Administrative Office.

(4) Counsel for both parties tender to the Administrative Office the medical data described in the order for forwarding to the impartial examining physician.

(5) Moving counsel transmits a copy of the signed order to the Administrative Office.

(6) The impartial examining physician transmits his signed report and his statement to the Administrative Office. At the same time the physician retransmits to the Administrative Office all of the items listed in the order. The Administrative Office furnishes the impartial medical panelist with copies of the medical reports listed on the order.

(7) The Administrative Office transmits to the judge and to counsel copies of the medical report, and to the judge, for his consideration, an order for the payment of the physician's fee.

(8) The Administrative Office returns to counsel all of the items listed in the order.

(9) The order for the payment of the physician's fee, as signed by the judge, is transmitted to the Administrative Office which then authorizes the payment of the fee.

(10) If, subsequently, the case goes to trial and the testimony of the impartial medical panelist is required, he will be notified by the Administrative Office of the time and place of the taking of his testimony.

STATISTICS. The Cumulative Statistical Summary set out below is self-explanatory, but it should be noted that the number of Impartial Medical Expert (IME) examinations exceeds the number of IME orders since some orders may have provided for more than one party to be examined.

The 1969 Statistical Summary is similar to the Cumulative Summary, but contains additional information, and several items should be explained:

The fact that the number of IME examinations exceeds the number of IME orders entered during 1969, is explained by considering that some orders provided for examinations of more than one party in the case and that seven 1968 orders resulted in examinations in 1969, although one 1969 order provided for a 1970 examination.

Further, the IME panelists' average fee per examination includes costs ancillary to the examination, e. g., pathology, radiology, psychology, etc. However, where an IME physician used the services of another medical specialist, no recordation was made for the second physician's specialty unless his services were more than incidental to completing the examination.

INFORMATION AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

Requests for information and facts concerning the Illinois judicial system have continued to increase since the advent of judicial reform.

Interested citizens, civic groups, schools, state officials and bar associations make inquiries relating to the court system of Illinois. In addition, other state governments, judges, lawyers and law schools follow the accomplishments made under a consolidated trial court system.

With the increasing concern of the media on court problems, their resultant inquiries and quest for information has multiplied significantly.

The dissemination of information both oral and written to all of the above mentioned is a major and time consuming function of the Administrative Office.

JUDICIAL STATISTICS

The most accurate method of determining a court system's effectiveness in the handling of its caseload is the compilation of statistics and their analysis. A trained statistician compiles the reports received from

Cook County judges, court divisions and departments. Court statistics from outside Cook County are filed and compiled in the Springfield office from both judges and clerks.

Monthly reports showing the trend of all cases in Cook County are issued, and a quarterly report covers all circuits in the State.

LEGISLATIVE

The Administrative Office has been designated by the Supreme Court to act as legislative liaison for the judiciary. A close working relationship is maintained with the Judicial Advisory Council of the General Assembly.

A mutual exchange of information on legislation affecting courts continues to be an important function of this office. The Governor's office, Legislative Reference Bureau and individual members of the legislature are among those seeking information on bills affecting the Illinois courts.

A weekly synopsis of all bills affecting the court is prepared during sessions of the legislature, and copies are sent to the Supreme Court and other members of the judiciary.

REPRESENTATION BY SUPERVISED SENIOR LAW STUDENTS

BACKGROUND. During the 76th General Assembly, HB 67 was introduced. The bill provided that the "Act in Relation to Attorneys and Counselors" be amended to permit senior law students to participate in criminal cases upon meeting certain qualifications. In early 1969, the Supreme Court asked its Rules Committee to draft a rule on representation by supervised senior law students. The Committee considered several items in formulating a rule, in addition to HB 67: the Supreme Court's decision, *In Re Day*, 181 Ill. 73 (1899) where it was held that the Court has exclusive authority to determine who shall be entitled to practice law, the American Bar Association's "Model Rule Relative to Legal Assistance by Law Students", and suggestions from interested parties.

On May 27, 1969, the Supreme Court adopted Rule 711, and HB 67 was tabled on June 2, 1969. Essentially, the Rule is similar to the ABA Model Rule; however, for example, where the Model Rule allows the law student to orally argue in the appellate court, the Illinois Rule does not. The Model Rule allows the student to appear in court without the presence of the supervising attorney in a criminal matter if the defendant does not have the right to appointed counsel, or with the supervising attorney's presence if the criminal defendant has a right to counsel. The Supreme Court, cognizant of developing constitutional requirements with respect to representation by counsel in criminal cases, provided in its Rule that students may represent a defendant without the supervising attorney's presence only in those cases where the possible penalty is not imprisonment.

There are about nineteen states which allow law students to restrictively practice law, either by court rule or statute. In addition to Illinois, the other major jurisdictions authorizing student practice are Michigan, New Jersey, New York and Ohio. A comparison between the practice rules and statutes of these jurisdictions and Illinois discloses that Rule 711 offers the law student a broader opportunity to enhance his classroom education with the everyday legal problems of society.

RULE 711. The Rule authorizes a law student to restrictively perform legal services provided that he is attending a law school approved by the Illinois Board of Law Examiners, he has satisfactorily completed at least two-thirds of the hourly credits required for graduation, and he is a student in good academic standing and eligible under the school's criteria to perform the authorized services. If the student fulfills these requirements, then the law school dean may certify him.

The legal services the student may perform upon certification must be performed through the agency of a legal aid bureau, program, organization or clinic chartered by the State or approved by an Illinois law school; the public defender's office; or a law office of the State or any of its subdivisions. The student may only receive compensation from the agency through which he is employed.

The legal services the student may perform under the supervision of a member of the Illinois bar and with the written consent of his client include, but are not limited to: counseling with clients, settling claims, drafting legal instruments; appearing in the trial courts and administrative tribunals provided that pleadings, motions and other documents are signed by the student and the supervising attorney, and further provided that in criminal cases where the penalty may be imprisonment, in proceedings challenging sentences of imprisonment, and in civil or criminal contempt proceedings, the supervising attorney is present, to whom the student acts as an assistant; conducting pretrial, trial and post-trial proceedings, in all other civil and criminal cases, without the supervising attorney's presence; and filing briefs and other documents in courts of review, which must be signed and filed by the supervising attorney.

The student's certificate to practice remains in effect for 18 months or until the announcement of the first bar examination following the student's graduation, whichever is earlier; however, the dean of the law school or the court may withdraw or terminate the certificate at any time.

The Administrative Director administers the Rule from his Chicago office.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES. Upon written certification by the law school dean on a form provided by the Administrative Office, the following procedures take place:

- (1) The certificate and a photograph of the student are filed with the Administrative Office;

(2) The Director reviews the certificate for compliance with the Rule;

(3) The student is issued a temporary license which identifies him as a licensee who is authorized to practice law pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 711;

(4) The license contains the licensee's identification number, the date of certification, the date the license expires, and his photograph and name;

(5) The licensee submits to the Administrative Office a notice of assignment form which indicates the agency and supervising attorney for whom he is employed;

(6) If the certificate is withdrawn or terminated, the Administrative Office requests the licensee to return his license;

(7) When the bar examination results are announced, the Administrative Office reviews the licensee's file to determine whether the certificate remains in force or is terminated;

(8) The Administrative Office maintains two indices of licensees: one by the licensee's name, the other by license number.

IMPLEMENTATION. Despite the short time it has been in effect, the Rule gained quick acceptance by the law students and deans. Thus far, 116 students have been certified and licensed. The number of students and their law schools are as follows:

University of Illinois (31)
University of Chicago (30)
DePaul University (14)
Loyola University—Chicago (11)
Northwestern University (11)
The John Marshall Law School (10)
IIT—Chicago—Kent College of Law (3)
Washington University—St. Louis (2)
Catholic University (1)
Notre Dame University (1)
University of Iowa (1)
St. Louis University (1)

The number of licensees employed by the various agencies is as follows:

Mandel Legal Aid Clinic (30)
Attorney General of Illinois (25)

Northwestern Legal Assistance Clinic (10)
States Attorney of Champaign County (8)
Legal Aid Service of Champaign County (8)
Public Defender of Champaign County (7)
Corporation Counsel of the City of Chicago (5)
Northwestern Criminal Law Project (4)
Illinois Defender Project (4)
Legal Aid Society of Vermilion County (2)
States Attorney of Madison County (2)

One licensee is employed by each of the following agencies: States Attorney of McLean County and DuPage County, Metropolitan Sanitary District of Greater Chicago, Public Defenders of Cook County and Stephenson County, Legal Aid Bureau of Cook County, Legal Aid of St. Clair County, Free Far North Legal Aid, and the City of East Peoria.

Five licensees were employed by unknown agencies at the time their certificates were withdrawn. It should be noted that the total number of licensees employed exceeds the number of licensees since some were employed by more than one agency.

CONCLUSION

Nineteen hundred sixty nine brought to a close my second year as Director of the Administrative Office. The duties and responsibilities of the office continue to increase as they have every year since its inception on January 1, 1964. The addition of two new assistant directors to the office have materially aided this office in maintaining a high level of proficiency in the administration of justice in Illinois. On January 1, 1970 an additional Assistant Director is to join the office to fill a much needed role as public information officer, to assist the Supreme Court and the Administrative Office in the dissemination of information relating to the operation of both the reviewing courts and the trial courts.

Respectfully submitted,

Roy O. Gulley, Director
Administrative Office of the
Illinois Courts

1969 STATISTICAL SUMMARY

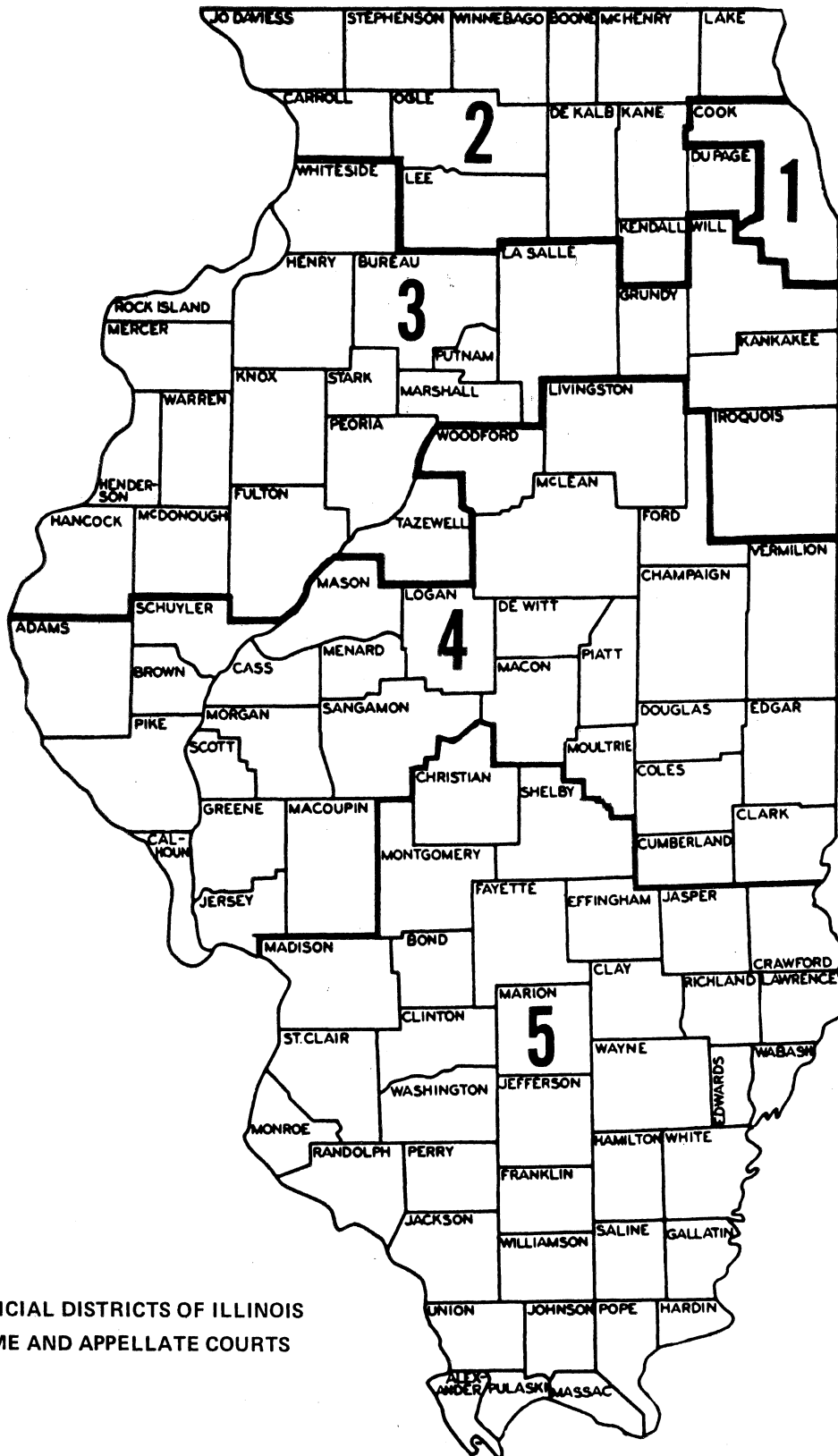
Subject	No.											
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Orders Entered During 1969	Downstate (8)		Circuit Court of Cook County (28)								36	
Action	Divorce-Child Custody (2)	Criminal (6)	Civil-Personal Injury (28)								36	
Frequency of Use by Judges	15 different judges in 15 different cases			4 judges in 8 cases		1 judge in 3 cases		1 judge in 10 cases		36		
IME Exams Scheduled	Cancelled exams (2)	Cases settled prior to exam (2)	Examinations Actually Performed (45)								49	
Type of Medical Specialist	1 Cardiologist 1 Orthodontist 1 Psychologist (3)	Ophthalmologist (2)	Neurologist (11)	Psychiatrist (13)			Orthopedist (16)			45		
Frequency of Use of Panelists	19 different panelists each used once			4 panelists each used twice		3 panelists used three times		1 panelist used four times		1 panelist used five times 45		
Panelist's Testimony Required at Trial and Average Fee	Cases (5) Average Fee (\$129.00)	5										
Panelist's Average Fee (Including Ancillary Costs)	Downstate—\$63.00 per exam						Cook County—\$100.00 per exam					
Orders Entered During 1968	Downstate (10)		Circuit Court of Cook County (32)								42	

CUMULATIVE STATISTICAL SUMMARY

(September 1961—December 1969)

Total Orders Entered					257	
	Downstate (42)		Circuit Court of Cook County (215)			
Action					257	
	Divorce- Child Custody (5)	Criminal (6)	Civil-Personal Injury (246)			
IME Exams Scheduled	Cancelled exams (19)		Cases settled prior to exam (9)	Examinations Actually Performed (260)		288
Panelist's Testimony Required at Trial	Cases (21)		21			
Panelist's Average Fee (Including Ancillary Costs and Testimony)	Statewide \$90.00 per exam					
Type of Medical Specialist	1 Dermatologist 1 Oral Surgeon 1 Orthodontist 1 Psychologist 1 Radiologist (5)	2 Cardiologist 2 Gynecologist 2 Internist 2 Otolaryngologist 2 Otologist 2 Urologist (12)	Ophthalmologist (3) Psychiatrist (19)	Vascular Surgeon (4) Neurologist (61)	Plastic Surgeon (17) Orthopedist (149)	260

