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**Declare Officials Lax in Preventing Tampering with Panel Lists and Other Matters—Boosts State's Attorney Wayman for Governor.**

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Flat charges of fraud and wholesale violations of the law were made against the Cook county jury commissioners' office by the October grand jury, which adjourned following the presentation of an official report to Judge Tuthill.

Without mincing words or glossing over the accusations in any way the inquisitorial body declared the jury-drawing system "rotten and corrupt" from top to bottom. Conditions have been such the report alleged, that any commissioner or any employee in the office could pick out a grand or petit jury whenever he so desired.

**Surprising Features.**

A surprising feature of the report was the resolution made by the grand jurors personally, literally launching State's Attorney Wayman's candidacy for governor. The grand jury members wished him success to the degree that he would be entitled "to the highest reward of the people of the state of Illinois," which was taken to mean the governorship.

As for details of the venire system, the grand jury reported bogus cards, false lists and irregular proceedings in evidence. Capt. Roswell H. Mason, the chief clerk, is charged with having failed to place cards in the jury box after they had been selected, keeping them on his desk for long periods of time.

That one commissioner—name not mentioned—gave certain names to one of the employees of the office to be selected for jury service is charged in the report.

**POLICE SHOOT DOWN TWO MEN.**

**Caught in Act of Robbing Residence—Thieves Put Up Fight.**

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 28.—Two men caught attempting to rob a house at 507 South Harris avenue were shot by Bicycle Policemen Mullen and Stewart in a desperate running battle. One of the men, who is probably fatally wounded, is named Mike Foley, according to his companion. The latter, shot in the leg and the arm, gave his own name to the police as Samuel Cardwell of Chicago. He met Foley, he said, at Cincinnati a few days ago.

The policemen were called by neighbors, who found Cardwell and Foley ransacking a house. When the policemen arrived the two robbers were in the street and at once opened fire. Mullen stopped his bicycle so quickly that he was thrown to the ground. Lying there he returned the fire, and Stewart also began shooting.

The robbers, emptying their revolvers, ran, the policemen after them. Mullen followed Foley into a shed. The man had been shot through the lungs and was writhing in agony, but he had reloaded his revolver, and he shot full at Mullen as he entered the door. Mullen struck the man on the head with his mace and he fell back senseless.

Patrolman Stewart chased Caldwell into a stable and placed him under arrest.

The detectives began an investigation on the basis of a possibility that Foley and Cardwell were members of the gang that wrecked a number of buildings in this city last Sunday night with dynamite.

**GOMPERS TO HONOR FATHER**

**Two Hundred Relatives of Labor Leader to Hold Reunion in New York.**

New York, Oct. 29.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and about 200 of his relatives are coming from various parts of the country to attend the eighty-second birthday anniversary of his father, Solomon Gompers, which will be celebrated here in a large hall. Among the four generations represented there will be 40 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. Following a dinner, at which Samuel Gompers will act as toastmaster, there will be a dance.

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