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City Physician.....A H Edwards, M. D.
Medical Examiner of Schools.....E. W. Schnoor, M. D.
Bacteriological Department.....George L. Bond, M. D., Bacteriologist.
City Hospitals.....Margaret Anway, R. N. Superintendent
Meat & Milk Inspection Department.....M. H. Sheffield, Chief Inspector.
Plumbing Inspection Department.....Henry Griffin, Chief Inspector.

HEALTH AND OTHER STATISTICS

Population, 1918	135,000	No. telephones used in city	27,266
Death Rate per 1,000	13.56	No. public and private hospitals	10
Area of City in square miles	18	Newspapers	3 daily, 29 weekly
Area of City Parks in acres	457	Total assessed valuation, 1919	\$185,141,508
Value of City Parks, 1917	\$1,166,967.00	Tax Rate	\$16.35
Bonded Indebtedness	\$4,870,600.00	Public works, value	4,901,040.00
Tax Rate	\$16.339	Schools	Public 42, Private 7, Parochial 29
No. street lights	1800	School Census between ages of 5 and 20	34,052
Boulevard Lights	2600	Enrollment in Public Schools	19,572