**CASE LOADS
AND
STATISTICAL RECORDS
1969**



THE JUDICIAL DISTRICTS OF ILLINOIS
SUPREME AND APPELLATE COURTS

SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS

FIRST DISTRICT

Walter V. Schaefer
Chicago, Illinois

Thomas E. Kluczynski
Chicago, Illinois

Daniel P. Ward
Chicago, Illinois

SECOND DISTRICT

Roy J. Solfisburg, Jr.
Aurora, Illinois

by assignment

Marvin Burt (ret.)
Freeport, Illinois

THIRD DISTRICT

Ray I. Klingbiel
East Moline, Illinois

by assignment

John T. Culbertson, Jr. (ret.)
Delavan, Illinois

FOURTH DISTRICT

Robert C. Underwood
Bloomington, Illinois

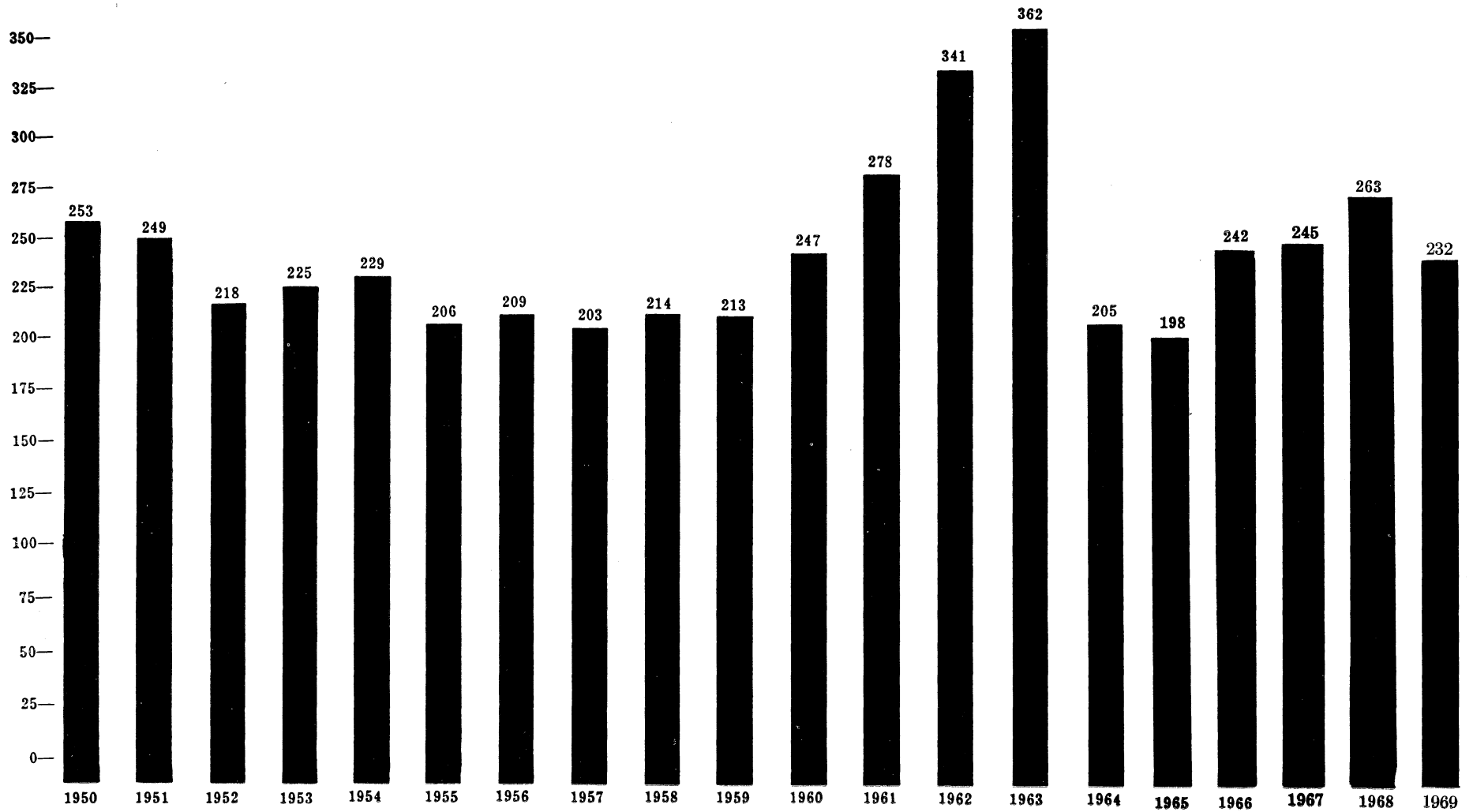
FIFTH DISTRICT

Byron O. House
Nashville, Illinois

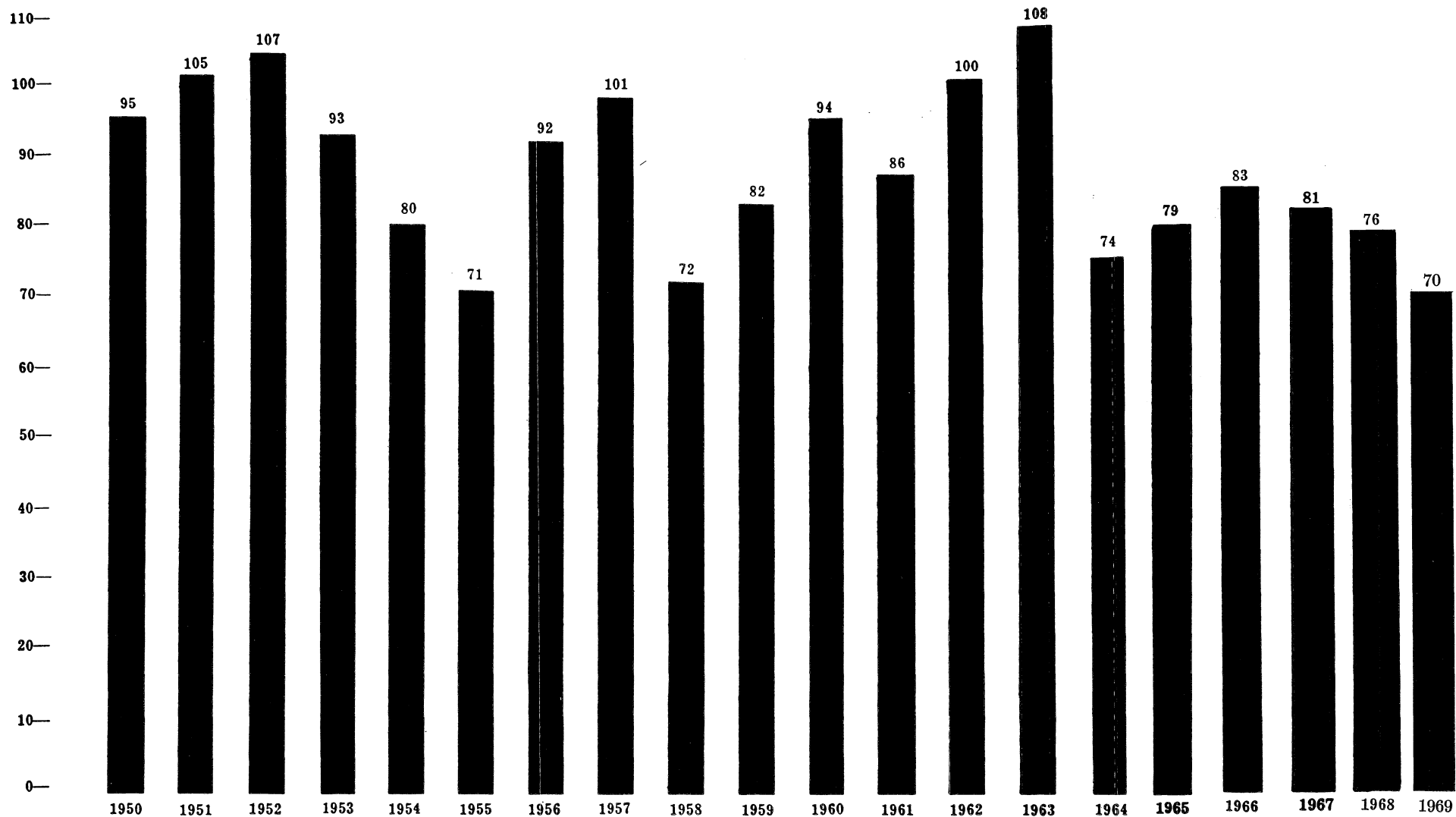
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Caswell J. Crebs (ret.)
Robinson, Illinois

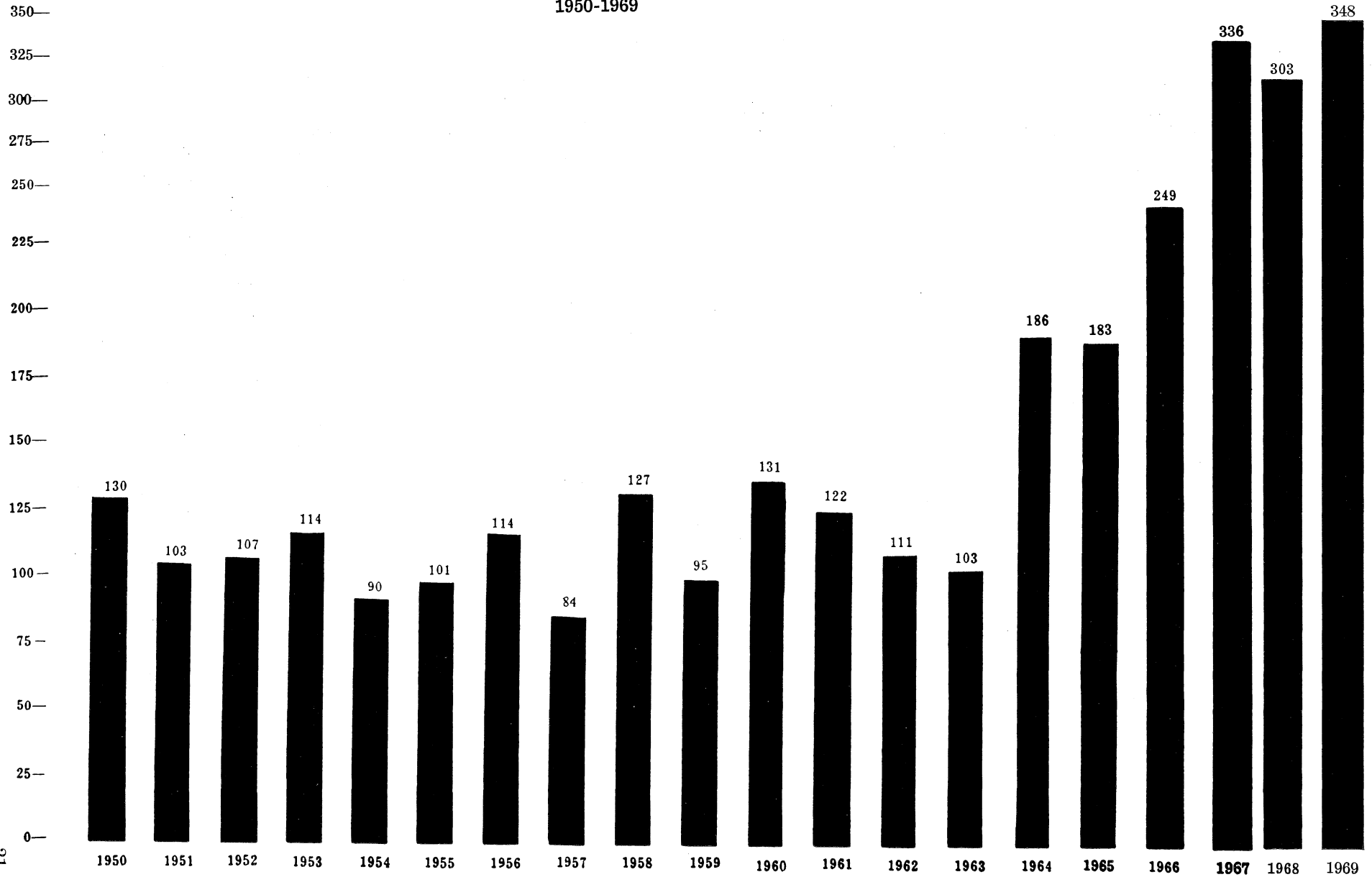
**SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS
NUMBER OF CASES DECIDED WITH FULL OPINIONS
1950-1969**



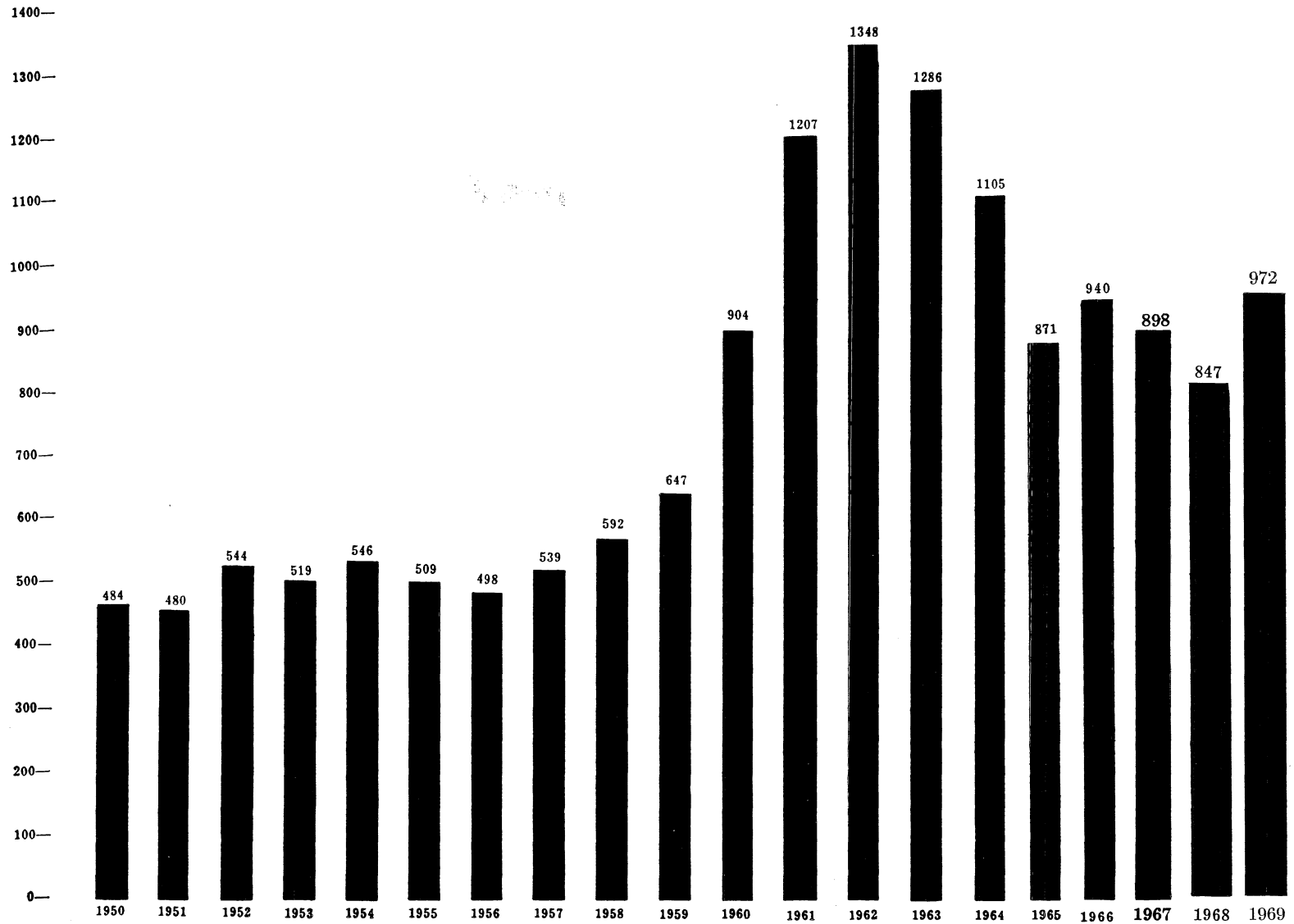
**SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS
NUMBER OF PETITIONS FOR REHEARING
1950-1969**



**SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS
NUMBER OF PETITIONS FOR LEAVE TO APPEAL
1950-1969**



**SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS
NUMBER OF MOTIONS DISPOSED OF
1950-1969**



APPELLATE COURT OF ILLINOIS

FIRST DISTRICT

First Division

Henry L. Burman, Presiding Justice
Arthur J. Murphy
Thaddeus V. Adesko

Second Division

John V. McCormick, Presiding Justice
Joseph Burke
John J. Lyons

Third Division

John T. Dempsey, Presiding Justice
Ulysses S. Schwartz
Daniel J. McNamara (assigned from Circuit
Court of Cook County)

Fourth Division

John J. Stamos, Presiding Justice
Robert E. English
Joseph J. Drucker
George N. Leighton (assigned from the Circuit
Court of Cook County)

SECOND DISTRICT

Charles H. Davis, Presiding Justice
Mel Abrahamson
Thomas J. Moran
Glenn K. Seidenfeld (assigned from the 19th Judicial Circuit)

THIRD DISTRICT

Jay J. Alloy, Presiding Justice
Howard C. Ryan
Allan L. Stouder

FOURTH DISTRICT

Harold F. Trapp, Presiding Justice
James C. Craven
Samuel O. Smith

FIFTH DISTRICT

George J. Moran, Presiding Justice
Edward C. Eberspacher
Joseph H. Goldenhersh

**THE TREND OF CIVIL CASES IN THE APPELLATE COURT
DURING 1969**

Appellate District		No. of Cases Pending 1-1-69	No. of Cases Filed During 1969	No. of Cases Disposed of During 1969	No. of Cases Disposed of During 1969 With Full Opinions	No. of Cases Pending 12-31-69	Gain or Loss in Currency	
							Gain	Loss
First.....	Civil.....	696	568	536	340	728	.....	32
	Criminal....	535	442	337	322	640	.....	105
Second.....	Civil.....	79	151	147	110	83	.....	4
	Criminal....	40	72	62	47	50	.....	10
Third.....	Civil.....	53	94	80	48	67	.....	14
	Criminal....	23	47	28	13	42	.....	19
Fourth.....	Civil.....	76	87	86	60	77	.....	1
	Criminal....	51	50	49	46	52	.....	1
Fifth.....	Civil.....	84	128	96	56	116	.....	32
	Criminal....	25	52	33	17	44	.....	19
Total.....	Civil.....	988	1028	945	614	1071	.....	83
	Criminal....	674	663	509	445	828	.....	154

CASES DISPOSED OF IN THE APPELLATE COURT IN 1969

Appellate District		Affirmed	Reversed	Affirmed in Part	Dismissed	Other Dispositions
First.....	Civil	178	129	23	182	24
	Criminal....	245	59	17	11	5
Second.....	Civil	66	36	5	34	6
	Criminal....	36	10	1	7	8
Third.....	Civil	29	15	4	26	6
	Criminal....	8	4	1	9	6
Fourth.....	Civil	39	18	3	22	4
	Criminal....	32	5	8	4	0
Fifth.....	Civil	40	14	2	33	7
	Criminal....	11	6	0	8	8
Total	Civil	352	212	37	297	47
	Criminal....	332	84	27	39	27

**TIME LAPSE BETWEEN DATE OF FILING AND DATE OF
DISPOSITION OF CASES DECIDED IN THE
APPELLATE COURT DURING 1969**

Appellate District		Time Elapsed					
		Under 6 Mos.	6-12 Mos.	1-1½ Years	1½-2 Years	2-3 Years	Over 3 Years
First.....	Civil.....	61	89	96	99	157	34
	Criminal....	5	21	43	75	167	26
Second.....	Civil.....	45	97	5	0	0	0
	Criminal....	23	37	2	0	0	0
Third.....	Civil.....	28	38	11	1	1	1
	Criminal....	11	9	6	1	1	0
Fourth.....	Civil.....	25	21	38	1	1	0
	Criminal....	5	18	21	3	2	0
Fifth.....	Civil.....	32	43	17	4	0	0
	Criminal....	17	6	5	3	2	0
Total.....	Civil.....	191	288	167	105	159	35
	Criminal....	61	91	77	82	172	26

**TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN DATE BRIEFS WERE FILED AND
DISPOSITION OF CASES DECIDED IN THE APPELLATE COURT
DURING 1969**

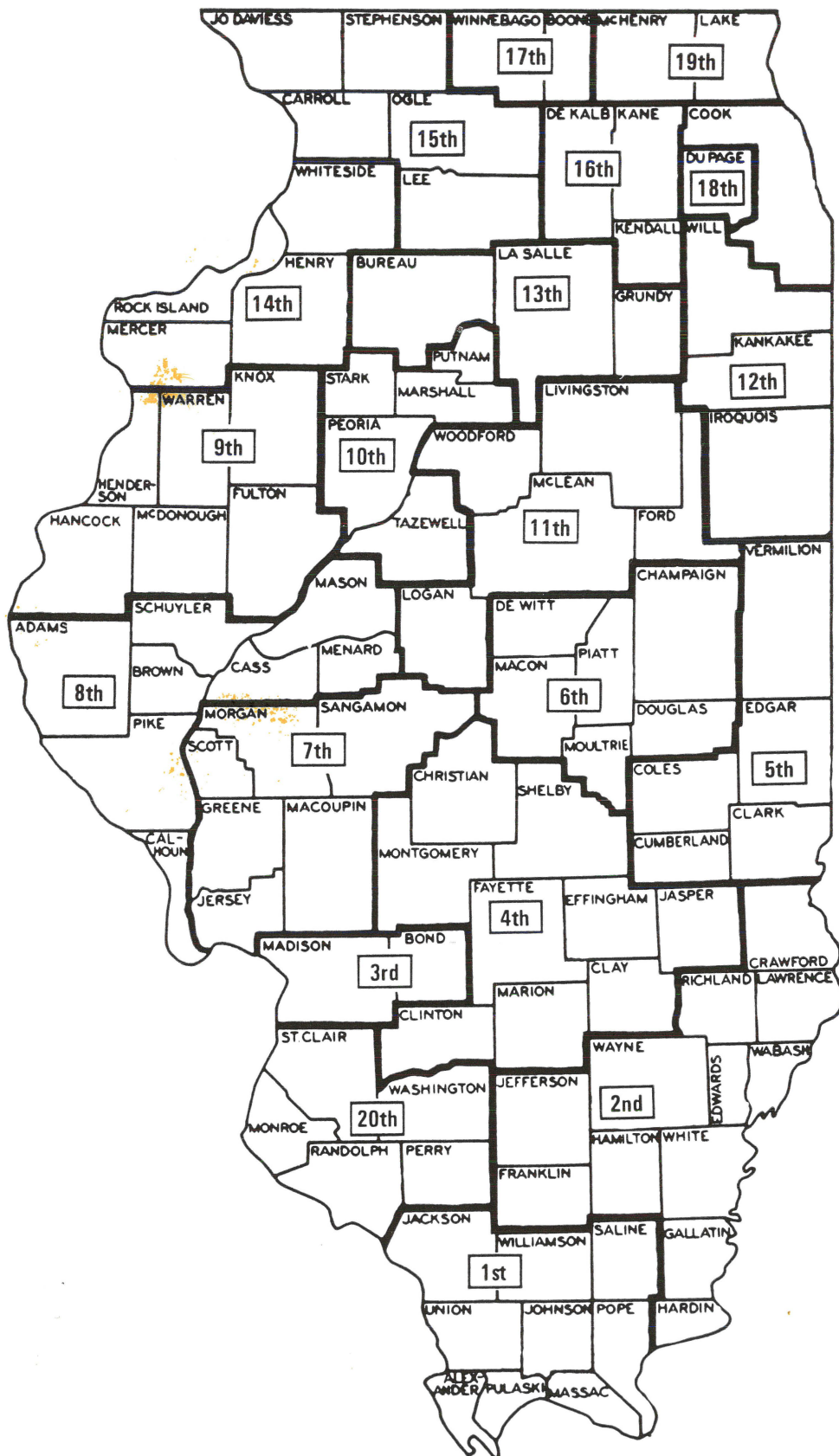
Appellate District		Time Elapsed					
		Under 6 Mos.	6-12 Mos.	1-1½ Years	1½-2 Years	2-3 Years	Over 3 Years
First.....	Civil.....	164	203	137	21	8	3
	Criminal....	104	135	88	7	3	0
Second.....	Civil.....	137 ¹	10	0	0	0	0
	Criminal....	60 ²	2	0	0	0	0
Third.....	Civil.....	66 ³	13	1	0	0	0
	Criminal....	28 ⁴	0	0	0	0	0
Fourth.....	Civil.....	33	47	6	0	0	0
	Criminal....	19	26	4	0	0	0
Fifth.....	Civil.....	43	51	2	0	0	0
	Criminal....	23	5	1	2	2	0
Total.....	Civil.....	443	324	146	21	8	3
	Criminal....	234	168	93	9	5	0

¹ Includes 25 Cases disposed of before briefs filed.

² Includes 16 Cases disposed of before briefs filed.

³ Includes 21 Cases disposed of before briefs filed.

⁴ Includes 20 Cases disposed of before briefs filed.



JUDICIAL OFFICERS OF THE STATE AS OF JUNE 1, 1970

COOK COUNTY

Circuit Judges

John S. Boyle *
Charles R. Barrett
Norman C. Barry
Frank H. Bicek
Jacob M. Braude
L. Sheldon Brown
Abraham W. Brussell
Joseph J. Butler
Walker Butler
(Deceased 11-15-69)
David A. Canel
Archibald J. Carey, Jr.
Nathan M. Cohen
Robert J. Collins
Thomas J. Courtney
Daniel A. Covelli
James D. Crosson
Wilbert F. Crowley
Walter P. Dahl
William V. Daly

Francis T. Delaney
Henry W. Dieringer
Thomas C. Donovan
Robert J. Downing
Raymond P. Drymalski
Robert J. Dunne
Edward J. Egan
Samuel B. Epstein
Hyman Feldman
George Fiedler
Edward R. Finnegan
John C. Fitzgerald
Richard J. Fitzgerald
Thomas H. Fitzgerald
Herbert R. Friedlund
James A. Geroulis
Mayer Goldberg
Albert E. Hallett
Richard A. Harewood
Edward F. Healy
Jacques F. Heilingoetter

Harry G. Hershenson
Elmer N. Holmgren
Reginald J. Holzer
Robert L. Hunter
Glenn T. Johnson
Walter J. Kowalski
Irving Landesman
George N. Leighton
(Assigned to App. Ct.)
John J. Lupe
Robert L. Massey
Thomas R. McMillen
Daniel J. McNamara
(Assigned to App. Ct.)
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John C. Melaniphy
F. Emmett Morrissey
Richard A. Napolitano
Donald J. O'Brien
Herbert C. Paschen

Edward E. Plusdrak
Joseph A. Power
George L. Quilici
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Philip Romiti
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Pasquale A. Sorrentino
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Sigmund J. Stefanowicz
B. Fain Tucker
Eugene L. Wachowski
Harold G. Ward
Alfonse F. Wells
Benjamin Wham
(Deceased 11-27-69)
William Sylvester White
Minor K. Wilson
Joseph M. Wosik

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Thomas W. Barrett
William M. Barth
Raymond K. Berg
Nicholas J. Bua
Felix M. Buoscio
David Cerda
James K. Chelos
Harry G. Comerford
James M. Corcoran
(Deceased 8-19-69)
George E. Dolezal
Norman N. Eiger
Irving W. Eiserman
Saul A. Epton
James H. Felt

Louis B. Garippo
Raymond Glenn Hall
John F. Hechinger
Joseph B. Hermes
Charles P. Horan
Harry A. Iseberg
Mel R. Jiganti
Mark E. Jones
Sidney A. Jones, Jr.
William B. Kane (Term
expired 2-21-69—re-
called as retired judge)
Nathan J. Kaplan
Norman A. Korfist
Franklin I. Kral
Alvin J. Kvistad

David Lefkovits
Frank B. Machala
Nicholas J. Matkovic
Robert E. McAuliffe
Francis T. McCurrie
Helen F. McGillicuddy
John P. McGury
Francis T. Moran
James E. Murphy
Gordon B. Nash
Benjamin Nelson
Wayne W. Olson
John E. Pavlik
Harry H. Porter
Thomas Rosenberg

Edith S. Sampson
Edward G. Schultz
Maurice J. Schultz
Ben Schwartz
Anton A. Smigiel
Chester J. Strzalka
Harold W. Sullivan
Robert J. Sulski
Fred G. Suria, Jr.
Raymond E. Trafelet
Kenneth R. Wendt
Louis A. Wexler
Frank J. Wilson
Kenneth E. Wilson
Arthur V. Zelezinski

Magistrates

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James M. Bailey
Peter Bakakos
Frank W. Barbaro
Lionel J. Berc
Francis M. Blake
George A. Blakey
Edwin T. Breen
Robert C. Buckley
Thomas R. Casey, Jr.
Paul G. Ceaser
Cornelius J. Collins
Francis X. Connell
Ronald James Crane
John J. Crowley
Russell R. DeBow

Robert J. Dempsey
Russell J. Dolce
John T. Duffy
George B. Duggan
Arthur L. Dunne
Charles J. Durham
Ben Edelstein
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Carl F. Faust
Irwin Field
John M. Flaherty
Lawrence Genesen
James A. Geocariss
Paul F. Gerrity
Louis J. Giliberto
Joseph R. Gill
Francis W. Glowacki

Meyer G. Goldstein
Ben Gorenstein
John J. Grealis
Richard D. Gumbel, Jr.
Jacob S. Guthman
Edwin C. Hatfield
James L. Henry
George A. Higgins
Louis J. Hyde
Rudolph L. Janega
Lester Jankowski
Eddie C. Johnson
Richard H. Jorzak
Benjamin J. Kanter
Wallace I. Kargman
Helen J. Kelleher
John J. Kelly, Jr.

