ELECTION FRAUD IS

Evidence at Recount Hearing Shows Official Violations Removed Safeguards.

WITNESS SHOWS ANIMUS

Mysterious Mr. Linde Reported to Have Taken Active Part in Election, Entering Voters' Names and Calling Count.

Whoever perpetrated the election frauds in Precinct 37, where approxi-mately 140 votes were changed in favor of Tom M. Word for Sheriff, did so through opportunities affered by actions of the board, in violation of the state election laws. This was brought out clearly in the election scandal inquiry in Circuit Judge Kavanaugh's court

A. L. Clark, chairman of the day board in Precinct 27, admitted yester-day that the board had transgressed day that the board had transgressed the law by going to lunch and to dinnor, leaving the ballots in the care of a single clerk and a supposed Deputy Sheriff. He also admitted that he had erred by allowing this same supposed Deputy Sheriff to call ballots and act as a nomber of the board on at least two occasions.

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The uncertain identity of Linde, the mysterious watcher at the polls for Mr. Word and for the rest of the Democratic ticket; the entire absence of an investigation by Sheriff Word or any other official and the activities of Deputy Sheriff Phelan as a member of the executive board of the Democratic County Central Committee and of other deputies in behalf of the Democratic ticket were corroborated by resterday's evidence.

Mr. Hart Comes for Hearing, Mr. Hart Comes for Hearing.
Testimony thus far shows that the only men who, at any time, were left alone with Linde and the ballots were lumiel B. Culhane, day judge; A. L. Clark, chairman of the day board; Gepege L. Allen, night judge, and E. L. Hart, day clerk. Mr. Culhane and Mr. Clark were examined yesterday. Allen hus disappeared. Mr. Hart arrived yesterday morning from Boise, idaho, coming voluntarily to give his testimony in the inquiry, and he probably will be called today. Mr. Hart is a traveling man residing at 475 Washington street. He says that he has been willing to testify whenever wanted, and

ington street. He says that he has been willing to testify whenever wanted, and abandoned his trip especially to appear before Judge Kavanaugh.

During the entire hearing representatives of District Attorney Evans office have sat in the courtroom and carefully noted the evidence. The testimony will be submitted to the grand jury for a criminal investigation next week.

The testimony of A. L. Clark conflicted in many points with that dother witnesses, and once he got badly tangled up in his statements. He stated that he looked in at the polls about 11.20 P. M., November 3, and saw George L. Allen, a judge, alone in the room. A big pile of ballots was lying on top of a box by the long table, he said.

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"I noticed it particularly because of a warning we had received the night before," he said.

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"What warning was that?" asked Mr. Malarkey.
"Somebody had called my wife on the telephone and told her we had better not serve on the board or we might get into trouble."
"Then you were particularly observant?"
"Not any more than Donnelly." Mr.

"Not any more than Donnelly," Mr. Clark exploded suddenly, "He came in five times the next day and he had been up all night, too."

Mr. Donnelly was chairman of the night board. This was the first evidence of any animosity existing between the two boards.

"Oh, by the way, Mr. Clark, who did you vote for for Sheriff?" Mr. Malarkey asked.

"For Hurburt."

"Well-"

"— and I voted right, too," Clark continued emphatically. "I know there are people here who testified that they voted for Word when they didn't."
"Who was it that testified they voted for Word and didn't?"
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"Well, of course I can't say that I know, but I don't think Fred and May Hoffman voted for Word, I know their father was against him." Mr. Clark exhibited some feeling against these two, whose parents are proprietors of the Grant Hotel, where Mr. and Mrs. Clark formerly lived.

Linde Allowed to Work.

During his cross-examination by Mr. Mslarkey. Clark got excited and nervous many times. He admitted that he had allowed Linde, the mysterious

he had allowed Linde, the mysterious Word watcher, to write names in the pell book for a time on election day. On the following day he also allowed Linde to call the ballots in place of Cullane on two occasions.

"Then on election day and the day after you let this man, whom you did not know, parthripate in running the election die you" asked Mr. Malarkey.

"Yes, and he said the night board had let him help and had left him with the ballots.

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Toh, he said that. Well, do you think these erasures were made while the night board had charge?"
"I don't think. I don't know."
"Well, which is the most probable."
"Don't you think that when there is any nefarious work to be done it is lotter to do it at night than in the daytime?" demanded Mr. Clark's featimony came when he declared positively that the first 14 votes counted by the day board had been for Word. He had noticed it, because Mr. Donnelly had remarked that Hurlburt seemed to have a landslide in that precinct, he said.

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