

CAN WE AFFORD IT ?

MUCH OF YOUR TAX DOLLAR NOW SUPPORTS SLUMS



In Boston there is one slum where the per capita cost of government is 23 times as high as the average for the city.

DISEASE



Public health costs are so high in the bad housing districts of Manhattan and Brooklyn that 38 percent of these areas fail to pay for even half of the services they receive.

FIRE



In the bad housing areas of Cleveland, Ohio, the cost of fire protection is \$58 per family. In the suburbs it is only \$4 per family.

CRIME



Expenditures on account of felonies were more than \$8 per capita in one census tract in the Indianapolis slums. The average per capita cost for the city was only 60 cents.

WOULDN'T DECENT HOMES BE A WISER INVESTMENT ?

One-fourth of all the juvenile delinquents in Chicago come from 6 percent of the city's area.



DELINQUENCY