Irving Kipnis
Anthony J. Kogut
Marilyn R. Komosa
Albert H. LaPlante
Maurice W. Lee
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John J. Limperis
Frank S. Loverde
Martin J. Luken
James Maher, Jr.
Harry H. Malkin
Erwin L. Martay
J. Warren McCaffrey
William J. McGah, Jr.
Dwight McKay
Robert A. Meier, III
Anthony J. Mentone

* Chief Judge

COOK COUNTY—(Continued)

Joseph W. Mioduski
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John Joseph Moran
John William Navin
Earl J. Neal
James L. Oakey, Jr.
Margaret Galvin O'Malley
Paul A. O'Malley
John A. Ouska
Burton H. Palmer
William F. Patterson
Marvin J. Peters
Frank R. Petrone

James P. Piragine
Bernard A. Polikoff
Maurice Pompey
Simon S. Porter
John F. Reynolds
Emanuel A. Rissman
(App. 7-7-69)
Allen F. Rosin
Henry W. Sakawich
(Resigned 11-30-69)
Joseph A. Salerno
Richard L. Samuels
Raymond S. Sarnow

David S. Schaffer
George M. Schatz
Joseph Schneider
Harry A. Schrier
Samuel Shamborg
Frank M. Siracusa
Jerome C. Slad
Joseph A. Solan
Milton H. Solomon
Robert C. Springsguth
Adam N. Stillo
Myrtle B. Stryker
James N. Sullivan

Robert A. Sweeney
John F. Thornton
Vincent W. Tondryk, Jr.
Alvin A. Turner
James M. Walton
Jack Arnold Welfeld
Daniel John White
Willie Mae Whiting
Leroy Winer
James A. Zafirato
George J. Zimmerman

FIRST CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Harold L. Zimmerman *
C. Ross Reynolds
Clarence E. Wright

Associate Judges

Albert R. Cagle
John H. Clayton
Stewart Cluster
Trafton Dennis
Lan Haney
(Resigned 7-2-69)
Peyton H. Kunce
Harry L. McCabe

Jack C. Morris
George Oros
Robert B. Porter
Everett Prosser
Paul D. Reese
Carl H. Smith
Dorothy W. Spomer
R. Gerald Trampe

Magistrates

Michael P. O'Shea
Robert W. Schwartz

SECOND CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Charles E. Jones *
William G. Eovaldi
Randall S. Quidry

Associate Judges

Philip B. Benefiel
John D. Daily
Don Al Foster
Charles Woodrow Frailey
F. P. Hanagan
William Webb Johnson

A. Hanby Jones
Henry Lewis
Claren E. Partee
Wilburn Bruce Saxe
Alvin Lacy Williams
Carrie LaRoe Winter
Harry L. Ziegler

Magistrates

Charles Deneen Mathews
Roland J. DeMarco
(App. 12-30-69)
Ray Earl Wesner
(Resigned 12-20-69)

THIRD CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Joseph J. Barr *
William L. Beatty
Harold R. Clark
James O. Monroe, Jr.

Associate Judges

Michael Kinney
Foss D. Meyer
Fred P. Schuman
I. H. Streeper, III

Magistrates

Harold Oliver Gwillim
Merlin Gerald Hiscott
Stephen J. Jianakoplos
William E. Johnson

Joseph T. Kelleher, Jr.
A. Andreas Matoesian
Thomas Mathew Welch

FOURTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Franklin R. Dove *
Daniel H. Dailey
Raymond O. Horn

Associate Judges

William A. Ginos, Jr.
Arthur G. Henken
George W. Kasserman, Jr.
George R. Kelly
James E. McMackin, Jr.

Gail E. McWard
Jack M. Michaelree
Robert J. Sanders
Bill J. Slater
E. Harold Wineland

* Chief Judge

FIFTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Harry I. Hannah *
Robert F. Cotton
John F. Spivey

Associate Judges

Caslon K. Bennett
Jacob Berkowitz
James Kent Robinson
Howard T. Ruff
William J. Sunderman

James R. Watson

Paul M. Wright

Magistrates

Lawrence T. Allen, Jr.
Thomas Michael Burke
Matthew Andrew Jurczak
Henri I. Ripstra
John F. Twomey

SIXTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Birch E. Morgan *
Frederick S. Green
Rodney A. Scott
Albert G. Webber, III

Associate Judges

William C. Calvin
Burl A. Edie
Frank J. Gollings
Roger H. Little
Robert W. Martin
Donald W. Morthland
James M. Sherrick
Creed D. Tucker

Magistrates

Henry Lester Brinkoetter
Wilbur A. Flessner
Sarah McAllister Lumppp
Joseph C. Munch
James R. Palmer
John Payson Shonkwiler
George Richard Skillman
Andrew Stecyk

SEVENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Paul C. Verticchio *
William Henry Chamberlain
Creel Douglass
Clement L. Smith
(Deceased 6-1-69)

Associate Judges

Francis J. Bergen
William D. Conway
George P. Coutrakon
Byron E. Koch
L. A. Mehrhoff
Howard Lee White
John B. Wright

Magistrates

August C. Caylor
Eugene O. Duban
Paul Fenstermaker
Robert B. McKechnan
Warren D. Moyer
(Deceased 5-11-70)
Jerry S. Rhodes

EIGHTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

John T. Reardon *
Richard H. Mills
Richard F. Scholz

Associate Judges

Paul R. Durr
Lyle E. Lipe
J. Ross Pool
Fred W. Reither
Edward D. Turner
Ernest H. Utter
Lyle R. Wheeler

Magistrates

Leo J. Altmix
Duane L. Martin
Virgil W. Timpe
Guy R. Williams

NINTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Gale A. Mathers *
Albert Scott
Keith F. Scott

Associate Judges

Edwin Becker
Ezra J. Clark
John W. Gorby
Earle A. Kloster
Scott I. Klukos
Francis P. Murphy
Daniel J. Roberts

Magistrates

Jack R. Kirkpatrick
James E. Murphy
(Resigned 10-6-69)
Lewis D. Murphy
(App. 8-15-69)
Russell A. Myers

G. Durbin Ranney
William K. Richardson
Keith Sanderson

* Chief Judge

TENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Robert E. Hunt *
J. E. Richards
Calvin R. Stone
Ivan L. Yontz

Associate Judges

Edward E. Haugens
Charles W. Iben
Albert Pucci
Charles M. Wilson

Magistrates

J. Lewis Bond
(Deceased 1-20-70)
Robert A. Coney
Carl O. Davies
Arthur H. Gross
(App. 3-4-70)
John A. Holtzman

David C. McCarthy
Ben F. Railsback
(Resigned 5-31-69)
William John Reardon
John D. Sullivan
Oswald D. Vespa
John A. Whitney
Espey C. Williamson

ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Leland Simkins *
R. Burnell Phillips
Walter A. Yoder

Associate Judges

J. H. Benjamin
Wilton Erlenborn
Samuel Glenn Harrod III
John T. McCullough
Wendell E. Oliver
Wayne C. Townley, Jr.

Magistrates

William T. Caisley
Lloyd E. Gutel
George W. Hunt
Ivan Dean Johnson
Robert Leo Thornton

TWELFTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

David E. Oram *
Victor N. Cardosi
Robert E. Higgins
Michael A. Orenic

Associate Judges

Wayne P. Dyer
Stewart C. Hutchison
Robert J. Immel
Angelo F. Pistilli
Herman W. Snow

Magistrates

Roger A. Benson
Patrick M. Burns
(App. 3-15-69)
Robert W. Boyd
Robert R. Buchar
Charles P. Connor
Frank W. Curran

Emil DiLorenzo
John F. Gnadinger
John R. Jaworski
(App. 2-16-70)
John C. Lang
John Verklan
(Resigned 1-30-70)
Thomas Raine Wilson

THIRTEENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Walter Dixon *
Leonard Hoffman

Associate Judges

Thomas R. Clydesdale
Hobart W. Gunning
Robert W. Malmquist
John S. Massieon
W. J. Wimbiscus

Magistrates

John J. Clinch, Jr.
William P. Denny
Herman Ritter
Wendell LeRoy Thompson
Chester P. Winsor

FOURTEENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Dan H. McNeal *
George O. Hebel
Charles J. Smith
Conway L. Spanton

Associate Judges

Robert M. Bell
Charles H. Carlstrom
John Louis Poole
Paul E. Rink
Richard Stengel
Julian P. Wilamoski
L. L. Winn

Magistrates

Robert W. Boeye
Walter E. Clark
John B. Cunningham
John R. Erhardt
Robert J. Horberg
Ivan Lovaas
Edwin Clare Malone
Ralph E. Stephenson

* Chief Judge

FIFTEENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

James E. Bales *
Helen M. Rutkowski

Associate Judges

John Dixon
Wesley A. Eberle
L. Melvin Gundry
William B. Phillips
Edward J. Turnbaugh

Magistrates

James R. Hansgen
William E. Kintzel
John Lee Moore
Morey C. Pires
James M. Thorp

SIXTEENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

John S. Petersen *
John S. Page
Casius Poust
(Deceased 12-18-69)
Charles G. Seidel

Associate Judges

John A. Krause
Neil E. Mahoney
Ross E. Millet
Robert J. Sears
Carl A. Swanson, Jr.
Dan B. Withers, Jr.

Magistrates

Donald T. Anderson
John Joseph Chivari
Thomas S. Cliffe
Paul W. Schnake
Carlyle Whipple
Albert N. Zettinger

SEVENTEENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Albert S. O'Sullivan *
Seely P. Forbes
Fred J. Kullberg
William R. Nash

Associate Judges

John S. Ghent, Jr.
Harold C. Sewell

Magistrates

Robert A. Blodgett
Richard N. DeGunther
Ralph Henry Haen
Stuart C. Hyer

Edwin John Kotche
Robert Elwood Leake
Keith S. Morse

EIGHTEENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Bert E. Rathje *
William C. Atten
William J. Bauer
Philip F. Locke

Associate Judges

William L. Guild
LeRoy L. Rechenmacher

Magistrates

George Borovic, Jr.
George Herbert Bunge
Beryl H. Childs
Bruce R. Fawell
James E. Fitzgerald

Marvin E. Johnson
Gordon Moffett
Robert A. Nolan
Jack T. Parish
Lester P. Reiff

NINETEENTH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Glenn K. Seidenfeld
(Assigned to Appellate
Court)
LaVerne A. Dixon *
William M. Carroll
Philip W. Yager
(Deceased 5-15-69)

Associate Judges

L. Eric Carey
James H. Cooney
Charles S. Parker
Harry D. Strouse, Jr.
Lloyd A. Van Deusen

Magistrates

Eugene T. Daly
Thomas R. Doran
William Joseph Gleason
John L. Hughes
Bernard J. Juron
John J. Kaufman

Paul J. Kilkelly
Peter L. Melius
Nello Ori
Charles T. Smith

TWENTIETH CIRCUIT

Circuit Judges

Richard T. Carter *
Harold O. Farmer
Joseph E. Fleming
Quinten Spivey

Associate Judges

Robert Bastien
Carl H. Becker
William P. Fleming
James Wendell Gray
Alvin H. Maeys, Jr.
Francis E. Maxwell
Joseph A. Troy

Magistrates

A. A. Bloemer
(Appointed 10-10-69)
David W. Costello
Joseph F. Cunningham
John T. Fiedler
Barney E. Johnston
Billy Jones

Ora Polk
Robert Blackburn
Rutledge, Jr.
George H. Sansom
Robert Franklin Small
(Deceased 7-11-69)
James F. Wheatley

* Chief Judge

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			Jury	Non- Jury	Jury	Non- Jury													
	Cook.....	Begun.....	16,141	4,257	11,006	75,803	88,907	78,982	223	1,239	9,052	79,857	25,391	11,166	5,317	2	239,211	1,289,261	1,935,813
		Terminated..	16,971	5,125	12,813	78,241	90,818	79,899	538	1,413	9,902	93,122	25,561	11,198	5,994	2	225,953	1,162,176	1,819,724
1st....	Alexander...	Begun.....	6	3	3	25	97	94	3	86	9	142	58	46	56	389	439	1,916	3,372
		Terminated..	14	3	2	22	104	86	2	86	11	139	52	30	53	392	439	1,894	3,329
	Jackson.....	Begun.....	62	20	16	176	605	100	3	3	42	140	223	187	127	533	1,278	3,357	6,872
		Terminated..	69	24	4	158	609	72	9	3	40	90	224	107	107	558	1,161	3,380	6,615
	Johnson.....	Begun.....	15	2	1	6	34	5	2	1	3	4	26	22	33	38	0	1,018	1,210
		Terminated..	8	0	1	7	29	0	1	1	1	4	17	9	36	40	0	1,007	1,161
	Massac.....	Begun.....	7	1	5	22	117	8	5	5	7	103	79	55	66	143	428	911	1,962
		Terminated..	12	0	2	20	121	2	1	6	7	105	67	48	50	140	420	910	1,911
	Pope.....	Begun.....	0	0	0	3	4	6	0	8	6	7	11	12	26	82	71	179	415
		Terminated..	1	0	0	3	5	6	0	8	2	7	12	12	26	80	73	200	435
	Pulaski.....	Begun.....	5	1	4	12	24	2	2	0	4	36	31	32	28	71	13	948	1,213
		Terminated..	9	2	4	24	37	0	3	0	5	34	25	23	46	67	6	877	1,162
	Saline.....	Begun.....	27	1	0	79	548	7	2	34	27	49	125	97	16	240	622	869	2,743
		Terminated..	36	1	4	86	540	23	2	34	25	60	129	81	20	252	619	841	2,753
	Union.....	Begun.....	12	4	1	38	166	23	1	534	7	27	73	42	31	318	607	1,100	2,984
		Terminated..	16	3	1	57	162	21	4	541	13	19	87	25	42	352	590	1,208	3,141
	Williamson..	Begun.....	78	4	26	70	554	136	25	298	58	171	352	320	103	412	478	2,574	5,659
		Terminated..	59	6	21	51	502	113	16	269	38	106	318	119	101	413	469	2,635	5,236
Total for Circuit....		Begun.....	212	36	56	431	2,149	381	43	969	163	679	978	813	486	2,226	3,936	12,872	26,430
		Terminated..	224	39	39	428	2,109	323	38	948	142	564	931	454	481	2,294	3,777	12,952	25,743

2nd...	Crawford....	Begun.....	8	1	41	266	5	0	0	3	15	62	110	94	17	248	196	875	1,941
		Terminated..	4	2	1	54	320	10	0	5	26	68	102	85	22	251	164	797	1,911
	Edwards....	Begun.....	1	2	1	10	125	9	0	6	8	7	21	47	6	28	0	625	896
		Terminated..	1	1	1	12	97	8	0	6	8	6	19	76	9	26	0	621	891
	Franklin....	Begun.....	43	16	17	92	288	46	0	0	35	61	169	112	174	153	639	2,241	4,086
		Terminated..	42	6	17	75	329	576	22	2	50	10	172	261	264	152	629	2,252	4,859
	Gallatin....	Begun.....	2	1	2	9	84	5	0	0	8	5	22	34	47	233	172	432	1,056
		Terminated..	0	2	2	10	38	0	3	4	7	4	16	23	15	228	167	435	954
	Hamilton....	Begun.....	7	3	27	110	15	0	0	6	9	18	32	45	16	41	0	792	1,121
		Terminated..	2	0	6	20	139	31	1	3	12	12	36	33	6	29	0	777	1,107
	Hardin.....	Begun.....	4	0	1	5	89	3	0	6	7	18	34	13	7	33	2	208	430
		Terminated..	5	0	3	9	54	4	0	4	6	12	35	14	8	33	2	197	386
	Jefferson....	Begun.....	39	6	10	114	484	19	6	63	24	90	144	104	168	228	230	1,904	3,633
		Terminated..	24	10	15	170	466	70	1	120	85	62	175	142	167	444	245	1,967	4,163
	Lawrence....	Begun.....	4	9	1	38	171	6	0	6	24	10	81	68	3	58	0	1,238	1,717
		Terminated..	8	10	1	66	192	339	0	0	44	3	76	366	19	79	0	1,166	2,369
	Richland....	Begun.....	7	8	4	42	357	4	0	21	19	33	63	65	1	209	0	1,142	1,975
		Terminated..	6	3	4	51	327	117	1	26	19	90	62	243	17	244	0	1,026	2,236
	Wabash.....	Begun.....	2	4	1	30	208	8	0	3	29	17	68	53	30	39	60	847	1,399
		Terminated..	2	10	5	42	156	2	1	1	47	6	59	50	13	18	49	754	1,215
	Wayne.....	Begun.....	4	3	2	52	409	0	1	0	22	37	61	96	31	89	90	1,041	1,938
		Terminated..	12	4	2	63	471	0	0	0	34	25	63	97	23	65	81	859	1,799
	White.....	Begun.....	6	9	0	36	209	29	4	8	18	33	90	115	19	212	63	1,328	2,179
		Terminated..	10	9	1	49	202	50	2	8	11	59	96	138	18	215	23	1,233	2,124
Total for Circuit....		Begun.....	127	62	107	804	2,444	129	11	122	218	391	895	846	519	1,571	1,452	12,673	22,371
		Terminated..	116	57	58	621	2,791	1,207	31	179	349	357	911	1,528	581	1,784	1,360	12,084	24,014

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			Jury	Non- Jury	Jury	Non- Jury													
3rd....	Bond.....	Begun.....	8	4	3	31	265	8	0	0	14	9	48	37	4	78	11	1,296	1,816
		Terminated..	17	1	6	27	182	10	4	0	21	10	39	44	2	78	11	1,203	1,655
	Madison.....	Begun.....	469	463	204	609	5,252	3	37	138	204	1,555	1,630	681	286	5,549	6,021	16,728	39,829
		Terminated..	539	338	273	556	5,004	28	20	101	171	1,295	1,446	523	246	5,243	5,435	16,126	37,344
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	477	467	207	640	5,517	11	37	138	218	1,564	1,678	718	290	5,627	6,032	18,024	41,645
		Terminated..	556	339	279	583	5,186	38	24	101	192	1,305	1,485	567	248	5,321	5,446	17,329	38,999
4th....	Christian.....	Begun.....	19	4	12	130	427	28	1	18	30	87	196	407	101	367	28	2,049	3,904
		Terminated..	19	2	14	129	376	1	2	8	26	64	192	330	83	539	118	1,797	3,700
	Clay.....	Begun.....	11	1	3	38	391	12	1	10	20	57	35	114	9	117	100	903	1,822
		Terminated..	1	1	2	11	161	0	0	8	6	19	31	92	5	84	80	868	1,369
	Clinton.....	Begun.....	10	0	3	21	366	0	0	0	25	23	40	89	1	135	78	1,299	2,090
		Terminated..	7	0	0	9	247	0	0	2	8	14	30	76	2	104	74	1,257	1,830
	Effingham.....	Begun.....	6	5	7	59	224	7	0	9	14	41	60	122	15	186	0	2,138	2,893
		Terminated..	7	4	3	92	297	9	2	7	9	16	57	112	11	177	0	2,135	2,938
	Fayette.....	Begun.....	16	3	2	37	85	3	0	49	15	85	30	159	69	177	13	1,621	2,364
		Terminated..	14	4	11	62	104	7	2	58	25	46	59	246	57	177	9	1,663	2,544
	Jasper.....	Begun.....	3	2	2	16	113	10	0	1	13	34	25	58	9	56	0	345	687
		Terminated..	5	3	2	24	74	5	0	4	17	23	19	31	5	41	0	329	582
	Marion.....	Begun.....	35	8	11	215	597	0	0	0	22	152	182	203	46	292	714	2,613	5,090
		Terminated..	31	8	6	179	636	0	1	0	26	87	149	82	18	209	650	2,464	4,546
	Montgomery.....	Begun.....	17	3	3	45	1,311	33	4	33	68	63	74	215	34	178	0	2,845	4,926
		Terminated..	24	3	4	39	1,129	37	1	22	44	23	89	360	25	184	0	2,655	4,639
	Shelby.....	Begun.....	10	4	1	46	97	9	0	8	19	37	47	156	28	86	148	856	1,552
		Terminated..	6	3	1	39	84	6	0	6	13	22	51	89	23	89	141	807	1,380
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	127	30	44	607	3,611	102	6	128	226	579	689	1,523	312	1,594	1,081	14,669	25,328
		Terminated..	114	28	43	584	3,108	65	8	115	174	314	677	1,418	229	1,604	1,072	13,975	23,528

5th....	Clark.....	Begun.....	6	7	0	23	199	12	1	2	7	15	50	52	15	137	14	1,680	2,220
		Terminated..	9	5	1	20	166	10	0	3	9	14	41	37	10	109	15	1,655	2,104
	Coles.....	Begun.....	32	24	7	149	771	9	3	9	44	167	232	311	67	221	572	2,936	5,554
		Terminated..	23	18	3	135	658	2	2	6	28	140	198	180	56	197	572	2,936	5,154
	Cumberland..	Begun.....	2	6	1	12	50	7	0	0	5	11	30	29	16	94	0	541	804
		Terminated..	3	1	0	13	47	2	1	0	1	8	25	33	17	66	0	536	753
	Edgar.....	Begun.....	10	10	0	74	240	18	0	8	12	106	89	169	57	282	90	1,063	2,228
		Terminated..	6	4	0	66	260	2	0	6	7	93	74	144	47	264	89	1,053	2,115
	Vermilion...	Begun.....	68	32	24	401	877	64	6	63	57	617	577	384	169	977	2,418	8,204	14,938
		Terminated..	56	15	14	343	766	39	7	53	25	163	450	385	96	963	2,407	8,284	14,066
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	118	79	32	659	2,137	110	10	82	125	916	978	945	324	1,711	3,094	14,424	25,744
		Terminated..	97	43	18	577	1,897	55	10	68	70	418	788	779	226	1,599	3,083	14,464	24,192
6th....	Champaign..	Begun.....	187	29	36	664	1,543	28	9	111	92	532	700	653	483	1,848	1,954	12,783	21,652
		Terminated..	176	12	50	540	1,173	12	13	61	68	427	597	492	454	1,670	1,469	12,841	20,055
	DeWitt.....	Begun.....	12	2	2	86	307	4	1	4	12	71	82	143	69	198	20	1,124	2,137
		Terminated..	17	2	3	76	275	0	0	13	7	51	79	159	36	207	20	1,014	1,959
	Douglas.....	Begun.....	11	5	9	52	397	3	0	3	8	32	50	102	16	179	3	1,403	2,273
		Terminated..	11	5	5	65	423	6	5	79	19	56	52	186	7	187	4	1,350	2,460
	Macon.....	Begun.....	253	323	258	304	2,794	267	0	239	132	370	584	451	399	1,456	315	12,521	20,666
		Terminated..	218	252	278	338	2,081	262	4	235	128	307	618	366	373	1,433	299	12,102	19,294
	Moultrie....	Begun.....	3	2	4	43	376	12	1	3	11	36	56	90	25	45	23	861	1,591
		Terminated..	4	0	0	48	305	7	2	4	7	38	44	79	18	35	28	813	1,432
	Piatt.....	Begun.....	8	17	1	23	194	2	2	4	8	55	83	96	31	139	30	1,506	2,199
		Terminated..	8	14	4	31	212	0	0	3	12	40	63	88	13	101	28	1,455	2,072
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	474	378	310	1,172	5,611	316	13	364	263	1,096	1,555	1,535	1,023	3,865	2,345	30,198	50,518
		Terminated..	434	285	340	1,098	4,469	287	24	395	241	919	1,453	1,370	901	3,633	1,848	29,575	47,272

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			Jury	Non-Jury	Jury	Non-Jury													
7th....	Greene.....	Begun.....	3	0	3	19	548	154	2	15	47	34	65	124	7	259	1	783	2,064
		Terminated..	0	0	1	8	297	50	0	0	1	9	52	72	7	145	1	497	1,140
	Jersey.....	Begun.....	12	0	4	36	214	4	1	2	6	75	69	95	11	187	1	984	1,701
		Terminated..	17	3	8	44	256	1	2	2	1	67	65	60	28	163	2	899	1,618
	Macoupin...	Begun.....	23	5	4	112	563	127	0	6	24	34	156	284	31	725	0	1,658	3,752
		Terminated..	20	2	12	96	490	84	3	6	25	34	146	222	45	701	0	1,620	3,506
	Morgan.....	Begun.....	18	7	8	95	136	10	2	5	16	51	169	169	51	251	25	1,774	2,787
		Terminated..	13	5	5	116	124	9	0	9	15	43	195	153	21	318	25	1,687	2,738
	Sangamon...	Begun.....	147	93	7	717	1,892	71	39	156	130	769	851	1,090	698	1,353	476	13,079	21,568
		Terminated..	171	100	6	800	2,117	31	18	152	103	684	1,028	849	505	338	289	12,889	20,080
Total for Circuit....	Scott.....	Begun.....	1	2	0	23	239	6	1	0	2	3	17	37	5	12	4	148	500
		Terminated..	1	0	1	16	360	2	0	0	2	1	17	25	1	19	3	130	578
		Begun.....	204	107	26	1,002	3,592	372	45	184	225	966	1,327	1,799	803	2,787	507	18,426	32,372
		Terminated..	222	110	33	1,080	3,644	177	23	169	147	838	1,503	1,381	607	1,684	320	17,722	29,660
8th....	Adams.....	Begun.....	41	25	20	359	612	16	1	10	36	282	453	334	165	314	1,092	4,753	8,513
		Terminated..	54	22	35	328	546	8	1	8	28	261	413	347	170	290	1,058	4,752	8,321
	Brown.....	Begun.....	3	0	0	18	21	5	0	0	4	4	23	34	7	23	0	407	549
		Terminated..	2	0	1	15	16	5	0	0	4	2	19	37	8	28	0	374	511
	Calhoun.....	Begun.....	4	1	0	6	32	0	1	17	6	9	12	23	4	119	1	407	642
		Terminated..	6	2	3	6	45	0	0	51	8	3	12	18	17	126	2	425	724
	Cass.....	Begun.....	3	2	1	28	276	14	0	5	9	90	55	91	27	225	23	1,087	1,936
		Terminated..	6	0	1	16	309	16	0	4	5	68	52	61	22	230	20	1,082	1,892
	Mason.....	Begun.....	12	1	2	182	146	8	0	1	10	68	65	90	23	266	57	1,089	2,020
		Terminated..	14	0	4	158	110	7	0	2	4	63	66	70	28	280	56	1,081	1,943
	Menard.....	Begun.....	6	1	4	6	264	5	0	6	5	21	28	70	17	114	10	709	1,266
		Terminated..	8	1	3	12	235	4	0	5	5	11	24	47	11	104	10	705	1,185

	Pike.....	Begun.....	8	1	1	42	149	12	1	5	15	38	57	118	17	470	92	2,661	3,687
		Terminated..	10	0	7	53	99	0	1	4	16	69	55	76	20	444	88	2,670	3,612
	Schuyler....	Begun.....	3	0	2	19	24	6	1	2	6	15	38	49	7	51	52	1,058	1,333
		Terminated..	4	0	2	20	17	8	0	4	5	17	27	38	6	51	54	1,036	1,289
Total for Circuit....		Begun.....	80	31	30	660	1,524	66	4	46	91	527	731	809	267	1,582	1,327	12,171	19,946
		Terminated..	104	25	56	608	1,377	48	2	78	75	494	668	694	282	1,553	1,288	12,125	19,477
9th....	Fulton.....	Begun.....	31	10	3	93	201	48	0	1	19	136	164	203	65	438	420	2,094	3,926
		Terminated..	41	2	8	78	193	35	0	7	15	110	158	206	75	446	450	2,057	3,881
	Hancock....	Begun.....	15	6	1	34	218	10	0	4	19	56	77	171	30	425	157	1,419	2,642
		Terminated..	10	4	5	41	188	18	2	6	19	76	81	166	26	459	162	1,428	2,691
	Henderson...	Begun.....	4	1	1	12	77	9	0	5	4	11	35	54	16	142	291	842	1,504
		Terminated..	2	2	0	21	84	19	0	1	2	4	41	41	5	129	222	739	1,312
	Knox.....	Begun.....	39	9	9	178	458	6	2	365	31	120	386	302	103	643	640	3,748	7,039
		Terminated..	26	4	15	191	485	0	6	454	14	263	365	244	52	688	630	3,688	7,125
	McDonough.	Begun.....	18	9	1	75	116	10	0	23	20	30	115	167	48	278	344	3,895	5,149
		Terminated..	9	4	3	59	87	10	3	7	16	20	108	170	22	213	276	3,678	4,685
	Warren.....	Begun.....	14	6	5	73	326	91	0	5	14	63	104	118	25	182	173	2,204	3,403
		Terminated..	12	3	8	69	354	96	0	4	8	56	99	92	15	176	177	1,558	2,727
Total for Circuit....		Begun.....	121	41	20	465	1,396	174	2	403	107	416	881	1,015	287	2,108	2,025	14,202	23,663
		Terminated..	100	19	39	459	1,391	178	11	479	74	529	852	919	195	2,111	1,917	13,148	22,421
10th....	Marshall....	Begun.....	8	11	2	19	73	10	0	2	16	19	32	86	10	69	0	665	1,022
		Terminated..	5	33	4	71	66	25	0	16	23	9	37	74	9	88	0	615	1,075
	Peoria.....	Begun.....	374	55	88	717	3,070	175	4	626	155	936	1,697	538	168	2,773	2,624	16,946	30,946
		Terminated..	483	67	85	1,067	2,509	287	2	820	140	745	1,522	460	143	3,220	2,562	16,894	31,006
	Putnam.....	Begun.....	10	0	0	19	51	1	0	1	4	8	15	20	4	24	2	352	511
		Terminated..	9	0	0	12	30	0	4	0	3	8	17	12	5	17	2	306	425
	Stark.....	Begun.....	4	3	0	21	62	15	0	0	3	14	14	43	0	77	6	183	445
		Terminated..	4	3	1	17	75	2	0	0	2	10	18	70	0	82	5	189	478
	Tazewell....	Begun.....	143	25	30	322	2,315	62	11	45	58	296	667	347	55	919	1,039	9,973	16,307
		Terminated..	137	10	61	305	2,107	51	4	59	70	369	647	278	67	862	998	10,124	16,149
Total for Circuit....		Begun.....	539	94	120	1,098	5,571	263	15	674	236	1,273	2,425	1,034	237	3,862	3,671	28,119	49,231
		Terminated..	638	113	151	1,472	4,787	365	10	895	238	1,141	2,241	894	224	4,269	3,567	28,128	49,133

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			Jury	Non- Jury	Jury	Non- Jury													
11th...	Ford.....	Begun.....	14	6	9	60	106	1	0	1	6	27	59	107	0	386	39	899	1,720
		Terminated..	11	13	11	36	250	0	0	0	6	31	48	91	10	411	49	867	1,832
	Livingston...	Begun.....	46	10	9	71	730	174	3	77	22	149	123	339	61	230	87	6,769	8,900
		Terminated..	32	11	10	96	786	170	2	82	16	100	91	251	61	308	82	6,377	8,475
	Logan.....	Begun.....	27	11	3	173	813	31	0	12	20	77	133	128	43	256	90	5,003	6,820
		Terminated..	34	5	3	182	722	41	1	6	21	81	146	123	13	244	84	4,826	6,532
	McLean.....	Begun.....	175	40	37	472	2,104	53	43	26	71	605	433	582	212	1,420	1,125	11,056	18,454
		Terminated..	215	38	33	569	1,982	102	40	41	82	530	391	822	166	1,180	1,104	11,655	18,950
	Woodford...	Begun.....	11	5	1	84	63	37	1	0	7	36	37	152	26	518	18	2,257	3,253
		Terminated..	12	7	8	95	83	41	1	0	16	40	38	381	69	567	17	2,333	3,708
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	273	72	59	860	3,816	296	47	116	126	894	785	1,308	342	2,810	1,359	25,984	39,147
		Terminated..	304	74	65	978	3,823	354	44	129	139	782	714	1,668	319	2,710	1,336	26,058	39,497
12th...	Iroquois.....	Begun.....	26	3	6	67	316	32	0	3	22	58	94	199	95	483	0	3,904	5,308
		Terminated..	27	5	3	63	278	19	1	5	27	66	74	166	78	481	0	3,859	5,152
	Kankakee...	Begun.....	66	65	38	598	1,935	90	0	248	51	291	492	321	122	1,075	175	9,004	14,571
		Terminated..	106	57	9	581	1,947	101	0	227	31	300	425	305	124	1,030	144	8,613	14,000
	Will.....	Begun.....	264	203	79	972	2,348	880	114	217	210	626	1,096	469	90	1,766	2,063	27,479	38,876
		Terminated..	311	100	183	1,120	2,580	754	56	200	148	528	999	380	91	1,617	2,057	26,591	37,715
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	356	271	123	1,637	4,599	1,002	114	468	283	975	1,682	989	307	3,324	2,238	40,387	58,755
		Terminated..	444	162	195	1,764	4,805	874	57	432	206	894	1,498	851	293	3,128	2,201	39,063	56,867
13th...	Bureau.....	Begun.....	19	7	8	111	485	7	4	31	23	77	120	220	20	343	170	4,193	5,838
		Terminated..	47	4	12	110	423	10	0	32	22	85	123	149	20	326	164	4,128	5,655
	Grundy.....	Begun.....	28	16	0	51	211	148	0	4	13	76	115	134	19	562	79	3,322	4,778
		Terminated..	22	3	6	37	187	183	0	6	13	45	119	99	13	529	78	3,217	4,557
	LaSalle.....	Begun.....	182	46	15	328	1,046	4,161	4	31	72	325	465	430	86	1,313	1,020	9,636	19,160
		Terminated..	168	38	34	383	995	2,556	1	11	77	272	418	391	83	1,223	835	8,972	16,457
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	229	69	23	490	1,742	4,316	8	66	108	478	700	784	125	2,218	1,269	17,151	29,776
		Terminated..	237	45	52	530	1,605	2,749	1	49	112	402	660	639	116	2,078	1,077	16,317	26,669

14th...	Henry.....	Begun.....	30	11	0	99	364	29	0	16	26	191	176	312	32	332	310	4,746	6,674
		Terminated..	36	9	14	97	308	38	2	11	30	177	176	244	36	318	315	4,662	6,473
	Mercer.....	Begun.....	6	7	3	36	536	10	0	11	6	31	59	100	21	285	1	640	1,752
		Terminated..	11	2	5	33	431	7	0	6	15	29	60	64	16	270	1	629	1,579
	Rock Island.	Begun.....	220	86	79	958	3,444	501	28	419	150	759	1,421	604	888	3,279	890	21,700	35,426
		Terminated..	253	76	177	1,164	3,321	485	38	433	127	516	1,432	475	917	3,414	957	21,790	35,575
	Whiteside...	Begun.....	30	15	3	147	532	15	3	70	43	284	323	296	148	1,214	32	6,143	9,298
		Terminated..	41	10	2	123	506	10	2	66	31	332	307	182	101	1,168	31	6,115	9,027
Total for Circuit....	Begun.....		286	119	85	1,240	4,876	555	31	516	225	1,265	1,979	1,312	1,089	5,110	1,233	33,229	53,150
	Terminated..		341	97	198	1,417	4,566	540	42	516	203	1,054	1,975	965	1,070	5,170	1,304	33,196	52,654
15th...	Carroll.....	Begun.....	9	3	6	59	155	3	0	27	15	63	84	117	44	393	98	1,263	2,339
		Terminated..	6	3	2	58	161	1	0	22	13	89	82	79	31	429	81	1,244	2,301
	Jo Daviess...	Begun.....	11	3	5	16	142	16	1	13	2	129	37	106	10	518	375	2,564	3,948
		Terminated..	18	3	6	26	173	11	1	45	8	104	39	104	11	501	326	2,501	3,877
	Lee.....	Begun.....	19	16	8	117	273	46	0	23	26	79	164	161	69	561	104	4,244	5,910
		Terminated..	21	17	11	117	289	78	1	30	35	107	161	154	73	576	106	4,289	6,065
	Ogle.....	Begun.....	21	9	6	81	489	14	0	33	19	145	220	164	34	2,826	0	5,856	9,917
		Terminated..	12	7	15	106	493	8	1	19	24	110	217	111	38	2,655	0	5,654	9,470
	Stephenson..	Begun.....	22	22	6	114	650	4	1	2	26	180	201	288	109	813	670	4,932	8,040
		Terminated..	25	8	3	74	916	4	0	3	24	82	191	226	73	735	900	4,556	7,820
Total for Circuit....	Begun.....		82	53	31	387	1,709	83	2	98	88	596	706	836	266	5,111	1,247	18,859	30,154
	Terminated..		82	38	37	381	2,032	102	3	119	104	492	690	674	226	4,896	1,413	18,244	29,533
16th...	DeKalb.....	Begun.....	47	30	11	174	1,309	17	8	38	37	167	253	236	149	1,592	173	6,025	10,266
		Terminated..	36	23	10	180	1,402	14	9	29	28	127	217	221	121	1,507	167	5,731	9,822
	Kane.....	Begun.....	289	172	70	1,124	2,556	3,144	1	1,029	162	840	1,290	838	622	4,429	2,871	30,905	50,342
		Terminated..	348	117	66	1,027	2,697	2,191	4	947	143	718	1,246	315	654	4,325	2,790	29,535	47,123
	Kendall.....	Begun.....	16	4	3	51	52	155	1	16	11	80	98	86	54	256	4	1,521	2,408
		Terminated..	19	0	7	43	63	248	2	15	13	61	79	56	45	192	2	1,459	2,304
	Begun.....		352	206	84	1,349	3,917	3,316	10	1,083	210	1,087	1,641	1,160	825	6,277	3,048	38,451	63,016
	Terminated..		403	140	83	1,250	4,162	2,453	15	991	184	906	1,542	592	820	6,024	2,959	36,725	59,249

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			Jury	Non- Jury	Jury	Non- Jury													
17th...	Boone.....	Begun.....	23	9	0	110	273	2	0	13	26	124	151	116	25	630	1,079	3,196	5,777
		Terminated..	18	6	3	113	251	0	0	9	16	31	119	96	19	624	1,055	3,117	5,477
	Winnebago..	Begun.....	204	84	65	1,070	10,915	108	13	446	256	1,306	1,546	785	214	3,348	210	35,229	55,799
		Terminated..	215	55	57	1,043	8,337	0	3	325	166	619	1,433	504	151	2,823	210	33,964	49,905
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	227	93	65	1,180	11,188	110	13	459	282	1,430	1,697	901	239	3,978	1,289	38,425	61,576
		Terminated..	233	61	60	1,156	8,588	0	3	334	182	650	1,552	600	170	3,447	1,265	37,081	55,382
18th...	DuPage.....	Begun.....	494	257	96	1,363	2,632	21,214	35	204	310	992	1,415	708	1,234	3,102	4,770	43,631	82,457
		Terminated..	776	102	291	1,396	2,510	16,963	31	152	277	995	1,358	633	987	2,812	4,005	39,624	72,912
19th...	Lake.....	Begun.....	494	309	78	1,394	2,950	3,722	23	291	285	908	1,627	1,274	127	3,704	5,871	54,722	77,779
		Terminated..	520	260	84	1,442	2,578	3,745	31	315	280	723	1,496	1,154	120	3,631	5,274	52,641	74,294
	McHenry....	Begun.....	130	5	21	409	834	3,062	1	44	73	379	438	356	107	1,685	246	8,785	16,575
		Terminated..	147	10	24	518	838	2,983	3	53	63	244	376	458	81	1,447	253	8,374	15,872
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	624	314	99	1,803	3,784	6,784	24	335	358	1,287	2,065	1,630	234	5,389	6,117	63,507	94,354
		Terminated..	667	270	108	1,960	3,416	6,728	34	368	343	967	1,872	1,612	201	5,078	5,527	61,015	90,166

20th...	Monroe.....	Begun.....	12	6	1	31	110	7	0	35	3	39	44	83	16	174	1	972	1,534
		Terminated..	19	14	3	38	109	7	0	36	4	25	45	79	12	171	0	930	1,492
	Perry.....	Begun.....	10	4	6	57	292	45	1	7	18	43	92	119	28	78	104	1,210	2,114
		Terminated..	7	2	9	54	296	37	1	15	24	33	97	87	34	76	72	1,172	2,016
	Randolph...	Begun.....	23	6	3	26	259	55	2	359	0	191	98	161	41	280	12	1,405	2,921
		Terminated..	32	8	10	40	242	37	9	379	13	242	108	97	22	251	13	1,374	2,877
	St. Clair.....	Begun.....	665	139	209	509	3,302	2,481	16	613	201	2,057	1,324	985	573	0	3,860	16,548	33,482
		Terminated..	481	19	398	453	3,416	2,206	21	510	155	1,760	1,430	1,623	738	0	3,965	17,543	34,718
	Washington..	Begun.....	5	0	1	18	150	4	2	11	3	25	16	75	10	38	1	889	1,248
		Terminated..	5	1	0	12	140	1	1	5	3	21	12	65	5	34	0	867	1,172
	Total for Circuit....	Begun.....	715	155	220	641	4,113	2,592	21	1,025	225	2,355	1,574	1,423	668	570	3,978	21,024	41,299
		Terminated..	544	44	420	597	4,203	2,288	32	945	199	2,081	1,692	1,951	811	532	4,050	21,886	42,275
	Downstate Total....	Begun.....	6,117	2,934	1,837	18,488	75,928	42,192	491	7,480	4,087	19,766	26,381	22,088	9,877	64,822	52,018	516,426	870,932
		Terminated..	6,636	2,091	2,565	18,939	70,469	35,794	443	7,462	3,651	16,102	25,062	20,189	8,987	61,727	48,815	500,711	829,643
	Cook County.....	Begun.....	16,141	4,257	11,006	75,803	88,907	78,982	223	1,239	9,052	79,857	25,391	11,166	5,317	2	239,211	1,289,261	1,935,813
		Terminated..	16,971	5,125	12,813	78,241	90,818	79,899	538	1,413	9,902	93,122	25,561	11,198	5,994	2	225,953	1,162,176	1,819,724
	State Total.....	Begun.....	22,258	7,191	12,843	94,291	164,835	121,174	714	8,719	13,139	99,623	51,772	33,254	15,194	64,822	291,229	1,805,687	2,806,745
		Terminated..	23,607	7,216	15,378	97,180	161,287	115,693	981	8,875	13,553	109,224	50,623	31,387	14,981	61,727	274,768	1,662,887	2,649,367

¹ Includes cases reinstated.

² Misdemeanor violations included in Ordinance violations in Cook County totals.

**THE TREND OF ALL CASES, THE NUMBER OF CIVIL VERDICTS
AND THE AVERAGE DELAY* IN REACHING VERDICT DURING 1969**

Circuit	Total Cases Begun or Reinstated	Total Cases Terminated	Currency		Total No. of Civil Cases Terminated by Verdict	Average Time Elapsed*
			Gain	Loss		
Cook	1,935,813	1,819,724	.....	116,089	1,202	49.0
1st	26,430	25,743	.....	687	29	21.6
2nd	22,371	24,014	1,643	.....	23	18.6
3rd	41,645	38,999	.....	2,646	72	23.8
4th	25,328	23,528	.....	1,800	20	18.9
5th	25,744	24,192	.....	1,552	27	11.3
6th	50,518	47,272	.....	3,246	64	13.7
7th	32,372	29,660	.....	2,712	193	21.3
8th	19,446	19,477	.....	469	11	17.2
9th	23,663	22,421	.....	1,242	10	14.6
10th	49,231	49,133	.....	98	63	22.1
11th	39,147	39,497	350	.....	48	28.8
12th	58,755	56,867	.....	1,888	51	31.9
13th	29,776	26,669	.....	3,107	26	20.5
14th	53,150	52,654	.....	496	66	19.6
15th	30,154	29,533	.....	621	17	13.5
16th	63,016	59,249	.....	3,767	54	23.3
17th	61,576	55,382	.....	6,194	94	15.2
18th	82,457	72,912	.....	9,545	111	19.3
19th	94,354	90,166	.....	4,188	96	23.5
20th	41,299	42,275	976	.....	103	21.7
Downstate Total	870,932	829,643	.....	41,289	1,178	20.02
State Total	2,806,745	2,649,367	.....	157,378	2,380	.....

* Average time elapsed (in months) between date of filing and date of verdict.

**THE DISPOSITION OF DEFENDANTS IN FELONY CASES
TERMINATED DURING 1969**

Circuit	Total No. of De- fendants	Not Convicted				Convicted and Sentenced				Type of Sentence Imposed			
		Total Not Con- victed	Dis- missed	Acquitted by Court	Acquitted by Jury	Total Con- victed	Plead Guilty	Convicted by Court	Convicted by Jury	Total	Imprison- ment	Pro- bation	Fine Only
Cook.....	6,263	2,794	2,394	280	120	3,389	2,835	288	266	3,389	2,078	1,213	98
1st.....	497	313	313	0	0	184	164	11	9	184	87	72	25
2nd.....	547	418	413	2	3	129	123	6	0	129	57	52	20
3rd.....	310	146	141	2	3	164	141	1	22	164	60	99	5
4th.....	238	165	158	5	2	73	68	5	0	73	55	12	6
5th.....	214	127	125	0	2	87	83	0	4	87	44	39	4
6th.....	905	549	537	3	9	356	324	10	22	356	183	130	43
7th.....	586	413	372	31	10	173	123	43	7	173	110	55	8
8th.....	290	169	161	0	8	121	118	0	3	121	57	51	13
9th.....	214	122	118	0	4	92	88	2	2	92	39	39	14
10th.....	264	142	137	0	5	122	118	3	1	122	66	56	0
11th.....	311	174	157	0	17	137	117	15	5	137	64	71	2
12th.....	322	117	95	11	11	205	152	41	12	205	113	82	10
13th.....	109	41	37	1	3	68	63	5	0	68	31	33	4
14th.....	561	299	286	0	13	262	224	20	18	262	114	120	28
15th.....	221	132	126	0	6	89	80	1	8	89	45	41	3
16th.....	440	189	179	1	9	251	189	38	24	251	126	122	3
17th.....	218	42	32	0	10	176	139	20	17	176	75	100	1
18th.....	258	54	46	8	0	204	162	20	22	204	114	76	14
19th.....	239	107	82	4	21	132	112	2	18	132	52	78	2
20th.....	814	502	483	7	12	312	277	4	31	312	173	120	19
Cook County Total.	6,263	2,794	2,394	280	120	3,389	2,835	288	266	3,389	2,078	1,213	98
Downstate Total...	7,558	4,221	3,998	75	148	3,337	2,865	247	225	3,337	1,665	1,448	224
State Total.....	13,821	7,015	6,392	355	268	6,726	5,700	535	491	6,726	3,743	2,661	322

**RATIO OF CASELOAD PER JUDGE OR MAGISTRATE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURTS OF ILLINOIS DURING 1969**

Circuit	No. of Counties	Population (1960 Federal Census)	Area (sq. mi.)	Total No. of Cases Begun or Reinstated During 1969	No. of Judges, Associate Judges and Magistrates	Average No. of Cases per Judge or Magistrate
Cook	1	5,129,725	954	1,935,813	241	8,032.4
1st	9	184,021	3,242	26,430	19	1,391.1
2nd	12	211,081	4,796	22,371	18	1,242.1
3rd	2	238,749	1,114	41,645	15	2,776.5
4th	9	227,447	5,425	25,328	14	1,809.2
5th	5	188,068	2,885	25,744	15	1,716.4
6th	6	315,784	3,178	50,518	20	2,525.1
7th	6	267,494	3,485	32,372	16	2,023.4
8th	8	148,888	3,918	19,946	14	1,424.1
9th	6	186,560	3,904	23,663	16	1,478.1
10th	5	314,889	2,129	49,231	19	2,591.2
11th	5	199,059	3,853	39,147	14	2,796.3
12th	3	317,242	2,647	58,755	20	2,937.1
13th	3	170,744	2,453	29,776	12	2,481.4
14th	4	277,344	2,492	53,150	19	2,797.7
15th	5	164,390	3,136	30,154	12	2,512.1
16th	3	277,500	1,472	63,016	14	4,501.2
17th	2	230,091	803	61,576	13	4,736.8
18th	1	313,459	331	82,457	16	5,153.9
19th	2	377,866	1,068	94,354	18	5,241.1
20th	5	340,757	2,652	41,299	21	1,966.1
Downstate Total	101	4,951,433	54,983	870,932	325	2,679.2
State Total	102	10,081,158	55,937	2,806,745	566	.....

REPORT ON THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1969

Inventory levels, rates of disposition and flow of all cases in the circuit court appear to be in good order, with two exceptions: The Law Division of the County Department and the First District of the Municipal Department continue to suffer delay in the trial of law jury cases. As will be shown in this report, however, the First District has made progress during the past year.

LAW DIVISION

There were 668 verdicts returned in the Law Division during 1969. The average time elapsed between the date on which such cases were filed and the date of verdict was 60.7 months. That interval is 0.5 months longer than it took similar cases to go to verdict in 1964, and 1.1 months longer than at the end of last year.

Of course, not all law jury cases are disposed of by verdict; and, certainly, not all law jury cases disposed of in the Law Division last year were over five years old. Thirty-one percent were over 5 years old, approximately 17% were less than 2 years old. The following chart shows the age of law jury cases disposed of in the Law Division during 1969.

LAW DIVISION, COUNTY DEPARTMENT CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY

Law Jury Cases Disposed of During 1969—Year in Which Filed

1963 and Earlier	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969
654	3677	2053	2052	3021	64	2231
4.8%	26.7%	14.9%	14.9%	22.0%	.5%	16.2%

It appears that the number of cases over 5 years old which are pending at the beginning of any year has a material effect on the average delay experience during the year:

Year	Number of Cases 5 Years Old or Older on Jan. 1	Average Time Elapsed During Year *
1965.....	4,422	69.5 mo.
1966.....	2,309	64.3 mo.
1967.....	1,421	60.6 mo.
1968.....	208	59.6 mo.
1969.....	721	60.7 mo.
1970.....	1,538	? mo.

* Average time elapsed between the date on which a law jury case was filed and the date on which a verdict was returned.

FIRST MUNICIPAL DISTRICT

There were 356 verdicts returned in the First Municipal District during 1969. The average time elapsed between the date on which such cases were filed and the date of verdict was 42.8 months. That is the lowest delay figure ever reported for the First District.

Only 1.4% of the law jury cases disposed of in the Municipal Department last year were 5 years old; approximately 33.4% were less than 2 years old. The following chart shows the age of law jury cases terminated during 1969.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY

Law Jury Cases Disposed of During 1969—Year in Which Filed						
1963 and Earlier	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969
0	147	2137	2512	2497	824	2838
0%	1.4%	19.5%	22.9%	22.8%	7.5%	25.9%

Not only did the First Municipal District enjoy a dramatic reduction in the “average interval” between the date of filing and the date of verdict, but an analysis of the age of pending law jury cases shows substantial promise for continuing progress. There are no law jury cases in the Municipal Department inventory which are over 5 years old; only 70 cases are over 4 years old and only 880 cases are over 3 years old.

The following chart shows the relationship between the number of 5 year old Municipal Department law jury cases pending at the beginning of each year and the average delay between filing and verdict:

Year	Number of Cases 5 Years Old or Older on Jan. 1	Average Time Elapsed During Year
1965.....	2,865	56.4 mo.*
1966.....	2,897	63.6 mo.
1967.....	383	65.2 mo.
1968.....	645	56.4 mo.
1969.....	0	42.8 mo.
1970.....	0	? mo.

* The relatively low delay figure for 1965 (56.4 mo.), appears to be a consequence of the fact that in 1965 the Municipal Department placed substantial emphasis on disposing of four year old cases (1961's), but hardly touched pending five year old cases (1960's). (See Chart B on next page.)

CHART "A"
LAW DIVISION, COUNTY DEPARTMENT
CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY

CUMULATIVE ANALYSIS: YEAR-END AGE OF PENDING LAW JURY CASES

Year Ending Dec. 31	Up to One Year Old	Between One and Two Years Old	Between Two and Three Years Old	Between Three and Four Years Old	Between Four and Five Years Old	Five Years Old and Older	Total
1964.....	15,497	11,419	8,438	6,058	3,458	4,422	49,292
	31.4%	23.2%	17.1%	12.3%	7.0%	9.0%	100.0%
1965.....	13,579	13,168	10,024	6,288	3,339	2,309	48,707
	27.9%	27.0%	20.6%	12.9%	6.9%	4.7%	100.0%
1966.....	11,464	12,211	11,400	8,276	4,487	1,421	49,259
	23.3%	24.8%	23.1%	16.8%	9.1%	2.9%	100.0%
1967.....	11,108	10,996	9,137	7,676	6,467	208	45,592
	24.4%	24.1%	20.0%	16.8%	14.2%	.5%	100.0%
1968.....	10,478	11,226	8,309	6,875	5,152	721	42,761
	24.5%	26.3%	19.4%	16.1%	12.0%	1.7%	100.0%
1969.....	10,691	10,414	8,205	6,257	4,822	1,538	41,931
	25.5%	24.8%	19.6%	14.9%	11.5%	3.7%	100.0%

CHART "B"
MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT
CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY

CUMULATIVE ANALYSIS: YEAR-END AGE OF PENDING LAW JURY CASES

Year Ending Dec. 31	Up to One Year Old	Between One and Two Years Old	Between Two and Three Years Old	Between Three and Four Years Old	Between Four and Five Years Old	Five Years Old and Older	Total
1964.....	8,437	6,977	4,707	2,203	2,673	2,865	27,862
	30.3%	25.0%	16.9%	7.9%	9.6%	10.3%	100.0%
1965.....	8,819	5,725	5,024	2,833	938	2,897	26,236
	33.6%	21.8%	19.2%	10.8%	3.6%	11.0%	100.0%
1966.....	10,624	7,289	3,435	2,166	1,757	383	25,654
	41.4%	28.4%	13.4%	8.4%	6.9%	1.5%	100.0%
1967.....	6,277	5,134	2,543	1,693	1,530	645	17,822
	35.2%	28.8%	14.3%	9.5%	8.6%	3.6%	100.0%
1968.....	5,910	5,227	3,392	2,207	147	0	16,883
	35.0%	31.0%	20.1%	13.1%	.8%	.0%	100.0%
1969.....	6,310	5,086	2,730	880	70	0	15,076
	41.9%	33.7%	18.1%	5.8%	.5%	.0%	100.0%

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
TREND OF CASES IN THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969

		Pending at Start	Begun	Rein- stated	Trans- ferred	Total Added	Termi- nated	Pending at End	Inventory	
									Decrease	Increase
Law Over \$10,000	Jury	42,761	2,455	2,366*	+11,320	16,141	16,971	41,931	830	.....
	Non-Jury . .	10,854	14,992	585	−11,320	4,257	5,125	9,986	868	.....
Tax		9,044	23,974	686	0	24,660	24,234	9,470	.....	426
Condemnation		691	223	XXX	0	223	538	376	315	.....
Mental Health		198	4,138	XXX	0	4,138	4,072	264	.....	66
Municipal Corp.		79	44	XXX	0	44	6	117	.....	38
Misc. Remedies		1,049	921	46	0	967	1,147	869	180	.....
Chancery		4,381	8,452	600	0	9,052	9,902	3,531	750	.....
Juvenile		XXX	30,035	176	0	30,211	41,931	XXX	XXX	XXX
Divorce		11,843	24,858	533	0	25,391	25,561	11,673	170	.....
Probate		XXX	11,166	XXX	0	11,166	11,198	XXX	XXX	XXX
Felony		2,732	5,317	XXX	0	5,317	5,994	2,055	677	.....
Misdemeanor		2,360	1,867	XXX	0	1,867	881	3,346	.....	986
TOTALS		85,992	128,442	4,992	XXX	133,434	147,560	83,618	2,374	.....

* Includes an adjustment of +1,345 cases added after physical inventory.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
TREND OF CASES IN THE MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969

		Pending at Start	Begun	Rein- stated	Trans- ferred	Total Added	Termi- nated	Pending at End	Inventory	
									Decrease	Increase
Law \$10,000 and Under	Jury.....	16,883	7,488	1,021	+2,497	11,006	12,813	15,076	1,807	.....
	Non-Jury..	28,695	76,803	1,491	−2,491	75,803	78,241	26,257	2,438	.....
Small Claims.....		6,446	88,559	354	— 6	88,907	90,818	4,535	1,911	.....
Tax.....		3,188	51,932	2,390	0	54,322	55,665	1,845	1,343	.....
Misc. Remedies.....		5	272	XXX	0	272	266	11	.....	6
Family and Youth*		XXX	49,646	XXX	0	49,646	51,191	XXX	XXX	XXX
Ordinance Violations and Misdemeanors.....		XXX	233,162	XXX	0	233,162	220,994	XXX	XXX	XXX
Traffic.....		XXX	1,289,261	XXX	0	1,289,261	1,162,176	XXX	XXX	XXX
TOTALS.....		55,217	1,797,123	5,256	XXX	1,802,379	1,672,164	47,724	7,493	.....

* Previously designated "Juvenile".

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
VERDICTS REACHED DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

Total Verdicts	County Department				Municipal Department					
	Law	Condem- nations	Chancery	County	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	District 5	District 6
1,232	668	30	0	0	356	42	32	47	20	37

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
AVERAGE TIME ELAPSED—LAW JURY VERDICTS REACHED DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

		County Department	Municipal Department					
		Law Division	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	District 5	District 6
Total number of verdicts reached during period.....		668	356	42	32	47	20	37
Months elapsed between date of filing and date of verdict.....	Average....	60.7	42.8	18.4	20.7	12.8	18.5	20.4
	Maximum..	198.5	92.7	34.8	39.5	34.0	45.2	49.0
	Minimum..	3.2	1.0	3.7	2.2	1.3	9.1	4.7

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
AN ANALYSIS OF LAW JURY CASES IN THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT, LAW DIVISION,
DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969

	Law Jury Cases Added	Law Jury Cases Terminated	Total Number of Law Verdicts Reached	Number of Contested Law Verdicts	Ratio of Contested Verdicts to Termination	Number of Law Jury Judges	
						Substantially Full-time	Substantially Part-time
Average per month for 1965.....	1,334	1,382	77	68	4.9	28	14
Average per month for 1966.....	1,364	1,317	98	78	5.9	34	10
Average per month for 1967.....	1,247	1,551	79	65	4.2	35	11
Average per month for 1968.....	1,164	1,417	63	50	3.5	31	12
Average per month for 1969.....	1,345	1,414	62	50	3.5	33	8

AGE OF PENDING LAW CASES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1969

			1958 1960	During 1961	During 1962	During 1963	During 1964	During 1965	During 1966	During 1967	During 1968	During 1969	Totals
Law	JURY	Total Filed.....	XXX	12,618	13,886	15,494	15,941	15,022	13,822	14,356	13,224	12,922	XXX
		Pending.....	4	9	20	24	1,475*	4,822	6,257	8,205	10,414	10,691	41,931
		% Terminated.....	XXX	99.9	99.9	99.8	90.7	67.9	54.7	42.8	21.2	17.3	XXX
Over \$10,000*	Non-Jury	Total Filed.....	XXX	6,641	7,208	7,704	4,628	7,301	6,111	4,535	4,549	6,267	XXX
		Pending.....	1	0	6	7	6	571	1,324	2,258	2,622	3,191	9,986
		% Terminated.....	XXX	100.0	99.9	99.9	99.9	92.2	78.3	50.2	42.4	49.1	XXX

* Adjusted by + 1298 cases after Physical Inventory.

Law \$10,000 and Under**	JURY	Total Filed.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	11,492	10,104	12,086	11,106	11,747	9,148	XXX
		Pending.....	XXX	0	0	0	0	70	880	2,730	5,086	6,310	15,076
		% Terminated.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	100.0	99.3	92.7	75.4	56.7	31.0	XXX
	Non-Jury	Total Filed.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	65,799	71,979	75,513	69,938	86,571	75,370	XXX
		Pending.....	XXX	0	0	0	0	4	2	1,967	6,083	18,201	26,257
		% Terminated.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	100.0	99.9	99.9	97.2	93.0	75.9	XXX

* Law Division, County Department. The figures shown as law jury and non-jury over \$10,000 for the years 1963 and prior are the combined law jury and non-jury figures of the former Circuits and Superior Courts of Cook County.

** Municipal Department, Districts 1-6.

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
NATURE OF TERMINATION OF CRIMINAL CASES IN THE
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CRIMINAL DIVISION
DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969
Actual Number of Defendants in Cases Disposed of—6263**

Not Convicted.....	2,794	Convicted and Sentenced.....	3,389	Type of Sentence.....	XXX
Dismissed.....	2,394*	Pleas of Guilty.....	2,835	Imprisonment.....	2,078
Acquitted by Court.....	280	Convicted by Court.....	288	Probation.....	1,213
Acquitted by Jury.....	120	Convicted by Jury.....	266	Fine Only.....	98

* Includes: Stricken with leave to reinstate..... 1,920
Nolle Prossed..... 394
Others..... 80

**REPORT ON PROBATE PROCEEDINGS IN THE
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, PROBATE DIVISION
DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

	Decedent Estates	Guardianships	Conservatorships	Total
Number of cases begun during month.....	8,093	1,941	1,132	11,166
Number of cases terminated during month.....	7,484	2,550	1,164	11,198

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
CHILDREN REFERRED TO THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT, JUVENILE
DIVISION, DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

Delinquents	Dependents	Truants	Victim of Delinquent or Criminal Offense	Victim of Neglect	Other	Reactivated Cases	Total
16,558	991	5,517	0	3,160	1,028	0	27,254

**INITIAL ACTION TAKEN ON CASES REFERRED TO THE COUNTY
DEPARTMENT, JUVENILE DIVISION DURING
CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

Adjusted	Social Investigation Ordered	Petition Recommended	Total
801	603	25,850	27,254

**CASES ADJUSTED IN THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT, JUVENILE
DIVISION DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

	Dependents	Delinquents	Minors in Need of Supervision	Mental Deficients	Others	Total
By the Probation Staff.....	51	1	6	0	54	112
By the Complaint Unit Staff.....	440	34	187	0	140	801
TOTAL.....	491	35	193	0	194	913

**NATURE OF PETITIONS DISPOSED OF IN THE COUNTY
DEPARTMENT, JUVENILE DIVISION DURING
CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

Petitions Dismissed	Continued Generally	Cases Closed	Guardian Appointed with Right to Consent to Adoption	Guardian Appointed with Right to Place	Probation	Institutional Commitments	Total
26,378	0	5,921	432	3,230	3,955	2,562	42,478

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
TREND OF CASES IN THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT, COUNTY
DIVISION DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

	Pending at Beginning of Year	Cases Filed or Reinstated During Year	Trans- ferred During Year	Cases Terminated During Year	Total Cases Pending at End of Year
Tax Cases					
Special Assessments—Chicago.....	38	208	0	197	49
Special Assessments—Suburban.....	89	106	0	30	165
Tax Deeds.....	3,658	1,681	0	2,094	3,245
Scavenger Tax Deeds.....	2,343	632	0	1,899	1,076
Inheritance Tax Returns.....		6,951	0	6,951	
Inheritance Tax Assessments.....	85	58	0	0	143
Petitions for Tax Refunds.....	44	330	0	300	74
Tax Objections.....	225	0	0	0	225
Condemnations.....	11	8	0	0	19
Other Tax Cases.....	0	298	0	298	0
Adoption Cases					
Related.....	100	1,110	0	1,190	20
Agency.....	59	1,545	0	1,554	50
Private Placement.....	69	1,417	0	1,300	186
Mental Health Procedures					
Petitions for Commitment					
Adults.....	183	3,924	0	3,857	250
Minors.....	0	0	0	0	0
Petitions for Restoration					
Adults.....		179	0	179	
Minors.....		0	0	0	
Petitions for Discharge.....	0	35	0	35	0
Support.....	15	0	0	1	14
Municipal Corporations					
Petition to Organize.....	14	4	0	0	18
Annexn's, Discn's, Dissol's.....	38	12	0	0	50
Local Options and Propositions.....	4	1	0	0	5
Election Contests.....	23	21	0	0	44
Fraud.....	0	6	0	6	0
Reciprocal Non Support					
Originating in Cook County.....	440	35	0	37	438
Originating Outside Cook County.....	1,907	1,819		833	2,893
Served in Cook County.....	13	13		11	15

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY
MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT, DISTRICTS 1-6
NATURE OF TERMINATION OF CRIMINAL, ORDINANCE AND
TRAFFIC CASES DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

Method of Termination or Disposition	Preliminary Hearings		Misdemeanors and Ordinance Violations		Traffic	
	District 1	Districts 2-6	District 1	Districts 2-6	District 1	Districts 2-6
1. Fine.....	XXX	XXX	20,232	3,997	485,466	240,823
2. Fine and Jail Sentence of Probation.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	9,972	4,370
3. House of Correction.....	XXX	XXX	11,369	294	XXX	XXX
4. County Jail.....	XXX	XXX	1,460	336	XXX	XXX
5. Probation.....	XXX	XXX	5,981	1,006	XXX	XXX
6. State Institutions.....	XXX	XXX	640	139	XXX	XXX
7. Transferred to Criminal Division.....	3,424	381	0	1	XXX	XXX
8. Ordered to Pay.....	XXX	XXX	2,085	30	XXX	XXX
9. Dismissed on Payment of Court Costs.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	0	0
10. Ex Parte, Satisfied.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	0	0
11. Ex Parte, Execution to Issue.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	0	0
12. Fine and Costs Suspended.....	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	2,602	237
13. Discharged.....	139	109	32,778	4,873	150,882	54,049
14. D.W.P.....	184	96	30,132	2,554	119,150	16,637
15. Leave to File Denied.....	171	3	97,896	100	1,375	311
16. Leave to File Denied—No Number.....	0	0	0	3	XXX	XXX
17. Non-Suit.....	53	0	13,648	171	14,473	8,042
18. Nolle Prosequi.....	100	452	12,545	962	20,285	12,469
19. Stricken off—Leave to Reinstate.....	439	497	19,775	2,249	5,082	15,951
20. Other.....	15	2	828	36	0	0
TOTAL.....	4,525	1,540	249,369	16,751	809,287	352,889

**DISPOSITION OF DIVORCE CASES
DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1969
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY**

**PART I
TOTAL DIVORCE CASES TERMINATED**

25,561

**PART II
DECREES**

TOTAL DECREES.....		18,305
1. Divorce.....	17,972	
2. Separate Maintenance.....	156	
3. Annulment.....	177	

**PART III
CASES DISMISSED**

TOTAL DISMISSALS.....		7,256
1. Divorce.....	6,931	
2. Separate Maintenance.....	177	
3. Annulment.....	148	

**STATEMENT OF TOTAL LAW JURY CASES TERMINATED AS
REPORTED BY THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK
COUNTY, COUNTY DEPARTMENT, LAW DIVISION
DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

During calendar year 1969 the Law Division of the County Department of the Circuit Court of Cook County terminated 16,971 law jury cases which were credited by the clerk as follows:

I.	To the assignment judge (Judge Ward).....	6,906
II.	To the motion judges (Judges Brussell, Bua, Hallett and Schwartz).....	762
III.	To the pre-trial judges (Judges Bicek, Courtney, Hall, Matkovic, Melaniphy and Schultz).....	1,405
IV.	To the judges who participated in the summer pre-trial program as follows:	
a)	To the 36 judges of Cook County (Judges Barrett, Barry, Barth, Braude, Butler, Canel, Carey, Crowley, Daly, Dieringer, Fiedler, Finnegan, J. C. Fitzgerald, T. H. Fitzgerald, Geroulis, Goldberg, Heilingoetter, Hershenson, Holmgren, Holzer, Kowalski, Lefkovits, Matkovic, McAuliffe, McMillen, Moran, Nash, Nelson, Paschen, Porter, Roberts, Sorrentino, Stark, Stefanowicz, Tucker and Wosik).....	3,157
b)	To the 3 judges on assignment from circuits outside of Cook County (Judges Berkowitz, Clark and H. L. White).....	80
V.	To the law jury trial judges as follows:	
a)	To the 33 judges (Judges C. R. Barrett, Barry, Barth, Braude, Butler, Canel, Carey, Crowley, Daly, Dieringer, Fiedler, Finnegan, J. C. Fitzgerald, T. H. Fitzgerald, Geroulis, Goldberg, Heilingoetter, Hershenson, Holmgren, Holzer, Kowalski, Lefkovits, McAuliffe, McMillen, Moran, Nash, Nelson, Paschen, Porter, Roberts, Sorrentino, Stefanowicz and Wosik) whose service in the Law Jury Division was not substantially interrupted by other judicial duties or illness during the entire period.....	4,122
b)	To the 4 judges (Judges Downing, Quilici, Stark and Tucker) whose service in the Law Jury Division was limited by other judicial duties, assignments and illness during the entire period.....	216
c)	To the 40 judges on assignment from circuits outside of Cook County (Judges Benefiel, Chamberlain, Daily, Dennis, Durr, Gorby, Gray, Gunning, Kasserman, Klukos, Lewis, Lipe, Locke, Maeys, Maher, Mehrhoff, Michaelree, Mills, Monroe, Morris, W. Nash, Pistilli, Quindry, Reither, Rink, Scholz, Seidel, Stengel, Sunderman, Trampe, C. Tucker, Turnbaugh, Turner, Utter, Verticchio, Watson, Wheeler, H. L. White, Williams and C. M. Wilson).....	323
	Total Terminations.....	16,971

**SUMMARY OF THE JUDICIAL PROCESSING OF THE 4860 LAW JURY CASES
REPORTED THROUGH THE MONTHLY REPORTS OF THE LAW JURY TRIAL JUDGES
(COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY)
DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1969**

Method of Disposition	Number of Cases	Number of Jury ½ Days	Number of Judge ½ Days in Excess of Jury ½ Days
1. With Use of Jury:			
a. Dismissed by agreement during selection of jury.....	215	346	249
b. Dismissed by agreement after selection of jury.....	341	1,447	439
c. Contested verdicts for plaintiff.....	308	2,321	302
d. Contested verdicts for defendant.....	274	1,781	289
e. Uncontested verdicts for plaintiff.....	73	98	45
f. Uncontested verdicts for defendant.....	13	58	19
g. Other terminations.....	29	78	20
2. Mistrials for Error.....	19	137	26
3. Mistrials for Disagreement.....	21	222	24
4. Without Use of Jury:			
a. Court finding for plaintiff.....	565	XXX	1,003
b. Court finding for defendant.....	76	XXX	138
c. Uncontested prove-ups.....	402	XXX	511
d. Dismissed or terminated by agreement.....	2,147	XXX	3,004
e. Dismissed for want of prosecution.....	160	XXX	151
f. Other terminations.....	58	XXX	98
5. Returned to Assignment Judge.....	159	33	242
Totals.....	4,860*	6,521	6,560

* Includes law jury cases processed by the 40 judges on assignment from circuits outside of Cook County during calendar year 1969.

**AN ANALYSIS OF THE LAW JURY PRODUCT OF THE LAW JURY TRIAL JUDGES OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY,
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1969—AS REPORTED THROUGH THE MONTHLY REPORTS OF LAW
JURY TRIAL JUDGES**

The monthly reports of the law jury trial judges of the County Department of the Circuit Court of Cook County, indicate a total of 4, 860 cases processed and 4,661 cases terminated. Subsections A, B, & C below describe the processing of these cases, classified according to the amount of time a judge was assigned to the County Department, Law Division, Jury Section.

	Settled Without Use of Jury	Settled During Selection of Jury	Settled After Selection of Jury	Verdicts		Returned to Assignment Judge	Mistrials	Total Law Jury Cases Terminated	Total Law Jury Cases Processed	Total Jury ½ Days	Total Judge ½ Days in Excess of Jury ½ Days	Calendar ½ Days Avail- able for Assignment
				Contested	Uncontested							

A. The law jury record of the 33 law jury judges whose service in the law jury trial division was not substantially interrupted by other judicial duties, assignment or illness during calendar year 1969:

TOTALS.....	3,014	185	317	523	82	137	36	4,122	4,295	5,867	5,792	12,076
Maximum.....	304	57	28	30	11	16	5	371	372	295	286	404
Minimum.....	28	0	2	4	0	0	0	81	86	62	49	304
Average.....	91.3	5.6	9.6	15.8	2.4	4.1	1.1	124.9	130.2	175.5	177.8	365.9

B. The law jury record of the 4 law jury judges whose service in the law jury trial division was substantially limited by other judicial Duties, assignments or illness during calendar year 1969:

TOTALS.....	160	7	18	27	4	17	4	216	237	358	350	789
Maximum.....	84	5	9	14	3	9	2	108	118	129	143	137
Minimum.....	5	0	3	0	0	2	0	8	10	40	13	13
Average.....	40.0	1.8	4.2	6.7	1.0	4.2	1.0	54.0	59.2	89.5	87.5	197.2

C. The law jury record of the 40 judges on assignment to the Circuit Court of Cook County, law jury division from circuits outside of Cook County during calendar year 1969:

TOTALS.....	234	22	35	32	0	5	0	323	328	371	343	910
Maximum.....	22	1	4	2	0	1	0	27	28	26	18	50
Minimum.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	10
Average.....	5.9	0.6	0.9	0.8	0	0.1	0	8.1	8.2	9.3	8.6	22.7

